

Scenes from the 2012 Installation & Awards Banquet October 18, 2012

Nearly 200 members of the bench and bar were present at the San Bernardino Hilton to share in celebrating the career and life accomplishments of three of our Inland Empire icons.

Judge John VanderFeer graciously agreed to emcee the event, and we somehow managed to take not one *single* photo of him.

Many thanks (and apologies) to Judge VanderFeer, and thanks to all of the presenters and staff who made the event memorable.



Presiding Judge Marsha Slough swears in the 2012-2013 Board of Directors.



Kevin B. Bevins takes the helm.



Kevin presented the past president's gavel to Jennifer Guenther

The George W. Porter Criminal Trial Attorney Award
...honoring the criminal trial attorney who best exemplifies the professional and personal Leadership standards and qualities set by preeminent trial attorney, George W. Porter.



Mike Scaffiddi presented Grover Porter with the George W. Porter Award.



Grover Porter.



Jennifer M. Guenther, 83rd (Past) President of the SBCBA.

The John B. Surr Award
...in memory of John B. Surr (1906 - 1971), distinguished lawyer, respected citizen, devoted conservationist - presented to a member of the legal community who best exemplifies the high standards of the legal profession and the administration of justice.



Shimoff introduced friend and Stater Bros. CEO Jack Brown (below)...



Wilfrid C. Lemann introduced Surr Award recipient, Paul M. Shimoff...



...who humbly accepted the honor.



...who presented the John B. Surr Award to Bruce D. Varner.



Bruce Varner with (1987 Surr Award recipient Florentino Garza, and Jack Brown.



Scaffidi and Porter with Jackie Carey-Wilson



Judge Schneider & Grover Porter



Varner, Shimoff, Porter



2008 GW Porter Award recipient Robert Friedman,

A very special thank you to Jacqueline Carey-Wilson who provided many of these photos.



Our 84th president, Kevin B. Bevins with Tom Dominick, (no. 81)



Varner family: Kevin, Bruce, & Nancy



Grover & Sharon Porter



Varner & Shimoff with Presiding Justice Manuel Ramirez



199 attended this year's Installation Banquet.