

A fine scholar and
delightful friend to all.

Katie's parents, Jerry and Carolyn

Harper, established the Katie

Harper Memorial Scholarship

Fund in 1994. The fund's purpose

is to honor Katie's legacy by

recognizing those that commit

themselves to others through

volunteering and cooperation and

by recognizing their commitment

to excellence to a sport or music

program.



Katie's gift of humor made
people instantly comfortable.

Since 1972, Rochester Area
Community Foundation has
engaged passionate philanthropists
in improving our region,
awarding more than \$293 million
in grants across our eight-county
service area to meet both current
and future needs.

More than 1,000 funds and
endowments are administered by
the Community Foundation.

These funds, created by
individuals, families, organizations
and businesses, benefit the greater
Rochester region in a wide variety
of impact areas that include the
arts, education, social services,
civic engagement, and
a host of other purposes.

Working with the Community
Foundation, local philanthropists
can become catalysts for
community change and
experience the joy of giving.



THE COMMUNITY
FOUNDATION

Scholarship Award

Katie Harper Memorial
Scholarship Fund
of
Rochester Area Community
Foundation



The
Heart Behind
Your Gift

Katie ...

Joyful

Honorable

Talented

Helpful

Athletic

&

Spirited

Please accept this grant in memory of **Katie Harper**, a sixteen-year-old Fairport High School junior killed in a car accident in February 1994.

Katie ran on the track and cross-country teams. A few days before she died, she finished in second place in the 3,000-meter race and was a member of the first place 4x800 relay team. In the fall of 1993, Katie made the First Team All County for cross-country.

Katie loved music. She sang in Fairport's award-winning Polyphonic and Jazz Choirs, and was an accomplished pianist who played in recitals at Nazareth College annually.

Selected by her classmates, Katie became a member of the **Natural Helpers**--a group of teenagers who train to assist other students in resolving problems. Katie was the most active Natural Helper in her group.



Katie had the helping spirit shared by all who volunteer and was committed to making the world a better place.

To view our other scholarship funds, visit our website at www.racf.org or contact the Scholarship Program:

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To make a contribution and help share Katie's love and compassion, send a check to The Community Foundation payable to: Katie Harper Memorial Scholarship Fund.