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GRAND KNIGHT'S MESSAGE

No. 4

Worthy Brothers -

Our Holy Easter is still in our hearts so let us continue to move forward with our Lord's strength.

Our Council has had a full plate this past month and another full one this upcoming month. I would like to thank my Brothers for continuing their support.

Congratulations to Mike Garofalo and his brother fishermen, especially cook Jim Baselice, on our first Lenten fish fry. It was so successful, I can't wait to do it all again next year.

Our Easter egg hunt, I'm sure, was a fun time had by all, especially by the parents and grandparents of those who participated. I work like to thank Tom York and his band of large bunnies for helping with this event.

Our Spring Fling is quickly approaching with chairman Tom Johnston creating a great venue with Red, Hot & Blue barbeque and one of their house bands, Cheap Cigars. With all our efforts this will be a great success. Please contact Tom for tickets and information.

Brother Mike Garofalo is looking to revitalize the Squires. This group is open to any Catholic young man from age 10 until they turn 18. If you know of anyone interested in joining the Squires please let Mike know.

I'm looking forward to our meetings. Any Brothers with time on their hands please attend a meeting to let your voice be heard. Anyone who has any suggestions please give me a call or drop a note in one of the collection baskets with your envelope marked "Knights of Columbus".

God Bless

Joe Flatley, GK flatley-joseph@cooperhealth.edu

FIELD AGENT'S REPORT

Have You Insured Your Most Valuable Asset?

Ask yourself this question... "What is my most valuable asset?"

Did you answer... Your house? Your car? Maybe it's my investments?

Your ability to work and earn an income is your most valuable asset!

Is your income protected if you become sick or injured and cannot work? Yet a disability could prevent you from earning that income. Just one year of a disability could eliminate your savings. You have a I in 3 chance of suffering a long term disability. That is a risk 10 times greater than having your car totaled and can be a loss of \$3,000,000 or more over your lifetime. We have insurance on many thing these days. Our car, our homes, even our cell phones and tablets! But do you have insurance on yourself?

Income Armor, an individual disability income insurance product from the Knights of Columbus, should be a key part of your overall financial plan and family's protection.

If you are ill or injured, Income Armor provides tax-free monthly benefits to help you meet living expenses and maintain you and your family's standard of living. Your monthly benefits help you pay your mortgage and other monthly bills, while your savings and retirement assets remain intact.

In short, if you have a job and don't have a way to protect that paycheck, you should seriously consider Income Armor today. Contact me today... I look forward to meeting with you!

Michael D. Garofalo, Field Agent michael.garofalo@kofc.org or 732-397-4365

FRATERNAL ACTIVITIES

If you know of any Knight or family member that is either sick or in distress and needs prayers or any other assistance, please contact Joe Stefanko by phone at 856.482.0988 or by email at joestef3@verizon.net.

FOURTH DEGREE NEWS

Our March Seminarian Dinner was a huge success. All five New Jersey State Officers where present along with the 22 Trenton Diocese Seminarians. Council 5714 was represented by nine members. This year each seminarian received \$1,500 from the John Tatham Assembly. We were able to make this donation because of the support from all our brother knights selling the Travel Raffle Tickets this past May. The 2016 campaign is getting under way. Look for Raffle sale dates in the May issue.

The next Fourth Degree Meeting will be held at our Council Home on April 13th. The evening will start with a Cocktail Hour at 6:30 PM, dinner at 7:30 and the meeting at 8:30. Dress is Jacket and Tie, the cost \$15.00.

Any Third Degree Knight who would like to take his Fourth Degree this fall, please see me for a Form 4.

Jim Berg, Faithful Comptroller iceberg5555@comcast.net or 609-560-1209

MORE FRATERNAL ACTIVITIES SICK LIST

Jack Acker, Jr.
Bernard Bryson
Deacon Joe Care
Sam Cerasi
Joe Ciminera
lack Ehmann

Tom Gibbons Al Nowakowski John Obuchowski Pete Ranjo, Sr. Joe Stefanko

APRIL BIRTHDAYS

The following Council members will be celebrating their birthday this month. Happy Birthday to you from all the members of Council 5714.

John Acker, Jr.	Thomas Reinhart		
Frank DeBellis	George Ritchie		
William English	· ·		
James Fleming	John Ruth		
John Hopkins, Jr.	Michael Sprindis		
Wayne Kenney	Charles Timony		
, ,	Raymond York		
Thomas McGonigle			

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Day	Event	Time
5	Officers Meeting @ Maple Room	7:30 PM
П	Home Association Meeting @ Maple Room	7:30 PM
12	Business Meeting @ Maple Room	7:30 PM (7:10 PM Rosary)
13	Fourth Degree Meeting @ Maple Room	8:30 PM (7:30 PM Dinner)
19	Social Night @ Maple Room	7:30 PM
20	Surge for Service Meeting @ Council Hall	7:30 PM