

## GISBERT WINNEWISSER: AN APPRECIATION

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The death of Gisbert Winnewisser in March of this year has robbed us of a peerless spectroscopist and molecular astronomer who made many significant contributions to both subjects. Moreover, Gisbert was a friend and mentor to many of us, who enriched our lives immeasurably. In this brief appreciation, I will discuss some of his many accomplishments.