

# Former Moab Man Honored In Salt Lake

Father Jerald H. Merrill, pastor of Our Lady of Guadalupe Church and Director of Guadalupe Center in Salt Lake City, has been awarded this year's "Man of the Year in Education" from the University of Utah chapter of Phi Delta Kappa. The award is made annually, "to the person whose pursuits and contributions have profoundly enhanced education in the State of Utah," according to Patricia A. Thornson, chairman of the professional education fraternity's selection committee.

Father Merrill was honored at a dinner in the University Panorma Room, April 22 at 6:45 p.m.

Father Merrill's church, and the center have become focal points for educational activities for persons of all ages. The Guadalupe Center was named among 100 outstanding self-help projects by the National Jaycee Foundation in 1973.

Father Merrill attended Grand County schools during the time his father, the late Glenn Merrill, was coach at Grand Co. High School and will be remembered by many old timers.

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