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Admissions Officer:

Stetson University Application for Admission

Counselor's Evaluation

Katherine Elizabeth Curtis is my daughter. She has been instructed at home throughout her lifetime. Being her teacher and mentor has been a privilege and joy. Katie Beth has enjoyed learning throughout her lifetime. She has always completed school assignments with tenacity and enthusiasm. During her high school years, she has taken initiative in all her school work, in some cases helping to design the class itself. She has often pursued subjects further than required due to personal interest. She enjoys philosophical debate and discussion.

Highly motivated to grow as a person in all areas including intellectual, Katie Beth tackles academics with gusto! She really wants to learn what's happened, why it happened and all the ramifications that follow. She is interested in ancient history and current events. She is a great listener and will draw people out about their lives, jobs or opinions. There is a strong desire to acquire not only knowledge, but wisdom to apply knowledge in practical ways.

Although her mind is orderly and logical, there is a deep creative side to this young lady. She is always writing, choreographing, designing, creating. There is originality in the way she communicates through various media, especially words. Her special talents include acting, writing, dancing, and teaching. She is also able to take ideas (her own or other people's) and provide structure and practical plans.

Katie Beth is the oldest of five younger siblings. She has nurtured them and been a great example of maturity, wholesomeness and integrity. She shows kindness and respect to all people, regardless of age, gender, or disposition. Responsibilities have been carried out throughout the high school years with complete faithfulness. She is mature beyond her years and has gained the respect of peers and older adults.

Structure has been pleasant and necessary for Katie Beth. She sticks closely to a schedule and routines. In the last two years, she has been working on stepping out of her comfort zone to be more spontaneous and flexible. Because I have watched her

tackle areas of weakness in her own life and overcome them, I am convinced that her potential for growth in every area of life is limitless. She is teachable and able to receive constructive criticism. She will make a plan and has the discipline to carry it out.

I highly recommend Katherine Elizabeth Curtis for admission to Stetson University.

Sincerely,

Meredith Curtis
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