

## 2017 Illinois Rural Letter Carriers' Association Member of the Year

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The 2017 Member of the Year is very active in their community and church, serving on various committees throughout the years. This honoree started their postal career in 1991. In 1994 they transferred offices after becoming an RCA. Joining the union soon followed. And attending their first convention in the mid 90's as a non-delegate and not missing many since.

This carrier made regular over 17 years ago. During that time, they have served as local steward for 15 years and an academy trainer for 11. Even being named Master Trainer when the new RCA academies were rolled out! She has also been Chair of the Constitution committee for several years, but her most recent honor was welcoming a beautiful new grand-daughter into the world on Saturday.

Please join me in welcoming this years IL RLCA Member of the year, Rose Gangloff!