

Bill Mack To Pay Homage to Baseball Legends

Although Bill Mack typically does gallery work, Bill's relationship with the Pohlad family, (owners of the Minnesota Twins), inevitably lead him to once again add another group of sports figures to his already impressive resume of Sports Hall of Famers.

Kirby Puckett, Harmon Killebrew, (shown on right) and Rod Carew are just a few of many Sports figures created By Bill Mack. Bill Mack has also created works from Peggy Fleming, Casey Tibbs, U.S. Hockey Hall of Famer Hobey Baker, Tennis legend Arthur Ashe, and many more.

Bill Mack primarily works in relief sculpture, however, this project was especially unique. There were many reasons Bill decided to accept the commission to create larger-than-life statues of Minnesota's three Hall of Famers, however, a few simple reasons close to Bill Mack were enough to move forward.

Bill was recently quoted in an ESPN article as saying, *"This Twins project was unique, I'm a big Twins fan and it just seemed like a good marriage."* Bill Mack is also a Minnesota Native and a has always enjoyed watching the Minnesota Twins.



Harmon Killebrew poses next to a bronze statue created by Bill Mack for the Minnesota Twins Stadium in May 2010. This is just one of 3 Twins sculptures Bill Mack has created. Rod Carew and Kirby Puckett are among the 3 created.



(left) Tonya Puckett and Kirby Jr. after the unveiling of the 71/2 foot bronze sculpture of Kirby Puckett.

(right) Rod Carew and family, enjoy the famous batting stance of the now immortalized Carew.

