



**FOURTH DEGREE  
KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS**

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## Faithful Navigator's Message

My Brother Sir Knights,

### Money

In case you missed the last meeting, then you missed the latest financial update for the Assembly. Just like many of our families, the Assembly is suffering through some tight financial times right now. Simply put, it seems that there is more outgo than income.

For those of you wondering what you might be able to do, the short-term answer is easy. Participate in Assembly fund-raising activities. The next one is the November 15 steak and shrimp dinner. Participate not only by attending the dinner yourself, but by bringing others and selling tickets to others.

This is not a 4<sup>th</sup> degree only event. It is open to any and all. It is an especially good idea to invite prospective fourth degree members from your various Councils. You can also help by bringing items that will be raffled off during the dinner.

For \$25, you get a great steak and all the shrimp you can eat. The dinner will also have all the usual accouterments courtesy of Mike Breverly and associates. Plus, there will be two bottles of wine (one red and one white) at each table.

In addition to the selling tickets, attending the dinner, and bringing a raffle item or two, you can also help by volunteering to help with the cooking, set-up, clean-up, or other positions like ticket

collector or bartender. Call or e-mail me to sign up and help out. You'll find my phone number and/or e-mail address elsewhere in this newsletter.

This is not a time for panic. We're certainly not in as bad a shape as many of our nation's financial institutions. But we want to make sure we remain a strong and robust assembly. You can do your part by participating in the November 15 steak and shrimp dinner at the St. Christopher Catholic Community Center.

If you can do that for me, I'll work with our other elected and appointed officers to do an analysis of meeting meal costs and income, beverage costs and income, and special event costs and income. We will also examine the need for and type of fund raising activities that will bring in the most bang for our buck in the future.

**John Brodie  
Faithful Navigator**

### FUTURE MEETINGS

#### OCTOBER

8 October Planning Meeting  
28 October Business Meeting

#### NOVEMBER

12 Nov. Planning Meeting  
25 Nov. Business Meeting  
Business meeting starts at 6:30  
Planning Meeting starts at 7:00





## 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.

Sir Knight	James Perry	2 <sup>nd</sup>
Sir Knight	John Lorda	3 <sup>rd</sup>
Sir Knight	Richard Dorricott	3 <sup>rd</sup>
Sir Knight	John Pfeifer	4 <sup>th</sup>
Sir Knight	Sigmund Csicsery	4 <sup>th</sup>
Sir Knight	William Riddle	4 <sup>th</sup>
Sir Knight	Father Tamayo	5 <sup>th</sup>
Sir Knight	Nicholas Neuburger	5 <sup>th</sup>
Sir Knight	Terence Burke	10 <sup>th</sup>
Sir Knight	George Loughner PFN	12 <sup>th</sup>
Sir Knight	Phillip Pulido	13 <sup>th</sup>
Sir Knight	Martin Heli Charter PFN	15 <sup>th</sup>
Sir Knight	Rene Delgado	15 <sup>th</sup>
Sir Knight	Albert Araiza	17 <sup>th</sup>
Sir Knight	Richard Ramirez	18 <sup>th</sup>
Sir Knight	Michael Aye	20 <sup>th</sup>
Sir Knight	Richard Schloemann	27 <sup>th</sup>
Sir Knight	Bernard Kieffer	28 <sup>th</sup>
Sir Knight	James Genelli	28 <sup>th</sup>
Sir Knight	Eugene Mello	29 <sup>th</sup>
Sir Knight	Richard Smith	29 <sup>th</sup>
Sir Knight	Eduardo Ortiz	31 <sup>st</sup>

## APPOINTED POSITIONS

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**Winner of the 50/50 Drawing was  
SK Bill Riddle.....\$25.00**



### **“IF” Drawing:**

**At our General Business Meeting every month a drawing is made from all members' names to win some cash.**

**“IF” SK Martin Heli would have been in attendance he would have won the drawing for \$100.00  
You must be present to win.**



## Greetings Fellow Ks and SKs:

Well another month has flown by and the color corp with it's feathers have clipped another month of being busy and with great attendance from all. We had the Confirmation at the Cathedral for St. Joseph's parish in Elk Grove and had a great turn out of 10 Sir Knight color corp's. Two weeks later Fr. Bosque asked if we would be in attendance at the 10:45 mass at St. Josephs to honor those that were confirmed and we did and another GREAT showing of 9 Sir Knights: Felix, Ed, Robert, Dan, Fred, Neil, Percy, Victor and myself (Russ).

It was appreciated so much by Fr. Bosque he ran a picture and VERY nice article in the bulletin on the Knights of Columbus.(article is to the left of this page)

It is a real pleasure in the last 2 months to have such a great response from my brother knights when we are asked to perform and they have come through with flying colors. It makes such a great impression on the younger generation and also the older ones. That is why we are called Knights for Charity and for our Faith. We would like to Thank also all the kind people that come up to take pictures and make nice comments about the color corp. Remember if you are interested in becoming a color corp member feel free to contact me at 916-681-0544.

God Bless and have a wonderful day.

**Russ Tereau**  
**Color Corps Commander**

**“We’re looking for MORE than a few good men...”**

This picture of the *Knights of Columbus* color guard, was taken on September 5<sup>th</sup> as they gathered at the altar in the *Cathedral of the Blessed Sacrament*, before the celebration of Confirmation for our teenagers. It speaks volumes about who are the Knights!!! Leaving work and home early on a Friday afternoon, they offered themselves for the service of the Church (providing security, ushering, hospitality, and doing whatever was asked.) They also provided pageantry for a celebration that involved nearly 2,000 people in the Cathedral that night. These men are examples of what all Knights are about: being faithful to Our Lord by serving their sisters and brothers!!! Literally, these men are what we as disciples of Christ should be about: being selflessness in Christ, serving as Christ, for Christ!!! All men in our parish, 18-years-of-age and older, are invited to consider becoming a Knight! Please consider getting to know others, serving the Church, and enjoying the camaraderie that being with others committed to our faith can bring (and fun too!) Check them out at: [www.elkgroveknights.org](http://www.elkgroveknights.org).



# Knights of Columbus

Fourth Degree

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August 31, 2008

Worthy Sir Knights and Ladies,

My term as Master of the Northern California District has expired. I want to thank all of you for your dedication and service to the Fourth Degree these past two years. Collectively we have shared many achievements. To mention a few, we have had four exceptional Exemplification weekends; we have had an increase of enthusiasm towards the Color Corps with more teams entering the Drill competition. We have certified over 400 Color Corps members in the Northern District. I am very proud to consider our Color Corps members to be among the best in the State. The Color Corps units that I have worked with have been outstanding. I was very proud to have one of our Honor Guard Team present the Colors at a Major League Baseball game. We were called upon to escort the relics of the six martyred priests from Mexico as they went from parish to parish in the Sacramento Diocese. We had one of our Assemblies win the "To Be a Patriot" award at the District, Province and International level, this was an outstanding achievement! Being the Patriotic Degree, the Northern District has supported the VAVS Program with 126% of Representatives representation. Many Assemblies have supported the Wheelchair Program. This is a small list of the District's accomplishments. We have made new friendships as well as renewing acquaintances as we conducted multiple Installations of Officers. We are a family oriented organization and have promoted a family atmosphere during our events. The Northern District came together as a team and emphasized our Principles of Charity, Unity, Fraternity and Patriotism while conducting the activities of each Assembly and the District. I congratulate you all for your efforts! I thank you for your kindness, consideration, respect and most importantly, your friendship you have shown to my wife Deborah, my two Marshals, their wives and myself. We sincerely appreciate everything you have done for us. God Bless you, your families and God Bless America.

Fraternally,

SK Stephen Peterson  
Master

**The Daughters of Isabella,  
St. Anne's Circle #1332  
Invite Catholic Women to their  
ANNUAL INFORMATIONAL/OPEN MEETING!**

**Who are the daughters of Isabella???**

**Date:** Tuesday, November 6, 2007  
**Place:** St. Anne's School, Dominican Hall  
200 S. Pleasant Street, Lodi, CA.  
**Time:** 5:30 PM, Memorial Holy Mass for  
Deceased Members in  
St. Anne's Chapel (optional)  
6:30 PM, "Faith Potluck" in  
Dominican Hall...doors open at 6:00  
Followed by an  
Informational Open Meeting.

**AGENDA**

**Observe the members of the Daughters of Isabella in Action!**

**Entertainment:** Presentation on the life of Queen Isabella, our Patroness  
done by Member Players.  
Time for Social and Questions.

**PLEASE COME!  
LET US JOIN TOGETHER LOVING HANDS IN THE SPIRIT OF "LIVING AND  
SHARING THE GOOD NEWS."  
Motto: UNITY\*FRIENDSHIP\*CHARITY**



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