

# 2019 Jaime Padron Scholarship Award Winner



**Dear Officer Bylsma,**

**I would like to start by expressing my appreciation to you and the other members of the Blue Knights for selecting me for this award, as well as the San Angelo Area Foundation for the opportunity to receive this scholarship. I would also like to thank the Padron family for furthering Jaime's service to his community by providing the opportunity for students to continue their education through this scholarship. Thank you for your steadfast service and support that you give to our community.**

**I will be attending Texas A&M University at College Station in the fall, where I will be participating in their Honors Program. I plan on majoring in sociology with a minor in psychology, pursuing a career in social work. My father served our community through his job in law enforcement for nearly twenty years, and like my dad, I want to help people who cannot necessarily help themselves. My father has been my greatest inspiration for my passion in service, and I could not ask for a greater mentor and parent. My lifelong goal is to continue my father's legacy by serving others the way he served them.**

**Thank you again for this award,  
Katie Kennedy**