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Mr. Richard E. Fauber
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Dear Richard,

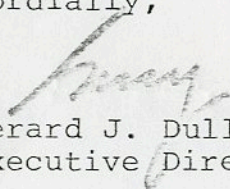
It's my great pleasure to tell you that you have been selected as one of the first recipients of the Koltanowski Silver Medal, given by USCF in recognition of your support of chess in your area. In making this award, the Committee had particularly in mind your contributions to the CalChess Masters Open in the past couple of years.

We sincerely hope that your receiving this medal gives you something of the same sense of pride that we feel in Kolty and his willingness to lend his name to honor chess patrons such as you.

If you know of other deserving supporters of chess, we will be pleased to consider them for the 1981 awards.

I missed you in Atlanta, but I trust that we'll have a chance to talk again at least by Palo Alto next summer.

Cordially,


Gerard J. Dullea
Executive Director

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