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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

MARTIN AWARDED SCHOLARSHIP

CHARLESTON -- Amy Martin, daughter of Dennis and Pat Martin of Marshall, has been awarded the Donna Lynn Connelly Memorial Scholarship award from Eastern Illinois University.

The award, established in 1989 by the parents of Donna Lynn Connelly, is presented to a deserving female sophomore, junior or senior majoring in family and consumer sciences.

Amy is a 1994 graduate of Marshall High School and is a senior majoring in family and consumer sciences with a merchandising option.

Eastern emphasizes distinguished teaching in the liberal arts, sciences and selected professions. A traditional, residential state university of recognized quality, Eastern enrolls more than 11,000 students in undergraduate and graduate programs.

The university, located in Charleston, also serves the region through a variety of non-credit and off-site degree programs, as well as cultural and recreational opportunities.

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