

THE DEVERL BURNS MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP



Deverl Burns was an exceptional woman. She was a beloved mother, grandmother, wife, and friend, a devout Christian, and a life-long lover of literature. She read anything she could get her hands on, and she passed on her love of books to many of her descendants.

Upon her passing in June of 2016, her family began a scholarship fund for students who share the passion she had for reading. The scholarship is open to seniors at Anderson County High School, Spencer County High School, Washington County High School, and Woodford County High School, where Mrs. Burns' legacy lives on through her children and grandchildren.

To be considered for the one-time scholarship in the amount of \$500, applicants should complete the following information in a Word document and send their completed application to burnsmemorialscholarship@yahoo.com by March 30, 2018 at 11:59pm EDT.

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Full name:

Address:

Phone number:

E-mail address:

Name of high school:

Weighted GPA:

Unweighted GPA:

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In as much detail as possible, describe both the role that reading has played in your life and the importance of literacy as it relates to your future success.