

# Washington State Genealogical Society

recognizes

*LaVere (Wagner) Peters*

of Wenatchee, Washington

for exceptional and consistent support of the goals and operation of  
Wenatchee Area Genealogical Society



LaVere Peters was instrumental in organizing the genealogy library for the Genealogical Society of North Central Washington, which is now known as the Wenatchee Area Genealogical Society, and for making its resources accessible to the Society's patrons and members. She organized work parties to shelve and clean books, films/fiche and computer resources in the library. She also organized volunteers to "weed" out unnecessary content (such as ads) in the journals and newsletters received through exchanges with other societies to make room for more resources. This project took years. LaVere served as a volunteer librarian for many years and was in charge of scheduling other volunteer librarians for weekly assignments. She was a teacher/mentor to new librarians and assisted them in learning the procedures and techniques to help the library patrons and Society members in their research. When a new librarian was assigned, LaVere took her time to assist the librarian with the first few assignments. Throughout her years of volunteer service LaVere has put in hours and hours of good work to make the WAGS Library a complete resource for the community, patrons and members in their search for their ancestors.

Given this 12th day of September in the year 2009, at the annual meeting of Washington State Genealogical Society at Spokane, Washington.

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President

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