## William and Stefania (Zinkiewicz) Buckson Memorial Scholarship

Established 2023

William and Stefania (Zinkiewicz) Buckson were long-time residents of Bolton for nearly 60 years. They lovingly raised all three of their children in Bolton. Each child attended Bolton schools, graduated from Bolton High School, and went on to earn 4-year bachelor's degrees. Two of their children also earned master's degrees.

Although neither William nor Stefania was able to attend college (Stefania also never completed high school as she had to seek employment to support herself at a young age), they made sure all their children had the love, support, and financial means to not only graduate from high school but to also pursue higher education if they wanted. William and Stefania worked hard, lived simply, persevered, and saved so the expense of a college education would not be a burden to their children. All three of their children graduated with 4-year college degrees and William and Stefania gave them the wonderful gift of having no student loans to repay and no student debt as they started their own lives.

It is in William's and Stefania's memory and in honor of their hard work and sacrifices, that this memorial scholarship is now being offered in their name. The Buckson/Zinkiewicz family hopes that through this story and this scholarship, other aspiring college students and their families may be inspired and financially helped with the cost of higher education, just as William and Stefania inspired and helped their children.