



Dean William C. Deeds

The Morningside College experience cultivates a passion for life-long learning and a dedication to ethical leadership and civic responsibility.

December, 2010

Dear Student:

Winston Churchill was the prime minister of the United Kingdom of Great Britain from 1940-45 and again from 1951-55. Churchill was regarded as a superb orator, a noted statesman, and a great wartime leader. He received the Nobel Prize in literature and was the first person to be designated as an honorary citizen of the United States. He is often quoted on many topics. One of my favorite Churchill quotes is: *"Destiny is not a matter of chance, it is a matter of choice; it is not a thing to be waited for, it is a thing to be achieved."*

Your academic achievement during the Fall Term 2010 indicates that you were not waiting for chance; rather you chose to devote the time and effort necessary to fulfill your destiny and earn a place on the Dean's Honor List. I hope that you continue to actively seek success in your time at Morningside College and beyond.

ODK also wants to acknowledge your achievement and will hold a reception to do so on January 30, 2011 at 2 p.m. in the Yockey Room of the Olsen Student Center. Please put that date and time on your calendar.

Congratulations on your achievements.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "William C. Deeds". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

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Vice President for Academic Affairs
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