The Lyman J. Gage Award for Outstanding Civic Contribution by a Chicagoan

Presented by the Civic Federation

2021 Honoree: Maurice Smith



The Lyman J. Gage Award is an original black and white photographic view of the La Rabida convent replica built for the Fair. This building was never torn down and, after the fair, it eventually became the basis for La Rabida Children's Hospital.

At the hospital you can tour a small museum that describes the 1893 World's Fair and La Rabida's role in it. The award also holds an original World's Fair ticket.