Charles W. Robinson

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Meritorious service was his catagory and another tremendous individual that has devoted so much of his life to the sport of bowling.

Charlie has been a very important part of the Greater Des Moines Bowling Association for many years. He was very important part of its early developement and its improvement over the years since the 40's and today the Greater Des Moines Bowling Association is one of the best. He served as President of the GDBA for many years, until retiring and becoming Treasurer until the 1984-85 season. The association today has a complete set of records of all of its meetings and a complete bookkeeping system. All this due to the tireless work of Charles Robinson.

Officer of the Iowa State Bowling Association and served as its President during the 1957-58 season.

His great efforts continued for the Iowa State Bowling Association thru his years on the Executive Board and the years he has enjoyed as Past President of the ISBA. His wisdom and efforts has been a very important part of the Iowa State Bowling Association's success.

Charlie has bowled in the Iowa State Bowling Tournament around 40 years and has been a delegate to the Council of Delegates meeting every year since the early 40's.

He has also been a delegate to the ABC Conventions and bowled in a number of the ABC Tournaments.

Charlie through a lot of work was very instrumental in obtaining for the State of Iowa and Des Moines the site of the ABC Tournament. This effort alone was a shot in the arm for bowling not just in Iowa but throughout the midwest.

Inducted into the Iowa Bowling Hall of Fame in March 1962.