

****2010 INNSBRUCK SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION****

MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP FUNDS AVAILABLE FOR 2010 INNSBRUCK PARTICIPANTS

IN MEMORY OF

Sarah Kathryn Thompson

NAME: _____

EMAIL ADDRESS: _____

ADDRESS: _____

TELEPHONE: _____

ST.MU I.D.: _____

LAW SCHOOL YEAR: _____

All Applications are due to Sr. Grace Walle, FMI by 5:00 p.m. on March 24, 2010. Please submit either a hard copy to her office, LF 106, or by email to gwalle@stmarytx.edu. Award winners will be announced March 30, 2010. The two winners will receive \$600 and \$1,000 respectively in memory of SARAH K. THOMPSON. Recipients are chosen by a committee based on writing ability and persuasiveness.

In order to qualify for the scholarship, applicants must answer the following questions to the best of their ability: Please use additional pages as necessary (no more than two).

1. Sarah was a vocal fan of the Innsbruck program and encouraged all those around her to attend. An applicant must address their reasons for their interest in the Innsbruck Program and possibly their interests in future international work and/or travel.

How would international legal study and international travel benefit your legal education?

2. Sarah's goal was to help the poor in need of legal services, especially the elderly. With a passion for elder law, Sarah was not interested in the law for financial reasons but rather civic philanthropy. She was also a life-long member of Trinity Lutheran Church in Tyler. Applicant must also demonstrate past work they have done, future civic work they intend to do, and civil services they are involved in currently. Work for your congregation or religious community will be viewed favorably.

How are you working to make a difference?

3. The applicant may address some particular way they reached out to support a friend or family member during a time of difficulty or in an unusual situation. Applicants may also indicate how they have lent their support to fellow law students through involvement in law school activities or tutoring.

How have you reached out to your family and friends?

4. The main purpose of the scholarship memorial is to carry on the memory of Sarah. Another main purpose for the scholarship program is alleviating some of the financial weight on applicants. In this way, Sarah's parents know they have allowed another law student to enjoy Innsbruck the way Sarah did. An applicant can demonstrate a financial need for the scholarship and this will be taken into consideration for awards.

Please indicate your financial need.

Sarah was a Texas Tech Red Raider fan through and through. Sarah would even go over her cell phone minutes calling her dad talking Red Raider football. The award is not solely based on a applicant having attended Texas Tech, but a preference may be given to a qualified applicant who is a graduate of Texas Tech.

Did you graduate from Texas Tech? YES NO

Any applicant must be in good standing to receive the award. If any recipient is unable to attend, a runner-up will be announced. All awards must be used for attending the summer 2010 Innsbruck Program. If less than two awards are granted, Sr. Grace will distribute the awards to deserving recipients accordingly. Thank you for your consideration and we hope to see you in Austria.