

BILL DECKER SCHOLARSHIP

About the Donor

Bill Decker graduated from DeKalb High School in 1970 and was passionate about basketball and Indiana University. He passed away in 1999 while playing basketball with the Auburn 33 and Over Basketball League. Fellow basketball league members and friends have created this scholarship in his memory.

Eligibility Criteria

This scholarship is a one-time award to a graduating senior from **DeKalb High School** (DeKalb County, Indiana) pursuing **any field of study** at **Indiana University**.

Applicant must also:

- Have participated in the athletic program at DeKalb High School
- Be a resident of DeKalb County, Indiana
- Enroll, or intends to enroll, full-time at Indiana University

Required Forms (Submit in the order listed)

- Scholarship Cover Page
- Completed Application
- High School Transcript

Deadline to Apply

Submit all documents to the High School Guidance Office by **February 29, 2008**.

Scholarship Eligibility Policy

In order to assure the public that DeKalb County Community Foundation maintains impartiality when awarding educational scholarships, the following individuals and their relatives* are not considered eligible for scholarships provided by the foundation:

- Foundation Directors or Officers
- Foundation Employees
- Foundation Scholarship Committee members
- Foundation Scholarship Sub-Committee members
- High school staff members directly involved in the selection process

For a Director, Officer, Employee, Scholarship Committee member or Scholarship Sub-Committee member, this restriction applies for the year scholarships are awarded and for two years after he/she is no longer connected with the foundation in a volunteer or paid position. For a high school staff member directly involved with the selection process, this restriction applies only for the year the scholarships are awarded.

*Relatives are defined as follows: Spouse, lineal descendents (children, grandchildren, great grandchildren whether by whole or half blood, step-children, step-grandchildren, step-great grandchildren) and their spouses, brothers and sisters (whether by whole or half blood) and their spouses, as well as ancestors. Other relatives (i.e. nephew, niece, etc.) are eligible to receive scholarships provided by the foundation. Approved by the DeKalb County Community Foundation Board of Directors May 19, 2005.