



ECHS CLASS OF 2002

# The Scott M. Holland Memorial Scholarship

## Elyria Catholic High School Endowment Scholarship

Scott M. Holland graduated from Elyria Catholic in 2002 and from Bowling Green State University in May 2006. Scott was extremely involved while at Elyria Catholic. He received Varsity letters in golf and hockey, was involved in Peer Ministry and various other service organizations throughout the Elyria Catholic community. Scott was passionate about everything he did in life. As a young boy, he had a dream of being a pilot. He made that passionate dream come true when he graduated from BGSU. Scott was a pilot for Air America Advertising in Toledo. As part of his job, he towed aerial banners over stadiums and various venues before the start of events. On July 12, 2006, he was flying to the Major League Baseball All-Star Game in Pittsburg when he encountered mechanical problems and attempted an emergency landing. Unfortunately, the wing of the plane clipped high-tension wires; he did not survive the accident.

Scott's greatest contribution was how he lived his life to the fullest, pursued his passions and showed overwhelming kindness to everyone in his life. It is the family's hope that this scholarship will assist an Elyria Catholic student in achieving his/her passions in life and promoting kindness by keeping Scott's spirit alive. It will be awarded to a student who demonstrates Scott's values and character.

This scholarship will be presented to a 2021 Elyria Catholic junior during the *Junior Recognition Ceremony* on October 1, 2021.

### CRITERIA:

- Must have a passion and be kind to others.
- Involvement in at least one sport and/or extracurricular activity.
- Essay: Explain your passion and how you have made a difference in someone's life through your acts of kindness.

*In remembrance of the Life and Spirit of Scott Holland '02....Pilot and Keeper of the Stars*

# The Scott M. Holland Memorial Scholarship Application

STUDENT'S NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

CITY: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIIP: \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_

SPORT and / or EXTRACURRICULARS: \_\_\_\_\_

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PARENT/GUARDIAN

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SIGNATURE: \_\_\_\_\_

**ESSAY:** On a separate piece of paper, explain your passion and how you have made a difference in someone's life through your acts of kindness.

**Deadline: October 1, 2021**

Please send the application and essay to:

ECHS Advancement Office  
ATTN: The Scott M. Holland Memorial Scholarship  
725 Gulf Road  
Elyria, OH 44035

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