

Abigail (Abby) K. Jansen Memorial SCHOLARSHIP

APPLICATION FOR SCHOLARSHIP

Abigail Katherine Jansen was born to Tom and Amy Jansen on October 27, 2003. She had a twin sister Lexi and a younger brother, Jack. From the time Abby was young, she quickly developed a love for the outdoors. Hunting and fishing were two of her favorite pastimes with her dad and later, her brother. She also loved to bake. She was always her mom's "helper" in the kitchen, which later evolved into a business that she started with her sister called Twin Treats Bakery. They created hundreds of cakes and cupcakes during the short life of this business. Abby had an appreciation for academics and always challenged herself successfully in the classroom. She was a member of National Honor Society, National Spanish Honor Society, Tri-M, and was always on the A Honor Roll. She was an avid swimmer, a pianist, and self-taught guitarist. Her biggest aspiration later in life was to become a surgeon.

What Abby loved more than anything was to give of herself. She could often be found playing guitar at St. Augustine Parish and Notre Dame Masses. During her summers, she gave back to her alma mater, St. Augustine School, by helping her former teachers prepare their classrooms for the upcoming school year and by designing bulletin boards in the hallways. She also gave countless hours to the Notre Dame Boys Swim Team as their team manager, a duty she shared with her sister, Lexi. Unfortunately, her story at Notre Dame will remain incomplete as she passed away in November of her junior year in a car accident. Friends and family will remember her as being kind, compassionate, smart, supportive and helpful. This scholarship was established in her honor by those who love her, so that her memory will forever live on at Notre Dame Regional High School.

The Abigail (Abby) K. Jansen Memorial Scholarship will be awarded annually to a current freshman, sophomore, or junior level student, applicable toward tuition for the following year at Notre Dame Regional High School.

Criteria:

The recipient must:

- Have a minimum of a "C" average academically
- Have good attendance and discipline record
- Demonstrates Christian service
- Complete an application form listing any completed Christian service projects
- Complete a one-page essay on, "How do you make a difference in your parish, school and community?"

A selection committee will read the application and judge the essay on content and expression. The presentation of the scholarship will be made at the Awards Assembly at the close of the school year.

STUDENT NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

PARENT(S) NAME(S): _____

Please list any completed Christian service projects in the space provided

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Signature of Student

Please click to acknowledge that the above statements are accurate

Write your essay on a separate paper and attach to this form. **Do NOT write your name on the essay paper!**
Please type your essay.