Martin County Plant Doc in the Spotlight

At the Martin County Master Gardener meeting on Friday, April 3, 2009, Plant Doctor, Bob Curran, a not-to-well kept secret at the Martin County Extension Office, was honored for his service to the community by being named the Master Gardener of the Quarter. Curran has been a Master Gardener since 2002 and a Florida resident along with his wife, Katherine and 2 children, for 22 years.

The soft-spoken former Rohm & Haas employee has a Master of Science Degree and a BA in Biological Sciences from Rutgers University so he is well-prepared to answer common and complex questions about bugs in your garden and plants in your yard.

Curran is a member of the Martin County Master Gardener Advisory Board and has just been voted "president-elect" for 2010. When he is not training new Master Gardeners, Bob works as a "Plant Doc" at Master Gardener functions and in his spare time, he plays the violin in a "little orchestra".

Congratulations Bob! We, your fellow Master Gardeners, are so happy to have you with us and appreciate everything you do for us and the community.