

July 27, 2008

Meg Taft  
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Dear Meg,

I wanted to personally write you and say Thank You for choosing me for this scholarship. The added costs of flying makes it hard for already challenging times in college. Thus, with this scholarship, it makes one less thing I have to worry about and gives me the ability to continue my senior year of college knowing that my costs are kept low once again.

Also, I wanted to update you on where I stand in my career. My senior year of college is approaching and I will be working on my multi license and my CFI license. With extreme hard work, it does look like I will be able to complete college in four years. Continually, I am currently an intern with Continental Express Airlines (ExpressJet Airlines). This internship has given me more opportunities this summer than ever before. I work at the Chief Pilot's Office at Cleveland Hopkins International Airport. Along with working there I numerously fly to Houston, Texas and Ontario, California for work. A major part of this internship was this past month where I spent three weeks in Houston, Texas for Embraer-145 training. This was two weeks of ground school and one week of simulator time. We were sparred nothing when it came to the initial training. This was the exact training they give new hires to the company. I learned an immense amount about the airplane and this reassured me that my dream was slowly coming true.

Once again, thank you for this scholarship and for helping me achieve my dream and going above and beyond.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Matt Loveday". The signature is stylized with a large, sweeping "M" and a long, horizontal stroke extending to the right.

Matt Loveday