



Men and Women with and for Others

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To Whom it may concern,

My name is Jordan Jones, and I am a theology teacher at Regis Jesuit High School. I had the pleasure of having John Carey in the classroom for his Sophomore Theology class. I also have had the privilege of watching John grow through his involvement in activities outside of the classroom. Through all of my interactions with John over the last year and a half I can happily recommend him with great enthusiasm for your school.

Inside of the classroom John proved himself to be a diligent student capable of critical thought on a variety of material presented in his sophomore theology class on Christian Scripture. This class, in addition to presenting the text of Scripture itself, attempted to place the words of Scripture into a contemporary context, examining them in light of anthropological, archeological, and scientific discussions. John excelled in connecting these different disciplines to elucidate the significance of written word. This ability to connect ideas from across different disciplines and note their relatedness will undoubtedly make John a valuable contributor in any college classroom.

A theology class at Regis Jesuit, in addition to connecting ideas from various disciplines, seeks to foster a productive level of introspection and reflection in its students in order to equip them to navigate a world with many conflicting messages. It was a great pleasure for me to see John fully engage and grow in this practice of self-reflection. After watching John grow in this way, I can confidently say that John is a young man who is aware of his place in the world, especially as it relates to others. The comradery and care he demonstrates to his companions both in the hallways and on the baseball team highlight this aspect of his growth. This mature self-awareness will make John a positive addition to his future college environment.

Over the last year and half, it has been a great pleasure for me to get to know John Carey. His intellectual curiosity, critical thought, and diligence greatly contributed to the classroom environment. Moreover, his character and self-awareness provide an excellent example to his peers. I highly recommend him for admission to your institution.

Please feel free to reach out to me personally if I can be of assistance in any other way.

Sincerely,

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