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**BERRY MANOR INN RECEIVES EDITORS' CHOICE HONOR FROM
YANKEE MAGAZINE'S TRAVEL GUIDE TO NEW ENGLAND**

Rockland, ME – Berry Manor Inn was selected as an Editors' Choice in the 2006 edition of the *Yankee Magazine Travel Guide to New England*. Each year *Yankee's* Editors scour New England to select the lodging, dining, events and attractions no traveler should miss. These memorable selections receive the trusted and prestigious *Yankee Magazine Travel Guide to New England's* Editor's Choice Endorsement, and Berry Manor Inn was proud to be in good company with the Farnsworth Museum and Eastern Maine Railroad from Rockland.

According to Polly Bannister, Executive Editor of the *Yankee Travel Guide to New England*, who visited the Berry Manor Inn, "I was impressed by the gracious care our innkeepers took. At night we returned from dinner in town to find a delicious wedge of pie in the room. Staying at the Berry Manor Inn felt like visiting a generous relative for whom no effort at taking special care of the family is too much. The combination of this thoughtfulness and gentility guarantees relaxation." "Travelers from far and near know they will experience something special whenever they visit a destination named an Editors' Choice," added Michael Carlton, Editor of *Yankee Magazine*.

No stranger to awards and kudos, Berry Manor Inn is the only historic inn in Midcoast Maine to receive AAA's Four-diamond rating, an honor offered to only a handful of inns who qualify as "upscale in all areas" according to AAA. This was the fifth year in a row that the Berry Manor Inn received the four-diamond rating. Additionally, Berry Manor Inn was selected among the "Top Outstanding Inns in the Northeast" in the second annual Best of BedandBreakfast.com Awards in June, 2005.

Once the stately home for one of Rockland's most prominent merchants, today, Berry Manor Inn is among Maine's most romantic B&B inns. Down East Magazine calls it "The Wow House". Renowned for its room amenities, grand hospitality with a Victorian flair, and a very unusual collection of toy hamsters, the Berry Manor Inn offers the ideal mid-coast location for exploring Maine's arts, heritage and sights. The Berry Manor Inn offers a host of amenities for everyone from those seeking a romantic getaway to travelers in search of business amenities including complimentary high-speed internet access, in-room phones and flexible breakfast schedules.

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