The
Walt and Faye Lanman

SCHOLARSHIP

Walt and Faye Lanman’s experience with Northwest Nazarene College began in August 1947 when they arrived in Nampa from Grand Junction, Colorado where they had been employees of the J.C. Penney Company. One year after returning from serving in the United States Navy during World War II, Walt had sensed God calling and the necessity of changing his focus from merchandising to ministry.

Since Faye’s talent was in the handling of money, she continued cashiering at the Nampa J.C. Penny store. Walt often said that he went to college “by the sweat of his Frau.”

Walt graduated from NNC cum laude in 1951, was ordained into the ministry the same year, and entered the pastorate at Enterprise, Oregon. After twenty-six years of pastoring in the Northwest and California, he was elected to the District Superintendent, serving two years in Nebraska and eleven years on the Northwest District. Walt served on the NNC board of Regents for fifteen years and on the Regents Board of Directors. In 1986 Northwest Nazarene College awarded him an honorary Doctor of Divinity degree.

Two beautiful children, Daniel R. Lanman and Patricia Lanman Frosland, grace the Lanman home and both became graduates of Northwest Nazarene College.

In February 1990 Walt was diagnosed with cancer. He retired in April and after a painful battle with the dreaded disease, he went to heaven on Christmas Day. Faye has married a longtime friend and retired District Superintendent, Arnold Carlson, and lives in Eugene, Oregon near their family.

It is a source of satisfaction to Faye to know that their scholarship will enable future students to experience Northwest Nazarene College with all of its benefits.

Criteria for the Award

1. Recipients are to be students who meet general scholastic requirements, show potential for academic success and degree completion, and who are persons of worthy character and Christian commitment.

2. Awards shall be given to students having a GPA of 3.0 or higher.

3. Preference in awarding shall be given to lineal descendants of Walt and Faye Lanman.

4. Financial need shall be a consideration in the awarding of this scholarship.

5. Recipients may receive the award in successive years, not to exceed four years.

6. Nominations for this award are to be made through 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.

For more information, contact the Office of University Advancement, NNU, 623 Holly St., Nampa, ID 83686. Phone (208) 467-8772.

Northwest Nazarene University admits students of any race, color, and national or ethnic origin.