

## ZACH ANDERSON WRESTLING SCHOLARSHIP

Zachary was born to Rory and Toni (Aamoth) Anderson on July 22, 1985 in Williston, N.D. He was raised and educated in Williston, graduating from Williston High School with the Class of 2003.

During his youth wrestling was a big part of his life. Zach was a member of the Montana AAU Wrestling Assoc., USA Wrestling, Team ND Wrestling, Team Montana Wrestling, Williston Taekwondo/Judo Club and NDHSAA Wrestling. He was a Montana AAU Youth Delegate, placed 6<sup>th</sup> in the ND State High School Wrestling tournament in 2003, and was a four time Montana AAU State Wrestling Champ.

After completing his schooling he worked for Jerry's Weed Service, Nabors Drilling, Baker Oil Tools, Natco, and was currently with American Casing.

As an active young man Zach filled his days with many varied activities: hunting, bow hunting, 4-wheeling, skiing, judo, fishing, and camping. He very much enjoyed music. He kept involved with wrestling and volunteered his time refereeing wrestling matches.

But his greatest joy was spending time with his family and friends. Zach was always able to make you laugh. He had a 100 watt smile and had a wonderful way with people.

In 2005 Zach entered the rehab center at Mercy Recovery Center. He learned so much about himself and life while there. He believed in what he learned and used it to help others. Many times you would see Zach at the Center playing cards with the patients or helping in some other way. He attended AA meetings every chance he could and enjoyed when he was able to help with the meetings. Zach stood behind what he said and made many changes in his life.

On January 29<sup>th</sup> 2006 Zach was killed while working on an oil rig near Flaxton, ND. He was 20 years old at the time of his death. He is dearly loved and missed by his family and friends every day.

This scholarship was set up by Zach's family to help a student with financial needs for school. It is open to male and female athletes either graduating from High School or already attending College.

Zach is loved and survived by his mother and father, Toni and Rory Anderson of Williston; his two brothers Derik Anderson of Dickinson, ND and Dustin Anderson of Williston, ND.



This is to my light and Inspiration  
To whom I devote all my Dedication  
They said I have a Disease

At first it was so hard to see  
And now I'm getting treatment  
But when I close my eyes at night  
that's when I see your face,  
And now I believe.

Zach Anderson

## FOR CONSIDERATION OF SCHOLARSHIP FOR FALL AND SPRING SEMESTER OF FOLLOWING YEAR

\*Eligibility Criteria 1) You must have graduated from the following Eastern Division AAU Wrestling Counties: Custer, Daniels, Dawson, Fallon, Phillips, Prairie, Richland, Roosevelt, Sheridan, Valley, Williams 2) Preference will be given to students that participate in the wrestling program 3) Open to both male and female athletes 4) Open to Graduating Seniors through Junior year in College

\*Scholarship recipients need to complete an application on a yearly basis

\*Applications will not be considered unless they are typed or printed

\*A copy of your most recent grade transcripts are required

\*Available to full time students only

### DEADLINE:

NOVEMBER 1<sup>ST</sup> EACH YEAR TO BE AWARDED ON JANUARY 29<sup>TH</sup> OF EACH YEAR  
\$500.00 PER SEMESTER STARTING WITH FALL SEMESTER MUST SEE 1<sup>ST</sup>  
SEMESTER GRADES AND REGISTRATION FOR 2<sup>ND</sup> SEMESTER

### SELECTION COMMITTEE:

RORY ANDERSON  
TONI ANDERSON  
DERIK ANDERSON  
DUSTIN ANDERSON

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1. Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_
2. Address \_\_\_\_\_ S.S. # \_\_\_\_\_
3. Father's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Mother's Name \_\_\_\_\_
4. Father's Occupation \_\_\_\_\_ Mother's Occupation \_\_\_\_\_
5. Number of Sisters \_\_\_\_\_ Number of Brothers \_\_\_\_\_  
Any other family members attending college \_\_\_\_\_
6. What High School are/Did You Graduate (graduating) From \_\_\_\_\_
7. Date Graduated or Anticipate Graduating: High School \_\_\_\_\_ College \_\_\_\_\_
8. REQUIRED Copy of Current Transcript. \_\_\_\_\_ ACT Composite Score Requested \_\_\_\_\_
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School Activities (Grade 9-12)	Community & Church Activities
1. _____	1. _____
2. _____	2. _____
3. _____	3. _____
10. College You Plan To Attend/Attending \_\_\_\_\_  
Credits Earned to Date (if in College) \_\_\_\_\_ Cumulative College GPA \_\_\_\_\_  
Location of College \_\_\_\_\_
11. What are Your Present Resources and Value? \_\_\_\_\_
12. Are You the Recipient of Any Other Scholarship/Grants? \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ Dollar Value \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ Dollar Value \_\_\_\_\_
13. Is any part of your tuition or housing being paid? \_\_\_\_\_
14. Are Your Parents Financially Capable of Paving All or Part of Your Education Expenses?  
If no, Briefly Explain \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
To What Extent do They Plan to Pay? \_\_\_\_\_
15. Short Essay on Who You are/Where you want to go. Separate page \_\_\_\_\_
16. List 3 Reference Names and Phone Number  
1. \_\_\_\_\_ 2. \_\_\_\_\_  
3. \_\_\_\_\_
17. Any Circumstance that We Should Know About? \_\_\_\_\_

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APPLICANT'S STATEMENT

In case I am granted a Zachary Robert Anderson Wrestling Scholarship, I hereby certify that:

- (1) I am in need of the scholarship to begin or continue my education
- (2) I am, or will be, properly enrolled as defined by the Office of the Registrar:
- (3) I will use the proceeds of the scholarship only for the payment of tuition and required fees, room and board, or similar living expenses, and for the other school-related expenses.
- (4) I hereby acknowledge that the information submitted herewith is true and correct.
- (5) I hereby acknowledge that I have attached a copy of my most current transcript.

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Dated

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Signature of Applicant

PARENT OR GUARDIAN'S STATEMENT

To the best of my knowledge, the information reported, including financial information of the family is complete and correct.

I understand that \_\_\_\_\_ is applying for financial assistance to help with educational expenses at \_\_\_\_\_

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Dated

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Signature of Parent of Guardian

We prefer you apply on line at  
[www.zachanderson.net](http://www.zachanderson.net)  
Or  
Zach Anderson Wrestling Scholarship  
PO Box 1234  
Williston, ND 58801