

## CITATION FOR THE SILVER MEDAL

One particular member of the American Daffodil Society stands out for her service in promoting interest in daffodils over a period of many years. As a teacher in the Judging Schools, she has taught us to discern the merits of the blooms we judge and to examine each entry with fairness and appreciation. *She has inspired many of us to be critical in selecting the varieties which we ourselves grow and to exhibit whenever the chance arises.*

The American Daffodil Society has never had a more avid exhibitor and competitor. She knows and loves all her flowers, presenting each to its best advantage. She has successfully carried blooms to exhibit throughout the United States. We always look forward to her blooms at the National Shows.

She is the spirit of the Middle Tennessee Daffodil Society and has brought this organization to its present state of activity. Over the years she has been instrumental in planning for three National Conventions in Nashville. Her garden is always open to daffodil enthusiasts.

An international goodwill ambassador for daffodils, she is known, loved, and respected throughout the daffodil-growing world.

The ADS takes pleasure in awarding the Silver Medal to Louise Hardison.