

# *Hall of Fame - Class of 2005*

## **George Studdard**

**Wichita Falls, Texas**

### **Achievements, Honors and Awards:**

- 1946 At age 12, formed baseball league of 6 teams – played 40 games schedule
- 1948-1951 Played Fast Pitch softball and American Legion Baseball
- 1948 – 1958 Officiated baseball, basketball and softball
- 1952 Played Semi-Pro Baseball –Wolcott, Kansas
- 1952-1968 While in service to the U.S. Air Force, played and coached on and for numerous teams in the sports of baseball, fast pitch softball and basketball
- 1960-1961 Served on Board of Directors for Southern England Baseball League; Conducted Baseball Camp for English players to learn sport; Selected to play on the Netherlands All-Star Team; Officiated baseball, basketball and softball in England
- 1964 – 1965 Officiated high school, base varsity, squadron level basketball and softball-Labrador, Canada
- 1965 – 2000 Officiated softball, basketball, baseball, football, track & field, swimming, volleyball and flag football
- 1972 – 1979 Served as President of Wichita Falls Southwest Basketball Officials Association
- 1974 – 1978 Officiated in two Air Force World-Wide Basketball Championships
- 1974 – 2000 Served as District 9 Amateur Softball Association Commissioner
- 1975 – 1978 Served as Deputy State Umpire-In-Chief – Amateur Softball Association
- 1976 – 1979; 1982 – 1984; 1988 Served as T.A.A.F. Region Director
- 1976 – 1996 Served as T.A.A.F. Women's Church Slow Pitch Softball State Commissioner
- 1978 – 2000 Served as State Umpire-In-Chief – Amateur Softball Association
- 1978 – 1981 Umpired in Texas High School UIL State Baseball Championships
- 1978 Refereed first 8-Man State High School Football Championship
- 1984 – 1996 Served as member of T.A.A.F. Executive Board
- 1991 –1995; 1981 – 1982; 1995 – 1996; Served as T.A.A.F. Committee Chairperson
- 1990; 1993 – 1994; 1995, 1996, 1989, 1992, Served as T.A.A.F. Committee member
- 1989, 1992, 1995 Presented the T.A.A.F. President's Award
- 1990 – 1996 Served as T.A.A.F. Games of Texas liaison
- 1990 – 1996 Served as President of North Central Texas Officials Association
- 1996 Presented the T.A.A.F. Life Member award
- 1976, 1981-82; 1989, 1990, 1992, 1993, 1995, 1996 Hosted T.A.A.F. State Tournaments
- Officiated and served as Umpire-In-Chief at numerous T.A.A.F. State Tournaments
- 2002 Inducted into the Texas Amateur Softball Association Hall of Fame

**Inducted into the T.A.A.F. Hall of Fame on January 6<sup>th</sup>, 2005**

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