

GOV. VICTOR ATIYEH: Governor of Oregon; Former Businessman,
State Legislator and Senator;
Grandfather and Life Member of the National Rifle Association.

"You have to be somewhat of a romantic to be a gun collector. I look at the eighty guns in my collection and wonder 'Who owned them?', 'Who shot them?'. They kind of hook me up with history and make the days of George Washington, Lincoln and the pioneers much more real than the pages of a history book ever could.

"I started gun collecting in college and it's become a lifetime hobby. In 1946, I joined the NRA as a Life Member and 25 years ago I helped start the Oregon Arms Collectors which is an NRA affiliated club.

"As a Governor, I'm concerned with crime protection and Oregon's penal system. And like other NRA members, I want guns to be used safely and legally.

We believe strict punishment is the best solution to crime with a gun."

I'm the NRA.



Each year gun collector clubs and associations affiliated with the NRA donate hundreds of thousands of dollars in firearms and contributions to museums, libraries and education and training programs for the shooting sports. If you would like to join the NRA and want more information about our programs and benefits, write Harlan Carter, Executive Vice President, P.O. Box 37484, Dept. VA-10, Washington, D.C. 20013

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