CHARLES (WHITEY) HIGGINS
Knight of Hickory Hill
Clear Spring, Maryland
Inducted 1983

Charles (Whitey) Higgins was born in 1934. He has been affiliated with the sport of jousting for over 35 years. Whitey not only rides himself, but he has taught his sons and daughter to joust as well as many other people in the community. He has provided a practice track for the riders in his area, built a set of portable arches that are used frequently by various sponsoring organizations, transported horses and riders to many of the jousts throughout Maryland and other states, made mounting boards (plaques) for the National Hall of Fame and mounting boards for the National Jousting Championship Sword which is presented annually at the Washington, D. C. Joust. Whitey's son, Tim, was the United States National Jousting Champion in 1981.

In addition to all these supportive contributions, Whitey himself has won numerous trophies and prizes in jousts in Maryland and neighboring states. His interest, participation and personal dedication to jousting over the years certainly warrants him a special place in the Hall of Fame for jousting.



