

## Thankful Words

### Emmett Ashley/RF Macdonald Scholarship

I just have to say that I am truly great full for the help that your donations have granted me and others like me. I have been studying in the welding field for nearly six years now, but hardly ever saw much of a future that would have enabled me afford the most important things in life. Then almost two years ago, I learned about the Butte College welding program and I figured that it would be one of the best ways to get some reputable training under my belt. That being said, I knew almost right away that it wouldn't be cheap. Even after saving for two years the thought of financial trouble is always at the back of my mind. However, with the aid of your donations, you have eased my burdens and have enabled me to breathe a little easier. I can't fully tell you how much better that makes me feel, or how thankful I am for your help and consideration.

Thank You,

Justin Linarez