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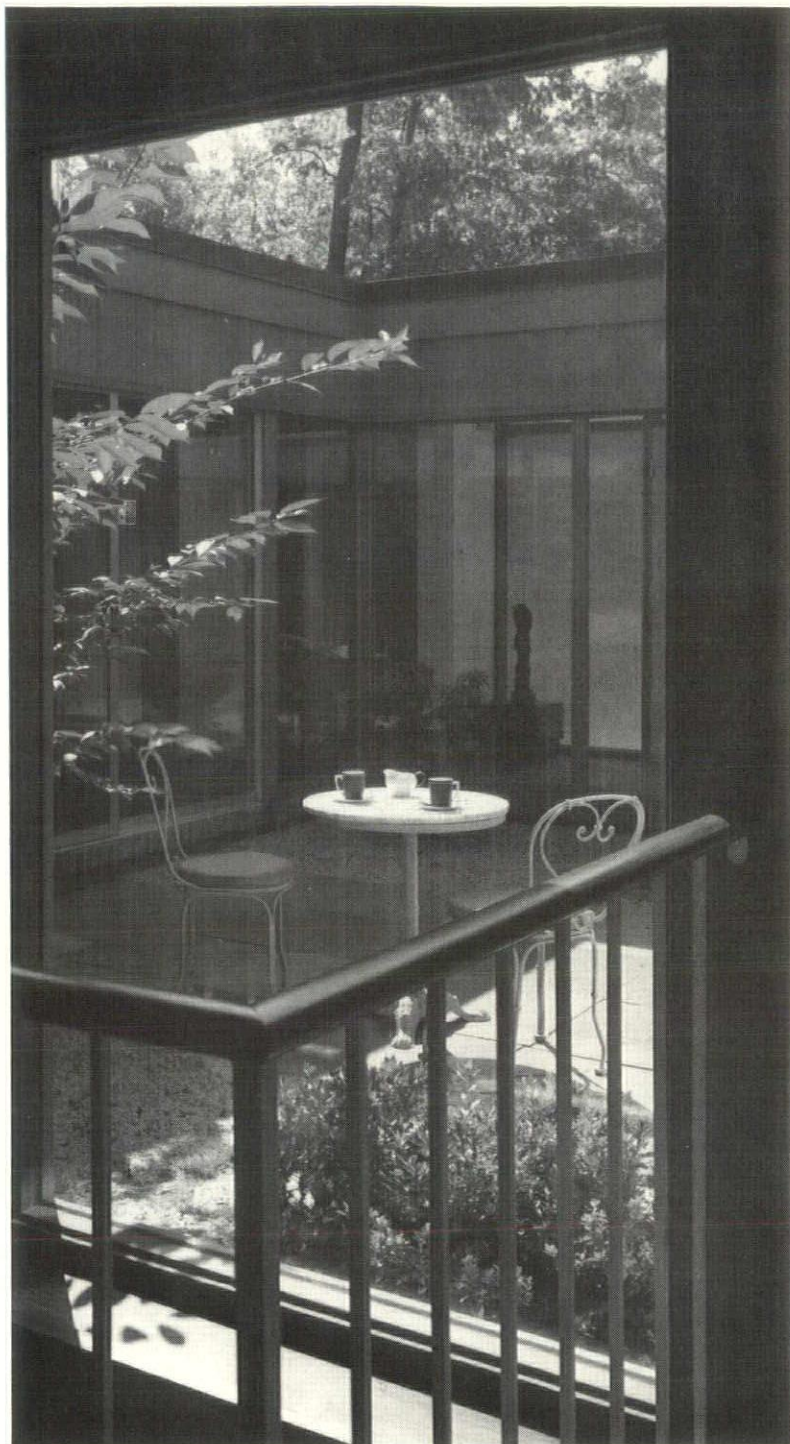
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AWARD WINNER

This speculative house by Chapter member, James F. Hilleary, built by Joseph D. Judge, recently won an Award of Merit in The Homes for Better Living Awards program co-sponsored by the American Institute of Architects and House and Home magazine. It had previously won a First Award in the Potomac Valley Chapter Biennial Competition for Awards in Architecture (PVA Vol. 10, No. 3.)

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Now that it has been accomplished, we have occasion to rejoice but not to relax. For we must continue to give encouragement and cooperation to ascertain that it does not become just another school of architecture. Our best wishes go to new Dean, John Hill, in his endeavor to form a department to justify the name.

We shall await anxiously the announcement of his teaching staff, realizing that the success or failure of a school depends on inspirational educators. Students can and do learn from each other, from seeing and from publications but their fires must be lit and kept burning by dynamic and inspirational teachers if they are to turn out the devoted practitioners we need today.

Hilleary



**JOHN WILLIAM HILL
DEAN OF THE SCHOOL OF ARCHITECTURE
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Dean Hill, a native of Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, received his B.A. Degree from Rice University in 1951 and his Bachelor of Architecture Degree the following year. Subsequently, he spent three years in the service as a Naval Officer aboard the USS Cavalier and in Houston, Texas. In 1955 he returned to work for the firm of Pierce and Pierce while also pursuing graduate work at Rice University. He received a Masters Degree from the University of Pennsylvania in 1959 where he studied under Louis L. Kahn, G. Holmes Perkins and Romaldo Giurgola. Since that time and until his present appointment, he served as associate professor, then professor and chairman of the Department of Architecture at the University of Kentucky and as partner in the firm of Graves, Hill and Associates. Dean Hill is married and the father of four children.



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That this year's event was probably the most distinguished in our history was due in part to the wonderful setting, The Octagon Garden, and our good fortune in having as guests our national officers who happened to be in session at the time and added immeasurably to the event. May we always be as fortunate.

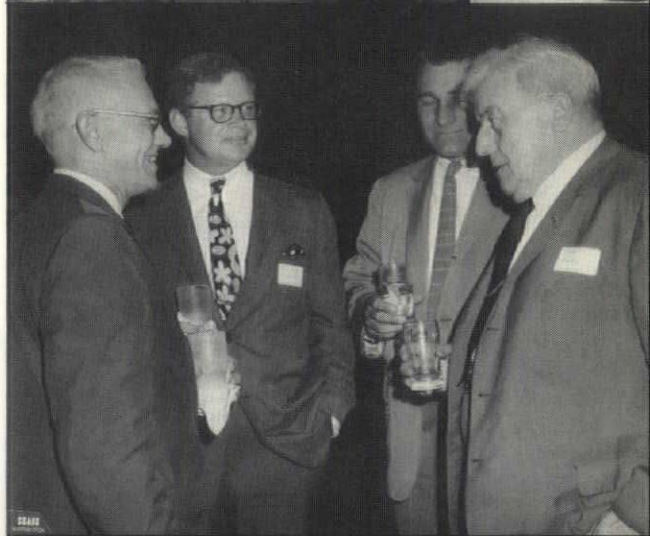
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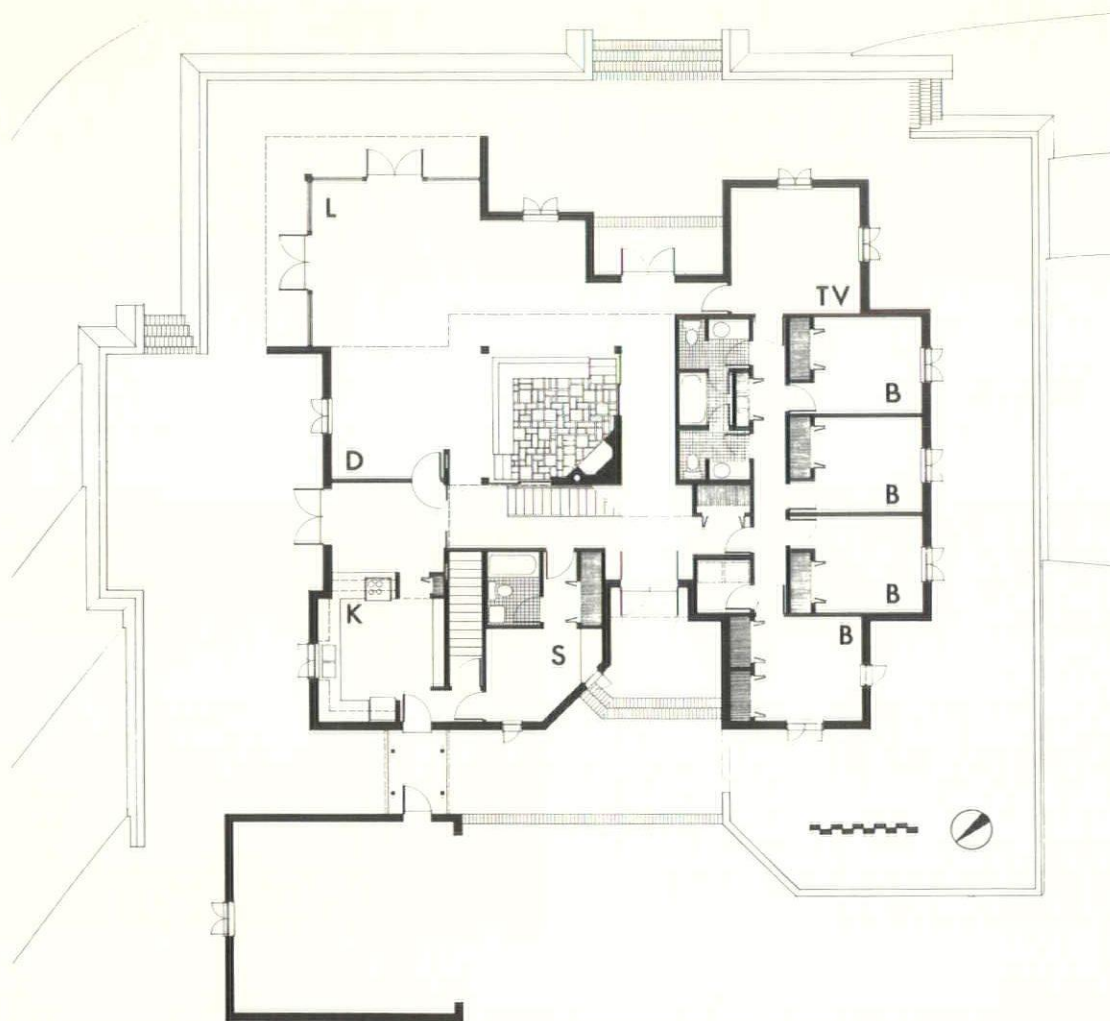
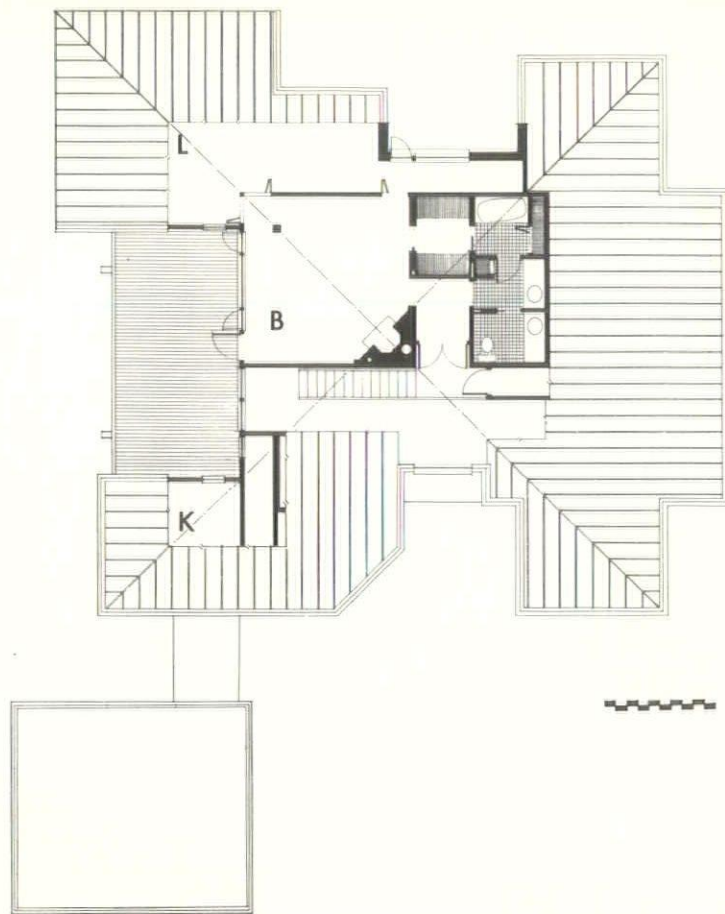


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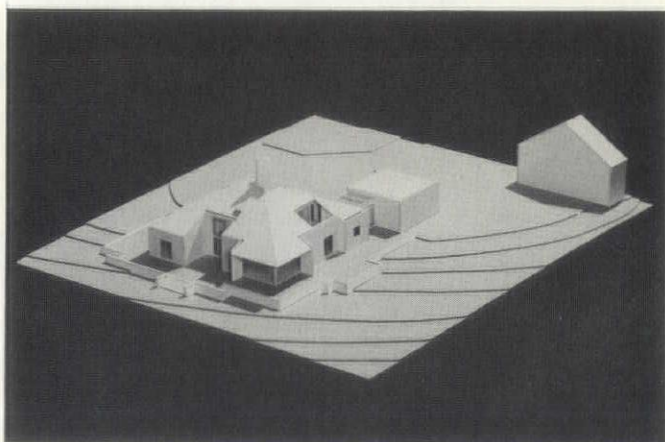


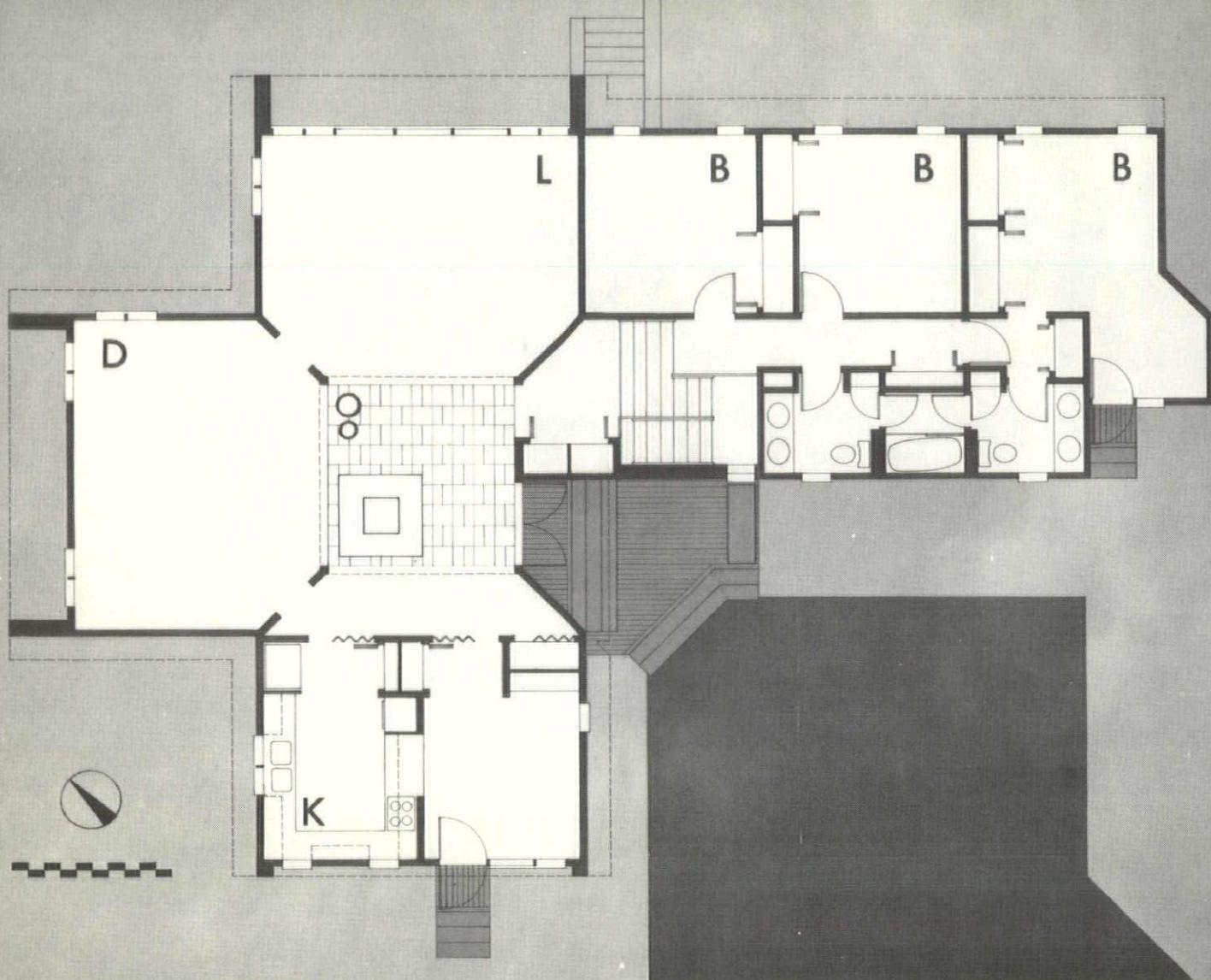
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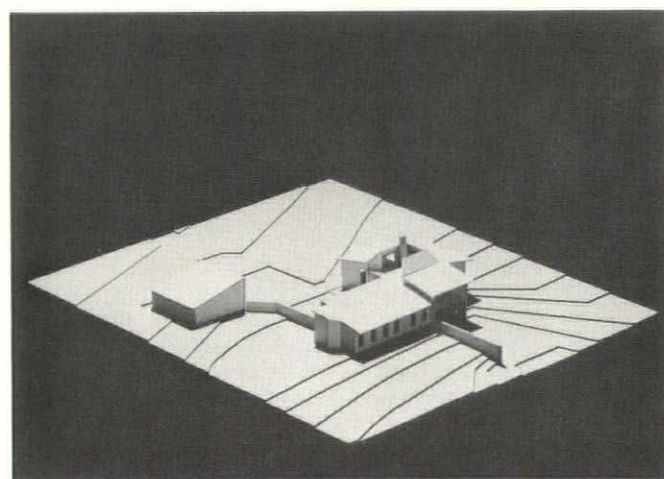




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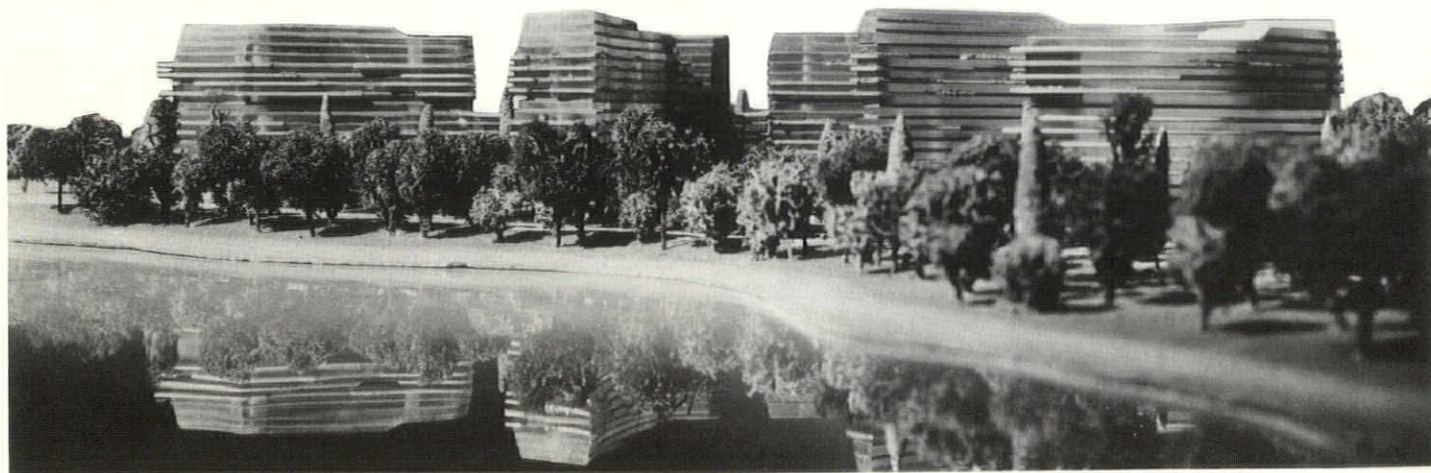
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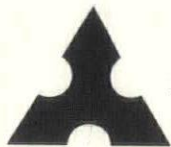


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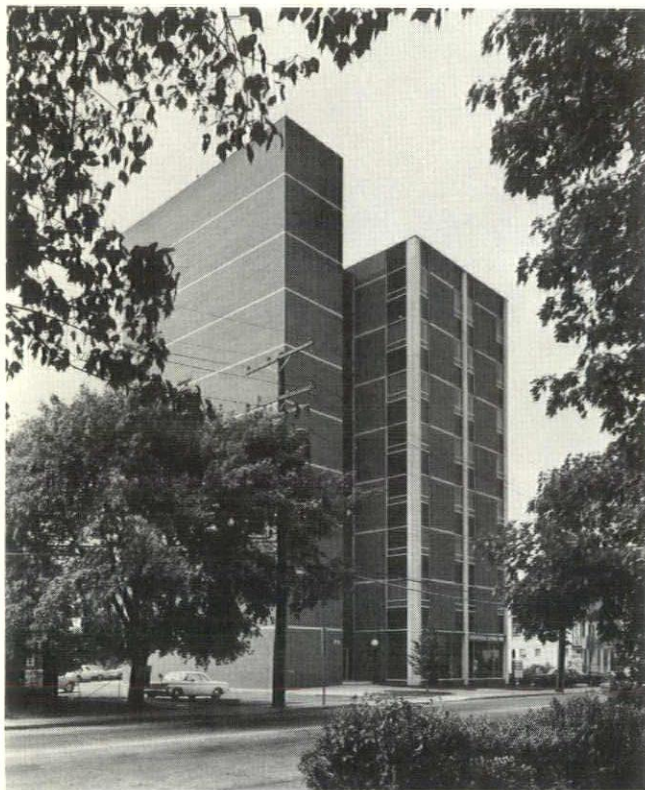
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