

## SANTA BARBARA CALIFORNIA SCOTTISH RITE BODIES OF SANTA BARBARA

WHEREAS, Thomas J. Luby has been honored as the Scottish Rite Bodies of Santa Barbara 2006 Patriot of the Year in recognition of his lifetime of service in our community; and

WHEREAS, Thomas J. Luby is dedicated to his family, including his children Carol, Dianne, Laurel and Craig, his grandchildren and great grandchildren, and his beloved wife, Susan Mott Craig, who passed away in 2003 after more than 60 years of marriage; and

WHEREAS, Thomas J. Luby was born on March 20, 1915 and received his education in the public schools of Roselle, New Jersey and the Newark College of Engineering, where he learned the craft of tool making and began his lifetime of community service through his involvement with the Boy Scouts of America and as a church trustee; and

WHEREAS, Thomas J. Luby has a strong work ethic as demonstrated by his 40 years of employment with Western Electric Company in the field of tool construction and tool maker training; and

WHEREAS, Thomas J. Luby is distinguished as a Mason, having been raised a Master Mason on May 4, 1944 in Wheatsheaf Lodge No. 272, Roselle, New Jersey; served as Master of Saggahew Lodge, Haverhill, Massachusetts; was appointed by the Grand Lodge of Massachusetts as Junior Grand Steward, Junior Grand Warden and Grand Representative to various jurisdictions; and upon his retirement he affiliated with Carpinteria Lodge No. 444 in 1977; and

WHEREAS, Thomas Luby has been an active member of the Carpinteria community where he has served as the Treasurer of the Chapel Court Housing Corporation, a member of the Fire Department Appeals Committee and honorary director of Girls Inc; and

WHEREAS, Thomas Luby is currently Sergeant at Arms of the Channel City Club, Treasurer of the Santa Barbara Men's Gold Club, and a member of the Council of Christmas Cheer.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDERED AND RESOLVED that this Board of Supervisors honors and commends Thomas J. Luby upon his selection as the Scottish Rite Bodies of Santa Barbara 2006 Patriot of the Year.

Passed and adopted by the Board of Supervisors of Santa Barbara County, State of California, this 26th day of September, 2006 by a unanimous vote of all members present.

2006 PATRIOT OF THE YEAR

2nd District

3rd District

Supervisor -5th District