



ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION OF MOUNT HOLYOKE COLLEGE  
ALUMNAE LOYALTY AWARD

*Presented to*

Janet Hickey Tague '66



The Alumnae Association of Mount Holyoke College is pleased to honor Janet Hickey Tague, class of 1966, with the Loyalty Award. Throughout the forty-five years since graduation, your commitment to your alma mater has been unwaivering. The Mount Holyoke community is proud to honor you and your service.

At Mount Holyoke, you majored in history. Your arrival on campus marked the continuation of a legacy: your mother Florence Adair Hickey was a member of the Class of 1935. You distinguished yourself as a Sarah Williston Scholar and received a Woodrow Wilson Fellowship.

In 1970, you joined General Electric Investment Corporation and later served as Senior Vice President of Venture Investments. Since 1985, you have been with Sprout Group, a venture capital affiliate of Credit Suisse First Boston. You now are co-managing partner. You are a former Director of the National Venture Capital Association and an original inductee in the "Private Equity Hall of Fame"—all this, while also being a devoted mother.

Over the years, Mount Holyoke has been the grateful beneficiary of your wisdom and expertise. From 1997 to 2006, you served two terms on the College's Board of Trustees. During your tenure, you contributed to the work of the Mount Holyoke College Investment Committee and, in fact, chaired the committee from 1999 to 2005. You also served a term on the Legacy of Leadership Campaign New York Special Committee and have been a Reunion Gift Caller for the Class of 1966.

In all these roles, you have been a tireless advocate for Mount Holyoke and the institution stands stronger because of you. You have made a lasting difference in the lives of alumnae, current students, and generations of students yet to come.

You have embodied Mary Lyon's expectation when she said, "Let one efficient lady, in almost any place, either alone or with one or two to aid her, commence the work with decision, and with perseverance carry it through, and it will be done!"

With sincere thanks for your extraordinary efforts and for your ongoing volunteer service, the Alumnae Association recognizes you with the Loyalty Award.

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