

Special Recognition Award - presented to **Susan Prestia** at the 2015 Annual Holiday Brunch of The Native Sons and Daughters of Greater Kansas City. Susan has been the primary leader of the Silent Auction Committee for our annual Outstanding Kansas Citian Auction from the beginning in 2013. Her auction knowledge, organizing skills, attention to detail, and people skills have been great assets to the success of both the committee and the auctions. Susan's service to the NSDKC has been exemplary and deserves this special recognition.

Special Recognition Award – presented to **Diane Boos Pepper** at the 2015 Annual Holiday Brunch of The Native Sons and Daughters of Greater Kansas City in recognition of her service as Chair of the OKC event 2015 and member of the Auction Committee of 2014 and 2015. She worked tirelessly organizing and gathering the items for the auctions and made certain that all activities for the 2015 OKC event went flawlessly. She continues to serve the NSDKC with enthusiasm and dedication

The George E. Hicks Award for Perseverance – presented to **Carl J. DiCapo** at the 2015 Annual Holiday Brunch of The Native Sons and Daughters of Greater Kansas City in recognition of his dedication and outstanding service as our President and prior officer positions. Carl has shown exceptional creativity, leadership, and perseverance in his work on the Founder's Membership Program, the Native Sons and Daughters Monument, the membership drive program of 80 new members in 80 days, and his service as President this past year. He never says never! Always make it work!

The Lee I. Pickering Award of Excellence – presented to **Ross Marshall** at the 2015 Annual Holiday Brunch of The Native Sons and Daughters of Greater Kansas City in recognition of his dedication and outstanding service as Newsletter editor and Chair of our Markers Committee. His meticulous reliable work has provided the Native Sons and Daughters of Great Kansas City a remarkable image to the public in the Historic Markers we share in the community and our Newsletters. He works for perfection in every aspect of his service to our organization. Even after his successful term as President, he has continued to deliver the most detailed and accurate information for the NSDKC.