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26. **Rome 1960. Gold First Place Winner's Medal Awarded for Wrestling.** Goldplated silver, within bronze olive wreath, 68mm, by Giuseppe Cassioli, made by Artistiche Fiorentini of Florence. Seated Victory holding laurel wreath and palm branch, Rome Colosseum on right, inscribed "Giochi Della/XVII Olimpiade / Roma MCMLX". Rev. Victorious athlete carried by his jubilant teammates, "LOTTA" (Wrestling) on wreath below. With chain of bronze olive leaves to be worn by winners. Very light wear on high points, VF-EF. **(\$11,000)**

27. **Innsbruck 1964 Winter. Gold First Place Winner's Medal Awarded for Speedskating to Lidija Skoblikova from the Soviet Union.** Goldplated sterling silver, 70mm, 166.5 grams, by Martha Coufal, and struck by the Austrian Mint in Vienna. Mountain range between "Innsbruck 1964" and the speedskating sport "Eisschnelllauf". Rev. Large logo encircled by "IX Olympic Winter Games" (translated). *Lidija Skoblikova was the first woman in Olympic history to win 4 gold medals in one game: 500M, 1000M, 1500M, and 3000M. In Squaw Valley 1960 she won 1500M.* EF. **(\$10,000)**

28. **Tokyo 1964. Gold First Place Winner's Medal Awarded for Fencing.** Goldplated silver, 63mm, by Toshikaka Koshiba after Giuseppe Cassioli, struck at the Japanese Mint in Tokyo. Seated Victory holding laurel wreath and palm branch, Colosseum on right, inscribed "XVIII Olympiad Tokyo 1964 Fencing". Rev. Victorious athlete carried by his jubilant teammates. Housed in its black lacquer box with Tokyo 1964 logo and one gold dot, inside lined in blue velvet and white silk with Japanese legend. Closure partially missing. Box and medal EF. **(\$11,000)**

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29. **Tokyo 1964. Gold First Place Winner's Medal Awarded for Canoeing.** Goldplated silver, 63mm, 5mm thick, designed by Toshikaka Koshiba after Giuseppe Cassioli (1928). Seated Victory holding palm branch and laurel wreath, Rome's Colosseum stadium at right, award text at top right. Rev. Winner carried by jubilant teammates. With ribbon bow and long ribbon displaying the five Olympic colors. Gold medals in Canoeing were only won by Sweden (2), the Soviet Union (2) and East Germany. EF. **(\$24,000)**

30. **Grenoble 1968 Winter. Gold First Place Winner's Medal Awarded for Ice Hockey to the Soviet Union, Housed in its Presentation Case.** Goldplated silver, 60mm, by Roger Excoffon, struck by the Paris Mint. Logo in center surrounded by "Tenth Olympic Winter Games / Grenoble 1968" (translated from French), five stars around "Grenoble 1968". Rev. Depiction of Ice Hockey, "Hockey Sur Glace" below. *For the first time, winner's medals show the sport on the reverse.* With ribbon in Olympic colors. Housed in its black case with large gold logo on top, lined in white velvet and silk. Rubbing on top, inside EF. Medal EF. **(\$15,000)**

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31. **Mexico City 1968. Silver Volleyball Second Place Winner's Medal Awarded to the Team of Japan.** Silver, 60mm, by Giuseppe Cassioli. Victory seated above Colosseum Stadium in Rome. Rev. Victorious athlete carried by jubilant teammates. Silver plaque with Volleyball pictogram at top, suspended from red ribbon, VF. Medal toned EF. (\$8,000)

32. **Munich 1972. Gold First Place Winner's Medal for Four-Oared Shell with Coxswain, Awarded to Uwe Benter from Germany on September 2, 1972.** Goldplated silver, 66mm, by Gerhard Marcks, struck at the Bavarian Mint in Munich. Seated Victory holding laurel and palm branch, Colosseum Stadium in Rome at right. Rev. Castor and Pollux, the patrons of competitive sport and friendship, Gerhard Marcks monogram below. The edge is engraved at top on both sides with "Rudern Vierer mit Steuermann" in German, and name of winner Uwe Benter. Housed in its white case lined in white felt, Munich logo on top. One of only 364 gold medals with a new design on the back, namely the mythological twins Castor and Pollux. Complete with gold chain. Medal toned EF. Seldom seen gold medal. (\$10,000)

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33. **Innsbruck 1976 Winter. Gold First Place Winner's Medal Awarded for Speed Skating to Yougeny Kulikov from the Soviet Union.** Goldplated silver, 70mm, by Martha Coufal. "Eisschnellauf" (Speed Skating) over Bergisel ski jump, Olympic flame at r. Rev. Official logo and legend, with ribbon in Austrian colors. Housed in red leather presentation case with gold-stamped, logo on top. EF. (\$12,000)

34. **Lake Placid 1980 Winter. Bronze Third Place Winners Medal for Speedskating, 1.500m Women on February 14 Awarded to Sabine Becker from East Germany.** Bronze, 80mm (3.2"), made by Tiffany & Co., designed by Medallie Art. Hand holding flaming torch, Whiteface Mountain in background. Rev. Logo over legend, large conifer branch at right, "Speedskating/1.500m Women" and name engraved at left. EF. (\$9,000)

35. **Los Angeles 1984. Gold First Place Winner's Medal Awarded for Gymnastics Women's Team, Combined Exercises, from Romania.** Goldplated silver, 60mm, by Dugald Stermer. Seated Victory holding laurel and palm branch, Colosseum Stadium in Rome at right. Rev. Winner carried by jubilant teammates. Edge inscribed with event. *The team from Romania won gold, the American team with Mary Lou Retton won silver. Mary Lou had won gold already in All Around.* With ribbon. Medal toned around edge, EF. (\$10,000)

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