



## Theodore N. "Ted" Erb, Jr. Memorial Scholarship

**Further the education of future and current Firefighters, EMTs and Emergency Management**

Ted was a member of the Graettinger Benefitted Fire Department for 36 years, from 1974-2010. He was also an instructor for the Iowa State Fire Service Institute (Iowa Fire Service Training Bureau), teaching firefighters throughout the State of Iowa. Ted was one of the first EMT-As for the Graettinger Ambulance Service when it was first implemented. It was owned and operated through Fuhrman Funeral Home in Graettinger. He owned and operated Customized Firefighting where he made burn and flashover simulators that he used to train firefighters. He passion for teaching and educating firefighters. Ted passed away in October 2020. To continue dedication of furthering the education of emergency service personnel, a scholarship fund has been setup to further the education of volunteer or career firefighters, Emergency Medical Technician or Paramedic and Emergency Management.

To qualify for Theodore N. "Ted" Erb, Jr. Memorial Scholarship, candidates must be furthering their education in Fire Service, Emergency Management or Emergency Medical Technician/Paramedic with an Associate's Degree, Bachelor's Degree, Master's Degree or certification (EMT or Paramedic). These scholarships are ONLY for Iowa residents. Theodore N. "Ted" Erb, Jr. Memorial Scholarship serve the complex need to build and promote the Fire Service, EMS & Emergency Management in the State of Iowa. Ted dedication to the Fire and EMS services provides a significant part of continuing his legacy towards the education of firefighters, EMTs and Emergency Management personnel. Awards will be distributed to worthy recipients at the conclusion of the 2020-21 school year.

- **Theodore N. "Ted" Erb, Jr. Memorial Scholarship** shall be used towards further recipients' education in Associates Degree, Bachelor's Degree or Master's Degree in Fire/EMS/Emergency Management.
- Awards are distributed to worthy recipients at the conclusion of the 2020-21 school year.  
**Theodore N. "Ted" Erb, Jr. Memorial Scholarship**..... VARIES

The family of **Theodore N. "Ted" Erb, Jr. Memorial Scholarship** does not discriminate based on race, color, religion, sex, marital status, national origin, ancestry, age, veteran status, disability, or any other legally protected characteristic in the administration of their scholarship.

### **APPLICATION CRITERIA:**

- Must be IOWA Resident
- The scholarship is available for anyone pursuing a Fire/EMS/Emergency Management career
- Minimum Grade Point Average 3.0 (In High School or College)
- Financial Need Must be Demonstrated
- Submit a Statement of Career Goals
- Attach a copy of Current College or High School Transcript

**TO APPLY:** Interested students should complete the attached application and return to the **Theodore N. "Ted" Erb Memorial Scholarships**, 10 Kelsey Court, Coralville, IA 52241 with documents listed above

and copy of transcript with your GPA. or email completed application with documents listed above and copy of transcript with your GPA to [Ted.Erb.Memorial.Scholarship@gmail.com](mailto:Ted.Erb.Memorial.Scholarship@gmail.com) with subject line: **Theodore N. "Ted" Erb, Jr. Memorial Scholarship- (YOUR LAST NAME, FIRST NAME)**

**SELECTION OF RECIPIENT/S:** Recipient/s for the scholarship will be selected individually by the **Family of Theodore N. "Ted" Erb, Jr. with the assistance of the Iowa Fire Service Training Bureau.**

**APPLICATION WILL START BEING ACCEPTED:** January 21<sup>st</sup>, 2021.

**DEADLINE:** The Application must be postmarked by May 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2021 to the **Theodore N. "Ted" Erb, Jr. Memorial Scholarship**, 10 Kelsey Court, Coralville, IA 52241 or Emailed too: [Ted.Erb.Memorial.Scholarship@gmail.com](mailto:Ted.Erb.Memorial.Scholarship@gmail.com) with subject line: **Theodore N. "Ted" Erb, Jr. Memorial Scholarship- (YOUR LAST NAME, FIRST NAME)**

**Remember that the statement of career goals, statement of financial need, and transcript must accompany the application.**

**PERSONAL DATA:**

FIRST NAME: \_\_\_\_\_  
MIDDLE INITIAL: \_\_\_\_\_  
LAST NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

**PRESENT ADDRESS:**

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_  
CITY: \_\_\_\_\_ STATE: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_  
PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_

**PERMANENT ADDRESS:**

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_  
CITY: \_\_\_\_\_ STATE: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_  
PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_

**MARITAL STATUS:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Number Dependents:** \_\_\_\_\_

If you are a dependent, please list: **PARENTS/GUARDIANS:**

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_  
ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_  
CITY: \_\_\_\_\_ STATE: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_  
PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_

**HOME TOWN NEWSPAPER:**

\_\_\_\_\_

**EDUCATION INFORMATION:**

High School \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_  
Telephone \_\_\_\_\_  
Date of Graduation \_\_\_\_\_  
GPA \_\_\_\_\_

**COLLEGE(s) POST SECONDARY SCHOOLS ATTENDED:**

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_  
Dates Attended \_\_\_\_\_ Graduation Date \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_  
Dates Attended \_\_\_\_\_ Graduation Date \_\_\_\_\_  
Current College \_\_\_\_\_ (Attach Copy of Transcript)  
Program of Study/Major \_\_\_\_\_  
Date enrolled \_\_\_\_\_  
Expected date of graduation \_\_\_\_\_

**ACTIVITIES:**

Honors/Awards \_\_\_\_\_  
Student Government \_\_\_\_\_  
Athletics \_\_\_\_\_  
School Clubs/Organizations \_\_\_\_\_  
Community Clubs/Organizations \_\_\_\_\_  
(Attach Additional Pages if Required)

**EXPERIENCE:** Have you served as a volunteer member of any organized fire/rescue department?

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Contact Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Contact Telephone \_\_\_\_\_  
Can either committee contact the department reference?  YES  NO

**FINANCIAL RESOURCES:** Please supply detailed financial resources you will receive for the school year:

Source Amount Per Month Employment \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
Family/Spouse \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
Military Benefits \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
Scholarship Aid (includes Guard tuition waivers) \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
Other Income #1 \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
Other Income #2 \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
Total Estimated Support per Month \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**ESTIMATE of EXPENSES Per Month:**

Item Amount Per Month Room & Board \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
Tuition and Fees \$ Books & Supplies \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
Personal Expense \$ Total Estimated monthly expenses \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**TOTAL ESTIMATED NEED FOR CURRENT SCHOOL YEAR:** \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**CAREER GOAL: (GIVE A DETAILED PLAN OF YOUR CAREER GOALS)**

I hereby waive the right to see any and all recommendations submitted on my behalf in connection with this application and authorize the college to release information concerning receipt of any scholarship from the college.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Applicant's Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
DATE