## **AARON N. STUCKEY MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP**

Aaron Stuckey was a 2002 graduate of Central High School and attended the GACTC in Automotive/Diesel Technology program. He received the AAA Excellence Award and was Senior of the Year in his program as well. He took second place in the 2002 PA VICA (SkillsUSA) competition in Automotive Service Specialization. He was attending Penn State Altoona majoring in Mechanical Engineering when he lost his life at the young age of 21.

Aaron enjoyed riding dirt bikes, camping, fishing, hunting, mechanics and spending time with his family, especially his daughter, Alaina. He had a great sense of humor and spent time developing friendships with and helping many people. To continue his legacy of caring and generosity, his parents and sister created the Aaron N. Stuckey Memorial Foundation. They continue to present this scholarship each year to the GACTC.

## **CRITERIA**

## AMOUNT \$500

- Graduating senior (male or female) from the Greater Altoona Career & Technology Center in the Automotive Technology or Outdoor Power Equipment program
- > 2.75 GPA or higher
- > Applicant will be attending any post-secondary educational program
- > Two letters of reference (one must be from a member of the GACTC school personnel)
- Essay of 300 words or less explaining... Why did you choose this career path?

If you meet the criteria above, please fill out the Scholarship Application and place a checkmark  $\checkmark$  in the box to the left of the Aaron N. Stuckey Memorial Scholarship.

## DUE BY MARCH 1st @ 3:00 PM TO THE OFFICE OF WORK BASED LEARNING

- 1. General Scholarship Application
- 2. Two letters of reference
- 3. Typed essay with writing prompt...
  \*Why did you choose this career path?