The
Ralph D. & Rachel Finkbiner
SCHOLARSHIP

This scholarship was funded from the estate of Ralph D. and Rachel Finkbiner of Casper, Wyoming. After the death of Ralph on August 13, 1983, Rachel had the opportunity to hear a music group from Northwest Nazarene College, and with the help of a Nazarene friend established this scholarship.

Ralph D. Finkbiner was born in Illinois, the youngest in a family of eight children. Following graduation from business college, Ralph was employed by the New York Central Railroad until he was called into the United States Air Force during World War II.

Rachel met Ralph when the State Health Department employed her as a rural public health nurse in Illinois. In 1943 Ralph and Rachel were married and moved to Casper, Wyoming. In Casper, Rachel worked at the local hospital as a staff nurse until 1966.

The Finkbiners were active members of the First Baptist Church, where Rachel was a teacher of preschool children.

Criteria for the Award

1. Recipients are to be students who have a minimum 2.50 GPA and show potential for academic success and degree completion;

2. Recipients are to be students who are seeking a career in nursing;

3. Nominations for this award are to be made through the School of Health & Science by the Department of Nursing and the Office of Financial Aid.

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