

## Mississippi Marathon Winners

**1976**  
Tom English 2:38:45

**1977**  
Joel Longerin 2:41:57

**1978**  
Jim Ewing 2:29:20  
Kathy Ryan 3:56:37

**1979**  
John Decker 2:33:51  
Joyce Urish 3:17:23

**1980**  
Tom Leach 2:28:09  
Linda Nesbit 3:16:28

**1981**  
Jeaff Keady 2:28:20<sup>1</sup>  
Deborah Etheredge 3:11:34<sup>1</sup>

**1982**  
Rodney Pearson 2:23:44<sup>1</sup>  
Ginny Hornberger 3:12:22<sup>1</sup>

**1983**  
Greg Gearhart 2:25:38<sup>1</sup>  
Ginna Hornberger 3:04:02<sup>2</sup>

**1984**  
Todd Smoot 2:25:30  
Pam Bowen 3:13:32<sup>1</sup>

**1985**  
Rodney Pearson 2:28:44<sup>2</sup>  
Pam Bowen 3:19:57<sup>2</sup>

**1986**  
Greg Gearhart 2:31:11<sup>2</sup>  
Ann Hawkins 3:10:22

**1987**  
Cullan Crothers 2:35:26<sup>2</sup>  
Debi Etheridge 3:21:13<sup>2</sup>

**1988**  
Greg Gearhart 2:36:59<sup>3</sup>  
Linda Owens 3:22:56<sup>1</sup>

**1989**  
Greg Gearhart 2:36:39<sup>4</sup>  
Linda Owens 3:16:38<sup>2</sup>

**1990**  
Jeaf Keady 2:35:25<sup>2</sup>  
Karen Geraci 3:19:44

**1991**  
Greg Gearhart 2:28:31<sup>5</sup>  
Ann Ringlein 3:07:27

**1992**  
Rodney Pearson 2:25:28<sup>3</sup>  
Amelia Mgenat 3:21:04

**1993**  
John Collins 2:38:12  
Teresa Day 3:38:19

**1994**  
Rodney Pearson 2:42:54<sup>4</sup>  
Marion Nooe 3:27:19

**1995**  
Tony Huffman 2:40:06  
Kathy Armstrong 3:40:12

**1996**  
Kevin Phillips 2:50:50  
Becky Wall 3:04:14

**1997**  
Rex Lyon 2:50:47  
Stephanie Black 3:19:00

**1998**  
David Audet 2:43:39  
April Kapu 3:38:32

**1999**  
Moved marathon from December to January

**2000**  
Chris Erchbach 2:49:18  
Becky Chastain 3:30:39

**2001**  
Bryan Smith 2:37:59  
Christie Barber 3:36:01<sup>1</sup>

**2002**  
Kevin Phillips 2:37:59  
Laurie Kearney 3:27:34

**2003**  
Chuck Engle 2:42:43<sup>1</sup>  
Christie Barber 3:40:17<sup>2</sup>

**2004**  
Greg Gearhart 2:57:52<sup>6</sup>  
Yvonne Mayberry 3:38:02

**2005**  
Leonard Vergunst 2:45:17  
Kimberly Whitman 3:23:16

**2006**  
Chuck Engle 2:41:30<sup>4</sup>  
Tracy Stewart 3:10:50

**2007**  
Jim George 2:52:11  
Yukiko Nishide 3:30:01

Underlined names are fastest Mississippi  
Marathon times.

Superscript numbers indicate repeat winners