George H.W. Bush Presidential Library and Museum
Essay Contest Winners 2019 - Helping Others: Past and Present

4th – 5th Grade
1st Place Winners
Lauren Emory Carroll – Von Miller’s Hope for Better Vision
Nicole Engstrom – Allen Academy
Kaylan Groce – A Life of Literacy
Josephine Parker – First Baptist School
Reese McManus – Barbara Bush
Josephine Parker – First Baptist School
Gabriella St. Clair – Greta Thunberg the Teen Activist
Nicole Engstrom – Allen Academy
Clare Stanton – Nancy G. Brinker Raises Awareness for Breast Cancer
Nicole Engstrom – Allen Academy

2nd Place Winners
Rossi Cerone – Katherine Heigl
Nicole Engstrom – Allen Academy
Simon Dupper – Lady Bird Johnson: The Country’s Beautification
Cassidy Zumwalt – Allen Academy
Hayden Mitchell – Brazos Valley Food Bank
Josephine Parker – First Baptist School
Khloe Wood – Americans with Disabilities Act
Nicole Engstrom – Allen Academy

3rd Place Winners
Hewitt Behler – Barbara Bush Essay
Josephine Parker – First Baptist School
Jace Johnson – Eli Manning Charity
Nicole Engstrom – Allen Academy
Tanzley Johnson – Beautifying the World
Josephine Parker – First Baptist School
Addison Perry – Alicia Keys Fights Against AIDS
Nicole Engstrom – Allen Academy
William Rentfro – Bono Vox
Nicole Engstrom – Allen Academy

Honorable Mention
Keagan Hardy – George H.W. Bush and The Americans with Disabilities Act
Josephine Parker – First Baptist School
Karli Maresh – Lis Hartel’s Love for Horses Helps Her Beat Polio
Josephine Parker – First Baptist School
Ava Ravanbakhsh – Parkinson’s in the Future!
Nicole Engstrom – Allen Academy
**6th – 8th Grade**

**1st Place Winners**

Lexie Albright – *Barbara Bush’s Legacy*
   Leda Williams – Caldwell Middle School

Kailynn Boyd – *Nothing Less*
   Leda Williams – Caldwell Middle School

Keavy Hardy – *Jackie Robinson*
   Leda Williams – Caldwell Middle School

Caleb Heslip – *Kelydra Welcker Helps Clean Water*
   Jennifer Kirksey – Sam Rayburn Intermediate

Lucas Peel – *Children’s Miracle Network: Helping Children’s Hospitals Since 1983*
   Leda Williams – Caldwell Middle School

Kaden Roskey – *First Lady Barbara Bush’s Literacy Legacy*
   Leda Williams – Caldwell Middle School

Jamin White – *The Shriners Children’s Hospital*
   Leda Williams – Caldwell Middle School

**2nd Place Winners**

Jacy Anderson – *Compassion: The Lasting Impact of Mother Teresa*
   Leda Williams – Caldwell Middle School

Waylon Chapman – *First Antibiotic*
   Leda Williams – Caldwell Middle School

Nataly Fajardo – *Ruby Bridges*
   Jennifer Kirksey – Sam Rayburn Intermediate

Sankalp Gautam – *The Plastic Problem: How We Can Help*
   Srivi Gautam – College Station Middle School

Tilly Hicks – *Rosa Parks’ Impact*
   Leda Williams – Caldwell Middle School

Samprokshana Karthikeyan – *Capri Everitt: Causes Helping Others Past & Present*
   Diane Gillum – Cypress Grove Intermediate School

Gabe Pipes – *The 16th President*
   Josephine Parker – First Baptist School

Judith Reyes – *Susan B. Anthony*
   Leda Williams – Caldwell Middle School

Corbin Suehs – *George H.W. Bush*
   Leda Williams – Caldwell Middle School

**3rd Place Winners**

Kiefer Ellis – *The Special Olympics*
   Leda Williams – Caldwell Middle School

Mary Hancock – *Mother Teresa: A True Inspiration*
   Leda Williams – Caldwell Middle School

Dale Hott – *Florence Nightingale A British Nurse*
   Josephine Parker – First Baptist School

Anna La Fountain – *Susan B. Anthony: Women’s Suffrage Activist*
   Leda Williams – Caldwell Middle School

William McDonald – *John Fitzgerald Kennedy: The 35th President*
   Leda Williams – Caldwell Middle School
Jesus Torres – *Susan B. Anthony*
  Leda Williams – Caldwell Middle School
Kelly Urbanovsky – *Clara Barton*
  Leda Williams – Caldwell Middle School

**Honorable Mention**
Samantha Cochran – *A Lady of the Earth*
  Josephine Parker – First Baptist School
Ciara Coker – *Rosa Parks*
  Leda Williams – Caldwell Middle School
Sarah Davis – *Barbara Bush’s Literacy Legacy*
  Josephine Parker – First Baptist School
Caitlyn Faust – *Changing the World with Love*
  Leda Williams – Caldwell Middle School
David Martinez – *Malala: Changing the World*
  Jennifer Kirksey – Sam Rayburn Intermediate
Nathan Scott – *Stephen F. Austin – The Father of Texas*
  Leda Williams – Caldwell Middle School
Barret Yates – *The Life and Impact of Nelson Mandela*
  Leda Williams – Caldwell Middle School

**9th – 12th Grade**

**1st Place Winners**
Andrea Conejo – *The 11 Year Old That Changed Lives*
  Lance Kinstner – Bryan Collegiate High School
Kelly He – *Malala’s Movement: An Inspiration for Courage, Endurance and Compassion*
  Becky Slovak – A&M Consolidated High School
Logan Meadows – *Loose the Chains of Injustice*
  Bethany Meadows – Home School
Kaitlyn Pierce – *Helping Others in the Present for the Future*
  Lance Kinstner – Bryan Collegiate High School

**2nd Place Winners**
Sara Cockrell – *The Right Conditions*
  Lance Kinstner – Bryan Collegiate High School
Reagan Meadows – *Taking a Stand for Justice*
  Bethany Meadows – Home School
Lyndsey Pierce – *Helping Save*
  Lance Kinstner – Bryan Collegiate High School

**3rd Place Winners**
Joshua Bowser – *BVCASA: Bryan’s Angel*
  Lance Kinstner – Bryan Collegiate High School
Josh Mueck – *The Unwavering Determination of Theodore Roosevelt*
  Crystal Chapman – The Woodlands Christian Academy