April 2, 2009

To: Elizabeth J. Sandell

From: Kenneth C. Pengelly

Re: Calane Afdahl-Doble research monies

Greetings Elizabeth,

I was most pleasantly surprised to receive your letter acknowledging the value of the monies raised in support of College of Education graduate student research and in particular how it allowed Calane Afdahl-Doble to complete her Head Start program master's degree project under your supervision.

The graduate dean, Anne Blackhurst, has made a very good case for the importance of needing monies to allow graduate students to finish their research projects. I heard her and realized that in some small way I might be able to eventually establish an account to that end.

Your letter is the first I've received from a graduate advisor supporting that need and indentifying the impact my gift has had on the life of a graduate student. That is good stewardship and allows a donor such as me to know that my gifts are making a difference.

Jeff Halbur has made arrangements for me to meet Calane during my visit to campus for the Summa Society reception on May 8<sup>th</sup>. Perhaps I'll be able to greet you that day and thank you for overseeing the quality of graduate student research in Elementary and Early Childhood Education.

Best wishes for the continued success of your program.

Sincerely,

Ken