

DEDICATION

In honor of the untimely passing on November 2, 1989 of Morris H. DeGroot, one of the best-known and best-loved members of the statistics profession, the IMS Council and the *Statistical Science* editorial staff dedicate this issue of *Statistical Science* to his memory. His many contributions to statistics, and especially his vision in creating this journal and in serving as its Founding Executive Editor, make it appropriate that we honor him in this way. Morrie's untimely passing is a great personal and professional loss for us all. But his spirit lives on in many ways, including this journal.

Adieu, Morrie.

Carl Morris
for the Editorial Board