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THE CONFIDER

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Mary's Coronation in Heaven

TOM WALTERS - KNIGHT OF THE YEAR

At our July Business Meeting, we selected Tom Walters as our Knight of the Year. Tom is certainly worthy of the title.

As our first--and only--Financial Secretary, Tom has participated in every endeavor we have initiated.

Tom has been Chairman of our monthly PanCake Breakfast program since October 1989. He and his dedicated crew have raised money to help our parish bazaar, as well as \$1000 for Our Seminarian, Cavana Wallace.

When a chairman was needed to organize our first two St. Patrick's Day Dinner-Dances, Tom volunteered. They were both declared outstanding successes.

Most of the photos in THE CONFIDER during the past three years were shot--and donated--by Tom Walters, our Fraternal Fotografer.

When our pastor/chaplain, Msgr Sheahan, asked us to help the usher/greeter corps at all the Masses, Tom was one of the first to volunteer.

And, to the delight and gratitude of THE CONFIDER editor, Tom bought--and made available for our use--a Canon Copier.

FROM OUR GRAND KNIGHT

Raymond P. Flynn

This Columbian Year, Our Lady of Fatima has been selected as the patroness of the California Knights of Columbus. It is very appropriate that we ask Our Lady to watch over us in our forthcoming Quincentennial Year.

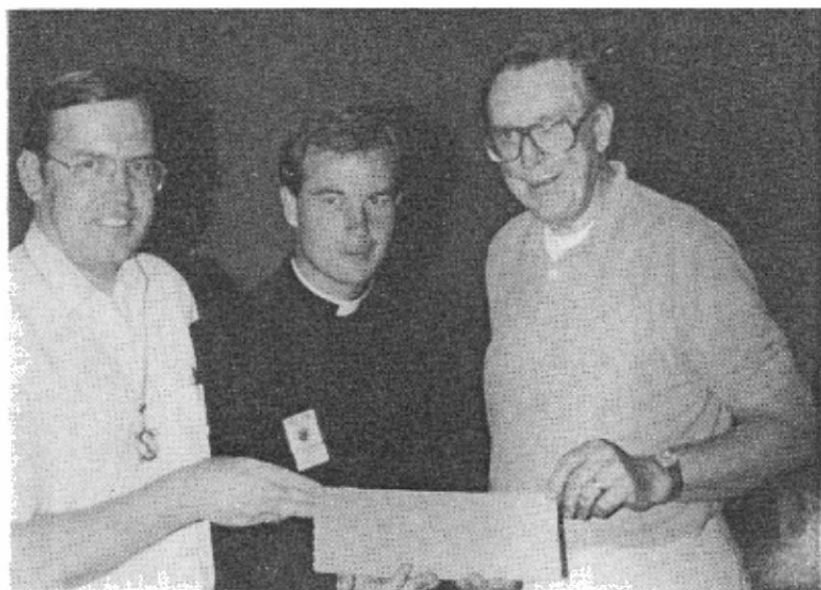
Just as Mary gave Columbus the help to withstand the perils and storms of the sea, let us ask her for the wisdom and strength to withstand the buffets of the naysayers whose sole intent is to abase our Order's namesake, Christopher Columbus.

OUR LADY OF FATIMA, PRAY FOR US!

VESTMENTS FOR THE DEACON

At our July Business Meeting, PCB Chairman Tom Walters and former Treasurer Tom Burke presented a check to Our Seminarian.

After thanking us, Deacon Cavana Wallace told us the \$500 would go towards buying vestments for his ordination to the Holy Priesthood next year.



TOM
WALTERS

DEACON
WALLACE

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BURKE

INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS

Our officers for the 1991-92 Columbian Year (see back page) will be installed on August 15.

We will get off to a good start by first attending the Mass of the Assumption of Mary, Our Blessed Mother, at 6:30 PM in the church.

District Deputy Milt Smith will then preside at the installation ceremony in the parish hall. After which, we will all partake of a potluck repast in Room 8.

Bring a friend and let him learn something about the Knights firsthand.

AUGUST CALENDAR

<u>DATE</u>	<u>ACTIVITY</u>
1	<u>OMC 9776 BUSINESS MEETING</u> , 7:30 PM
4	<u>OMC PANCAKE BREAKFAST</u> , 8:00-10:30 AM YOU HAVE SUPPORTED OUR SEMINARIAN!
6	<u>1ST DEGREE</u> , St. Michael 9590, 7:00 PM Info: Ron Schmitz, 448-9490
8	<u>1ST DEGREE</u> , St. Mark 6979, 7:30 PM Info: Al König, 744-1947
8	<u>1ST DEGREE</u> , San Miguel 3667, 7:00 PM Info: Bob Brown, 670-8101
15	<u>INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS</u> , OMC 9776. SEE RELATED ARTICLE.
15	<u>2ND DEGREE</u> , St. Mark 6979, 7:30 PM Info: Al König, 744-1947
16	<u>CHAPTER MEETING</u> , Regina Coeli 4953, 8:00 PM Info: Joe Doering, 746-0970
19	<u>1ST DEGREE</u> , TBA 4958, 7:00 PM Info: Bill Gushue, 278-3529

2,000,000 BY 2000

Supreme Knight Virgil C. Dechant has sent a new challenge to the Knights of Columbus. At the 1991 Organizational Meeting for State Deputies on 7-9 June, in New Haven, Conn., he urged them--and us--to obtain 2,000,000 members by the year 2000.

"We need to concentrate heavily on membership," he said. "Membership is the name of the game...It is imperative that we bring new blood into the Order, if we want to maintain our current level of performance."

Brother Dechant then told the State Deputies: "The great effort really begins with each of you."

WE HOST 4TH DEGREE

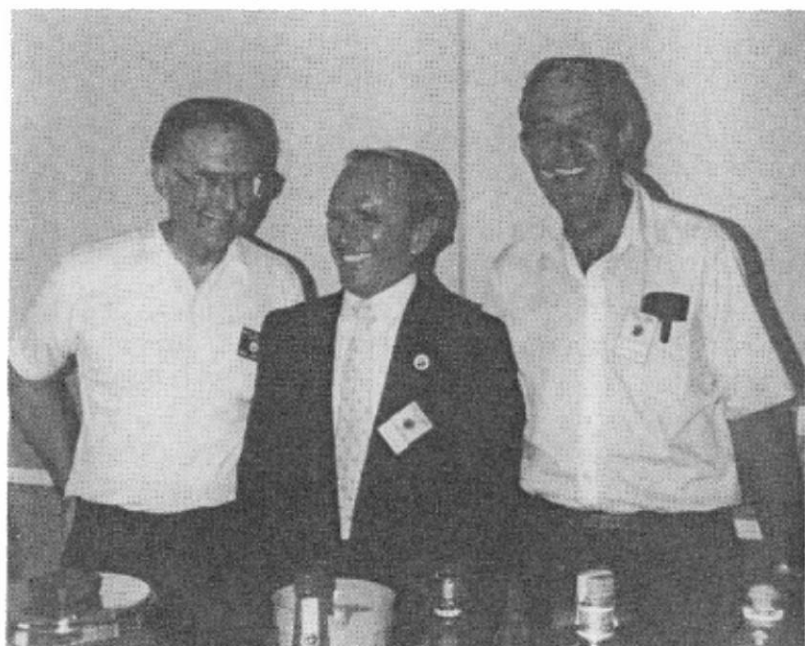
The 4th Degree Assemblies of San Diego held joint Installation of Officers at our parish hall on July 20th.

After the installation ceremony, our Council provided thirst slakers. Bud Kirch manned the bar, assisted by Ed Kuenster and Ray Flynn 2. Bernie Clavet greeted the thirsty patrons and sold bar chits.

Jack Cassidy had (as usual) picked up the liquor license. Ed Kuenster procured the necessary liquids. GK Ray Flynn enlisted the following Knights who were willing to come in on Saturday and set up and clean up the hall:

Tom Burke
Jack Cassidy
Dan Craig
Rodney Jones
John Menard
George Uberti

Father Larry Kelly provided moral support.



ED
KUENSTER

RAY
FLYNN 2

BUD
KIRCH

OUR SEMINARIAN FLIPS

PCB Chairman Tom Walters will accept any kind of help he can get at our PanCake Breakfasts. So, when Deacon Cavana Wallace showed up in the kitchen on Sunday morning, July 7th, Tom put him to work--flipping flapjacks.

Rumor has it that the deacon was doing quite well, until an overzealous flip splattered one half-cooked pancake against the ceiling.

Cavana decided he could do more good (and less harm?) going about, thanking the parishioners. After all, they had made it possible for us to support him financially during the past year.

Cavana also enjoyed telling the parishioners about his favorite babysitter, Heather Flynn. The daughter-in-law of GK Ray and Mary Flynn, Heather used to mind the wee Cavana in Ireland. (We didn't learn how he minded her.)

SOMETHING TO THINK ABOUT

We have been the recipients of the choicest bounties of heaven. We have been preserved these many years in peace and prosperity. We have grown in numbers, wealth, and power as no other nation has ever grown.

But we have forgotten God. We have forgotten the gracious hand which preserved us in peace and multiplied and enriched and strengthened us.

And we have vainly imagined, in the deceitfulness of our hearts, that all these things were produced by some superior wisdom and virtue of our own.

Intoxicated with unbroken success, we have become too self-sufficient to feel the necessity of redeeming and preserving grace, too proud to pray to the God that made us.

Abraham Lincoln

MEMORARE--EVERY MONTH

In August, we commemorate the following feasts of our Blessed Mother:

- 5 Our Lady of the Snow
- 13 Refuge of Sinners
- 15 The Assumption
- 27 Immaculate Heart of Mary
- 28 Health of the Sick

Mary's ASSUMPTION, body and soul, into heaven, marks the culmination of her life on earth.

Mary's CORONATION, as Queen of heaven and earth, signifies the beginning of her life in heaven.

AUGUSTANS OR AUGUSTINIANS?

To paraphrase an old saw, God must have loved Augustans--He sure made a lot of them:

<u>DATE</u>	<u>DATE</u>
2	Earl Gray
3	Bernie Clavet
5	Jim Hammond
6	Tom Walters
11	Al Anderle
11	Ray Flynn 2
19	Stu Westdal
22	Arnold Hess
24	Bill Wilimek

FLIPFLOP FILOSOFY

Inflation affects more than just buying power. Remember when a car with good brakes could stop on a dime? Now it takes a quarter.

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THE ASSUMPTION