

*This resolution was adopted by the ALA Council on Tuesday, June 28, 2016*

A Memorial Resolution Honoring Trudy Seidel Jaques

Whereas the Louisiana library community and the broader library community lost a valued member and colleague on February 2, 2016 with the death of Trudy Seidel Jaques

Whereas in 1972 she graduated from the Louisiana State University (LSU) School of Library & Information Science;

Whereas she was admitted into membership of the Beta Phi Mu International Library & Information Studies Honor Society;

Whereas Trudy Seidel Jaques served in several capacities and levels of librarianship over her career, including the following:

- Librarian in the St. Mary Parish School System in Louisiana;
- Assistant Director of the St. Mary Parish Library in Louisiana;
- Head of Technical Services at the Mississippi Research and Development Center in Jackson, Mississippi;
- Head Librarian of the Episcopal High School Library in Baton Rouge, Louisiana for 12 years; and
- Assistant Director of the East Baton Rouge Parish Library in Baton Rouge, Louisiana for 19 years until her retirement in 2005;

Whereas she was a member of the Louisiana Library Association (LLA), an affiliate of the American Library Association

Whereas she was a passionate defender of the rights of teenagers to have access to library materials on all subjects, even those that were controversial; and

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