ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION OF MOUNT HOLYOKE COLLEGE

ALUMNAE LOYALTY AWARD 2013

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The Alumnae Association of Mount Holyoke College is pleased to honor **ABBIE HOLCOMB DENEEN, CLASS OF 1983**, with the Loyalty Award. You have helped the College and the Alumnae Association by generously dedicating your time, talents, and resources to the fulfillment of our mission and our enduring values. Your contributions to your class and to the alumnae community have been outstanding. For your loyalty and devotion over the years, we are deeply grateful.

You have served as your class scribe or coscribe "forever" as one classmate said, meaning that you have served since your graduation because you are fantastic at it! Your loyalty to your class is legendary and your ability to get news out about your classmates is unsurpassed. Year after year, you have consistently touted the accomplishments of your classmates in the class notes section of the *Alumnae Quarterly*, to the extent that other scribes and readers have taken notice and are inspired by your contributions. Your selfless commitment to your class is well known and people who have had the pleasure of working with you describe you as "a peach, a dream, and a joy to work with." You have truly put your personal stamp on this role of keeping your classmates connected with one another.

Abbie, 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!" It is with great pleasure and sincere thanks and appreciation that we present you with the Alumnae Association Loyalty Award on this, your thirtieth reunion.