

# Manheim FFA Chapter Banquet

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 duction, Marlin Becker, poultry production, Dale Nolt, crop production, Joseph Lefever, agricultural mechanics, Wilmer Groff, agricultural electrification, Gerald Wolfe and placement in ag production, Marlin Fahnstock. These awards were presented by Henry Givlei, area vocational consultant.

A new dairy calf chain sponsored by Graybill's Dairy of Lititz was announced. The first recipient of a calf was Marlin Becker.

Two gilt chain winners were Glenn Ruhl and Glen Lehman. The gilt chain is sponsored by the chapter.

The highest judges at last year's Lampeter Fair received ribbons in the following order: Wilmer Groff, blue, Gary Buchen, red, Marlin Becker, third, Randy Hess, fourth, and Douglas Rohrer, fifth.

The two high vegetable seed salesmen were recognized. They are Amos Sauder and Marlin Becker and each received a \$25 savings bond, one presented by the chapter and the other by G and G Feed Supply, Manheim.

The county tobacco and corn show contest winners from the chapter were recognized. Amos Sauder was first in the corn contest. Placings in tobacco included Dennis Rohrer, first in filler, Douglas Rohrer, third in filler, Donald Wenger, fourth in filler, also third in wrapper.

In the project book evaluation contests at state and county level, the following trophies were given: Marlin Becker, Amos Sauder and Dale Nolt received gold medals and trophies. Six received silver medals and trophies, including Wilmer Groff, Mervin Groff, John Miller, Joe Lefever, Gary Buchen and Paul Newcome. Four received bronze medals and trophies, Caleb Kreider, Ray Erb, Donald Wenger and Richard Kauffman.

The chapter Sweetheart, Miss Debra Heisey, a Manheim Central junior, was introduced to



Among those participating in the Manheim FFA Chapter banquet were (left to right, front) Wilbur Hosler, auctioneer who received an Honorary Chapter Farmer award; Dr. David Hollstrom, school district superintendent, Honorary Chapter Farmer award; back, Robert Good, State FFA vice president, Region 2, and Ray Shenk, owner of Shenk's Farm Services, a citation award.

the audience and was presented the official FFA Sweetheart jacket.

Jay Foreman, president of the Manheim Young Farmers Association and treasurer of the State Association, brought greetings from the Young Farmers.

Dale Nolt, chapter president, was toastmaster. A slide presentation of the

National FFA Convention last fall was presented by chapter members who attended. They are Joseph Lefever, Mervin Groff, Amos Sauder, Gary Buchen, Dale Nolt, Wilmer Groff and David Biant.

For entertainment, a magic show presented by Richard Canfield, a senior at Manheim Central

Robert Good, State FFA vice president of Region 2, sang two songs and followed with an inspirational talk.

On the question of what the future holds, Good said the future "remains for us to make."

Commenting on the original settlers of this country, Good said they "didn't take the easy way out," but were "physically and spiritually strong."

The great enemies of freedom, he said, are "indifference of spirit and weakness of will, and particularly compromise of principle." He encouraged each FFA member to "go forward to become the best type of individual possible."

Stating that too much emphasis has been placed on the misfits, perverts and underdogs, he said, "I'm for the achiever and I think it's about time someone stood up for the achiever — the type of person who sets out to do something and does it."

Good also emphasized that "God is in all that sustains life."

### Pa. Ag Official to Speak

The new deputy secretary of agriculture in Pennsylvania will be the speaker at the annual Lancaster County Swine Producers Banquet at Blue Ball Fire Hall at 6:30 p.m. March 19.

He is Raymond J. Kerstetter, who was named recently as deputy to James McHale, the new state secretary of agriculture.



Manheim FFA Chapter members who received gold medals and trophies in county and state project book competition are shown with their chapter advisor. They are (front, left to right) Dale Nolt and Marlin Becker; back, Mark Campbell, chapter advisor, and Amos Sauder.

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