The endowment was established to provide assistance paying for housing and food of children of veterans with service connected disabilities during their undergraduate studies at either a community college, college, or university. The founder of the endowment wanted to recognize the sacrifices made by veterans with service connected disabilities, and their families on behalf of our nation.

The amount of the scholarship will be $2,250.00 and will be awarded in April or May. A recipient may only be awarded the scholarship once.

The Scholarship can be awarded in any year of undergraduate study.

The Scholarship will be awarded in April or May of 2019

All applications must be postmarked by March 31st 2019

Qualifications for the Scholarship

The recipient must be a resident of Alexander, Catawba, Iredell, Davie, Mecklenburg, Rowan, or Yadkin County in North Carolina.

The recipient must be under 25 years of age, and be the child of a veteran with a service connected disability.

Application Materials required.

A completed application.

A copy of a high school diploma and transcript, or GED certificate.

A copy of the veteran’s DD 214.

A copy of the veteran’s letter of disability from the Veterans Administration.

A copy of the applicant’s birth certificate.

A statement of financial need, which lists all grants, and scholarships that you have received, and a description of why you need our assistance.

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Method of Award

A Scholarship Committee Chairperson(s), appointed by the board of Purple Hearth Homes shall receive all application at 755 Washington Ave. Statesville NC 28677, by April, 7 2019. All applications will be acknowledged by email and the winner will be notified by May 31" 2019. Arrangements will be made for a presentation ceremony as soon as feasible after the winner is notified.

The Scholarship committee will consist of persons appointed by Purple Heart Homes and the committee chairperson(s). This committee has the responsibility of reading, and grading the essays, submitted by the applicants. They shall be responsible for administrative oversight, and award of all scholarships.

The scholarship committee shall strive to verify all information included in the applicant’s packet.

Once applications have been received they will be assigned a code, and once eligibility has been verified identifying information will be stored independently with the same code attached, so all applications can be judged on merit.

The scholarship funds will be deposited in the name of the recipient with the financial aid office of the educational institution at which the recipient is enrolled.
KATHERINE BAICH
ENDOWED SCHOLARSHIP

Please type or print clearly

Name:

First          MI          Last

Address:

Number and Street          City          State          Zip Code

Email Address          Telephone

High School: __________________________ GPA: ____________

Why are you pursuing higher education? ( ) Yes ( ) No
Are you a first generation college student? ( ) Yes ( ) No
Are you the child of a veteran with a service-connected disability? ( ) Yes ( ) No
If yes what is their full name and relationship to you?

Is the veteran still serving in the military? ( ) Yes ( ) No
If yes in what branch of the military?
( ) Army ( ) Air Force ( ) Marine Corps ( ) Coast Guard

Please attach typed response to the following questions, using a 12 Times New Roman Font, be double spaced, and be a minimum of 150 words per question response.
1. How has the service member (and their service-connected disability) affected your life?
2. What challenges in your life have you had to overcome due to their service-connected disability?
3. If you could change one thing about yourself, what would it be and why?
4. Compared to your friends of nonmilitary families, how will having a service member in your family have a positive impact on your future?
5. How could you help develop awareness of veterans that live in your community?
6. How have you positively contributed to their reintegration with family/society and their recovery?

Please complete this application fully attach the answers to the above questions, and all documents requested on pages 1 & 2.