

# COUNTY OF SANTA BARBARA

## RESOLUTION OF APPRECIATION FOR LUCILLE E. CHRISTIE

## CALIFORNIA

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**WHEREAS**, Mrs. Lucille E. Christie traveled with her Air Force husband, Thomas W. Christie to more than 30 countries during and after World War II, including a four-year tour in occupied Germany during the Berlin Airlift. During many of those years, Mrs. Christie yearned to put down roots, but she was required to, "Keep her roots in a flower pot", while they traveled, and;

**WHEREAS**, In 1954 Mrs. Christie was finally able to root herself firmly in Santa Barbara County several months prior to her husband's unanticipated death. She resumed her prior career with Civil Service by moving to the Vandenberg Air Force Base environs, where she continued her participation in national defense in the Judge Advocate's office, and;

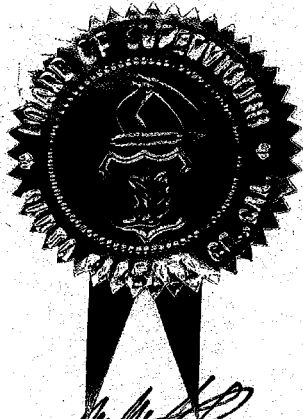
**WHEREAS**, Her interest in History led Mrs. Christie in 1973 to become a Charter Member of the La Purisima Mission Docent Program, where she remains an active member of their Board of Directors, and;

**WHEREAS**, Mrs. Christie's subsequent employment as the Director of the Lompoc Museum began in 1977 and continued until 1987. In 1988 Mrs. Christie was appointed a Commissioner on the Santa Barbara County Historic Landmark Advisory Commission by Supervisor DeWayne Holmdahl, where she served representing the Fourth District throughout the terms of Supervisors Holmdahl, Owens, Staffel and Gray until July, 2001, and;

**WHEREAS**, During her tenure as a Commissioner she was primarily responsible for landmarking the Casmalia Hitching Post restaurant, and made significant contributions to several other Santa Barbara County landmarks.

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT AND IT IS HEREBY ORDERED AND RESOLVED** that this Board of Supervisors proclaims their profound appreciation for **MRS. LUCILLE E. CHRISTIE** in consideration of her many years of service to the County Historic Landmark Advisory Commission, the Fourth District and to the communities in which she has resided.

**PASSED AND ADOPTED** by the Board of Supervisors of Santa Barbara County, State of California this 12<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2002 by unanimous vote of all members present.



ATTEST:

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Clerk of the Board

*Nadine Schwartz*  
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*Tom Holmdahl*  
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Supervisor ~ 5th District