



Dartmouth

Class of 1961 Special Recognition Award

Presented to

Thomas S Conger

Tom, where would the Class of 1961 be without you? It would probably still exist, but probably not nearly as well.

With the exception of a brief interlude suggested by the College, you have been the '61 Class newsletter editor for most of our nearly 60 years as alumni of Dartmouth College. Your newsletter columns are always witty, interesting and informative, and a contributing factor to our Class being selected Class of the Year for two of the five past years. Your language skills, in both "stream-of-thought" English and Hawaiian, have at times left your readers scratching their heads. However, your readers have always come back for more ----- again and again, newsletter after newsletter, year after year. Your upbeat personality is infectious, and rubs off on all with whom you come in contact.

TC, you are an asset to the Class of 1961 and the Class appreciates your ongoing contribution as an important class officer for so many years. Congratulations on being only the sixth classmate to be selected for the *Class of 1961 Special Recognition Award*.

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Victor S. Rich

Diligence and persistence!! You have contributed enormously to our class over many years, and you have likewise contributed your efforts to other organizations. What stands out most is your drive and persistence to diligently carry out so many tasks, always stepping up to accomplish what is needed.

Over many years you have served our class as President, Treasurer, and Secretary. Alumni Council Representative and Class Agent, Leadership Chair, Participation Chair and Reunion Committee. You have also served the College for five terms on Alumni Council and several of its committees, as President, Treasurer and other positions in your regional Dartmouth Club, as President of the Class Secretaries Association, and Alumni Interviewer. You were recognized in 1997 with the Dartmouth Outstanding Alumni Award.

You also served on your community's Planning Board and Environmental Conservation Board and Cold Spring Country Club as Board Member and Treasurer.

After earning an MBA from Columbia, you had a successful career as a senior partner and regional manager in a national accounting firm and served as an officer and director of the N.Y. State Society of CPAs and recipient of its Distinguished Service Award.

All of this did not deter you from being involved in raising and participating with your five children and eight grandchildren in their activities and development.

Vic, as our Class Secretary you have diligently produced our meeting minutes and Alumni Magazine column. You have played a pivotal role as a class officer, frequently persisting into the wee hours writing, rewriting and perfecting every report. letter and document generated by the class officers and taking whatever time and effort is required to persuade and cajole your fellow officers to achieve perfection and clarity. Vic, you are irreplaceable and highly appreciated by your classmates, and we thank you.

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