

Meritorious Service Award
To Farmers Union and to American Agriculture
Recipients

2016	Brother David Andrews (post.) Claudia Svarstad	1988	Darrell Moseson
2015	Clay Pederson (posthumously)	1987	Henri J. Holland
2014	Stan Brown Don Davis Dallas Tonsager	1985	James L. Grahil
2013	Mel Borton Jim Frederickson	1985	Kenneth Holum
2012	Dr. Mary Hendrickson Odean Olson	1984	George W. Stone Charles F. Brannan
2011	Wes Sims	1983	Raymond F. Novak
2010	David J. Frederickson	1982	Robert D. Partridge
2008	U.S. Senator Tim Johnson	1982	Jay Naman Ben Radcliffe
2007	John Stencel	1981	J.G. Tvedt
2006	Vernon Deines (posthumously) Gaylord Olson	1980	Tony D. Dechant
2005	Carl McIlvain	1979	Gilbert C. Rohde
2003	Leland Swenson	1978	Milton S. Holtan
2001	Charlie Nash Lee Reese	1976	Douglas T. Simpson Jesse S. Tuttle
1999	Frank "Bud" Daniels	1975	E.W. Smith
1997	Noel K. Estenson	1974	Chester A. Graham
1996	Willie Nelson	1972	Elton L. Berck
1995	Alan Ham Alfred Namejunas Sherry Parker Leach	1972	Ann Aragues
1994	Reuben Johnson Boyd Munns Virgil Thompson	1970	Joseph W. Fichter
1993	Jack Bill Kelsey Gary Lamb	1967	Flossie Harris Nikkel
1992	Victor Ray Paul Huff Dwyte Wilson Neil Oxton	1967	Angus H. McDonald
1991	Ken Motz Harold Dodd	1966	J.J. Berg Family
1990	Joseph E. Larson	1963	Esther Harbo
1989	Quentin Burdick Stanley M. Moore	1960	Glenn J. Talbott
1988	Harold Wright Ruth Kobell	1960	Harvey R. Solberg
		1959	James G. Patton
		1959	Paul W. Opsahl
		1957	K.W. Hones
		1957	Homer Duffy
		1955	D.W. Chapman
		1955	Gladys Talbott Edwards
		1955	Lulu Thornbom Evanson
		1955	Mildred K. Stoltz
		1955	John Veseky
		1955	Dr. Marion F. Dickinson
		1953	A.W. Ricker
		1953	Emil A. Syftestad
		1952	J.M. Graves
		1950	C.E. Huff
		1948	M.W. Thatcher

**Meritorious Service Award
To Agriculture and to World Agriculture
Recipients**

2015	Robert Carlson	1967	George McGovern
2011	Sen. Byron Dorgan	1965	Hubert Humphrey
2010	Dr. Daryll T. Ray	1964	Elizabeth B. Herring
2008	Alan Bergman		Averell Harriman
2006	Dr. William Heffernan	1963	Homer Brinkley
2003	Paul Wellstone (posthumously)	1962	Orville L. Freeman
1995	Bob Bergland	1960	B.R. Sen
1991	Jim Hightower	1958	Harry S. Truman
1990	Glenn Flaten	1956	Sir James Turner
1989	Cy Carpenter	1954	Norris E. Dodd
1987	Milton D. Hakel	1952	Lord John Boyd Orr
1980	Tony T. Dechant	1951	Clyde Ellis
1979	Frank L. Goffio	1950	Charles F. Brannan
1971	Roger Savary	1949	Mrs. Dora B. Haines
1969	Fred V. Heinkel	1948	Rt. Rev. Msgr. Luigi Ligutti
1968	Frank Carlson	1946	Chester Bowles
	Ovid A. Martin		

**Meritorious Service Award
To Humanity
Recipients**

2012	Howard G. Buffett
2010	Robert Dole
2007	Robert G. Lewis
2005	Tom Daschle
2003	George McGovern
1992	Jimmy Carter
1986	James G. Patton