



103 North Memorial Drive #173  
Prattville, AL 36067

### **Chasity Barnes Memorial Scholarship Application**

(Return with required documents to the above listed address or by email at [chasityschampions@gmail.com](mailto:chasityschampions@gmail.com) by March 22, 2024.)

Last Name \_\_\_\_\_ First Name \_\_\_\_\_ MI \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address (include Apt or Box number) \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip code \_\_\_\_\_

Home Telephone Number \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_ E-Mail \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
High School and Graduation Date

#### **College/University Attending**

Name of the institution \_\_\_\_\_

Address of Institution \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ ST \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Enrollment Date \_\_\_\_\_ Program of Study \_\_\_\_\_

If I am chosen as a recipient of this scholarship, I understand the scholarship will be paid directly to the institution. I also understand I will forfeit this scholarship if I do not attend a college/university within six months following my graduation date and/or if I do not attend the scholarship awards dinner scheduled for Saturday, May 4<sup>th</sup> in Dothan, Ala.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Student/ Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Parent/ Date

*Chasity's Champions reserves the right to rescind this scholarship if an Applicant falsifies information provided on his/her application.*

Confidential Document

Received by \_\_\_\_\_ (Initials)



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## 2024 Chasity D. Barnes Scholarship Application Guidelines

Chasity D. Barnes had a passion for God and a love for people. In her short, 27 years on earth she accomplished things that older adults are still trying to do: Be a devoted and bold follower of Jesus Christ, obtain an MBA degree and be a professional in her field.

Chasity received her Bachelor's degree in Public Relations and Journalism from Troy State University in 2002 and her Masters degree in Business Administration from Troy University Dothan in 2007.

She was employed with Southeast Alabama Medical Center in the Marketing Department and later with the Medical Center Barbour in Eufaula as Marketing Director. At the time of her death she was employed with Troy University in Troy as a Community College Relations Coordinator.



Education was extremely important to Chasity. She understood that without it, greater opportunities would be limited. That is why she always tried to encourage other young people to pursue their dreams of higher education.

### Eligibility requirements are:

1. The Applicant must be a current high school senior and have exceptional leadership skills, academic achievement and strength of character. Preference is given to students living in the Wiregrass area.
2. All scholarship applications must be **RECEIVED by March 22, 2024** by Chasity's Champions, 103 North Memorial Drive #173, Prattville, AL 36067. Please allow ample time for delivery. Emailed applications will also be accepted at [chasityschampions@gmail.com](mailto:chasityschampions@gmail.com) before the deadline.
3. Applicant must be planning to pursue a degree at an accredited U.S. post-secondary institution.
4. Applicant must complete the Scholarship Application and a 250 word essay. The essay must be typed and double-spaced. The essay should explain why believe you should be selected for a scholarship. Please include a brief statement about your leadership skills, academic achievement and strength of character in the essay.
5. All applicants entering college, trade, or technical school must expect to receive a Diploma or General Education Development (GED) Certificate by June 30, 2024.
6. Funds are to be utilized by December 31, 2024. Funds may be used at accredited universities and colleges, community colleges, and trade/technical schools.
7. Each application from a current high school senior applicant must contain the following support documentation:
  - Proof of academic performance (transcript)
  - Proof of ACT score
  - Letter of recommendation from an academic professional
  - Letter of recommendation from a community leader or peer
  - Resume that includes community service, clubs, any other pertinent information



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Chasity's Champions provides a one-time \$1,000 scholarship to serious students only. This scholarship will be awarded to a student whose essay was chosen by the committee and who has met the eligibility requirements. The scholarship may be used to cover the cost of tuition and books for students. Depending on funding, in some cases a runner-up will be selected and awarded a \$500 scholarship.

The application process is open to high school seniors for the 2023-2024 school year.

**TO BE CONSIDERED FOR THIS SCHOLARSHIP ALL APPLICATIONS ACCOMPANIED WITH REQUIRED ESSAY AND OTHER DOCUMENTS MUST BE *RECEIVED* by March 22, 2024 by mail or email. APPLICATIONS RECEIVED AFTER THIS DATE WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED. THE WINNER WILL BE CONTACTED NO LATER THAN APRIL 5, 2024.**

**Please visit our website at [chasityschampions.org](http://chasityschampions.org) for more information.**