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Fund set up in victim's name

The family of Victoria Ariene Gallego, the 17-year-old Taunton High School senior killed yesterday morning in a traffic accident at the intersection of Prospect Hill and Field Streets, has established a scholarship fund to which friends are asked to contribute instead of sending flowers.

Miss Gallego died when a pick-up truck driven by a Raynham youth slammed broadside into her car, injuring her brother, Joseph, 16, and a friend, Barbara Bunn, 17. Both were in satisfactory condition this morning at Morton Hospital.

The Victoria A. Gallego Memorial Scholarship Fund will be coordinated by THS English teacher Warren Lincoln, who was one of Miss Gallego's instructors last year. Donations may be sent to the high school.

Miss Gallego, the daughter of James A. and Rita M. (Marcoux) Gallego of 23 Lynnbrook Ave., was born in Taunton on May 10, 1965. She attended Taunton public schools and graduated in 1979 from Cohannet School.

She was an honor student in the class of 1983 at Taunton High, where she was a member of the Drama Club

and the senior prom committee. She also worked on the faculty section of the 1983 edition of the school's yearbook, the "Journal."

She was a member of the THS girls' field hockey team, and had been selected for the girls' All-Scholastic Field Hockey team.

A part-time secretary at the office of Dr. William Donahue, she had also studied the jazz style of dancing at the Susan Winter School of Dance for the past year. She was a communicant of St. Jacques Church.

Besides her parents, she leaves her brother, Joseph E.

Gallego, and her sister, Maria A. Gallego, both of Taunton.

She is also survived by her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Marcoux of Attleboro, and several uncles, aunts, and cousins.

Funeral services for Miss Gallego will be held Friday at 9 a.m. at the Marshall Funeral Home at 116 School St., followed by a funeral mass at 10 a.m. at St. Jacques Church on Whittenton Street.

Her teammates on the field hockey team will serve as honorary pall-bearers at the funeral.