

Leadership Germantown Alumni Association

Germantown, Tennessee

Jo Reed Community Service Award

The Leadership Germantown Alumni Association is proud to sponsor the Jo Reed Community Service Award. In the spirit that makes Germantown such a great place to live and work, this award is presented each year to an individual who represents sincere caring and volunteerism for our community, with no concern for applause or thank you.

Jo Reed was very active in the Germantown Community. She was an active member of St. George's Episcopal Church in Germantown, senior citizen groups, the Germantown Performing Arts Center, Shelby County Republican Women, a charter member and past president of the English Meadows Homeowners' Association and member of the Germantown Environmental Commission.

Jo Reed was active in many other ways in our community without publicity. She spent countless hours assisting at City Hall with various tasks, such as stuffing envelopes, addressing mailings, helping with census projects, volunteering for Amnesty Days, and countless other projects. She was also a regular at City meetings, rarely missing a Board of Mayor and Aldermen meeting.

Jo Reed did whatever was needed to serve her community. This was usually done behind the scenes with little fan fare or notoriety.

Killed by a car on Poplar Pike in May 1996 while pulling up illegally placed garage sale signs from lawns, Jo died as she had lived, caring for her community.

Previous recipients of the Jo Reed Community Service Award are:

1996	Jo Reed	2009	Pat Smith
1997	Jim Roberts	2010	Sandra Hayne
1998	George Erwin	2011	Lillie Kay Mitchell
1999	Bea Carps	2012	Louise Bagby
2000	Tracy Speake	2013	Jacque Clift
2001	Annie Laurie Hall	2014	Sharon Goldsworthy
2002	Elmire Phillips	2015	Don Eye
2003	Henry Evans	2016	Joanna Young
2004	Elizabeth Boyd	2017	Margaret Owens
2005	Billy Brown	2018	Elaine Cates
2006	Emily Bader	2019	Charles Speed
2007	David M. Jackson	2020	Davis Smith
2008	Ron Roberson		

If you know if someone who you would like to nominate as this year's honoree, please fill out the attached application and send it back to us no later than **Friday October 29, 2021**.