

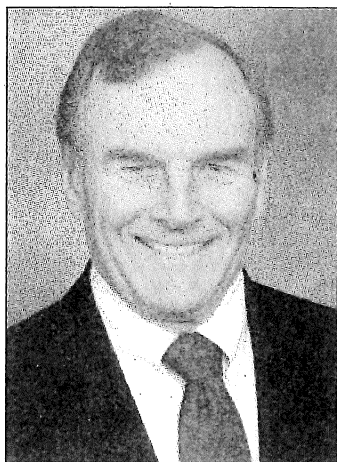
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## Steinbrecher Honored By Los Angeles County Bar

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San Marino resident and 2010 Tribune 'Citizen of the Year' Alan Steinbrecher will receive the Jim Robie Professionalism and Civility Award from the Los Angeles County Bar Association's litigation section to commemorate the professionalism and civility exemplified by former chair, Jim Robie.

Steinbrecher served a term as president of LACBA from 2010-11 term and is a lawyer representative to the Ninth Circuit Judicial conference. He has over thirty years of litigation experience with particular empha-



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sis in business, product liability and aviation litigation but with experience in real

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estate, employment and partnership disputes as well.

A 1977 graduate of Duke University School of Law, Steinbrecher was an editor of the Duke Law Journal and a member of the Moot Court Board. He is a 1968 graduate of the University of North Carolina. He is currently a partner at Steinbrecher & Span, a downtown law firm that also has offices in Washington DC and Houston.

Previously, he served as chair of the litigation department of Paul Hastings Janofsky & Walker, chair of the litigation section of the Los Angeles County Bar Association, as a member of its executive committee and on its Blue Ribbon Commission.

While president of the Bar Association, Steinbrecher helped found the Armed Forces Committee, which provides pro bono legal assistance to veterans and active duty service members. Since opening just nine months ago, the Veterans Project has helped more than 250 veterans address legal barriers to employment. Steinbrecher is a former United States Navy fighter pilot with 177 combat missions flown during the Vietnam War. He retired as a Captain in the United States Naval Reserve.

Locally, he was president of San Marino National Little League and the San Marino Schools Foundation; vice president of the board of trustees of Polytechnic School, senior warden of St. Edmunds Episcopal Church and the parents committee of the University of Virginia, from which all three of his children graduated.

"I am humbled by even the thought of receiving this award," said Steinbrecher, who lives in San Marino with his wife, Millie.