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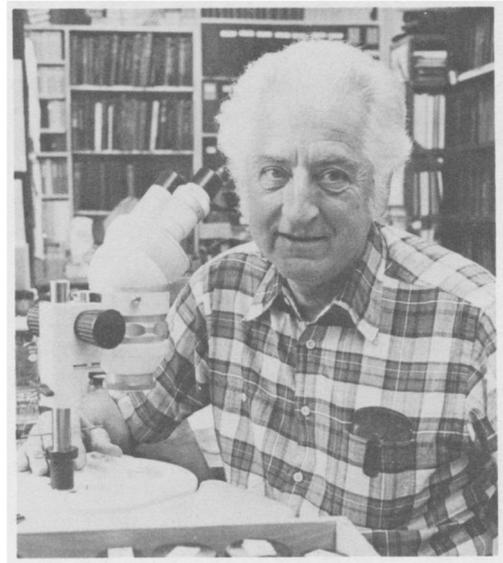
David G. Frey

David G. Frey, you have excelled as a teacher and a researcher, but above all, as a scholar. While your scholarly contributions have been repeatedly recognized in this country and abroad, our purpose tonight is to express our appreciation for your service and contributions to the Ecological Society of America.

Since becoming a member of the Society in 1949, you have served in many capacities. Indeed, over twenty-five years ago you began as a scrutineer for the George Mercer Award. Since that time, you have served on many committees, including the Aquatic Biology, Nominating, Public Affairs, Study, and Program Committees. In addition to serving as the Aquatic Editor for *Ecology* in 1970–1971, you were the well-organized and thoughtful host for the 1981 Annual Meeting at Indiana University.

Your contributions to the field of ecology are evident from your many fine publications, the quality of your graduate students, and your numerous awards, including Guggenheim and Fulbright Fellowships and the prestigious Einar Naumann-August Thienemann Medal from Japan. In 47 years, this Medal was received by only four scientists from the United States. Your international travel and participation in various organizations and committees suggest you should receive the additional title of “ambassador of ecology.”

We are proud of your successes and the major strength that you have given to ecolo-



gy. For all these services to ecology and to the Society, the Ecological Society of America has the honor of awarding you its Distinguished Service Citation.

Written by Paul G. Risser

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