



Dear NHSBCA Wooden Legacy Award Winner,

Our family cannot express how excited we are that you are receiving the NHSBCA Wooden Legacy Coaching Award. My grandfather, John R. Wooden, devoted his life to making an impact in the lives of others through the game of basketball. His passion was teaching, and there was no group that he was more passionate about that subject than coaches. The fact that you are receiving this award is a testament to a long-standing commitment you have made as a teacher/coach within your community. You are receiving this award because you embody many traits that my grandfather felt were vital to success.

- Education: You have devoted your career to teaching others.
- Longevity: You have stayed the course and made a big impact over time.
- Character: You have been a model of doing the right things in the right way.
- Service: You have been about something bigger than yourself.
- Excellence: You have accomplished tremendous success on the court.

I know that if my grandfather was here today, he would feel that it was an honor to meet you and congratulate you on your success. In his memory, our family wants to do that for him. We appreciate you, and the commitment you have made to success. We could not be more thrilled that the National High School Basketball Coaches Association (NHSBCA) has incorporated this award and could not be happier that you are its recipient in its inaugural year.

Once again, congratulations on being named the NHSBCA Wooden Legacy Coach of the Year in your state.

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Greg Wooden', with a stylized flourish at the end.

Greg Wooden
Wooden Family Representative