

Temple Young
Inducted December 1, 2012

Temple Young, our 45th inductee into the Arizona Trapshooting Hall of Fame, was born in San Francisco, CA on April 30, 1932. He graduated from California State University, Northridge in 1954 with a Bachelor of Arts in Mathematics. He went to work for Rockwell International (Rocketdyne Division) in Canoga Park, CA and finished his career with Rockwell at the Downey, CA facility at the age of 55. Some of the projects that he worked on were the Mercury, Gemini, Apollo, Space Shuttle, and the B-1 Bomber.

Temple retired from Rockwell in 1987 and when Sharon retired a few years later, they moved to Sun Lakes, bought a motorhome and enjoyed not only attending all of the shoots in AZ, but traveling around the country to shoot. A Life Member of the ATA and the ASTA, Temple loved the small shoots in AZ as much as going to the Grand American. He loved to compete, but more against himself, than others.

In addition to clay targets, Temple was a avid bird hunter and enjoyed hunting doves with his hunting buddies, which included his son, Pete. Some other not so well known talents: Temple was a excellent cook and one of his specialties was tacos. All those close to Temple know how much he loved to not only eat, but the amount of food he good eat. Like 32 tacos at one sitting!

Temple looked forward to being with his shooting buddies, sitting around the table drinking a coke and playing a game of gin. Temple was passionate about that game and if you won a couple of bucks from him...you would have thought he lost the crown jewels!

Temple's trapshooting accomplishments are truly exemplary and his record speaks for itself. Multi time All American, ASTA State Team Member, Championship trophies won at the State, Zone and National level, AA-27-AA shooter and holder of a Grand Slam. Yes, Temple Young excelled at this sport. Even when very ill, he broke a 198 in the Championship Singles during the 2011 Autumn Grand, tying for the Senior Vet Championship. A true competitor.

During his shooting career, Temple amassed a staggering number of registered targets - 501,380 - which includes 126,150 Singles, 123,280 Doubles and 251,950 Handicap targets.

Temple left his family and his shooting friends on January 16, 2012. We miss him and the sport misses his competitive spirit.

The Arizona State Trapshooting Association is proud to induct Temple Young into the Arizona Trapshooting Hall of Fame.

Major Wins and Accomplishments

Year	Event	Trophy Won	Score
	GRAND AMERICAN		
2007	CTC Chmp	3rd	199
2003	Dbl Chmp	SV	100
2001	D.B. Sgl	Vt	96

1998	H.D. Dbl	Vt	97
1997	N. Martin Dbl	Vt	97
1995	Vand. Hd	3rd	99 (27)
SPRING GRAND			
2006	Tucson Hd	SV	93 (27)
2004	Sgl Chmp	ATA-SV Ru	149 X150
	HAA	SV	329 X 350
2003	Yuma Dbl	SV	98
	Sgl Class Chmp	A	100
2000	Prelim Hd	Vt	94 (27)
	HOA	Vt	1,041 X 1,100
1996	Phoenix HOA	Vt	669 X 700
AUTUMN GRAND			
2009	B. RV Sgl	SV Ru	98
2005	B. RV Sgl	SV	100
2004	Prelim Sgl	SV	98
GOLDEN WEST			
2003	Dbl Class Chmp	SV	95
	HAA	SV	382
2002	Sage Hill Hd	Vt	97
2001	Sgl Chmp	AA	200
	Hd Chmp	Vt	96 (27)
2000	HAA	Vt	385
1998	Flam Hilt. Hd	Vt	96 (27)
	HOA	Vt	1,219 X 1,300
1996	Class Dbl Chmp	Vt	98
	HOA	Vt Ru	1,244
WESTERN GRAND			
2000	Fall Hd Class Chmp	AA	100
	HAA	Vt	378 X 400
1997	Scott Shot Dbl	Vt	97
	200 Dbl	AA	196
	Rem. A. Hd	Vt	98 (27)
	HOA	Vt	1,157 X 1,200
WESTERN ZONE			
2005	Sgl Chmp	ATA-SV	200
1997	Sgl Chmp	ATA-Vt	199
ARIZONA STATE SHOOT			
2011	Sgl Chmp	ATA-SV	199
2009	Class Sgl Chmp	SV	98
2008	HOA	SV	938
2007	Sgl Chmp	ATA-SV	199
2006	Tucson Hd	SV	97 (27)
	RM Prelim Hd	SV	96 (27)
	Sgl Chmp	ATA-A	198
	Hd Chmp	SV	94 (27)
	HAA	A	382
	HOA	SV	953
2004	Class Sgl Chmp	SV	100
	Ben Avery Hd	SV	98 (27)
	Hd Chmp	ATA-6 th	89(27)

	HOA	SV	931
2003	Prescott Hd	SV	98 (27)
	Prelim Hd	SV	94 (27)
	Hd Chmp	SV	88 (27)
	HAA	SV	346
2002	Sgl Chmp	ATA-Vt	198
	Sgl Class Chmp	Vt	99
	Tucson Hd	Vt	94
	Dbl Chmp	Vt	97
	HAA	Vt	383
	HOA	Vt	951
2001	Sgl Chmp	ATA-CH	200
2000	Dbl Class Chmp	Vt	96
	Hd Chmp	ATA-6 th	96 (27)
	HOA	WI	958
1999	Phoenix Sgl	AA	100
1998	Dbl Chmp	Vt	94
1997	Phoenix Dbl	AA	99
	BAC Hd	WI	99 (27)

CALIFORNIA STATE SHOOT

2010	Sgl Class Chmp	NR SV	198
	Class Dbl Chmp	NR SV Ru	88
	Sgl Chmp	NR SV	197
	Hd Chmp	NR SV Ru	88
	HAA	NR SV	377
2009	Sgl Class Chmp	NR SV	195
	Sgl Chmp	NR SV	198
	Hd Chmp	NR SV	87 (27)
2008	Dbl Class Chmp	NR SV	93
	Dbl Chmp	NR SV	98
	Sgl Chmp	NR SV	198
	Hd Chmp	NR SV	91 (27)
	HAA	NR SV	378
2007	Sgl Class Chmp	NR SV	195
	Sgl Chmp	NR SV	196
	Hd Chmp	NR SV	93 (27)
2005	Sgl Class Chmp	NR M	199
	Dbl Class Chmp	NR SV	92
	Dbl Chmp	NR SV	92
	Sgl Chmp	NR SV	197
	Hd Chmp	NR SV	88 (27)
	HAA	NR SV	377
2000	HAA	NR WI	387
1999	Pres. Hd	NR WI	94 (27)
	Sgl Chmp	NR WI	197
1997	Dbl Class Chmp	Vt Ru	96
1996	Hd Chmp	NR WI	94 (27)
1992	Dbl Chmp	A Ru	98
1986	Sgl Chmp	A	200

Additional Achievements

Trap & Field All Around Average Awards

1997 – Runner Up

1998 – Vet Leader

2000 – Vet Leader

AZ State Team – 14 consecutive times from 1996 through 2009
Men, 1996

Vet, 1997, 98, 99, 2000, 01, 02 – Captain 3 times

SV, 2003, 04,05,06,07,08,09 – Captain 1 time

ATA All American – 5 Times

Veteran Team – 1997, 1998, 1999

SV First Team – 2004

SV Second Team – 2012

AA-27-AA – Achieved 1993

Grand Slam – Rank #175, Achieved October 4, 1995 – Doubles