

Casey McClain Scholarship Electra High School

Rebecca McClain is a 1984 graduate from Denton High School. Mrs. McClain went on to North Central Texas Community College where she received an Associate of Science. Mrs. McClain also attended Southeastern Oklahoma State University where she received a Bachelor in Arts in History and Geography. After being on the mission field, she continued her education at Texas Woman's University and received a Master of Library Science Degree. She is certified to teach in Arkansas and Texas.

Casey McClain was a 1980 graduate of Electra High School. He participated in the Band and many other activities on campus. Mr. McClain attended Midwestern State University where he received a Bachelor of Arts in Psychology. He also received two Master Degree's in Marriage and Family Counseling and Religious Education at Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary.

After college Mr. McClain served as a Missionary where he worked with college students in North Dakota and Grayson County Community College in Denison, Texas. He also worked with many teenagers over the years in church work and in clinical settings. His greatest job was being a High School English Teacher for 7 – 12th grades at Electra, Arkansas.

Elizabeth was in the 6th grade at Electra Elementary when she died. The best memories of her are her smiling face and running around with no shoes. When she grew up she was going to be a Librarian like her mom.

Casey had a desire to help students achieve their goals in education. To honor that desire, I have set up this scholarship at Electra Christian School so that students can achieve their educational goals.

Sincerely,

Mr. Rebecca McClain
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Texarkana, AR. 71854

Casey McClain Scholarship Electra High School Requirements

A committee of family members reads the submitted essays and selects the top three; Mrs. Rebecca McClain makes the final decision.

The requirements for the Casey McClain Scholarship are as follows:

1. Must have a **3.0 or better**. (2.8 or above will be considered if they are in the top 10% of the graduating class.)
2. Must be **attending a University, Community College or Trade School** to receive this scholarship.
3. **Recommendations** from your Administrator, Teachers or Minister need to be submitted with your essay. They should tell us about your character, GPA, Class Rank and Students needs.
4. All awards are at least **\$250.00 dollars**. The money will be distributed when the student shows enrollment at the above mentioned school.
5. Money may be spent for whatever needs the student may have; such as books, tuition, room & board and/or gasoline to get back and forth to school.
6. Students must **answer the questions fully and completely**.
7. Try to keep your essay to at least **3 typed pages**.
8. A **picture of recipient with the family representative at graduation is requested** so that the family might have a picture for their file.
9. Please **submit your recommendation letter with your essay**.
10. All essays with recommendations must be turned in by **March 1, 2007**.

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Essay**

The following questions need to be answered in an **essay format**. Please answer with as much **detail** as possible. Try to stay with **3 typed pages** if possible.

1. What is your fondest memory? It can be about school, church, or family. (This is your opportunity to tell the committee a little about yourself and your family life.)
2. What are your plans next year, five years, and ten years from now? (Where do you see yourself going? Remember to dream here.)
3. Why is this scholarship important to you?

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Recommendation**

I, _____ (person recommending you) here by
recommend _____ (Candidate) for the Casey McClain
Scholarship. Candidates: GPA is _____, Class Rank _____.

Please tell us about the character of this candidate.

Please explain why this student would be a good candidate for our scholarship.
