

# YMCA AT THE HALL OF FAME



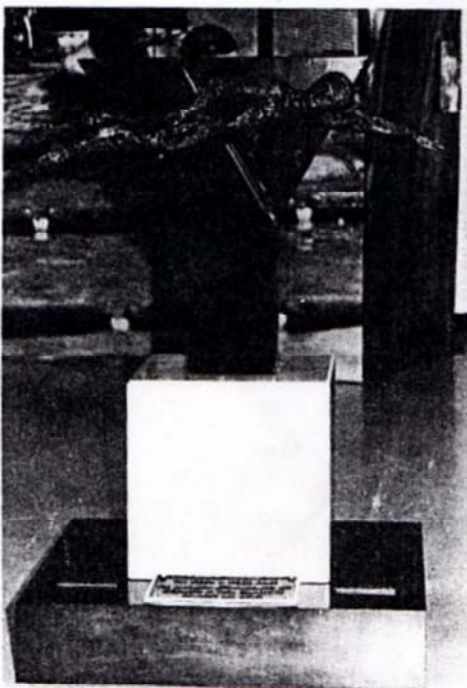
*(left to right) James R. Stocker, Chairman, National YMCA Operating Council on Competitive Swimming and Diving; Joseph G. Rogers, past chairman, National YMCA Aquatic Committee for whom the award was created; and Edward L. Griffin, the first recipient of the Joseph G. Rogers Award.*

## JOSEPH G. ROGERS AWARD

Permanently housed in the International Swimming Hall of Fame in Fort Lauderdale is the Joseph G. Rogers Award, a newly sculpted piece by California artist Daniel Gluck. Molded of bronze and marble and standing four feet in height, this latest addition to the Hall of Fame Museums was unveiled and dedicated during the 1974 National YMCA Swimming and Diving Championships.

The award was named for Joseph G. Rogers in recognition of long and exceptional leadership, insight, and dedication to the YMCA on local, state and National levels.

First recipient of the award was Edward L. Griffin of Minneapolis, who was selected because of his outstanding service to the YMCA both as a professional staff member and as a layman. Ed's contributions in the area of YMCA aquatics and competitive swimming have become well-known over the past 33 years, and he was the unanimous choice of the selection committee for this prestigious award.



*Joseph G. Rogers Award*

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## AND NOW FOR '75

James R. Stocker, Chairman of the National YMCA Competitive Swim Council, has announced that dates for the 1975 National YMCA Swimming and Diving Championships will be April 16-19. The site for the meet will again be the International Swimming Hall of Fame Pool in Fort Lauderdale, and the Kettering, Ohio, YMCA has been named as Host Association.