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John D. Morton, Sr., a member of the Kiwanis club of Berlin, New Hampshire, was elected President of Kiwanis International by the delegates to the 76th annual convention in Anaheim, California, on June 26, 1991.

John is president and general manager of Morneau Movers' inc. which is affiliated with North American Van Lines. He is a 31 year member and past president of the Kiwanis Club of Berlin where he has 31 years of perfect attendance. He served as governor of the New England district during 1975-76. John is a Hixson Fellow of the Kiwanis International Foundation and a Life Member of Kiwanis International. He served as a Trustee of the Kiwanis International Foundation in 1988-89. John was a four year member of the Berlin High School Key Club.

John is the elected sheriff of Coos County, a position which he has held for 11 years, a former county treasurer and city councilman. He is past president of the New Hampshire Sheriff's Association as well as past president of the Berlin Fireman's Association. He is a director of the Berlin City Bank where he has served for 15 years. He has been appointed by New Hampshire Governors to 6 two year terms to the New Hampshire Police Standards and Training Council and has served as its Chairman of the Board for the past five years.

John was elected Trustee of Kiwanis International in 1984 and served as Trustee for four years. He was elected International Vice-President in 1988 and International Treasurer in 1989. During 1990-91, John served as International President-elect.

Michigan Kiwanis members likely remember John as Counselor to the Michigan District of Kiwanis during the 1988-89 Kiwanis year. Both he and his lovely wife, Jackie, attended our District convention in Saginaw, Michigan and became part of our District family. John and Jackie returned to Michigan in 1990 to attend the 75th anniversary of Kiwanis celebration in Detroit. The Morton's have been married for 34 years and are the parents of a son and daughter.

The Michigan District, upon this occasion, the 77th birthday of Kiwanis, wishes to honor John Morton for his years of service to Kiwanis, at all levels, by naming him as a DISTINGUISHED KIWANIAN, Kiwanis of Michigan Foundation, and adding his name to the list of outstanding persons so honored by the Kiwanis of Michigan Foundation.

" In Honor and Deep Appreciation of Distinguished Service" we present John D. Morton, Sr., a plaque and certificate denoting the addition of his name to the Distinguished Kiwanian book. The gift that has been made to the Kiwanis of Michigan Foundation will be placed in a suitable TRUST FUND, with the yearly interest being used for the good works of the Foundation in making lives somewhat brighter for those children hospitalized in the referral hospitals that are part of the Foundation program. This award perpetuates John's dedication and persuasion that Young Children are truly Priority One.