# NOW ACCEPTING APPLICATIONS FOR THE CARROLL BRUNTHAVER SCHOLARSHIP



## AWARD AMOUNT

## **VARIES BASED ON NEED**

Peer Power is administering funds to help students attend the University of Memphis through the Carroll Brunthaver Scholarship. Carroll Brunthaver was an avid champion of education and a relentless supporter of Peer Power. In October 2020, Carroll Grant Brunthaver Jr., loving husband and father of two children, passed away at the age of 88, and his friends, family and colleagues established this fund in his honor.



Carroll earned his Ph.D. in Agricultural Economics from Ohio State University and went on to become a Research Economist at Cook Industries in Memphis. He then served as the Assistant Secretary of Agriculture for Domestic and Foreign Affairs, under the Nixon Administration in Washington, D.C. Additionally, Carroll served as President of the Commodity Credit Corporation and Chairman of the Federal Crop Insurance Corporation. Carroll and his family later moved back to Memphis, where he became the co-founder and CEO of Sparks Commodities Research Firm (currently known as Informa). Carroll finished his career at McVean Trading and Investments in Memphis, where he traded managed futures.

#### SCHOLARSHIP CRITERIA

Peer Power will consider **THREE AREAS** of measurement for the selection and awarding of the Carroll Brunthaver Scholarship:

- Academic Merit
- Volunteer Impact
- Strong Personal Character

#### **ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS**

- Cumulative GPA of 3.0 or higher
- > First-generation college student
- Demonstrate financial need via FAFSA or CSS Profile
- Graduating high school senior who will attend University of Memphis
- Graduating high school senior from one of the following Peer Power partner schools: Douglass, East, Hamilton, Kingsbury, Melrose, Ridgeway or Whitehaven

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