To whom it may concern:

When it comes to writing a letter or providing a recommendation for Tripp Kata, I appreciate the opportunity to talk about a kid I have known since he was two years old. Back then he was a little boy running around with my son & his twin sister trying not to get into too much trouble. Today, it is incredible to see the young man Tripp has become. As his family's friend & his summer baseball coach, I have seen the development of his character as well as his physical, mental, & leadership skills.

First & foremost, Tripp is a great kid. He is polite, courteous, respectful, & a young man of faith. These are attributes any parent would hope to see & have develop in their children. Tripp is also extremely competitive & has a tremendous work ethic. He is an incredible student & leader amongst his peers.

If you want to become great at anything in life, it takes a tremendous amount of effort, concentration, & dedication. As a witness of Tripp's tireless work ethic, it is no surprise to see where he currently is. He knows what he wants & he goes after it. Tripp works very hard for the things he has accomplished. The competitive spirt that flows within him is not something you see in every young man, student, or athlete. It is a quality that will push him to succeed in all aspects of life.

It continues to be a pleasure to know & coach Tripp. I wish we had a whole team of kids just like him. Athletically, I know his desire is to play baseball at the next level. Any coach will be thrilled to have a person & player like Tripp in their program. I look forward to seeing where this journey will take him.

Best regards,



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