William E. Niedert

Date of birth -

Residence - 1520 Glenny Street,Waterloo,Iowa 50702

Meritorious Service was his catagory and did an outstanding job in the Waterloo area and on the State level.

Bill's bowling activities began in 1932 in the Commercial League and he bowled in that league over 40 years and he also bowled in other leagues in Waterloo. Bill served as secretary of the Commercial League and in other leagues.

Bill served as tournament manager for the Elks State Tournament, the Moose State Tournament, the Lutheran State Tournament and six years for the Waterloo Courier Tournament of Champions.

Bowling highs was a 276 game and a series of 696. He was a member of the City Tournament Championship team in 1954. Won the Iowa State Moose Doubles Championship with Bob Gibson with a score of 1344. Honorary member of the Waterloo 700 Club he won the 1970 Singles Championship of the Iowa State 700 Clubs Tournament with a series of 654. He competed in over 20 Iowa State Tournaments and a dozen ABC Tournaments.

In 1962 the Waterloo Bowling Association honored Bill by presenting him with a plaque for " Outstanding Work and Promotion in the game of tenpins ".

Bill served the Waterloo Bowling Association as a officer for many years and was elected Secretary-Tresurer in 1955 and served in the office for 3 years.

In 1957 Bill was elected 4th Director of the Iowa State Bowling Association and served all offices and elected President during the 1965-66 season. Served the ISBA many years as a Past-President.

Inducted into the Iowa Bowling Hall of Fame in March 1972.

Bill died in August of 1981.