Dale Stover Scholarship in Religious Studies

Criteria for scholarship application:

1. Candidates must be regularly enrolled at the University of Nebraska at Omaha.

2. Recipients shall have a sophomore class standing (27 hours) or above.

3. Recipients shall have at least a 3.0 grade point average (GPA).

4. Candidates shall be religious studies majors in the College of Arts and Sciences or have declared religious studies as their area of concentration (major) in the Division of Continuing Studies.

5. Fill the attached application and submit to the Religious Studies Department by 28 February 2016.

The Dale Stover Scholarship in Religious Studies is a merit based scholarship. It is automatically renewable if desired for up to two years for those with sophomore class standing (at least 27 hours) when they receive the Scholarship and up to one year for those with junior class standing when they receive the scholarship. The amount of the scholarship award will be $750.00.

The deadline for submission of an application for the scholarship for the coming academic year is 28 February 2016. The scholarship recipient will be announced April 2016.

Dale Stover

Dale Stover taught religious studies at the University of Nebraska since 1968 until his retirement in 2007. Born on a farm in Cerro Gordo County, Iowa, in 1935, Dr. Stover received his B.A. from Washington University in St. Louis in 1957, a B.D. and S.T.M. from Andover Newton Theological School in Boston in 1961 and 1964 respectively and his Ph.D. from The Faculty of Religious Studies, McGill University (Montreal, Canada) in 1967.

He was a post-doctoral Fellow in Islamic Studies at the University of Chicago (1979) and at the University of California, Berkley (1981). After 1986, he began to focus his research and teaching on the study of Indigenous Religions.

He served as the first coordinator of The Native American Studies program, 1992 - 95. He has been a member of the Women’s Studies faculty since 1988. He also has been an adjunct professor with the Department of Preventative and Societal Medicine at the University of Nebraska Medical Center since 1981 and has been a Fellow at the Center for Great Plains Studies, University of Nebraska, since 1992.

He served as chair of the Department of Philosophy and Religion, 1976-79, as well as on several college and university committees.
Application for the Dale Stover Scholarship:

Name:__________________________________________________________

Address: _______________________________________________________

Phone Number:_________________________________________________

Email:_________________________________________________________

Major/College: _________________________________________________

Class Standing (Either Soph, Jr., Sr. or credit hours)/GPA:

Submit to Religious Studies, ASH 205, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 6001 Dodge, Omaha, NE 68182-0298.