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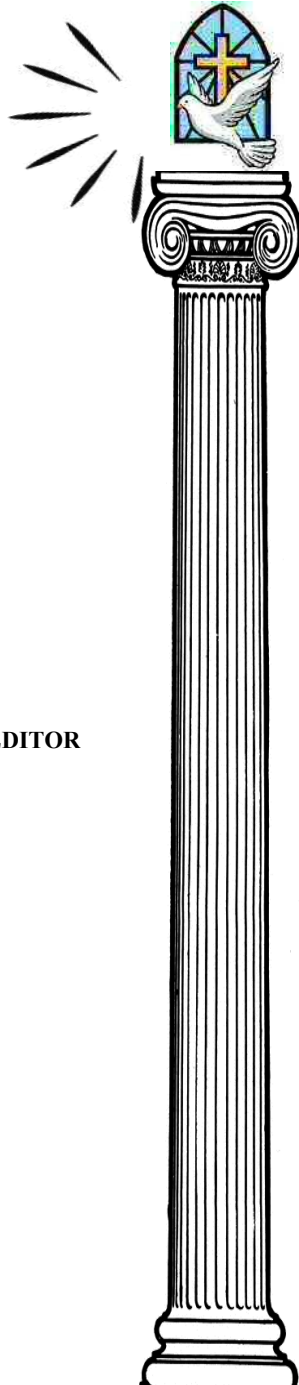
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Chaplain's Corner



The Gold Wrapping Paper An Inspirational Short Christmas Story

Once upon a time, there was a man who worked very hard just to keep food on the table for his family. This particular year a few days before Christmas, he punished his little five-year-old daughter after learning that she had used up the family's only roll of expensive gold wrapping paper.

As money was tight, he became even more upset when on Christmas Eve he saw that the child had used all of the expensive gold paper to decorate one shoebox she had put under the Christmas tree. He also was concerned about where she had gotten money to buy what was in the shoebox.

Nevertheless, the next morning the little girl, filled with excitement, brought the gift box to her father and said, "This is for you, Daddy!"

As he opened the box, the father was embarrassed by his earlier overreaction, now regretting how he had punished her.

But when he opened the shoebox, he found it was empty and again his anger flared. "Don't you know, young lady," he said harshly, "when you give someone a present, there's supposed to be something inside the package!"

The little girl looked up at him with sad tears rolling from her eyes and whispered: "Daddy, it's not empty. I blew kisses into it until it was all full."

The father was crushed. He fell on his knees and put his arms around his precious little girl. He begged her to forgive him for his unnecessary anger.

An accident took the life of the child only a short time later. It is told that the father kept this little gold box by his bed for all the years of his life. Whenever he was discouraged or faced difficult problems, he would open the box, take out an imaginary kiss, and remember the love of this beautiful child who had put it there.

In a very real sense, each of us has been given an invisible golden box filled with unconditional love and kisses from our children, family, friends and God. There is no more precious possession anyone could hold.



Words from the Grand Knight

from **KNIGHTS TO CHRIST**

**FRATERNITY IS
FELLOW WARRIORS**



*I went past the field of the sluggard,
past the vineyard of the man who lacks
judgment; thorns had come up
everywhere, the ground was covered
with weeds, and the stone wall was in
ruins. I applied my heart to what I observed and learned
a lesson from what I saw: A little sleep, a little slumber,
a little folding of the hands to rest and poverty will come
on you like a bandit and scarcity like an armed man. —
Proverbs 24:30-34*

Saint Paul challenges all of us as men to finish the race and to be on our guard. He knows that even if we've built a positive legacy to this point, there are wolves waiting at the door, ready to tear it from our grip and steal it away. He knows that we can lose our testimony as a role model in a single unguarded moment.

Don't let anyone rob a lifetime of influence on your wife and your children. Don't let moral poverty sneak up on you like a slinking wolf and rip away your witness for Jesus Christ. Guard your heart! Guard it in the limitless power of God's indwelling Spirit.

But don't stand guard alone. You need fellow warriors to pray for you, walk with you, and remind you of what you already know. And there are brothers out there who need the same thing from you. An arm around the shoulder. A brotherly nudge in the right direction. God warns us, and we warn each other. God strengthens us, and we strengthen each other. — Gary Rosberg

Are you and our council brothers well-positioned to stand guard together?

Character may be manifested in great moments, but it is made in small ones. — Phillip Brooks

Viva Jesus

Ken Williams
Grand Knight



In Need of Your Prayers

Bruce Beck's brother Larry, and
friend Larry
Chopps Family,
Dennis Conley,
Rich Cunningham,
Marty DeBattista,
James Doppler and his wife
Ted & Nan Fitzgerald,
J.Foliar and his wife,
Janet Foresman,
Bob Greaney Family intentions,
Mike Halcarz,
Fr. Joseph Kelchak family
Dennis King's mother Norma,
Bishop Dale Melczek
Bob Mann's widow Debbie
Leo Mayhew and his wife Trish,
JimMiller,
Jim Murphy's Granddaughter,
Eric Olson,
JoePollaro,
Dave Pzonka,
Brother Joe R from SEAS,
John Ryczaj
Fred Siminski's friend in Hebron,
Fred Siminski's mother in law,
Jessica Siminski and baby,
Mark Siminski &his wife,
& Daughter in law who's pregnate,
Ed Stram,
Ernie Williams,
Ken Williams Mom & Dad,
Glenn Wyant and Family

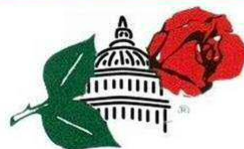
Jason Krampen co-worker Martin,
Terry the missing man in Winfield

Repose of the soul of
Fr. Denis White (Joliet Diocese)
Deacon Norm's best friend.

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removed from this list please contact:
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10TH KofC SPONSORED TRIP TO THE NATIONAL MARCH FOR LIFE



March for Life

Washington D.C.



JANUARY, 2019 FROM 1/16/19 TO 1/19/19

OPEN TO ALL WHO BELIEVE IN LIFE

Any brother wishing to attend contact
Bruce Spindler at (219) 663-2809 for
specific details.

Please note: The Council will reimburse
some of the expenses of the attendees.



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HAVE BEEN MAILED OUT**

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UPCOMING EVENTS



- JAN 1 New Year Day**
- JAN 2 Council Officers Meeting at HS -7:00 pm**
- JAN 5 Holy Spirit Mens Group 8:00 am**
- JAN 9 Council Business meeting at HS -7:00 pm**
- JAN 12 Christmas Party & Social at Henderlong's**
- JAN 19 Free Throw Contest at Jerry Ross at 8:00 am**

- FEB 2 Holy Spirit Men's Group 8:00 AM**
- FEB 6 Council Officers Meeting at SEAS - 7:00m**
- FEB 9 Council Breakfast at Baja's at 8:00am**
- FEB 13 Council Business meeting at SEAS-7:00 pm**
- FEB 27 Council Social Meeting At Seasons Lake House - 7:00 pm**

- MAR 2 Holy Spirit Men's Group 8:00 AM**
- MAR 6 Council Officers Meeting at St Helen - 7:00m**
- MAR 8 Fish Fry at St. Hellen's from 4:00 - 700 pm**
- MAR 9 Council Breakfast at TBA 8:00am**
- MAR 13 Council Business meeting at St Helen - 7:00 pm**
- MAR 22 Fish Fry at SEAS from 4:00 - 7:00 pm**
- MAR 27 Council Social Meeting TBA - 7:00 pm**

- APR 5 Fish Fry at HS from 4:00 - 7:00 pm**



JANUARY 12, 2019 6:00PM

Social & Christmas Party
Hosted by: Brother
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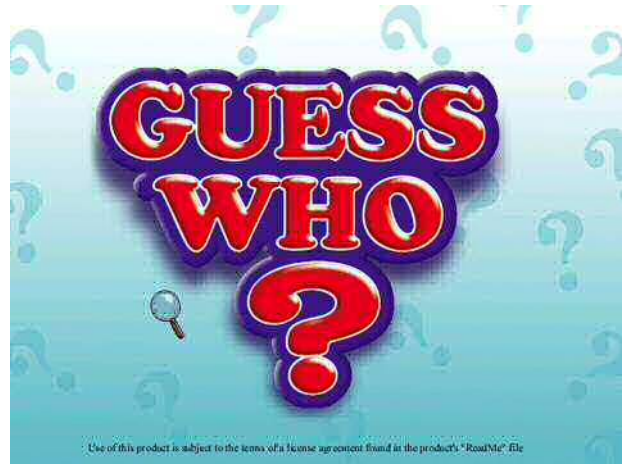
**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS
COUNCIL 7473
BIKE PROJECT**



December 14, Dropped off some bikes for the foster children at Campagna Academy, Schererville



December 20, donating bikes to the Housing Opportunities in Valparaiso.



NAME REVEALED



This is Jim Haklin. He was quite a guy and a hard worker. Was the Grand Knight in the 1990's Worked and retired from the steel mill. Taught CCD and acquired a teaching degree and taught college. He was an excellent mechanic. Built an air plane in his garage. Last know address was in Hanna, IN.