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Dear Bautista family,

My name is Symone Blas and I am a freshman at Mother McAuley Liberal Arts High School. I want to thank you for allowing me to be a recipient of this year's Bautista Memorial Scholarship. The Bautista Memorial Scholarship means the world to me! It helps my family and I prepare for my future schooling. I am the fourth out of five children in our blended family. My parents believe that Catholic education is an essential part of my upbringing. Being awarded this money provides my family the opportunity to continue to save money for my college education.

So far at Mother McAuley, I have been part of the Golf team and four different clubs. I am in a Spanish Club, Latinas Lead, Tight-knit community, and costume crew. In the Spanish Club, we made an ofrenda to put up in the halls. In the Tightly Knit Club, we make baby blankets and give them to Good Will. In Latinas Lead, we helped the elders at Mercy Circle paint wooden pumpkin cutouts. Finally, in the costume crew, we helped with the costumes for our Peter Pan production. These are just some activities I have enjoyed while at Mother McAuley.

My education here has been challenging and rewarding. I have learned more about my strengths and talents in who I am. I knew that Mother McAuley was the high school right for me and so glad to be a part of a great school.

I would like to thank you again for this amazing scholarship. The scholarship will help me enjoy the many activities and education that Mother McAuley offers. Your kind generosity will allow me to continue my journey here at Mother McAuley. Thank you Bautista family, I will never forget this wonderful moment!

Sincerely,
Symone Blas