



# Rebekah Assembly of California

Independent Order of Odd Fellows

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Dear Sisters and Brothers:

This year the Rebekah Assembly of California will award several Scholarships to assist deserving students in furthering their education. Each Scholarship is a gift, and no repayment is necessary. At this time the exact number of scholarships to be awarded is not known. It will depend on how much money is in the account.

The following are requirements for the Rebekah Assembly Scholarships:

1. An applicant must be in the 12<sup>th</sup> grade or attending college.
2. An applicant must be a member of a Rebekah Lodge in good standing in California; OR the applicant must be a resident of California, AND be related to a member in good standing, or a deceased member who was in good standing at the time of death, in a Rebekah Lodge in California.
3. Completed application must be received by the Chairman of the Scholarship Committee no later than March 30<sup>th</sup>, 2025. Enclosed with the application shall be:
  - a. A written statement giving reasons for applying.
  - b. Completed transcripts of applicant's grades from all high schools & colleges and vocational schools attended.
  - c. Three sealed letters of recommendation addressing the character, need & ability of applicant.
  - d. Confirmation of good standing by letter under the seal of the Rebekah Lodge.

The names of the Scholarship recipients will be announced at the May 2025 Rebekah Assembly Sessions. Recipients will be notified of their selection shortly thereafter by the Secretary of the Rebekah Assembly. A check will be sent to the recipient upon receipt of proof of college enrollment. Enrollment must be within one year of the date of the announcement of the award.

This letter and the enclosed application should remain within the Secretary's care for reference. If additional application forms are needed, the enclosed form may be copied, or additional applications may be obtained by contacting the Chairman of the Scholarship Committee or the Rebekah Assembly Secretary.

Approved by:

*Debra La Vergne*

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President Rebekah Assembly of CA

*Sherry Pruitt*

The Scholarship Committee  
Chairman: Sherry Pruitt

Attested by

*Donna Miller*

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Secretary