### **DATIN PEARL JAI MOHAN**



#### A MOST BEFITTING RECIPIENT

Contribution to Education. The funds provided by the Education Ministry to schools are insufficient to address all the needs of these schools. Parent-Teacher associations play an important role in fundraising activities to pay for replacement of furniture in the classrooms, books for the library, stationery and uniforms and shoes for needy students, for extension of school facilities and to pay for tuition fees for extra classes before examinations. Pearl was continuously active in the Main Convent and St. Michael's Institution (Ipoh) from1987-1999) as Chairman and Deputy Chairman. respectively.

Contribution to Government Service. Pearl had been a committee member of PUSPANITA for nine years as President of PUSPANITA Selayang Hospital (1999-2001) and President of Retired Life Members Association of the Health Ministry (2002-2005). She was involved in conducting workshops on health awareness for the public and providing scholarships and awards.

International Understanding. When Pearl joined the International Women's Association of Kuala Lumpur (IWAKL) in 2006, the Association was in financial difficulties due to poor management in the preceding years. By the time she stepped down as President in 2009, the Association was financially stable and growing in membership.

Contribution to Children's Welfare. As Vice-President of the Malaysian Children's Aid Society, Pearl has played an instrumental role in raising funds to cater to those in need.

Strengthening and Empowering Rural Communities. Pearl is the founder of the "Whispering Hope" Campaign which provided assistance in the form of books, stationery, uniforms, shoes and a library to rural students in Bario (Kelabit and Penan children) following a fire that destroyed the primary school building with all their belongings. Since 2017 she has been working with the medical department to provide medical equipment and physical training to elderly women in rural villages. She is also Board Director of Yayasan Orang Asli Malaysia (Indigenous People Foundation of Malaysia) since 2019.

HEARTIEST CONGRATULATIONS FROM ALL OF US!

## A TRIBUTE TO DATIN PEARL JAIMOHAN

### MARGARETTE GOLDING AWARD RECIPIENT

#### WHO IS MARGARETTE GOLDING?

Margarette "Peggy." Golding was a Welsh born nurse and businessperson who was the founder of the "Inner Wheel" club in Manchester, that has now grown to be an international organisation.

Described as 'a truly remarkable woman with great courage, foresight, intelligence and business acumen', Margarette Golding, or Peggy, was the moving force which inspired those innovative Manchester members to firstly appoint her as Chairman of the interim organising committee, then at the next meeting, elect her as Founder President of The Inner Wheel.

Mrs Golding's understanding of human nature and her faith in women, urged her to create an organisation where friendship really could grow. Her legacy to us: an Association of friends working together for the good of others.

# WHAT IS THE MARGARETTE GOLDING AWARD?

It was decided at the eleventh convention of International Inner Wheel in May 2000, in Stockholm, that an award be created in the name of Margarette Golding for highly commendable personal service through Inner Wheel or in the community.

The award has been available since September 2001 and over 200 people have now received the Magarette Golding Award.

#### CRITERIA

The successful Margarette Golding Award recipients have generally been involved with a variety of charities or organisations for a very long time, often involving a great deal of commitment on a very regular basis. This work must be completely unconnected with Inner Wheel membership, Inner Wheel or Rotary fundraising activities. Alternatively, or in addition, they must have made great personal sacrifices for the benefit of others.

The awards are given to Inner Wheel members as well as members of the general public.

The criteria for success are set high so that the award remains a truly significant marker of an individual's commitment to others.

# SAMPLE OF THE MARGARETTE GOLDING AWARD CERTIFICATE

