

## Continued....National Distinguished Contributor Nomination Form

Additional Activities Candidate Has Been Involved In:

- Sponsored National FFA Band Member Scholarship for 3 years in order that travel, lodging, and food costs were covered
- Charter member of the Denmark FFA Alumni
- Purchases workers at Local FFA Worker Auction annually
- Hosted Section 9 Wisconsin Alumni Banquets in Denmark at DJ's for 8 years
- Organized Section 9 Auction with proceeds going for Washington Leadership Conference Scholarships to Section 9 FFA members
- Local School Board Member, 18 yrs. (Pres. & chief negotiator for 12), Represented Agriculture & FFA very well!
- Served at County "Breakfast on the Farm" activity for FFA Alumni, 4 years, serving over 4,000 each time
- Worked at Brown Co. Fair FFA Alumni Food Booth, 3 yrs.

### Advisor Statement:

*John Leiterman is a very deserving man for this recognition. As one of the FFA advisors/agriculture instructors here at Denmark, I cannot remember ever having a request of mine turned down, whether large or small. Even comments not actually a request (like "Boy, I think we need better soil in front of the school for these plants to grow like they should") have resulted in truckloads of farm-rich soil being hauled in from the Leiterman Farm! He is giving, hard-working, loyal, and energetic! We're so proud he is from Denmark, and so thankful for all of his contributions.*

*Diane Fischl, Agriculture Education Instructor, Denmark*

### Past Advisor Statement:

*I have had the opportunity of knowing and working with John Leiterman since 1966 when I was hired at Denmark as the second ag teacher position. Because of his sincere and dedicated commitment for the agriculture program and the FFA, our Denmark FFA Alumni affiliate has a very strong foundation. His efforts have caused our local group to be the largest Life affiliate in the nation, with 459 members. John is a true-blue volunteer for ag ed, FFA and FFA Alumni. John and I have probably started over fifty Alumni affiliates in Wisconsin and our neighboring states over the years...our presentation has become known as the "Dog & Pony Show."! He lives by the motto, "As a Team, We Can Achieve a Dream." His dream is having an active alumni affiliate in every ag ed department.*

*Ken Seering, Retired Agriculture Education Instructor, Denmark*