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My interest in nursing sparked when I was in my early childhood visiting my grandfather who was admitted in a hospital. My grandfather was fighting with cancer as I watched him struggling for his life. We went to the hospital every day in the morning and leave in the evening. Several nurses were dedicated to looking after him the whole day. The nurses even stayed with him when we were not there. The nurses showed care, compassion, and empathy for my grandfather. This attitude at the display from the nursing staff proved an impetus to my interest in nursing. For this reason alone, I opted for a professional degree in healthcare and nursing. I aim to become a full time registered professional nurse once I complete my degree. I aim to look after the patients with the same compassion and empathy with which my grandfather was treated in his last days. Currently, despite holding to a job, I am faced with some financial difficulties due to which I might not be able to conclude my degree successfully. However, receiving a scholarship would assist me financially and enable me to complete my education. The scholarship would help me with attaining my long term goal of becoming a full-time nurse. My long term goal is aimed to become a specialized nurse and help patients in the hardest battles of their lives (Kooken & Hopkins, 2016). So far in my degree, I have been a shining student. Apart from winning numerous extracurricular distinctions, I have maintained the highest grades in my class throughout the degree. This scholarship would be a source of motivation to further pursue my education with more passion. Certainly, the skills and experiences gained throughout the degree would assist me in the effective provision of healthcare services to the patients in need.

**References**

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