

ELIZABETH HARDY KANEMOTO SCHOLARSHIP FUND



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BACKGROUND:

Elizabeth Hardy was born February 3, 1947 in Salt Lake City, Utah. She graduated with distinction from Stanford University in Palo Alto, California, where she majored in psychology with a minor in anthropology. She married Dr. Henry Kanemoto on March 28, 1969, and they were blessed with two sons – Michael and Daniel. She passed away in her home on November 13, 1999. Her family and friends remember her as a giving and loving wife and mother.

Elizabeth felt to be a whole person one must carry a love of art, beauty, and honesty. She shared these values with her husband and children. She loved gardening and helping others create and design their yards. She held a special place in her heart for the neighborhood children often helping to care for them.

She was a member of the Marathon County Medical Auxiliary and served on the advisory board and scholarship committee for UW-Marathon County, and also volunteered for the EATS program and other service committees.



Elizabeth Hardy Kanemoto

Feb. 3, 1947 – Nov. 13, 1999

PURPOSE OF THE FUND:

The purpose of the Elizabeth Hardy Kanemoto Fund is to support post-secondary educational opportunities for graduates of Wausau East High School with an interest in the Fine Arts or Anthropology and planning to attend a four-year college or university.

APPLICATION PROCESS:

Students interested in this scholarship should complete the general scholarship application form through Wausau East's guidance office. The Wausau East Scholarship Selection Committee has been designated as the selection committee.

SELECTION GUIDELINES:

Preference for selection of the recipient will be given in the following manner:

- A graduating senior from Wausau East High School with a minimum 3.0 GPA,
- Interested in pursuing an education in the Fine Arts,
- With demonstrated financial need.

- Financial need will be weighted higher than GPA in the selection process.

- If there is no student who qualifies for funding pursuing a degree in the Fine Arts, a student is to be selected who is pursuing an education in Anthropology, and meets the criteria above.

ANNOUNCEMENT AND PAYMENT:

If available, a member of the Kanemoto family will make the presentation of the scholarship award at the schools' senior high awards ceremonies. If not available, a representative of the high school or the Community Foundation will make the presentation on behalf of the Kanemoto family. The recipients will receive a congratulatory letter from the Community Foundation after the awards ceremony, instructing them on how to receive their scholarship funding.

Scholarship funds will be paid by the Community Foundation directly to the school the student will be attending upon receipt of proof of registration to an accredited 4-year college or university.

For more information, you can contact the Community Foundation office:



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