



GREENWICH VILLAGE
SOCIETY FOR
HISTORIC PRESERVATION

June 2000

Mr. Rick Rajca
Dr. Rick's Village Flute & Sax Shop
35 Carmine Street
New York, NY 10014

Dear Mr. Rajca:

It is with great pleasure that I am writing to inform you that the Greenwich Village Society for Historic Preservation has selected Dr. Rick's Village Flute & Sax Shop to receive a Village Award this year.

As you may know, the Annual Village Awards are sponsored by the Society to honor people, places and organizations that contribute significantly to the special quality of life in Greenwich Village. We feel strongly that your neighborhood shop, offering an exceptional service for twenty-two years, is a wonderful addition to the Village and would like to commend you for your efforts.

We hope that you, and any other representatives you choose, will join us on Thursday, June 29th at 5:30 p.m. at Provincetown Playhouse (133 MacDougal Street) for the presentation of the Tenth Annual Village Awards at the Society's Annual Meeting. Ray Sokolov, editor of the Arts and Leisure section of the *Wall Street Journal* and a member of the Awards Committee, will present your award with a special certificate. In addition, the Society will donate a book on New York City or Greenwich Village History in your name to Jefferson Market Regional Library. This is a tradition that began when we created the Village Awards in 1991.

We look forward to thanking you in person for your much-appreciated contributions to the Greenwich Village community. Please contact the Society's office at 212/475-9585 to let us know if you will be available to accept your award on June 29th, and how many seats we should reserve in your name for the event.

Congratulations, and we look forward to seeing you on June 29th!

Sincerely,

Kimberly Stahlman Kearns
Executive Director

P.S. Heather Skilton, Associate of the Greenwich Village Society, will contact you shortly to arrange an opportunity to meet and take pictures for the Awards ceremony.

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