

Anson Arnett Memorial Scholarship supports art students

Anson Arnett earned his bachelor's degree in Art at Southern Utah University. After graduating, Anson explored education and art for the next several years, growing as an artist with the help of SUU's Art Department faculty and learning the value of teaching others how to see with an artist's eyes.

Dedicating much of his time to outdoors education, Anson was able to meld his love for art, education, and nature by working with troubled youth in wilderness therapy programs. At first, he focused on helping these groups better their lives by teaching them skills necessary to survive in our society. He recognized the powerful impact both art and a skills education could have in these troubled youths' lives. Later, he went back to SUU to earn his

secondary education teaching certificate with an emphasis in Art.

Like many students, and artists especially, who are so focused on their work, Anson struggled to purchase art supplies and pay tuition while in school. Because of this love for art and learning, he tried to give back as much as possible, always lending others his paints, his brushes, and an occasional canvas—always giving something he had to make someone else's life easier.

Anson died last year while helping others, by giving freely of himself to better the world around him, to make our world a more beautiful place. To honor him, family members have established a scholarship in his name that will help future SUU students in need buy art supplies and possibly help

with tuition for students in the Art Department beginning this Fall semester.

A strong believer in SUU's motto—that learning does live forever—the best way to honor Anson's memory is through a contribution to the Anson Arnett Memorial Scholarship Fund. You are invited to help build the balance of the scholarship in any amount. Donations can be forwarded to:

Anson Arnett Memorial
Scholarship
351 West University Blvd.
Cedar City, UT 84720

(Checks can be made either to SUU or to Anson Arnett Memorial Scholarship).