



Ann Barbour Memorial Scholarship Fund

More than \$15,000 in scholarship funding is available for instruction relating to music lessons and the performing arts due to the generosity of the friends and family of Ann Barbour.

A lifelong music lover and educator, Ann enjoyed playing the piano and organ. Throughout her years, she participated in many musical productions and accompanied services at church as well as other special events. She also taught piano lessons and served as a choir music director, sharing her talents and love of music with others.

On January 7th, 2015, Ann passed away following a courageous multi-year battle with a variety of pulmonary related illnesses, surrounded by family. Ann's family decided to create a scholarship program with memorial donations they received. To honor her affinity for music and the love of her grandson, Ben, who has Down syndrome, they earmarked scholarship funds for people of all ages with Down syndrome to fulfill their goals in pursuing education in music and the performing arts.

Criteria for Application:

- Annual limit per person with Down syndrome: \$200.
- Funds will be distributed on a first come, first serve basis.
- Lessons must be provided by a certified performing arts instructor or individual with commensurate experience as approved by DSACO. *Supporting documentation of qualifications (resume, etc.) must be provided.*
- Attached documentation of cost of class, not just a cancelled check is required.
- Reimbursement is only provided with receipt of payment of class or service.
- Need not pass to new course level to be considered.
- Examples of appropriate scholarship requests include, but not limited to: piano lessons, college coursework in performing arts, theater classes, and singing lessons.
- Scholarship dollars do not cover costs including, but not limited to: lease or purchase of an instrument, music therapy that is otherwise covered through insurance, and concert or performance tickets.

Parent's Name:		Individual's Name:	
Street Address:			
City:		State:	Zip:
Phone Number: () -		E-mail:	
Place where lessons were provided:			
Instructor's Name:		Cost of Lessons:	

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