



## **1997 Person of the Year**

The Person of the Year Award is in recognition of Faith's outstanding contributions to the warehouse distributors and in appreciation of her conscientious dedication as an individual member of the specialty equipment industry.

### **Faith Barnese, Grant Products**

Faith's first introduction to the automotive aftermarket started in 1982 as a Customer Service supervisor for Hollywood Accessories where she had direct contract with buyers, jobbers and end consumers. In 1985 she was hired into a Manufacturers Rep Agency as the Director of Operations. There Faith was responsible for daily operations and communications and coordinated the sales effort between factory personnel, the sales staff and the customer base. From 1990 till current, Faith has been the National Sales Manager for Grant Products. She currently oversees all automotive sales in North America and with the corporate acquisition of Grizzly Products in 1995, was given the additional responsibility of National Sales Manager for this division.