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## **NFB Scholarships for Blind Students**

The National Federation of the Blind Scholarship program grants thirty scholarships annually to legally blind persons in higher education to recognize and encourage the achievement of blind scholars. Scholarships are awarded for those pursuing or planning to pursue full-time undergraduate or graduate studies. Scholarships range in value from \$3,000 to \$12,000. All scholarships are awarded on the basis of academic excellence, community service, and financial need. The annual filing deadline is March 31st and scholarships are granted in July of each year. For more information, please contact The National Federation for the Blind at 404-659-9314 or visit the website at [www.nfb.org/sch\\_intro.htm](http://www.nfb.org/sch_intro.htm)

## **The Hadley School for the Blind**

The Hadley School for the Blind is a distance education school that offers tuition-free programs to blind people, their families, and professionals and service providers working in the blindness field. Hadley's course catalog lists more than 90 courses across many interest areas such as; Braille reading and writing, languages, technology, independent living, academics, and leisure activities. For more information, please contact The Hadley School for the Blind at 1-800-526-9909 or visit their website at [www.hadley.edu](http://www.hadley.edu).

## **Reading for the Holidays**

RC043556 The Christmas Box, by Richard Paul Evans (Fiction)

RC052929 Skipping Christmas, by John Grisham (Fiction)

RC043546 A Christmas Carol, by Charles Dickens (Fiction)

RC051412 Merry Christmas! Celebrating America's Greatest Holiday, by Karal Ann Marling (Non-Fiction)

RC048390 Jeremy's Dreidel, by Ellie Gellman (Juvenile Fiction)

RC052596 The Forgotten Helper: A Christmas Story, by Lorrie Moore (Juvenile Fiction)

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## **Talking Books Speak Volumes**

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## **November Holiday Closing**

The Rome Subregional Library for People with Disabilities will be closed Thursday, November 25th and Friday, November 26th in observance of the Thanksgiving Holiday. We will reopen on Monday, November 29th.

We wish everyone a Happy Thanksgiving!

## **Descriptive Videos**

We have Descriptive Videos available for check-out. For a complete listing of movie titles and to place an order, please call us at 1-888-263-0769 or 706-236-4618 or visit our website at [www.rome-lpd.org](http://www.rome-lpd.org)

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**Thanks!**