



**FOURTH DEGREE
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Faithful Navigator's Message

My Brother Sir Knights,

We are now in the second half of this Columbian year. Our 4th degree exemplification, in April, draws ever closer. Now is the time for the last big push towards bringing in new members to our Assembly. I was reminded, while reading Columbia magazine this month, of an easy way to increase our numbers. We can accomplish this through plain and simple advertising. I wish now to quote Supreme Knight James A. Flaherty, from the January 1926 Columbia publication.

“It is not a great upheaval and a great reform that I suggest. There is need for none. But there is something that you and I can do. No great or small calamity will befall us if we fail to do it. But much good will come to us if we do.....

Do you display the emblem of Knighthood? Do you wear the pin that you were so anxious to receive and so eager to put on when you were received into the Order? If you do not care to bother about it, if you never wear the pin at all, I am not sure that you would be accused of any great disloyalty. But by wearing it, you proclaim you Knighthood, you

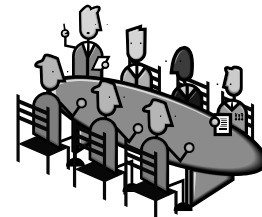
mark yourself as one of a selected band of men pledged to serve God, your country and your fellow man in a special manner. That, surely, is worthwhile.”

What I am suggesting, is that when you are at church or at other functions where the other members of your council would be wearing their council badge, just for a month or so, wear your assembly badge. Let the members see that you are a fourth degree. It may spark curiosity regarding the assembly. Who knows, it could lead to great things.

Just a suggestion.

Vivat Jesus

**Mark Stewart
Faithful Navigator**



FUTURE MEETINGS FEBRUARY

12 February Planning Meeting
26 February Business Meeting

MARCH

11 March Planning Meeting
25 March Business Meeting



HAPPY BIRTHDAY

If you should see any of these fine Sir Knights, wish them a happy birthday and remind them that if they come to the business meeting, dinner is on the assembly.

Alfred Galang	5 th
Michael Breverly, PFN	6 th
Leo Bogaert	12 th
Patrick Mulligan	17 th
Daniel Doerr	21 st
Matthew Polanco	21 st
Gerald Jennings	23 rd
Gabriel Eder	24 th
Charles Marshall, PFN	24 th
Frank Gwerder	26 th

Happy Belated Birthday to our January Sir Knights:

Noel Vinzon	4 th
William Redmond	11 th
John Goralka	18 th
Raymond Vermette	22 nd
Tim Fuluda	25 th
John Baca	27 th
Joseph Cortese Jr.	27 th
Joe Madruga	28 th

APPOINTED POSITIONS

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Winner of the 50/50 Drawing was
**SK Walter
 Hernandez...\$18.00.**

“IF” Drawing:



At our General Business Meeting every month a drawing is made from all members’ names to win some cash. “IF” Sir Knight **Gary Hardesty** would have been in attendance, he would have won the drawing.
 You must be present to win.

PLEASE. . . Pray always for our military men and women.

"Lord, hold our troops in your loving hands. Protect them as they protect us.



Bless them and their families for the selfless acts they perform for us in our time of need. I ask this in the name of thy Son, Jesus Christ, our Lord and Savior. Amen"

When you read this, please stop for a moment and say this prayer for our ground, air and navy personnel in Iraq and everywhere. Of all the gifts you could give to anyone in the US Military, be it Army, Navy, Marines, Air Force, or National Guard, Prayer is the best one...



2008 - 4th Degree Exemplification in Sacramento

Mark Your Calendars. The 102nd 4th Degree Exemplification in Sacramento is scheduled for **Saturday April 12th, 2008 at the Doubletree Hotel.** When more information becomes available, I'll be passing it along. And just as a reminder, **NOW** is the time to start recruiting. If you need Form 4 Applications, just let me know.

Your Faithful Comptroller,

David Crowe





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Cordially Invites you to its

First Annual Reverse Raffle Dinner Saturday February 9, 2008

Littleton Community Center – Galt, CA
410 Civic Drive, Galt CA

6:00 – 7:00 PM Hosted Cocktails
7:00 PM Dinner (Prime Rib, Ravioli, Salad, Bread, Dessert)
Reverse Raffle begins at 7:30 PM

**10 Prizes of \$100.00
Grand Prize \$4,000.00***

\$100 REVERSE RAFFLE TICKETS LIMITED TO FIRST 100 PERSONS

Includes Dinner, Entry in Reverse Raffle, and Cocktail Hour

Additional Guests \$20.00 each for dinner and cocktail hour

To purchase tickets or for more information

Contact John Brodie: 209-327-2823

*** May be split evenly between final four raffle entries.**