


offices, including Region Newsletter editor, Region Exhibitions chairman, and president of the Western New York Iris Society. This award was proposed in 1987 by William Peck to honor Dr. Conroe for his long service to the Empire State Iris Society.

**Jack E. Norrick (1921 – 2007)** Norrick, 85, of Muncie, Indiana, is known to most irisarians as the hybridizer of '**Bumblebee Deelite**' (86 MTB), winner of the Franklin Cook Cup (88) and the Williamson-White Medal (93). Following WWII service in the U.S. Army, Jack met and married Glenda Brothers in November 1946. Jack worked at Warner Gear/Borg Warner, Muncie for 36 years and retired from there in 1983 as a production supervisor. He pitched for many local baseball teams and helped found the Eaton Baseball Association where he coached several Little League and Pony League teams. Jack was preceded in death by Glenda who lived 1927-1996.

**Jeannette Catherine Schreiner (1913 – 2006)** Schreiner, 93, of Salem, Oregon. Her death marks the end of an era for the Schreiner family. The wife of Robert Schreiner (1910-2000), Jeannette was a delightful hostess through the years to the waves of irisarians who visited the Schreiner fields, picnic and display areas. The Schreiners dedicated their 82<sup>nd</sup> edition 2007 Iris Catalog to her loving memory. 

#### NOBLE STATURE

Hilton '06 – TB 39" – EML – Ruffled silvery blue white self. Falls flared, beards yellow with blue tip, good stalks, bud count 7 to 10, fast grower, very fragrant, fertile both ways. (Song of Norway x Silverado) \$25 includes ship/handling.

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