



# 6th Annual WUSA Magazine/USGWA 2004 All-American Wrestling Team



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**F**orty-four girls from seventeen states make up this year's All-American girls wrestling team. Only seniors are given All-American status by the United States Girls Wrestling Association and *Wrestling USA Magazine*.

California led the pack with twelve girls making the team. Next are Texas and

Hawaii with four each, Michigan and Florida with three apiece, Ohio, Oregon, Minnesota, Pennsylvania, Colorado, Washington with two each. Connecticut, Virginia, Indiana, New Jersey, Vermont, and Iowa checked in with one each.

### **Simply Outstanding**

Of the forty-four All-Americans, only

five have stepped atop the podium as USGWA National Champions. And of those, three are head and shoulders above the rest. How do you separate a four-time National Champ, a four-time finalist with two National Championships, and a three-time National Champ? Samantha Lang of Tualatin, Oregon, Heather Martin of Wellington, Ohio, and Ali Bernard of New