

Wayne "Action" Jackson Scholarship

The Wayne "Action" Jackson Scholarship has been established by his loving family to honor a truly great man. CW5 Jackson proudly served in the US Army and was full-time Utah National Guard for over 20 years. One \$1,000 scholarships will be award to a Dixie High School senior. To be eligible the student must have been an active member of JROTC for at least one year or one or both parents must have served at least three years in active military service or 10 years in the National Guard or Reserve. Candidates must have a strong sense of civic duty and be pursuing a degree at a Utah institution of higher education.

Applications are due before the last day in March.

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Eligibility: Up to two Dixie High School seniors will receive this scholarship each year. The recipient will be selected without regard to gender, race, religion or cultural background.

Criteria:

Military Service: Student must have spent at least one year as an active member of JROTC OR at least one parent must have served at least three years in active military service or 10 years in the National Guard or Reserve.

Higher Education: Student must be pursuing a degree at a Utah institution of higher education (college or university)

Civic Duty: Candidate must have a strong sense of civic duty. Descriptions of volunteer service or other community engagement is encouraged.

Deadline: Before the last Friday in March.

Wayne "Action" Jackson (1938-2018) (I will put a picture with it)

Wayne L. Jackson was born in 1938 in Sanpete County, Utah, to James Thomas Jackson and Fannie Ellen Larson, passed away in April 2018 in St. George, Utah. He married Gulianne Trottier in 1960, and the two resided in Northern California for many years, before moving to American Fork, Utah in 1968. They retired to St. George, Utah in 2003.

Wayne was raised in Utah, Guam, San Antonio, Texas, and Stockton, California. He was stationed in Germany for three years with the U.S. Army. After returning to California he met and married Gulianne and they started a family. He was proud of his service as a full-time employee of the Utah National Guard. He served his community over the years in many ways. He was a caucus chair for his political party, provided service through his various church callings, coordinated emergency preparedness workshops for senior citizens, volunteered with the police department and worked the St. George Kite festival for many years.

He loved reading, traveling, and spending time with his children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

This scholarship is dedicated in his memory. Three of his grandchildren graduated from Dixie High School, and he was an active supporter of the school.