

**CALVIN ALUMNI ASSOCIATION
SOUTHEASTERN MICHIGAN CHAPTER**

Scholarship 2008

Dear Student,

Your name has been given to us by the Admissions Office at Calvin College. We are happy that you are considering attending (or maybe have already chosen to attend) Calvin. We believe that its unique Christian character, talented faculty, and excellent facilities provide an unequalled opportunity in higher education.

The Alumni Association chapter in Southeastern Michigan wishes to help students by providing scholarships for entering freshmen. The criteria for the scholarship are listed below. We are proud that last year our Chapter was able to give three scholarships to first time students attending Calvin. We are again in a position to offer scholarships and are sending the application form to you in case you might be interested in applying.

If you wish to apply for a scholarship, the enclosed form must be returned no later than March 1, 2008, to the address listed below. Also, two people who know you personally need to complete the enclosed reference form and mail it by March 1, 2008. Only applicants that send in all parts of the application will be considered (scholarship application and answers to the questions, grade transcript, and (2) recommendations).

We wish you success in your college career and look forward to your involvement with Calvin College.

The Southeast Michigan Chapter of the
Calvin Alumni Association

Send all scholarship material to:
Ross Weener
1126 Nielsen Ct. Apt. 2
Ann Arbor, MI 48105
734-945-0683

Scholarship Criteria (Open to high school seniors who have applied to Calvin and live in Southeast Michigan)

- 1) Answers to questions on the application. (40%)
- 2) Your cumulative grade point average at the end of your most recent semester
(Please send a transcript that shows your two most recent years of education). (40%)
- 3) Written references (use the attached form). (20%)

Award Amount: One or more \$1,000.00 scholarships will be awarded per year.

Your application must be postmarked by March 1, 2008.

CALVIN COLLEGE SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION
OFFERED BY THE SOUTHEASTERN MICHIGAN CHAPTER
OF THE CALVIN ALUMNI ASSOCIATION

Personal Information

Name: _____ Birth Date: _____
Street: _____ Phone: _____
City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Educational Background

Graduation Date

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Answer the following questions on another sheet of paper and submit with this cover sheet.

Please be as concise as possible, using no more than 300 words per question.

1. **What makes Calvin College a good fit for you?** – How will an education from Calvin help you reach your future goals?

2. **Describe how your Christian faith has impacted your life.**

3. **Activities and Accomplishments** – Please list all the extra-curricular activities, honors and/or volunteer projects in which you have participated over the past three years.

4. **Financial Information** – How will you pay or plan to pay for Calvin? What are your financial needs? Please list any other Calvin scholarships you have applied for or have been awarded (please note whether or not you have received them).

References: List two people from whom you are requesting references. Include one high school teacher or counselor and one pastor, youth volunteer/pastor, or Sunday School teacher.

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I verify that all the information in this application is accurate. Information provided in this application will be kept confidential by the committee. All decisions of the committee will be final.

Signed _____ Date: _____

SCHOLARSHIP RECOMMENDATION FORM
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Your help in providing an evaluation of the applicant for this scholarship is valuable in making the award decisions. Feel free to type or write your response. Thank you for your time and effort preparing it.

Applicants Name: _____

Personal/Christian Character:

Intellectual Ability:

In what ways will this student contribute to the mission and community of Calvin College?

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