Floyd Thompson was born in Unionville, Missouri but has spent virtually his entire life as a resident of Wyoming. He was a career employee of AMOCO Oil Company and retired as a production foreman.

Jennie Ray was born in Casper, Wyoming. She graduated from Northwest Nazarene College and was an elementary education and music teacher until illness forced her retirement. She taught her students to "have fun studying music."

Floyd and Jennie were married on January 11, 1957. They had twin children, James and Janet.

Both Floyd and Jennie have been active church members where they have served in a variety of assignments, particularly with youth and in music. Jennie has been Christian Life Director of the Missionary Society; in addition, she has been a member of the Christian Women's Club and was the recipient of the Kiwanis "Outstanding Community Service Award."

Criteria for awarding of scholarship

1. Preference shall be given to students who are planning a career in Christian music.

2. Nominations shall be made to the Financial Aid Office by the Music Department for approval by the Scholarship Committee.

3. Students must be full-time, have a minimum 2.0 GPA, and meet other general scholarship requirements.

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