

HFMA Chapter Life Membership Awarded to One of Our Best

During the Fall Institute, I had the pleasure of presenting, on behalf of the Alabama Chapter, the Chapter Life Membership award to one of our members, Jerry Chambers.

A Chapter Life Membership may be conferred on a member to recognize outstanding accomplishments and contributions to the chapter. When an HFMA member in good standing fully retires, or reaches the age of 70, (hmmmm did Jerry reach 70??? – oh certainly not, but he did retire) the chapter with which the member has been affiliated may recommend that Chapter Life Membership be granted. The award is then reviewed by the National Board of Directors for final decision.

Those of us that have had the opportunity to know Jerry, will certainly agree that over his 20 years as a member of our chapter - outstanding accomplishments and contributions to our chapter he certainly did make. Jerry has always supported all of our meetings as well as supported us with his company's (Blue Cross Blue Shield) sponsorship.

It was with great pleasure, as this year's President, to have the honor of submitting Jerry's name for the recognition he so greatly deserves.

Now Jerry says he will be playing a lot of golf, but he does promise to come and join us at some of our meetings. We all wish Jerry well; good health, wealth and a much lower handicap this next year. Jerry thank you for the years you have supported us at the Alabama Chapter. Now please join us when you can because we sure don't want to say "we miss Jerry".

God Bless you daily.

- Linda Maddox
President Alabama Chapter 2009-2010



Jerry Chambers



Jerry in his hippie years



God bless you Dottie!

