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**Category Number:** 1a  
**Category Name:** Investigative Reporting  
**Station:** WLS-TV  
**Entry Name:** The Accident Swindlers  
**Number of Entrants:** 9  
**Entrant Names:** Peter Karl, Reporter, Douglas Longhini, Reporter, Roberta Baskin, Reporter, Bev Kennedy, Co-Producer, Thomas Hodson, Co-Producer, Ed Land, Co-Producer, Andrew Segal, Co-Producer, Wally Pachucki, Co-Producer, Tom Kammer, Co-Producer

**Category Number:** 1b  
**Category Name:** Spot Coverage  
**Station:** WLS-TV  
**Entry Name:** Crash of Flight 191  
**Number of Entrants:** 8  
**Entrant Names:** Diane Allen, Reporter, Joel Daly, Reporter, Fahey Flynn, Reporter, Jim Gibbons, Reporter, Terry Murphy, Reporter, Vivian Rosenberg, Reporter, Hugh Hill, Reporter, John Culea, Reporter

**Category Number:** 1c  
**Category Name:** Feature Stories or Mini Series  
**Station:** WMAQ-TV  
**Entry Name:** Investigation Of The Quinn Estate  
**Number of Entrants:** 2  
**Entrant Names:** Dick Kay, Reporter, Joe Howard, Producer

**Category Number:** 2a  
**Category Name:** Planned Coverage of a Single Event  
**Station:** WBBM-TV  
**Entry Name:** The Pope In Chicago: The Road Here  
**Number of Entrants:** 21  
**Entrant Names:** Bill Kurtis, Reporting Team, Walter Jacobson, Reporting Team, Harry Porterfield, Reporting Team, Susan Anderson, Reporting Team, Carrie Cochran, Reporting Team, Frank Currier, Reporting Team, John Drummond, Reporting Team, Renee Ferguson, Reporting Team, Burleigh Hines, Reporting Team, Mary Laney, Reporting Team, Emery King, Reporting Team, John Quinones, Reporting Team, Steve Shepard, Reporting Team, Bob Wallace, Reporting Team, Phil Walters, Reporting Team, David Caravello, Co-Producer, Rose Economou, Co-Producer, Andrew Fisher, Co-Producer, Dick Goldberg, Co-Producer, Scott Gurvey, Co-Producer, Donna LaPietra, Co-Producer
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Category Number: 2b
Category Name: Investigative Report
Station: WBBM-TV
Entry Name: The American Faces
Number of Entrants: 2
Entrant Names: Bill Kurtis, Reporter, Donna LaPietra, Producer

Category Number: 3a
Category Name: Documentary of Current Significance
Station: WLS-TV
Entry Name: The Last Hurrah: Chicago Style
Number of Entrants: 1
Entrant Names: Lawrence Pont, Producer

Category Number: 3a
Category Name: Documentary of Current Significance
Station: WBBM-TV
Entry Name: Ed Kelly And The Fighting 47th
Number of Entrants: 1
Entrant Names: Scott Craig, Producer

Category Number: 3b
Category Name: Documentary of Cultural Significance
Station: WBBM-TV
Entry Name: Walter Jacobson's Journal: China
Number of Entrants: 1
Entrant Names: Patrice Fletcher, Producer

Category Number: 3b
Category Name: Documentary of Cultural Significance
Station: WTTW
Entry Name: "C'est moi, Toulouse-Lautrec,"
Number of Entrants: 1
Entrant Names: Elayne Goldstein, Producer

Category Number: 4a
Category Name: Public Affairs Series
Station: WBBM-TV
Entry Name: Channel 2: The People
Number of Entrants: 4
Entrant Names: Harry Porterfield, Host, Jim Hatfield, Co-Producer, Frank Jackson, Co-Producer, Bob Smith, Co-Producer
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Category Number: 4b
Category Name: Single Public Affairs Program
Station: WBBM-TV
Entry Name: Give Me The Keys
Number of Entrants: 2
Entrant Names: Bill Kurtis, Host, Scott Craig, Producer

Category Number: 4c
Category Name: Conversation Program Series
Station: WBBM-TV
Entry Name: Common Ground
Number of Entrants: 3
Entrant Names: Warner Saunders, Host, Frank Jackson, Co-Producer, Carolyn Sartor, Co-Producer

Category Number: 4d
Category Name: Magazine Program Series
Station: WLS-TV
Entry Name: Eyewitness Chicago
Number of Entrants: 4
Entrant Names: Diane Allen, Co-Host, Joel Daly, Co-Host, Elizabeth Richter, Co-Producer, Marda LeBeau, Co-Producer

Category Number: 5a
Category Name: Series for Children's Programming
Station: WMAQ-TV
Entry Name: Kidding Around
Number of Entrants: 3
Entrant Names: Steve Smith, Co-Host, Carrie Fischer, Co-Host, Diane Bloomgarden, Producer

Category Number: 5b
Category Name: Single Program for Children's Programming
Station: WBBM-TV
Entry Name: The Good Gang Express
Number of Entrants: 2
Entrant Names: Warner Saunders, Host, Gail Sikevitz, Producer
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Category Number: 6
Category Name: Special Event Program
Station: WBBM-TV
Entry Name: The 1979 Joseph Jefferson Awards
Number of Entrants: 3
Entrant Names: Bob Smith, Co-Producer, Jim Coursen, Co-Producer, Essee Kupcinet, Co-Producer

Category Number: 7a
Category Name: Single Program for Entertainment Program
Station: WTTW
Entry Name: Bleacher Bums
Number of Entrants: 10
Entrant Names: Joe Mantegna, Actor, Dennis Franz, Actor, Michael Saad, Actor, Ian Williams, Actor, Richard Fire, Actor, Roberta Custer, Actor, Carolyn Purdy-Gordon, Actor, Keith Szarabajka, Actor, Patterson Denny, Co-Producer, Stuart Gordon, Co-Producer

Category Number: 7b
Category Name: Series for Entertainment Program
Station: WFLD-TV
Entry Name: Son of Svengoolie
Number of Entrants: 2
Entrant Names: Rich Koz, Host/Performer, Joseph Oher, Producer

Category Number: 7c
Category Name: Single Special Program for Entertainment
Station: WCFC-TV
Entry Name: The New Bible Baffle
Number of Entrants: 2
Entrant Names: Raymond G. MacKillop, Host, Don E. Hancock, Producer

Category Number: 8a
Category Name: Single Program Covering Sports Events or Based on Sports Theme
Station: WTTW
Entry Name: Only The Ball Was White
Number of Entrants: 1
Entrant Names: Kenneth Solarz, Producer

Category Number: 8b
Category Name: Series Covering Sports Events
Station: WBBM-TV
Entry Name: Eye On Sports
Number of Entrants: 3
Entrant Names: Johnny Morris, Co-Host, Jeannie Morris, Co-Host, Jim Coursen, Producer
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Category Number: 9a
Category Name: Editorial
Station: WLS-TV
Entry Name: WLS-TV Editorials
Number of Entrants: 2
Entrant Names: Peter Desnoes, Vice President/General Manager, William C. Campbell, Editorial Director

Category Number: 9b
Category Name: Commentary
Station: WBBM-TV
Entry Name: Perspectives
Number of Entrants: 1
Entrant Names: Walter Jacobson

Category Number: 10a
Category Name: Performers Who Appear On Camera
Station: WBBM-TV
Entry Name: Gary Police
Number of Entrants: 1
Entrant Names: Renee Ferguson, Reporter

Category Number: 10b
Category Name: Individual Excellence For Persons whose Achievement is Non-Performing
Station: WBBM-TV
Entry Name: Give Me The Keys
Number of Entrants: 1
Entrant Names: Molly Bedell, Writer/Researcher

Category Number: 10b
Category Name: Individual Excellence For Persons whose Achievement is Non-Performing
Station: WBBM-TV
Entry Name: Walter Jacobson's Journal: China
Number of Entrants: 1
Entrant Names: George Case, Cameraman

Category Number: 10b
Category Name: Individual Excellence For Persons whose Achievement is Non-Performing
Station: WMAQ-TV
Entry Name: Murder by Natural Causes
Number of Entrants: 1
Entrant Names: Chuck Collins, Researcher/Investigator
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Category Number: 10b
Category Name: Individual Excellence For Persons whose Achievement is Non-Performing
Station: WLS-TV
Entry Name: Composite
Number of Entrants: 1
Entrant Names: Doug Longhini, Researcher

Category Number: 10b
Category Name: Individual Excellence For Persons whose Achievement is Non-Performing
Station: WLS-TV
Entry Name: The Accident Swindlers
Number of Entrants: 1
Entrant Names: Joseph R. Passarella, Promotional Writer