The Jerry & Barbara Hull
Social Work
SCHOLARSHIP

Jerry Hull was born April 6, 1938, in Perryton, Texas. In October 1943 he moved with his family to Ontario Heights, Oregon. He graduated from College High School on the campus of Northwest Nazarene College (now Northwest Nazarene University) in 1956. Barbara Kiel was born September 23, 1938, in North Dakota and later moved to Bend, Oregon, where she graduated from high school in 1956. Barbara and Jerry met on the NNC campus and were married May 30, 1959. They graduated together in 1960 from NNC; Barbara with a degree in Elementary Education and Jerry in History.

Jerry went on to earn a Master of Divinity degree from Nazarene Theological Seminary (1963), a Master of Arts in Sociology from the University of Nebraska (1971) and a Master of Social Work from the University of Tennessee (1975). After pastoring Central Church of the Nazarene in Omaha, Nebraska, Jerry began his academic career at Trevecca Nazarene University and then returned to NNC in 1978 to become a professor of social work. While at NNU, Jerry served as chair of the Social Work Department, Faculty Chair, and a member of the Strategic Coordinating Committee. He also oversaw the development of the Master of Social Work program.

Jerry has served the City of Nampa and the State of Idaho in many ways, and he continues to be active on the Advisory Board for the Salvation Army, which he has done since 1992. Jerry Hull was honored for a lifetime of service and achievement by Northwest Nazarene University with the awarding of the Doctor of Humane Letters degree in May 2005.

Dr. Hull is a man who displays considerable calm and poise and is deeply and passionately committed to social work and social justice. His wife Barbara shares his passion and also served the University in many ways including 23 years as bookstore manager. While at NNU, Jerry and Barbara mentored many students who were social work majors or bookstore employees, and they quietly assisted others who had financial needs. Friends, family, students and colleagues established this scholarship as a way to honor Jerry and Barbara's lifetime of achievement and service at NNU.

**Criteria for the Award**

1. Recipients are to be full-time students who are majoring in social work, meet general scholastic requirements and show potential for academic success and degree completion.
2. Recipients are to be people with strong Christian commitment and character and a commitment to serving others.
3. Financial need shall be a consideration in the awarding of this scholarship.
4. Recipients may receive the award in successive years, not to exceed four years.
5. Nominations for this award are to be made by the Department of Social Work in cooperation with the Office of Financial Aid.

A most satisfying way to honor a loved one or friend is to invest in a life yet to be lived. Gifts to NNU's Endowed Scholarship Program become a "helping hand" to students as they prepare for their vocations and for lives of service to others.

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