# The Caileigh Lynn McDowell Foundation 2020 Scholarship

Everyone that had the privilege of knowing Caileigh, knows that she loved unifying people, encouraging others, standing up for justice, sharing a smile and spreading kindness. Her tragic, unexpected death in 2016, during her senior year at Woodland Hills High School, has created a community movement to remember and honor her goodness. As part of its efforts to share goodness with the community, the foundation scholarship program awards up to two \$5000 scholarships annually.

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Just like Caileigh.

### STUDENT REQUIREMENTS

- Has participated in team building and community building through athletics, clubs, volunteer activities, etc.
- Is a person of honesty and integrity.
- Shows enthusiasm and school spirit toward the school and classmates.
- Supports other students through friendship, kindness, inclusion and compassion.
- Is courageous in their ability to stand up for beliefs, others and issues.
- Must be a graduating senior attending a 4 year university.



#### NOMINATION/SELECTION PROCESS

The nominee process will be initiated from recommendations received from faculty or administration.

\*Self-nominations may also be considered with an accompanying letter of support from faculty or administration.

Nominees must complete a scholarship application/500 word essay that outlines the candidate's qualities that match the Foundation's scholarship requirements. Must be included: student activities, GPA, examples of kindness, school spirit and inclusive behavior. A student resume must be attached.

An independent Selection Committee (non-foundation/non-family members) will review and evaluate all nomination applications for determination of final recipients.

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## Scholarship Application



#### Congratulations!

You have been nominated to be considered for a scholarship from The Caileigh Lynn McDowell Foundation.

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You will need to submit a scholarship application/500 word essay that addresses the following requirements:

- Please share details about ways that you have participated in team building and community building through athletics, clubs, volunteer activities, etc.
- Describe how you are a person of honesty and integrity.
- Describe the ways that you show enthusiasm and school spirit toward your school and classmates.
- How do you support other students through friendship, kindness, inclusion and compassion?
- Give examples of how you have been courageous while standing up for your beliefs, others or advocating to support issues that are important to you.
- Please tell us about the 4 year university that you will be attending.
- Please attach a copy of your resume.

Please submit your completed application/essay to caileighsfightsong@gmail.com by May 8, 2020.

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