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Free World
 REMARKS OF VICE PRESIDENT GERALD R. FORD
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Conclude Remarks - subject non-political / non-partisan / non-national
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 involves all
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 of Free World & World

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1935	Edwin Markham	Poet	<i>Grand Lodge Medal for Distinguished Achievement</i>
1936	John W. Evans	Artist	<i>In this part H.H.H.</i>
1937	Irving Bacheller	Novelist and Journalist	<i>Hope you accept.</i>
1938	Jean Sibelius (Special)	Composer	<i>4th until now those</i>
1938	Daniel Carter Beard	Master of Woodcraft	<i>Lawyer, Educator, Scientist and Philosopher</i>
1939	Roscoe Pound	Lawyer, Educator, Scientist and Philosopher	
1940	Charles Keck	Sculptor	<i>honored have been</i>
1941	Rt. Rev. Henry St. George Tucker	Bishop	<i>outstanding Citizens</i>
1942	Harvey Wiley Corbett	Architect	
1943	Capt. Edward V. Rickenbacker	Aviator, Industrialist, Author and Lecturer	
1944	Lauritz L. H. Melchior	Operatic Tenor	
1945	Admiral Ernest Joseph King	U. S. N.	
1945	General George C. Marshall	U. S. A.	
1946	General Omar N. Bradley	U. S. A.	
1946	General Jonathan M. Wainwright	U. S. A.	
1947	Rear Admiral Richard E. Byrd	Naval Aviator and Polar Explorer	
1948	Charles E. Wilson	Industrialist and Humanitarian	
1950	J. Edgar Hoover	Director, Federal Bureau of Investigation	
1951	Ambassador Warren R. Austin	Chief U. S. Representative to the United Nations	
1952	John W. Davis	Dean of the American Bar	
1953	Sir Alexander Fleming	Discoverer of Penicillin	
1954	Thomas John Watson	Industrialist and Humanitarian	
1955	David Sarnoff	Cruisader in Development of International Communication and Chairman of the Board of Radio Corporation of America	
1956	Sir Ernest N. Cooper	Industrialist and President of the General Purposes, Grand Lodge of England	
1957	Cecil B. deMille	Playwright, Producer-Director, Master of Motion Pictures	
1958	Dr. Charles V. Mayo	Surgeon, Editor, Author, Governor of Mayo Clinic	
1959	General Lyman L. Lemnitzer	Chief of Staff, U. S. A.	
1960	Bryant Baker	Sculptor	
1961	Branch Rickey	Baseball Player, Manager, Executive	
1962	Erwin D. Canham	Editor, Christian Science Monitor	
1963	Hon. Tom C. Clark	Justice of U. S. Supreme Court	
1964	Douglas MacArthur	General of the Army	
1965	Dr. Daniel Poling	Clergyman, Editor, Writer	
1966	Hon. Charles W. Froessel	Distinguished Jurist, Humanitarian, Past Grand Master	
1966	Harry Hershfield	Writer, Cartoonist, Raconteur, Philosopher	
1967	Adm. William Francis Raborn, Jr.	Vice-Admiral, U. S. N. (Ret.)	
1968	Hon. Kenneth B. Keating	Lawyer, Soldier, Congressman, Judge	
1969	Hon. John J. Williams	U. S. Senator	
1970	Herman Nickerson, Jr.	General, U. S. M. C. (Ret.)	
1971	Edwin E. Aldrin, Jr.	U. S. A. F. - N. A. S. A. Astronaut	
1972	Norman Vincent Peale	Clergyman, Author	
1973	Hon. Hubert H. Humphrey	U. S. Senator, former Vice President USA	

