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GOOD OF THE ORDER
Confidence in God

As we begin a new year, we all have need to deepen and solidify our trust in God. Never does He refuse to be merciful, but is ever present to those who turn to Him. Let us pray in unison and place our hope and confidence in God's power.

GRAND KNIGHT'S MESSAGE

Worthy Brothers,

May you achieve all you need and many of the things that you want during the new Liturgical and Calendar years. May you be lucky as your preparation meets opportunities. May you have joy in your soul, peace in your heart, and love in all your relationships.

The Super Bowl Dance will be held at St. Jerome Hall in Kenner this year. Vosbein Hall was booked. I asked a fellow brother, Brent Smith, for a favor. We have booked St. Jerome at a very favorable rate on a date where the hall was scheduled to be closed. The deal is subject to council approval during the January council meeting.

We will need to discuss details of the Super Bowl Dance at the council meeting. Items to discuss include: advanced ticket sales, tickets, raffle tickets for the LSU watch, mailings, hall set up, and hall clean up. Your participation in both planning and execution are needed.

As always, bring a practical Catholic gentleman to our meetings. Introduce him around. Encourage recruitment.

Vivat Jesus
David Ryan, GK

CHAPLAIN'S MESSAGE

No message

WHAT'S HAPPENING

- Jake & the Nifty Fifties will play again at the Super Bowl dance, Saturday, February 6, 2010 at 8 PM. Admission is \$15 per person. BYOL; sodas, beer, wine, and chips provided. Please mark your calendars. We need the support of the Singles & Singles Again Club whose members have patronized our dance the past few years. Please spread the word around. Note...the dance will be at St. Jerome Hall in Kenner.
- Please see Grand Knight, David Ryan, if interested in getting your 3rd Degree.
- Consider making a donation to the regular business meeting evening meals.
- Please make it a personal commitment - *try to recruit at least one new member this year.*
- Think of your Council and participate in the 50:50 drawing.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS
January - February 2010

Jan 1	Friday	New Year Solemnity of Our Lady
Jan 7	Thursday	Reg Bus Meeting, SCR Vosbein Hall, 7 pm
Jan 18	Monday	Martin Luther King Day
Jan 21	Thursday	O&D meeting, Parish Center, 8 pm
Feb 3	Thursday	Regular Business Meeting, Vosbein Hall St. Clement of Rome, 7 pm
Feb 6	Saturday	Super Bowl Dance, St. Jerome Hall , 8 pm till
Feb 12	Thursday	Lincoln's Birthday
Feb 16	Tuesday	Mardi Gras
Feb 17	Wednesday	Ash Wednesday
Feb 18	Thursday	O&D meeting, Parish Center, 8 pm

GET WELL

In our Thoughts and Prayers

<i>Monsgr Ralph Carroll</i>	<i>Jesse Lane, PGK</i>
<i>Bobby Stevens, PGK</i>	<i>Al Faucheux</i>
<i>Warren Michel, PGK</i>	<i>Joyce Perret</i>
<i>Deacon Eric Gamble</i>	<i>Hank Sobon, District Deputy</i>
<i>Ken Roberts</i>	<i>Dave Brown</i>
<i>Leon Perret</i>	<i>John Parra</i>
<i>Jacob Hornung</i>	<i>Don Greene</i>
<i>Wife of Mike Dwyer</i>	<i>Father of Ron Dowhower</i>
<i>Ms Marrero, mother of Karl Marrero</i>	
<i>Wife & dghtr of V. Nordmann</i>	

IN MEMORIAM

Message from a Brother Knight, Mr. F. Meche at flmeche@cox.net:

*“Something should be said in the newsletter about our brother **Jerry Hoffman** who devoted many years to ED White (although I know he transferred after getting sick) since his recent passing.....I know you did not know him but he was by far one of the kindest persons I have ever known and anytime anyone would begin to talk about another, as we all have done from time to time, he had a famous saying he would always use, “Charity Brother, Charity”. There was not a brother knight that didn’t like Jerry and he participated in many, many events over the years.....please say a prayer for him at our next meetingthanks*

THOUGHT FOR THE MONTH

He who angers you controls you!

Respectfully submitted,
David Ryan, GK
Clarence Mascarenhas, Editor

OPENING ODE

*Sing ye his praises loud and long,
And let the unenlightened know,
In every echo of your song,
The great deeds done, tho' long ago.
By Columbus of the valiant soul,
Who first old Neptune has controlled,
Despite of envy, intrigue, gold,
In the dim past of long ago.*

*With vessels three o'er stormy sea,
He thrilled the world of long ago,
While wisdom linked with destiny,
In justice scales its weight did throw.
We are his heirs; we wear his name;
We boast his deeds; we spread his fame.
Our Order is the shining flame,
That lights the gloom of long ago.*

CLOSING ODE

Air: "America"

*Now our evening's work is done,
Then let us ev'ry one,
Join in a song.
Long may our Order stand
Foremost in this free land,
Ready with heart and hand
To right each wrong.*

*We have a mission great,
True to our Church and State
Onward we move.
We dry the mourner's tear,
The tired heart we cheer,
Faith in our works appear,
Upheld by Love.*