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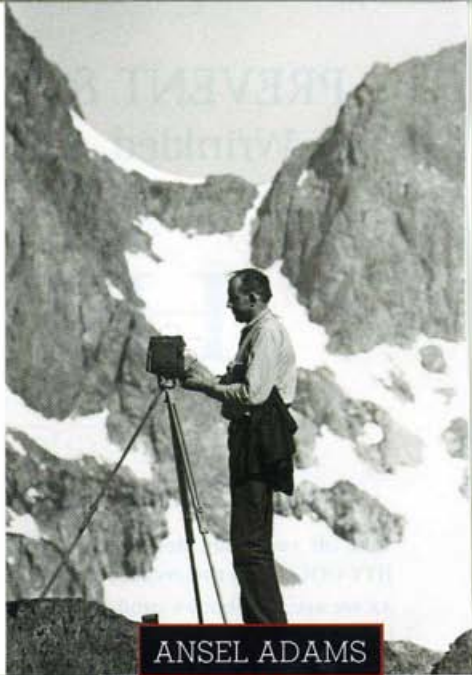
First Lady Maria Shriver's California Hall of Fame celebrates its second wave of illustrious inductees. Here's who made the cut

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## ELIZABETH TAYLOR

ACTOR

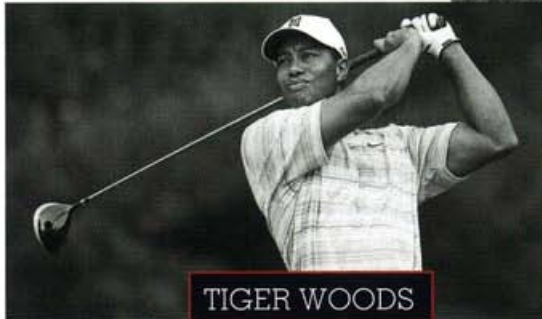
Best known as the violet-eyed screen siren with many, many husbands, Dame Taylor has also spent a lifetime culling a staggering jewelry collection. Settling in L.A. during WWII from a posh London suburb, the noted philanthropist appeared in her first film at nine years old.



## ANSEL ADAMS

PHOTOGRAPHER

The dramatic black-and-white portraiture of Adams continues to captivate conservationists. His whisper-quiet landscapes from the '40s and '50s reflect lifelong artistic impressions stemming from a childhood vacation to Yosemite in 1916.



## TIGER WOODS

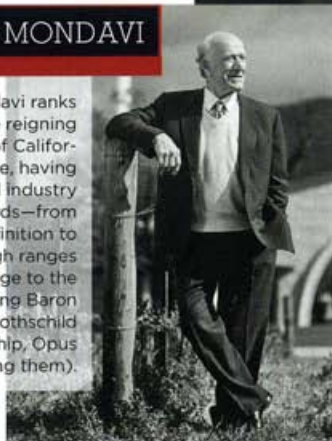
GOLFER

Golf veteran Jack Nicklaus said of the prodigy's game that, "There isn't a flaw in his golf or his makeup." Perennial number-one player, last year's highest paid pro athlete has single-handedly increased the worldwide appeal of the sport.

## ROBERT MONDAVI

WINEMAKER

Mondavi ranks among the reigning patriarchs of California wine, having trailblazed industry standards—from grape definition to low-high ranges (Woodbridge to the pioneering Baron Philippe de Rothschild partnership, Opus One, among them).



## JACKIE ROBINSON

BASEBALL PLAYER

With the crack of his bat, baseball phenom and Pasadena local Robinson translated his love for sport into sociopolitical civil rights statement when he erased color lines in Major League Baseball by joining the then Brooklyn Dodgers in 1947.

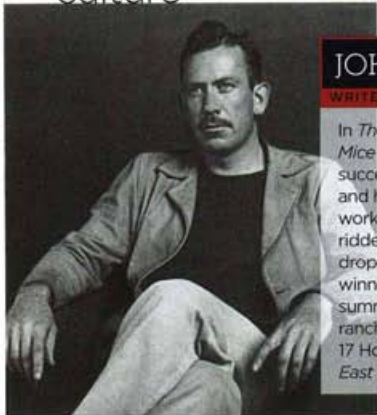


## JOHN WAYNE

ACTOR

Swaggering with cowboy virility, the iconic figure and revered Republican starred as lead in 142 films. Orange County—the final resting place for the Glendale native—is now home to John Wayne Airport.

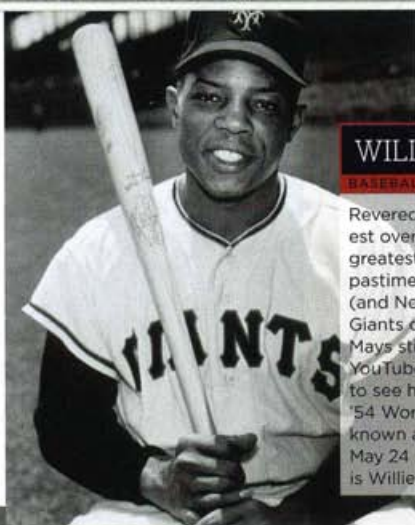
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**JOHN STEINBECK**

WRITER

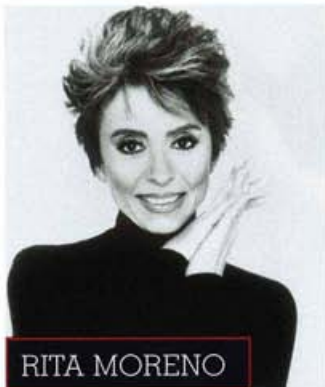
In *The Grapes of Wrath* and *Of Mice and Men*, Steinbeck successfully captured the plight and harsh reality of the migrant worker's life in CA's Depression-ridden Dust Bowl. This Stanford dropout and Nobel Prize winner, who spent his childhood summers working on local ranches, went on to pen 17 Hollywood films such as *East of Eden* and *Cannery Row*.



**WILLIE MAYS**

BASEBALL PLAYER

Revered as the greatest overall talent of the greatest American pastime, San Francisco (and New York) Giants outfielder Mays still warrants YouTube searching to see his legendary '54 World Series play known as "The Catch." May 24 in San Francisco is Willie Mays Day.



**RITA MORENO**

ACTOR

The second actor to win the holy quartet of Emmy/Oscar/Tony/Grammy awards, Puerto Rican-born Moreno catapulted to success on Broadway before making the Hollywood leap to star as Anita in a little 1961 musical flick called *West Side Story*.



**JONAS SALK**

SCIENTIST

Shunning the wealth affiliated with his culture-altering polio vaccine, the research physician said of his 1955 discovery: "Can you patent the sun?" Salk's contributions to virus-related science helped drop the incidence of polio by almost 90% in its first two years.



**MILTON BERLE**

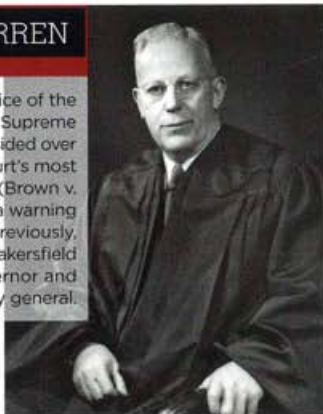
COMEDIAN

California owes a debt to the aptly named Mr. Television, first icon in TV's golden age as host of "The Milton Berle Show." Berle's genre-defining program would be the definitive hour for the TV dinner generation.

**EARL WARREN**

JUDGE

As Chief Justice of the United States Supreme Court, Warren presided over some of the court's most crucial rulings (*Brown v. Board*; *Miranda* warning among them). Previously, the boy from Bakersfield served as governor and state attorney general.



**STEVE JOBS**

APPLE CEO

Galas aren't the only apples coming out of CA, and that's due in part to Apple, Inc. cofounder/CEO and Disney bigwig Jobs. In the 1970s, the tech titan entered a partnership with Steve Wozniak to develop a contraption called the personal computer. Since then, the college dropout has dazzled with a zeitgeist-making menagerie of iPods, iPhones and sleek laptops.

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