To whom it may concern,

I’m writing this letter of recommendation on behalf of Luke Zapf. I have had the privilege of working with Luke for the past four years as his basketball coach. On the basketball court, things have not always come easily for Luke. He has had to compete and earn everything that has been given to him. The traits that I have seen displayed on the basketball court, hard working, dedicated, enthusiastic and loyal are incredible qualities that will on enhance as he continues to mature.

When I first met Luke in August of 2009, he was a quiet and unassuming boy. He was a member of my freshman basketball team that was incredibly talented that went 23-1 on the year. Though Luke was not one of the better players at that time, he was quick learner and very eager get better as a player everyday.

Luke had his first opportunity to play varsity basketball as a senior in high school. Originally, I had planned on using him in the paint, as Luke had matured physically and stood over 6-3. It became clear to me however, that Luke’s talents in basketball would be better used on the perimeter, where his quickness and athleticism could take over. Though Luke was always moved around, sometimes playing as many as four positions in one game, his effort, determination, and senior leadership were invaluable to our team. Luke’s impact on our team can be described in one play as our team was fighting for our playoff lives. Down two, with little time left in the game, Luke was able to hit a three pointer from the corner to put our team ahead and keep us alive in the playoff race.

I would term Luke Zapf as a late bloomer. He has come a long way from the quiet and unassuming child I met in 2009. Now, in 2013, Luke is without a doubt, one of the most popular and charismatic players that I have had a opportunity to coach. He has matured into an incredible young man that has nothing but a bright future ahead of him.

Please accept this letter of recommendation as my personal views of Luke Zapf as a player and as a person. His commitment to his family, to his team, and to his friends is unwavering. It has been an honor to be associated with Luke and I cannot wait to see what have accomplishes in the future.

Sincerely,

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