



Dick Astrein

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Birmingham-Central Kiwanis Foundation



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RICHARD ASTREIN

Richard Astrein is a Charter member of the Kiwanis Club of Birmingham-Central and was responsible for bringing together several of the local business persons to help form the club. Richard was a member of our first Board of Directors in 1980-81 and served as Treasurer in 1981-82 and as club President in 1983-84. In 1987-88 he was the first member of our club to serve the Michigan District as Lt. Governor.

Richard's activities on behalf of our Kiwanis Club are numerous and varied. He was the guiding light behind establishing the Key Club at Lahser High School. Richard has served as our Fund Raising Chairman for several years and most particularly as Chairman of our Las Vegas Night Party for many years which has been our single largest source of revenue.

In addition to his Kiwanis activities, Richard has been very active in the business community. He is the owner of Astrein Jewelers in downtown Birmingham. Richard has been very active in the affairs of the Birmingham-Bloomfield Chamber of Commerce and has served for several years as chairman of the Village Fair. Richard is currently a member of the Board of Directors of the Chamber and was named by the Chamber as "Small Business Owner of the Year 1990".

Richard has a degree in Business Administration from Michigan State University. He and his wife Debbie and two children reside in Huntington Woods.