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## WLU Football Coach Named

## 'Canadian Coach of the Year'

David C. (Tuffy) Knight, director of athletics at Waterloo Lutheran University, is the 1973 'Canadian Coach of the Year,' an honor awarded by the Old Crow Society of the Athletic Alumni of Carleton University, Ottawa.

The award is the highest that can be attained by a Canadian university football coach.

Previous winners were Frank Consentino of the University of Western Ontario, London, in 1970 and Jim Donlevy of the University of Alberta in 1971.

Coach Knight come to Waterloo Lutheran University in 1965 after coaching high school football and teaching physical education in Ohio. In 1964, the year before he came to WLU, he was voted "Football Coach of the Year" for Southern Ohio.

Waterloo Lutheran teams under his leadership have become a perennial threat in Ontario university football competition since Coach Knight's arrival. They have played in three Canadian College Bowl games since 1965. Five other Ontario teams have made it to the College Bowl but none more than once.

His record is more impressive when it is considered that he coaches in a university with fewer than 2,500 undergraduate students. His players regularly triumph in games with Ontario and Canadian schools of much greater enrolment.

The award will be made in Ottawa on Friday, just hours after Coach Knight takes part in the official opening of a new \$2 Million Athletic Building at Waterloo Lutheran. That building contains the province's third Olympic-length swimming pool, three basketball courts with seating for 2,500 spectators, sauna, and many other facilities.