

Types of Charitable Endowment Funds

Consider a **Scholarship** Fund if you:

- Want to support educational opportunities
- Want to honor or memorialize a loved one
- Want to invest in future generations

Make the dream of an education come true. Never before have scholarships been more important to the success of university-bound students. Your scholarship will help ensure that this life-changing opportunity reaches deserving, local students.

A Scholarship Fund is a personalized fund you create to help others advance their education. With the assistance of our staff, you determine scholarship guidelines, including eligibility criteria, award amount, and selection committee. Depending on the degree to which you'd like to be involved, you may even choose to be a member of the selection committee.

Key Benefits

- Supports educational opportunities, an educational institution, or course of study
- Engages you in your philanthropy and in creating guidelines and eligibility for award recipients
- Honors or memorializes a loved one
- Creates a legacy of generosity toward educational endeavors
- Invests in the future of our community by offering students the support they need to achieve their educational goals

John T. Gordon Memorial Eagle Scout Scholarship Fund

John "P.T." and Lois Gordon, established the **John T. Gordon Memorial Eagle Scout Scholarship Fund** to honor the memory of their son and the fine man he was, well representative of the Eagle Scout rank he held. The fund draws attention to the dangers of distracted driving, an issue the family became passionate about following John's untimely death in a traffic accident. The scholarship supports higher education for Eagle Scouts.



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