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Dear Ms. Fennimore,

It has been a while in the works that I would return the generosity the 99's showed me with the SFV 99's career scholarship. Your organization provides a very important opportunity for individuals aspiring to careers in aviation. Remember the answer to that famous question of what makes an airplane fly: money, and lots of it! Seriously though, the 99's adds an essential element of prestige to the career scholarship award, and it should continue to be available to students well into the future. I only hope to set an example for other recipients, that we all might band together in common cause with the 99's as our personal situations allow. After all, *"An individual who has found a measure of success in life and then gives back when the time is opportune has also found perspective, and achieved true success."*

Again, you have been instrumental in my career progression and I will never forget that. I pledge long-term support, and am confident you will continue to reward hard work, dedication and diligence. If there is one suggestion I would offer in closing, it is to continue to help emphasize CRM and safety in the emerging generations of professional aviators.

Thank you for believing in me,
keep believing in others!
Your friend,



Brandon Esten

