
CITATION FOR THE AWARD OF THE SILVER MEDAL OF THE ADS

For the past two years the Honors Committee has been unable to agree unanimously, as the rules require, on a candidate for the Society's high honor, the Silver Medal "for outstanding and distinguished service to the American Daffodil Society." It is not lightly given.

This year, I am pleased to report, there is a unanimous choice.

It goes to a person whose record as an outstanding horticulturalist is just the first among many qualifications. A frequent contributor to the ADS quarterly *Journal* and frequent speaker to our Society and its groups, and to garden clubs generally, an accredited judge, and instructor at our Schools for Judges, an artist of superb talent—it is no longer possible in these remarks to hide her identity. When I state that she was the designer and creator of our perpetual sterling trophies for the Best Standard Seedling in honor of Grant and Amy Mitsch, for the Best Miniature Seedling in honor of John and Betty Larus, the designer of our Membership Pin, and continue to recount her devoted service as an Officer of this Society, it is no surprise that this honor, The Silver Medal of the American Daffodil Society, is this year awarded to our new President, Mrs. John (better perhaps known as Marie) Bozievich.