

# *Volunteer of the Year - Kristin Walt Scholar*

## **Christine Parker**

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Western Governors University

Major: Elementary Education

College GPA: 3.0

### Activities:

- Girl Scouts Troop Leader
- PTA – Box Top Coordinator
- North Sound Church of Christ Small Group Leader
- Mother of three children



Receiving a 2017 scholarship award is such a blessing to me. I am so grateful for this award. This means so much to me because I am a mother from a family of five. Receiving this scholarship means I will not have to worry about paying a portion of my tuition nor do I have to feel like my continuing education is taking anything away from my family financially. I think this is a great example to my children that working hard and being dedicated to a lifetime of learning is important. It is such an example to my children that serving your community is valued and appreciated.