The C. Henry and Ella Dumas Herman Scholarship

C. Henry and Ella Dumas Herman were married in Enterprise, Oregon on January 1, 1917. They moved to Medford in 1921 where C. Henry was an executive in the lumber products industry. They had one son, C. Henry Jr., and a daughter, Lois. Mr. Herman died in 1955.

The Hermans were among the charter members of the Medford First Church of the Nazarene when it was established in 1922. Ella served as a Sunday School teacher and president of the missionary society. The Herman family have been generous supporters of various charities, including Northwest Nazarene College.

Ella was particularly interested in providing financial assistance and communicating with students from NNC. In 1983 she established this endowed scholarship to insure that annual scholarship awards would be made in perpetuity. She passed away, at age 94, on March 19, 1990.

Criteria for awarding of scholarship

1. The scholarship shall be awarded to a student studying for the ministry or work on the mission field; or for a student who is the son or daughter of a missionary.

2. Application shall be made by using the Departmental Scholarship Application.

3. The candidate for the scholarship shall be nominated by the faculty of the Division of Philosophy and Religion.

4. The applicant must show financial need.

5. General requirements for full-time student status and a 2.0 minimum GPA apply.