The Steinberg-Lotke Lecture of the Philadelphia Orthopaedic Society

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The department of orthopaedic surgery was proud to present the inaugural Steinberg-Lotke Lecture of the Philadelphia Orthopaedic Society in 2002. Dedicated to Dr. Marvin Steinberg and Dr. Paul Lotke, professors of orthopaedic surgery at the University of Pennsylvania, the lecture was a celebration of the distinguished careers of the two surgeons. Pioneers in the fields of hip and knee surgery, both are widely known nationally and internationally for their contributions. Both, Dr. Steinberg and Dr. Lotke, have served as president of local and national orthopaedic societies and both have awards and publications too numerous to list.

In light of the contributions of Dr. Steinberg and Dr. Lotke to the field of joint arthroplasty, it was only appropri-

ate that the guest speaker be their close friend and colleague, Dr. Eduardo A. Salvati, from the Hospital for Special Surgery. After dinner, Dr. Salvati started his talk by presenting a unique historical collage of both Dr. Steinberg and Dr. Lotke that included childhood pictures. Dr. Salvati then turned his attention to the topic of thromboembolic prophylaxis in total hip replacement. His presentation of the current status and future of DVT prophylaxis in total hip replacement included cutting edge data from his many current research projects. It was clear to all in attendance how he had earned his international reputation for joint replacement surgery.



Left to Right: Dr. Lotke, Dr. Garino, Dr. Williams, Dr. Salvati, Dr. Steinberg.