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AMERICAN DAFFODIL SOCIETY (ADS) 2017 SILVER MEDAL RECIPIENT ANNOUNCED!

Sacramento, CA – Lynn Slackman from Shiloh, IL was awarded the 2017 American Daffodil Society Silver Medal on March 11, 2017 at the American Daffodil Society Convention in Sacramento, CA.

The American Daffodil Society Silver Medal may be awarded to an individual deemed by the honors committee as being worthy of recognition of outstanding service to the American Daffodil Society.

A wide range of nominations were received by the honors committee for our recipient. These nominations came from many regions and from many people respected on daffodil matters for many years. They all noted the dedicated service and accomplishments and all were in agreement that Ms. Slackman was well deserving of this award. Unflinching, uncompromising forward leaning resolve to meet any project of challenge are our recipient's hallmarks. Thoughtful inclusion of all diverse perspectives and a "We" attitude permeate her approach to her hobby. Rarely have we seen her working or enjoying daffodils alone, others are always brought along. Her work on a local, regional and national level and her many accomplishments have prompted her many nominations. Each nomination was different, but all mentioned the positive impact of her involvement. Her work on promotion of the ADS as an enterprise has been spectacular. Our publicity and websites are up to date and attractive. Much thought and effort is clearly seen in her work. She also co-chaired an excellent world convention and marshalled the local forces to make this event memorable for all.

The American Daffodil Society has a tradition of honoring individuals who have contributed to the betterment of daffodils and the American Daffodil Society. Ms. Slackman joins a prestigious group of individuals who have given, and continue to donate, their superior meritorious service to the American Daffodil Society.