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Dear Brothers and Sisters,

It's time once again to remind you about the **Odd Fellow-Rebekah of Pennsylvania Scholarship Program**. Each year we have been able to provide young men and women with help toward their education.

Enclosed is one (1) nomination form for your lodge. Please copy it for your members. The nomination form will also soon appear in the monthly Odd Fellow magazine. No nominations will be accepted if not on this form. Please make sure you complete the nomination form correctly and meet all deadlines. Members of any branch of the order who are making the nomination **MUST** be members in good standing of their lodge. A student 25 years of age and over must be a member of the order and can then nominate themselves.

Last year we received nearly 75 nominations and were able to award 45 scholarships. We hope that as students return to college we will see an increase in these numbers. We are happy to report that because of Odd Fellow generosity we were able to increase the scholarship last year to \$1000 to those who qualified.

Be sure to mail the nomination to the address on the form. **DO NOT MAIL TO GRAND LODGE**. The deadline for completing and mailing the nomination form is January 31, 2025, and is strictly adhered to. Upon receipt of this nomination form, the scholarship application will then be mailed directly to the nominee. We hope as the nominator you will stay in contact with the student you have nominated and make sure they have returned the application with all necessary attachments by the due date. No extensions will be granted and deadlines are strictly enforced. Students will NOT be contacted if items are missing, or application not completed properly.

Remember, only children, grandchildren and step-children under the age of 25 are eligible to be nominated by members of the order. Nieces, nephews, brothers, sisters, neighbors and friends are not. If these non-qualifying relatives or friends wish to apply, please suggest that either their parents or they themselves consider joining an Odd Fellow Lodge.

Yours in F.L.&T.


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