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Grand Knight's Message

Brothers,

Regrets - I've had A Few.

As summer is ending and fall is right around the corner, I hope everyone was able to recharge their batteries.

For those of you who dial my cell phone you hear the following lyrics from Frank Sinatra's wonderful song My Way.

"Regrets I've Had A Few, Then Again Too Few Too Mention"

As I approach the late sixties of my life I realize, yes I've only had a few regrets in my life.

My Knighthood started in 1987 when I became a Knight and took my three degrees quickly. I served with vigor the council where I started. I was thirty-seven years old at the time. After serving for about ten years, there was an unfortunate incident at that council that more than annoyed many members. We left that council without joining another. As time went on, I drifted more away from the Knights to the point where I was suspended.

Several years ago, while attending mass, there was a recruitment weekend looking for new Knights. The Holy Spirit made me realize the mistake I made and how much I missed being a Knight. This wonderful council of ours gave me a chance to redeem myself. I joined this council and worked to gain my brother Knights confidence in me. I never enjoyed more being active in this great council.

For those of you that may have drifted away from being active, think over the possibility of becoming active again. Being an active member of the Knights of Columbus looks great on your resume of life and does wonders for your mind, body and soul. At our council the doors are always open for your return.

Yes, regrets I've had a few, but becoming active again in The Knights isn't one of them.

Vivat Jesus!

Frank Mariconti Sr.

Grand Knight

September Friday Night Dinner

Our Council's next Friday Night Dinner will be held on September 21, 2018 in our air conditioned Hall. The doors of the Hall will be open at 6:00 PM and dinner will be served at 6:30.

The menu will be an Italian Buffet consisting of chicken parmigiana, sausage and peppers, a pasta dish and a tossed salad. The cost of \$12 per person and \$30 per family (consisting of parents and minor-aged children) includes bread and butter, dessert, soda and coffee and tea. Yes, it is quite a bargain!

Because of the popularity of these dinners, you are urged to call Mike DeAngelo at **201-664-5396** by September 13th.

Thanks to all who pitched in and helped set up the Hall on Thursday evening and/or helped at the August Friday Night Dinner. Because of vacations, help was desperately needed and you answered the call. A special thank you to Eric Oates and Mike Fitzsimmons who smoked the ribs and grilled the chicken. It was outstanding!

Frank Zimmerman, PGK

Calendar of Events for September and October 2018

September

- 09/03 Labor Day
- 09/06 Regular Business Meeting.....8:00 PM
- 09/08 Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary
- 09/10 Spectrum Canteen.....6:00 PM
- 09/11 Patriots Day
- 09/11 Installation of Officers for 2019
- 09/20 Officers Meeting..... 7:30 PM
- 09/21 Friday Night Dinner..... 6:00 PM
- 09/22 Walk for Life
- 09/30 St. Andrew's Picnic

October

- 10/04 Regular Business Meeting..... 8:00 PM
- 10/08 Columbus Day
- 10/10 Spectrum Canteen..... 6:00 PM
- 10/13 Columbus Pride Dance
- 10/13 Spectrum Walk
- 10/18 Officers Meeting7: 30 PM
- 10/19 Friday Night Dinner..... 6:00 P M
- 10/28 Alzheimer's Walk

Spectrum Canteen

The next Spectrum Canteen will be held on Sept 10. We need the help! We only had **three** brothers at the August Canteen.

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