

“Describing a child like Celine Wyatt in a few words is fairly impossible. She had the Soul of an Angel and the Heart of a Warrior. She was a fierce athletic competitor, whether it was softball, basketball, or just a friendly game of kickball or tetherball. She gave it all she had, all the time and played with a passion and skill level well beyond her 11 years. She never focused on being better than everyone else; just the best that she could be. She had goals that she wanted to accomplish and worked hard EVERY day to achieve those goals. She often said, “It isn’t good enough to be good- I wanna be great...” She knew and understood what it took to make her dreams come true: a vision, a plan, determination, and good old fashioned hard work!

She had a very unique way of looking at life. Though competitive and confident, she wasn’t mean. She always encouraged those around her and was often found teaching her friends, classmates and teammates. She was always happy and laughed often. She didn’t waste time with anger or sadness but chose instead to smile and make the most of every situation. She believed that everyone was important and no one was better than anyone else. She was often champion of the underdog, never tolerant of bullying. She stood up for her family and friends, even people she didn’t know. When kids were new to her team or classroom, Celine was often the first person they met.





Though we didn't know it at the time, Celine was working hard at leaving a legacy behind for others: one that encouraged laughter not tears; happiness not anger; dreams not doubts. She accomplished more in her 11 years, 2 months and 23 days, than many people do in a lifetime and she had no regrets.“

It is our desire that through this scholarship we can assist other worthy student athletes achieve their own goals and dreams. We wish to continue the legacy she began and continue to celebrate her life, while helping others in the process.

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