

## 2017 Department of Biology Awards

JAY R. WEST AND LORAINE M. WEST ENDOWED SCHOLARSHIP

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I consider myself a very active person. I thoroughly enjoy playing any kind of sport, hiking, playing with siblings, playing the guitar, singing, and interacting with others. If I had to choose, I would classify myself more as an extrovert than an introvert. Among these qualities, I would say my two most redeemable qualities are that of leadership and being relatable to others.

Throughout my life, I have been taught to work hard. At an early age, I learned the importance of service, which eventually to receiving the Eagle Scout Award. I have also been privileged to be placed in many leadership positions throughout the years. As a student at Davis High School, I was able to serve the students there as the Student Body President. Currently I am serving at the Logan Institute of Religion as the Enrollment Committee President. These opportunities have allowed me to meet new people and to serve them at the same time.

Currently, I am striving to maintain a high-grade point average at Utah State University. I have learned to thrive in the environment of learning and to stretch myself beyond my normal bounds. At a long-term level, I plan to use my background in both biology and business to become a healthcare administrator. I feel that this career best fits me because I will be able to better the quality of life for hundreds, if not thousands of people.

