

To Whom It May Concern:

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Re: Claire Ashcraft

I came to know Claire Ashcraft in 2015 when I was seeking help with my 95 year old mother and Claire was a Junior in high school. Boy were we lucky to find her. Claire came on Sundays to stay with mom while I attended church. Claire was always on time, was more than willing to do anything I might ask and easily befriended my mother. Mom enjoyed her company and felt comfortable and safe with her. I also felt safe with Claire in our home. She was very mature for her age and I believed her to have high standards.....I totally trusted her not only with the care of my mother, but our home as well. All of that proved to be correct.....she never disappointed us.

Even though my mom has passed away, Claire has shown interest in maintaining a relationship with me even though I am old enough to be her grandmother. I am flattered and feel privileged to share a small part in this young woman's life. Claire has set goals and is going after them. I know she'll succeed too; failure is not in her vocabulary.

When she's ready to step out in the work world, anyone interested in hiring her would have touched upon the best. I can say that with absolutely no reservation as I have been around her long enough and heard enough to know what I'm talking about.

Sincerely,

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