

JOYCE HEIL & CARL KOCH
NURSING SCHOLARSHIP
At Viterbo University
La Crosse, Wisconsin
BSN Program

History: Joyce graduated from Viterbo University in 1972 with a bachelor's degree in nursing. She was in the second class of BSN students at Viterbo University. Soon after graduation she knew that she wanted to teach nursing and specifically, teach nursing at Viterbo. After earning her MSN from St. Louis University, she did come back to teach at Viterbo. She taught for a total of 20 years.

Joyce's primary areas of instruction were Pathophysiology, Physical Assessment and Gerontology. These courses are courses taught at the sophomore or entry level into the Nursing program. Joyce loved working with beginning students. This was the foundational level and she knew that if students had a good foundation they could go on to become the nurses that the profession needed.

BSN program

- a. Full-time nursing student; apply as sophomore – having earned 45 semester hours of college credit and are accepted into the undergraduate BSN professional nursing sequence.
- b. A Viterbo University cumulative GPA of 3.0
- c. A GPA of 3.0 in all previous college English courses
- d. Need for financial assistance
- e. A one-page written response addressing this statement:
I believe this scholarship will enrich my nursing education, my ethical leadership and help prepare me for a career in nursing.
- f. Submit two letters of recommendation from persons familiar with the applicant's academic performance, leadership characteristics, and community service.

The scholarship is awarded annually and is renewable for one year provided the student maintains full-time status and a GPA of 3.0 on a 4.0 scale. NOTE: Student required to reapply annually for funding.

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FACE SHEET AND INSTRUCTIONS FOR APPLICATION

Undergraduate

Date _____

Name _____ Birth date _____

Address _____

Parents' Names and Occupations _____

Cumulative Viterbo University GPA at end of fall semester this academic year _____

GPA in all previous college English courses:

Course

GPA

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APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS

1. Review scholarship guidelines.
2. Prepare a one-page written response addressing this statement:
I believe this scholarship will enrich my nursing education, my ethical leadership and help prepare me for a career in nursing.
3. Obtain two letters of recommendation from persons familiar with the applicant's academic performance, leadership characteristics, and community service. Have these letters sent directly to the Chair of the Professional Development Committee.

Send application to: Chair: APRS Committee
School of Nursing
Viterbo University
900 Viterbo Drive
La Crosse, WI 54601

Or drop off the completed application in the School of Nursing office (NRC 107) by the deadline on the website.