

## Apollo 16 to Be Marked In Space City Stamp Set

Apollo 16 is rolling on schedule and is set for launch on April 16. Capt. John W. Young, a Gemini and Apollo veteran, commands this fifth moon landing attempt while his crewman are both to space flight. They are Lt. Col. Charles M. Duke and Lt. Cmdr. Thomas K. Mattingly II.

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As in the past Apollo flights the Space City Cover Society will be on hand to commemorate the event with their continuing set of Apollo covers. The set will consist of four different cacheted covers, one each for the launch, moon-landing, moon-liftoff, and splashdown.

These covers not only will contain the U.S. stamp with Houston, Texas (home of the Manned Spacecraft Center) postmark on the correct dates, but will also be franked with a single of the now familiar NASA Local Post Commemora-

tive Label and cancel.

(These are not issued by the National Aeronautics and Space Agency but are available only through SCCs).

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In conjunction with the covers, the SCCS will also issue the NASA Local Post Commemorative Labels in souvenir sheets of 10 with two different designs to the set.

These are printed in bi-color, offset and perforated. The cost of the set of four covers is \$2.70 per set and the set of two souvenir sheets cost \$1.00 per set. A 20c postage and handling charge must be added to each order.

Orders should be sent to Space City Cover Society P.O. Box 53545, Houston, Texas 77052 and addressed given labels would be appreciated. All orders will be sent under separate cover after completion of the flight.