

# American Biographical Institute

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Dear Mr. Crabtree,

On behalf of the Publications Board, I am delighted to advise you of your selection to appear in the Institute's 10th Anniversary Second Edition..... BOOK OF HONOR.

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It is highly important, therefore, that your acceptance of this prestigious citation be made immediately by the date indicated on the enclosed card. After that time, it will be necessary to void the special number we have assigned to you....a guaranty of your inclusion.

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Also, commemorating the 10th Anniversary Year, we are extremely pleased to announce the opening of ABI for exclusive Fellow Membership...a brotherhood composed of highly talented and successful individuals like yourself who are included in the BOOK OF HONOR. As a Fellow Member, Mr. Crabtree, your name will be added to our famous panel of advisors and distinguished associates, entitling you to Full Privileges of the Institute which include: biographical entry in suitable and new titles we are publishing; the right to nominate other worthy citizens for all ABI publications; and access to the Institute's extensive research facilities available on people in whom you may be interested or wish to contact.

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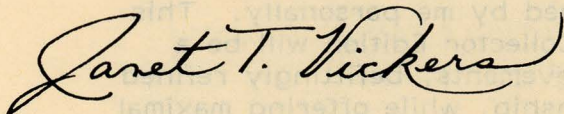
Recognized as the apogee of biographical distinction, the BOOK OF HONOR is thusly a unique testimonial to biographees of the highest degree who are characterized by supreme dedication and service to the Community of Man. Naturally, we are extremely proud and excited about this landmark edition, and the complete resources of ABI are being put behind its publication. Unequaled in its contribution to the reference field, the BOOK OF HONOR will unquestionably stand as the Master volume of biographical accomplishments.

Again, as this is a Limited Entry publication, confirmation of your acceptance into the BOOK OF HONOR and ABI Fellow Membership must be made by the date noted on your enclosed Numbered Invitation.

I shall look forward to your acceptance and will forward a proof of your biographical entry upon hearing from you, along with your certificate noting Fellow Membership and election to the BOOK OF HONOR.

With many thanks and kindest regards.

Faithfully,



Janet T. Vickers  
Editorial Directress

Enclosures

*P.S.*  
*I'm eagerly awaiting your response with much personal interest.* JTV