

ANGELO HENDERSON



SCHOLARSHIP



Angelo Henderson won the Pulitzer Prize for Distinguished Feature Writing in 1999, the only Black journalist to win the award for the Wall Street Journal. He was a past president of Detroit National Association of Black Journalists and was twice elected parliamentarian on the national board. Later, Henderson became a minister working at several churches, including Hartford Memorial Baptist Church, Hope United Methodist Church and Triumph Church. While working as a talk show host at WCHB 1200, Henderson co-founded the Detroit 300, a citizen patrol group aiding Detroit police, after the brutal rape of a 90-year-old woman. Henderson was posthumously inducted into two Journalism Halls of Fame -- in Michigan and Kentucky, housed as his alma mater, the University of Kentucky.

This scholarship is open to high school graduating seniors and incoming college freshmen. This award is for \$2,500.

Application due by March 25.

Email: detroitnabj_scholarships@gmail.com

CRITERIA

- Compile a composite grade point average of 3.5 or above.
- Show evidence of community or church service.
- Provide your interest in journalism. This may include clips from your high school publication, radio station or personal blog.

ESSAY

Please attach an essay of 250 words or more on how Angelo Henderson's life has inspired your interest in journalism and community activism. Seek to answer how you can impact the Black community as a journalist.

Name _____

Address _____

City _____

State _____

Email address _____

High School _____

Composite grade point average _____

College _____

Major _____

Community/Church service _____