SILVER MEDAL WINNER:

Kitty Frank

I can think of no other person who has put in so much quality time for the ADS at both the national and local level. In her five years as Editor of the Journal, Kitty has done an outstanding job. Even though the ADS budget provides a small stipend for this time-consuming position, she has refused to accept it and worked very hard, devoting one full month out of every three to draw together and edit our Society’s major publication. As time goes on, it has become more and more difficult to solicit materials and deal with printer problems and the distribution of the Journal. Even in the face of an extreme surgical problem and impaired health, she has gone forward with her job, editing from her hospital bed. One month out of three for five years is twenty months of service to the ADS. In itself such dedication is certainly enough to warrant the ADS Silver Medal. Kitty has also served as Chairman of the Nominating Committee. In addition, the Franks have been the backbone of the Middle Tennessee Daffodil Society for many years. Kitty has given much encouragement to younger growers. Through her efforts, members who are in their thirties are involved with the Society, helping with the annual show and exhibiting in it.

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