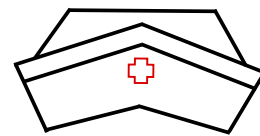




Exeter Family

Registered Nursing Scholarship



The Exeter Family is looking for an active, self-motivated student who wishes to dedicate himself/herself to the field of nursing. The student selected will receive a total scholarship of \$1000, provided by the Exeter Family in memory of Ada May Exeter. Five hundred dollars will be dispersed for the fall semester, and five hundred dollars spring semester.

This scholarship will be awarded to a first or second year Registered Nursing student at the College of Southern Idaho. The spring semester scholarship will be awarded only after the following documents have been submitted to the address listed below:

- * Fall semester transcripts
- * Proof of registration for spring semester nursing classes.
- * Letter of recommendation from a nursing instructor

**Janet Milligan
C/o Exeter Family Scholarship
397 North College Road HSHS Building # 135
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“A Biography of Ada May Exeter”

The Exeter Family Registered Nursing Scholarship was established in memory of Ada May Exeter by her husband, children, grandchildren, and great-grandchildren. It is given in celebration of a life well lived for an individual that delighted in caring for others.

In 1947, at the age of eighteen, Ada May Guyer traveled from Pocatello, Idaho to Portland, Oregon to attend Good Samaritan School of Nursing. The cost of three years tuition, including housing and meals was \$200. Student nurses followed a strict schedule going to school and working in the hospital six days a week. Attending Chapel at 6:45 am was required; and many mornings Ada May and her roommates rolled up their pajama legs, put on a long coat, covered their pin curled hair with a scarf, and walked across the street to worship. Usually they went back to their room and got ready for class, but on their days off they went back to bed.

After graduating from nursing school Ada May married her high school sweetheart, James LeRoy Exeter. For a short time they lived in Pocatello where she worked at the local hospitals. She worked on pediatric floors and emergency rooms, eventually becoming Charge Nurse of Pediatrics, and later House Supervisor.

Jim and Ada May moved to Blackfoot, Idaho where Ada May temporarily left her nursing career to care for her five children. She cared for them through fevers and colds, tonsillitis, measles, chicken pox, and mumps. Many times she tended sprains, broken bones, and wounds requiring stitches. She became skillful at removing embedded slivers, shards of glass, and fishing hooks. Before an injured child went to see the doctor Ada May made sure that the wound was cleaned, the child's hair was combed, and clean clothes were put on. She also tidied her own hair and applied lipstick. The other children sometimes wondered if their sibling would bleed to death while their mother made the proper preparations before getting to the doctor's office.

Ada May always found time to share her talents with those around her. One summer she was a camp nurse named "Patches," and many years later a Girl Scout Leader for her children and their friends. She was a 4-H leader when she was in high school, and again when her daughters were old enough to be members. She supported her children's involvement in both Masonic and church youth organizations and helped out often. At age 77 she was awarded the United Methodist Women of Special Mission Recognition for her ministry with women, children, and youth.

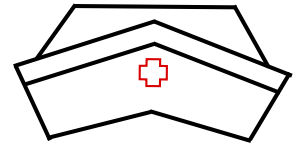
Many years after graduating from nursing school, Ada May began working as an RN at the local nursing home. She loved caring for the elderly residents and soon became the Director of Nursing. She retired from her nursing job after nineteen years, but never really quit being a nurse. She continued to nurse her family and friends in whatever way was needed, and kept her nursing license active as long as she lived.

Ada May loved to read, travel, and go camping with her family. She adored her husband, children, and their families, and loved being with them. Her hobbies included

sewing, needlework, making porcelain dolls, and oil painting. She also liked canning, gardening, star gazing, and watching birds.

In 1998 Ada May was diagnosed and treated for breast cancer. Eight years later at age 77 the cancer returned, and Ada May was in need of nursing. For nine long months her family and friends cared for her with the same love and compassion that they had seen her practice throughout her life. Ada May Exeter died 26 December 2006, fifty six years after she became a Registered Nurse.

Exeter Family Registered Nursing Scholarship Application



Applicant's Full Name: _____

CSI Student ID Number: _____

Email Address: _____ Phone Number: _____

Physical Address: _____

Application Deadline is July 1 annually

On separate paper, briefly answer the following questions:

1. Who was Ada May Exeter?
2. Explain why you are a good candidate for this scholarship.
3. How are you financing your education?
4. Please list any college degrees or certificates you may have, and the dates awarded.
5. Describe your short-term and long-term career goals as they pertain to your nursing career.
6. Describe your previous health care experience.
7. List any community service or volunteer projects (and dates) you are associated with.
8. Describe your ideal free day.
9. If you were given an extra \$100 as a gift how would you spend it?

To apply for this scholarship two copies of the above application, your resume, and your past and current college transcripts (unofficial transcripts are acceptable) are required.

One copy should be emailed to RNscholarship@gmail.com and the other should be mailed to the following address:

**Janet Anne Milligan
C/o Exeter Family Scholarship
525 north Lincoln
Jerome, Idaho 83338**

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