



Far Western District

Hall of Fame

Don McAvoy - 1990

As a new barbershopper in the San Diego Chapter, Don McAvoy quickly rose from out of the chapter membership to Chorus Manager, then on to Chapter President in 1977. He brought a new dimension to the Sun Harbor Chorus as coordinator and manager. He earned the high praises and respect of every man including Marv Yerkey, the musical director of the San Diego Chapter during that period.

His Accomplishments on the District Board as DVP and subsequently President in 1983 will be remembered for their vision, professionalism, and fairness.

At the 1984 International Convention in Seattle the District Presidents Forum, Don chaired that important meeting with poise and assurance. At the conclusion of the gathering several presidents commented most favorably on the way in which he presided from the opening remarks and agenda, to wrap-up, which left all attendees with the impression that Don would serve the Society and his district in a most professional way.

Don is a regular and active member of his chapter and is frequently sought out for advice and counsel within the FWD. He has served as International Membership Coordinator, having been tagged to travel to other districts to help solve membership problems. Don is frequently asked to install new chapter officers each year as evidence of his tremendous popularity. He has recently been appointed an International Board Member for 1989, further evidence of his popularity in the District.

Don McAvoy is a man who "gives off" an unique and special brand of personality and strong character traits to everyone that he meets. He has brought a sense of warmth and cooperation and fairness to every problem with which he was faced.