

*The Board of Visitors
and
Frieda O. Weise, Executive Director
Health Sciences and Human Services Library
University of Maryland, Baltimore
request the pleasure of your company for afternoon tea
honoring*

The Helena Foundation

*with the presentation of the
Theodore E. Woodward Award
Thursday, the nineteenth of June
between half-past-three and five o'clock
Gladhill Board Room
601 West Lombard Street
Baltimore, Maryland*

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Program

*Theodore E. Woodward Award
Gladhill Board Room
Health Sciences and Human Services Library
3:30—5:00 P.M.
June 19, 2003*

*Welcome—Ms. Frieda C. Weise, M.L.S., FMLA
Executive Director
Health Sciences and Human Services Library*

*Remarks—Dr. David J. Ramsay, D.M., D.Phil.
President
University of Maryland, Baltimore*

Description and History of Woodward Award

Introduction of Dr. Theodore E. Woodward

Remarks by Dr. Woodward

*Introduction of Woodward Award Recipients for 2003
Dr. and Mrs. James Earl
The Helena Foundation*

*Presentation of Woodward Award
Frieda Weise, Dr. Ramsay, Dr. Woodward*

Remarks

Afternoon Tea

Shaping the Future

By M.J. Tooley, Deputy Director

Highest Honor Given to Helena Foundation

At a lovely tea in the Gladhill Board Room, on the afternoon of June 19th, the Library bestowed its highest honor, the Theodore E. Woodward Award, on James and Sylvia Earl of the Helena Foundation. The Library established the Theodore E. Woodward Award in 1995 to recognize the significant and enduring contributions to the Library by Dr. Theodore E. Woodward, Professor Emeritus of the University of Maryland School of Medicine. The purpose of the award is to acknowledge a significant contribution of resources or exemplary service in support of the Library mission. Dr. Woodward received the first award in 1995 and Dr. Joseph Lakowicz received it in 1998.

"The Helena Foundation's support has made a world of difference to the Library over the past few years," says Executive Director Frieda O. Weise. She continued, "The Helena Foundation has supported us on many levels, including the licensing of access to the Ovid suite of databases and the development of the diabetes consumer health Web site; and further, they established an endowment in support of technology in the Library." James A. Earl serves on the Board of Trustees of the University of Maryland, Baltimore Foundation and Sylvia Earl serves on the Library Development Board of Visitors. The Helena Foundation goals are to enrich educational, medical, and cultural institutions. Although some recipients are out of state, most are within the state of Maryland.

"Jim and I are thrilled to have received this coveted award," noted Sylvia Earl. "This very special library, which serves health practitioners around the state of Maryland and across the region, deserves to receive extra funding to support all its efforts. During these times of budget limits, it's especially crucial to be able to continue library services, which enable doctors, nurses, and those working in public health to keep up with the latest developments in the field. The Library is set up with the latest technology to help these people do just that."

