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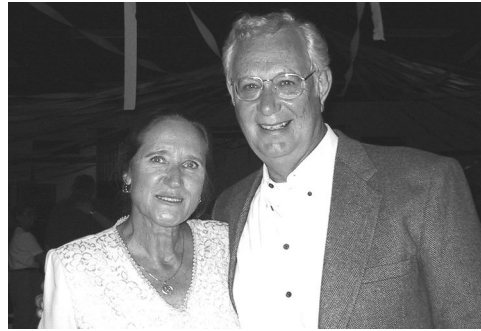


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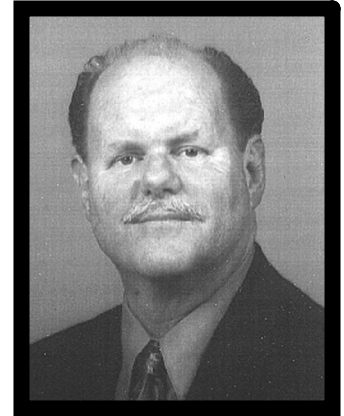


Submitted by: Paul Curzan

On Saturday, April 27, Grand Knight Mike Donovan presented the Santa Barbara Pregnancy Counseling Center (SBPCC) with a check for \$500 from Council 5300 to support the pro-life work of the Center. The occasion for the presentation was the annual Tea by the Sea fund raising event held at the beautiful Serena Cove, beach home of Jack and Frannie Morehart, on Pedaro Lane in Carpinteria. With about 130 people in attendance at the event, GK Mike Donovan presented the SBPCC Board, represented by Board secretary and brother Knight Stan Baran, with the check and reiterated Council 5300's ongoing commitment to the pro-life cause and, in particular, to the work of the Center. Mike noted how closely the work of the Center dovetailed with the goals of the Knights. The Pregnancy Counseling Center, established in 1972, has been serving the young women and men of the community who face an unplanned pregnancy. The Center provides free pregnancy testing through St. Francis Hospital and offers counseling on the alternatives to abortion to anyone regardless of race, creed or religion. Additional help and services are provided to women who elect to keep their babies or those choosing adoption. The Center is also involved in abstinence counseling for the youth of the community. With the exception of a part-time paid director, the organization is staffed entirely by volunteers, including the volunteer Board of Directors. Support for the work of the Center is provided by private donations and two fund raising events held each year, one of which is the Tea by the Sea. The Center extended its sincere thanks to Council 5300 for this donation and for the Knights' continued support over the years. Without this support, the Center would not be able to continue providing this valuable service to the community.

Grand Knight's Report *Bits and Bytes*

By: Michael Donovan, Grand Knight



Charity is a high calling of Council 5300 and as Grand Knight, I had the pleasure to respond with the Council's generous contribution to a worthwhile organization. On April 27th, on behalf of Council 5300, I presented a check for \$500 to the Santa Barbara Pregnancy Counseling Center during its annual Tea by the Sea held at the Carpinteria home of Jack and Frannie Morehart. Brother Knight Paul Curzan donated his time and talent through the afternoon event as the "set up and sound system manager". Evelina Curzan was the excellent Mistress of Ceremonies. It is no surprise to find the Curzans actively involved in events, which support pro-life issues and agencies. The St. Raphael's Women's Auxiliary received assistance of quite another sort. Council 5300 received an invitation, which requested the honor of two Knights' participation during the Auxiliary's April 13th

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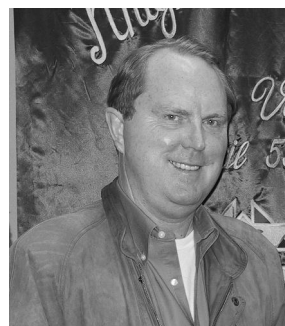
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**I used to ask God to help me.
Then I asked if I might Help him.**

Hudson Taylor

PROGRAM DIRECTOR'S REPORT
By Brian Klinge, Deputy Grand Knight



The impossible is often the untried, (Jim Goodwin) In June the incoming Grand Knight will start contacting Brother Knights to take on the responsibility of directing our Service Programs: Church, Council, Family, Youth, Community, Membership and Pro-life. You do not need experience, as there will be mentors to assist you. Give some thought to becoming a Director and call me at 967-4753 or Rich Scholl at 683-8874. You will find this a rich and rewarding experience. You will also find Brother Knights willing to help you. As you look over the event calendar for the next three months, call and volunteer to work one or more of the events coming up

MAY

01	Wed.	Los Padres Chapter Meeting, Santa Barbara Serra Hall, 7:30 PM
06	Mon.	Officers Meeting, Conference Room, 8 PM
12	Sun.	Mother's Day Hand Out Orchids at Masses
13	Mon	Business Meeting, Meeting Rm. 108 A/B of PCC, 7:30 PM
15	Wed.	2 nd Degree, Arroyo Grande, 7:30 preceded by 1 st Degree 7:00
16	Thurs.	California State Convention, Fresno, 16 th thru 19 th
27	Mon.	Memorial Day Picnic, Stow Park, 12 to 5 PM



JUNE

3	Mon.	Officers Meeting, Conference Room, 8 PM
10	Mon .	Business Meeting, Meeting Rm. 108 A/B of PCC, 7:30 PM
15	Sat.	Grand Knight's Party, Parish Hall, 6:00 – 8:00 PM
24	Mon.	Business Dinner Meeting, Parish Hall, 6:00PM to 8:00 PM
30	Sun.	Corporate Communion Mass, 9:30 AM

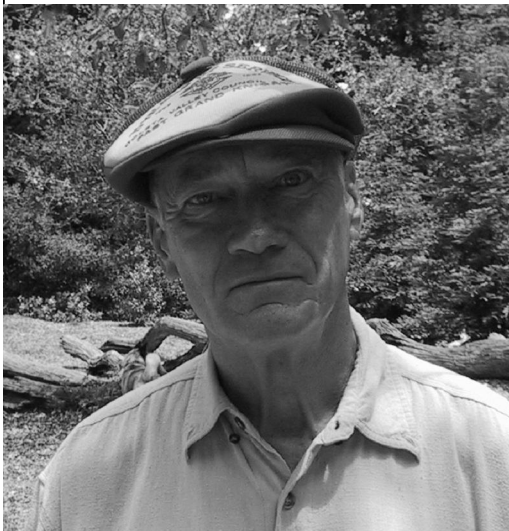


JULY

1	Mon.	Officers Meeting, Conference Room, 8 PM
8	Mon.	Business Meeting, Meeting Rm. 108 A/B of PCC, 7:30 PM
10	Wed.	Los Padres Chapter Meeting, Ventura Council, 7:30-9:00PM
27	Fri.	Pre-Fiesta Dinner / Dance, Parish Hall, 6:30PM to 11:00 PM
28	Sun.	Parish Breakfast, Parish Hall, After 7:00, 8:00, and 9:30 AM Masses



Financial Secretary's Report
16 March – 15 April 2002



The council recorded expenses of \$1,747.03 and income of \$2,685.88 during the March 16, 2002 through April 15, 2002 period. In addition to normal expenses for pantry supplies, office copying, and meeting refreshments, the 16 expense items included \$1,268.98 for the final Lenten fish fries (Including \$120 to the Youth Group for their help; \$110.04 to the Supreme Council (\$73 for catholic advertising and the rest for place mats; and \$100 to Catholic Charities.

The income included \$2,021.25 total from the final fish fries, \$409 from the 24 March breakfast, and \$237.15 from member payments.

The council added two new members (Ignacio Andrade and I William McLafferty) at the first degree on 8 April, and lost none during this period. Membership currently totals 206.

To maintain a well-balanced perspective, the person who has a dog to worship him should also have a cat to ignore him.
Author Unknown

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Grand Knight's Report
Bits and Bytes



By: Michael Donovan, Grand Knight

Wedding Faire Fashion Show and Luncheon. Brother Knight Paul Coyne and I donned our tuxedos and had the distinct privilege of escorting twenty-nine lovely brides from center stage.

During the April Officers' Meeting, a Nominations Committee was formed in order to prepare a slate of candidates for the Columbian Year 2002-2003. The Council Trustees charged with this responsibility are Past Grand Knights Felix Sanchez, Dale Wenzinger and Frank Castello. An outstanding slate of candidates has been offered and is presented in the Knightline. Qualifications for candidacy include: interest and commitment, dues paid through the past quarter, 3rd Degree status in the Council. If your name not on list of candidates and you would like to run for officer position, the Trustees' telephone numbers are listed on page 11. Please attend the May and June Council Business Meetings to discuss candidacy with the Trustees.

The Knights of Columbus Centennial California State Convention is scheduled for May 16th through May 19th in Fresno. All Knights are invited to attend the Convention and to participate in the schedule of events. Deputy Grand Knight Brian Klinge and I will attend as Delegates. Resolutions will be presented during the Convention and the two delegates from each State Council will be permitted to vote. Council 5300's annual Memorial Day Picnic will be on Monday, May 27th at Stow Grove Park in Goleta. Memorial Day 2002 will have special significance because of September 11 and the continuing war against terrorism being fought in Afghanistan. Please attend Mass at 10 am at St. Raphael's and bring your family and friends to the afternoon picnic. This is a day to remember, to pray and to be filled with gratitude for those who have served or are in service to our Nation.

The month of May is traditionally devoted to Mary, Our Mother. Consider praying a daily Rosary with your family. The Hispanic Community of St. Raphael's will celebrate a bilingual Rosary every Tuesday during May.

Knight of the Month
Leonard Gonzales

By: Michael Donovan, Grand Knight



Behind the lines is the description of Leonard Gonzales' consistent dedicated service to Council 5300 and St. Raphael's Parish.

Leonard, a 4th Degree Knight, joined the Knights of Columbus in May 1998, providing Council 5300 with enthusiasm and commitment to volunteerism. He has been a capable member of the pancake breakfast crew, donates time for traffic control, distributes orchids on Mothers' Day Weekend and adds much to the success of the Fiesta Coke Booth, an important element in the Council's fundraising for charitable works. Without hesitation, Leonard is behind the wheel of his truck transporting orrills from Carpinteria in each May and booth inventory during August.

During Columbian Year 2001-2002, Leonard has served in the Office of Inside Guard and has accepted the nomination for this post for the approaching Columbian Year, 202-2003. Leonard is a member of the Cobr Corps and holds the position of Faithful Outer Sentinel for Junipero Serra Assembly.

For his quiet, consistent behind the lines work which contributes to the successful work of Council 5300, I am privileged to nominate Leonard Gonzales, Knight of the Month.

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Family of the Month
Robert and Cecilia Marks

By: Michael Donovan, Grand Knight



A day in May 2001 was "push the panic button" time when Brother Paul Curzan notified me that he must cease his excellent work as Council 5300's Pro Life Director. I reviewed the position and its responsibilities with Council members. A moment's inspiration resulted in a change from a single Pro Life Director to a Pro Life Couple. I contacted a strong family oriented, life giving couple known within the St. Raphael Community and the greater Santa Barbara/Goleta area, Robert and Cecilia Marks. Without hesitation, Bob and Cecilia said "yes".

Bob and Cecilia co-author the Gospel of Life each month for the Council's Knightline. The column reflects their strong commitment to Faith and family, to the rights of the most vulnerable of society's members and their willingness to stand firmly against all which challenges life from conception to natural death. The Santa Barbara News-Press has printed the Marks' pro-life letters in its Letters to the Editor column for several years.

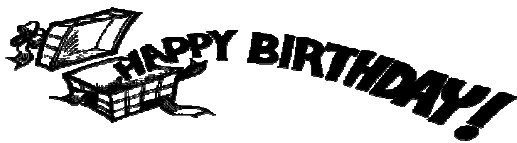
Bob, a 3^d Degree Knight for two years, and Cecilia, Director of Early Childhood Education, contribute their time and energy to St. Raphael's. They are Eucharistic Ministers, participate in the small prayer group program, assist with the annual Parish Picnic and in past years, were very active in the parish-scouting program. Working as a team, Bob and Cecilia prepared the first annual Day of the Unborn for the Knights of Columbus, which encouraged all Knights to witness to the rights of the unborn.

Bob and Cecilia are the parents of five children and as a family, they celebrated the wedding of their son Christopher to Noemi on April 26th. Msgr. Steve presided at this most joyous occasion which welcomed a new member to the Marks family.

It is with great thanks and praise that I am privileged to nominate Bob and Cecilia Marks as Family of the Month.

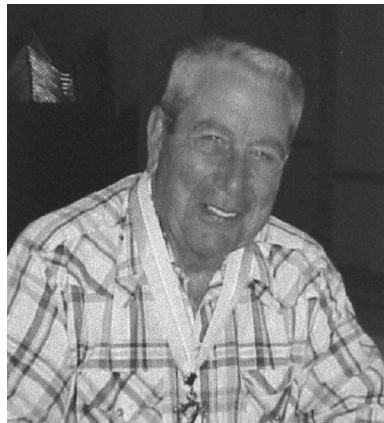
CATCH THE SPIRIT

Name	B'Day
Carlos Cohen	4-May
Albert S. Moriarty Jr.	8-May
Paul E. Christiansen	9-May
Ronald E. Fuller	11-May
Rev Alberto Ledesma	12-May
Paul F. Strittmatter I	2-May
Frank J. Pineda	13-May
George M. Romich	13-May
Francis J. Donohoe Jr.	18-May
Roy K. Fong	18-May
Leonard H. Mooy	19-May
Edward Ochoa	20-May
George Vitalari	21-May



Membership Drive for May

By: Ralph Wengler,
Membership Director



Council 5300 and Council 1684 were pleased to report the admittance of new members during the April 8th Business Meeting.

Goleta Valley Council 5300 is proud to announce that Brother J. William (Bill) McLafferty and Ignacio (Nash) Andrade completed the required Form 100. Brother William is Superior Court Judge and a familiar, long time member of St. Raphael Parish and St. Raphael School. The Council has enjoyed the support of the McLafferty family for several years. Brother Ignacio is employed at University of California, Santa Barbara, where he works with his sponsor, Brother Knight Joe Castro. Nash presents to the Council the dynamism of youth!

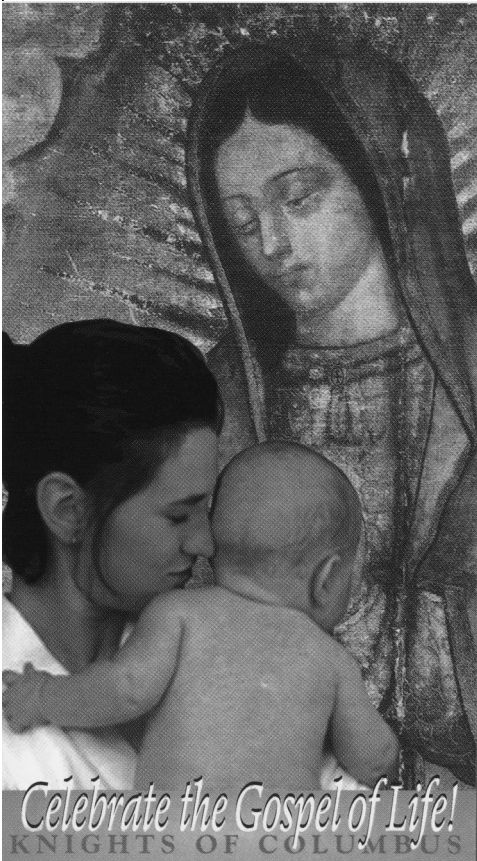
Council 5300 extends to our Brother Knights its welcome and encouragement to progress. Advancement to 2nd and 3rd degrees during this Columbian Year is a strong possibility for our new Brother Knights.

Church Director's Report **Traffic Control During Holy Week** *By: Chris Arnoult, Church Director and* *Michael Donovan, Grand Knight*



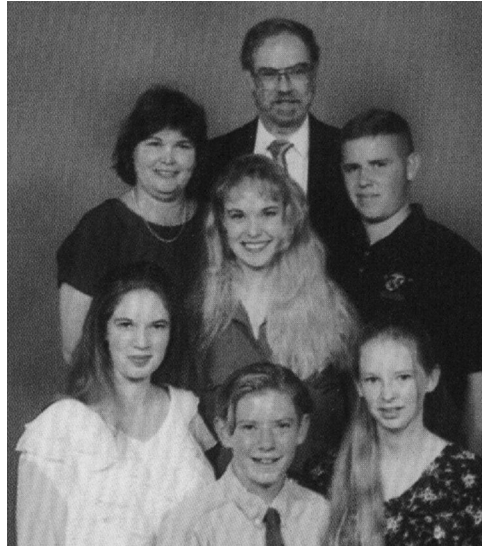
Within the church, the parishioners may be singing Flow River, Flow but in the parking lot, Council 5300 is on duty that the traffic will flow. Annually, the Council members volunteer hours and expertise during the Triduum, the holiest and the busiest time of our Church year.

Beginning with the celebration of the Last Supper on Holy Thursday and concluding after the "double" Masses of Easter Sunday morning, parking control was the willing responsibility of a number of Brother Knights. Sincere appreciation is expressed to the men who courteously guided parishioners and visitors as they entered and exited St. Raphael's facilities: Hal Thompson, Rich Scholl, Stan Bran, Richard Danduran, Rich Evans, Jim Bradbury, Paul Coyne, Bob Marks, Paul Curzan, Ricardo Garcia, Mark Christman, James Breyman, John Kestel, John Lacey and Ralph Wengler. A special mention is extended to Ralph for volunteering during several liturgies. My apologies if we have failed to recognize a Brother Knight's service.



Contraception and the Church Teaching

**By Robert and Cecilia Marks,
Pro-Life Couple**



O Mary,
bright dawn of the new world,
Mother of the living,
to you do we entrust the *cause of life*:
Look down, O Mother,
upon the vast numbers
of babies not allowed to be born,
of the poor whose lives are made difficult,
of men and women
who are victims of brutal violence,
of the elderly and the sick killed
by indifference or out of misguided mercy.
Grant that all who believe in your Son
may proclaim *the Gospel of life*
with honesty and love
to the people of our time.
Obtain for them the grace
to *accept that Gospel*
as a gift ever new,
the joy of *celebrating* it with gratitude
throughout their lives
and the courage to *bear witness* to it
resolutely, in order to build,
together with all people of good will,
the civilization of truth and love,
to the praise and glory of God,
the Creator and lover of life.

- "Evangelium Vitae" *Joannes Paulus PP. II*

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Have you ever owned a beautifully hand knit sweater that you really liked and often? The color may have complimented a number of your other clothes or maybe it was one of those "comfort" things you could throw on when you wanted to relax. The down side of having a favorite knitted sweater is its vulnerability to snagging. When the yarn snags, it distorts the knitted stitch which makes it vulnerable to snag again. Once this happens, the yarn may break and the sweater will start to unravel. Once it starts to unravel, the sweater is never the same—it no longer serves the purpose for which it was made. We can apply this "sweater" concept to the understanding of the Gospel of Life.

Until 1930, the universal teaching in Christian churches was that contraception was wrong. It was equated to loose morals and loose living. Then in 1931 the Anglican Church broke with this belief and allowed contraception in marriage for special circumstances. In this same year, Pope Pius XI wrote his encyclical "On Christian Marriage" where he reiterated the teaching of the Church on contraception.

By 1960, 66% of Catholics were living by the laws of the Church. In 1994, 80% of Catholics were practicing contraception and 30% of Catholics were sterilized making Catholics in line with non-Catholics. In a thirty-year period, what caused the snagging of our moral threads?

In the next article, we will show how the wide spread acceptance of contraception opened the door to abortion, euthanasia, etc.

The Natural Choice is Life

**GOLETA VALLEY KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS
COUNCIL 5300
OFFICERS NOMINATIONS FOR 2002 – 2003**

Submitted by Nominations Committee of the Council Trustees

POSITION	NOMINEE
Grand Knight	Brian Klinge
Deputy Grand Knight	Richard Scholl
Chancellor	John Vogel
Warden	Terry Sliger
Advocate	Chris Arnoult
Recorder	William Regis
Treasurer	Jack Turney
Outside Guard	Tom Cordeiro
Outside Guard	Jose Meza
Inside Guard	Leonard Gonzales
Trustee I	Michael Donovan
Trustee II	Frank Castelo
Trustee III	Dale Wenzinger

APPOINTED OFFICERS:

Chaplain	TBD
Financial Secretary	William McNamara
Lecturer	Joe Ponce

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Article Submitted by: Frank Castello PGK



Worthy State Officers, District Deputies, and Grand Knights:

Television Advertising Schedule

As you are aware of, this past December the Order embarked on a national advertising campaign with the "Shoulder to Shoulder" television ad.

The continuation of this advertising campaign is scheduled for broadcast from April 19 through May 30, airing on major broadcasting and cable stations throughout the United States and in parts of Canada.

Unfortunately, it is customary with a national advertising campaign that the "buy time" is not finalized until just prior to the start of the campaign run. When this schedule becomes available, the plans are to have it posted on the Order's Website, thereby allowing all members access to the schedule so they can determine local broadcast dates.

My Brothers, please contact all Knights of Columbus members in your Districts and Councils so that they are aware that the ads will be showing. Something in your Council bulletins would be appropriate. We will try to get the information on the State Website also.

Fraternally,
Jim Scroggin
State Deputy



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Mater Dolorosa Retreat Center

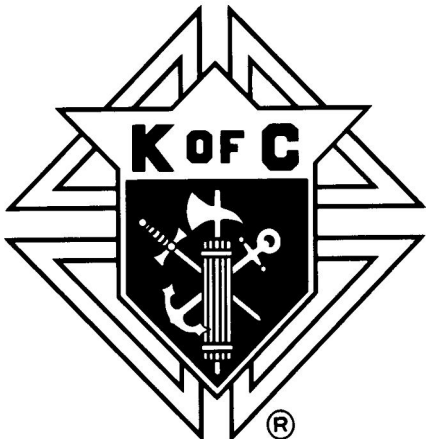
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Retreat 2002



March 2002, Mater Dolorosa Retreat

Brother Knights in attendance: Bruce Velasco, John Meagher, Tom Puerling, John Moynihan, Rob Richards, Frank Castelo, Deacon Wayne Rascati, Ralph Modugno, Ken DeVore, Sam Alfano with son Mark, John Lacey with son Patrick, Ted Osborne, Don Aubry,



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Uthe thru Vogel
Ward thru Znovena

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Felix Sanchez 964-3398

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Barens thru Gonzales
Guglielmino thru Pietrzak
Savio thru Velasquez

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Livia Doderio 967-4153
Millie Bertuzzi 968-9900

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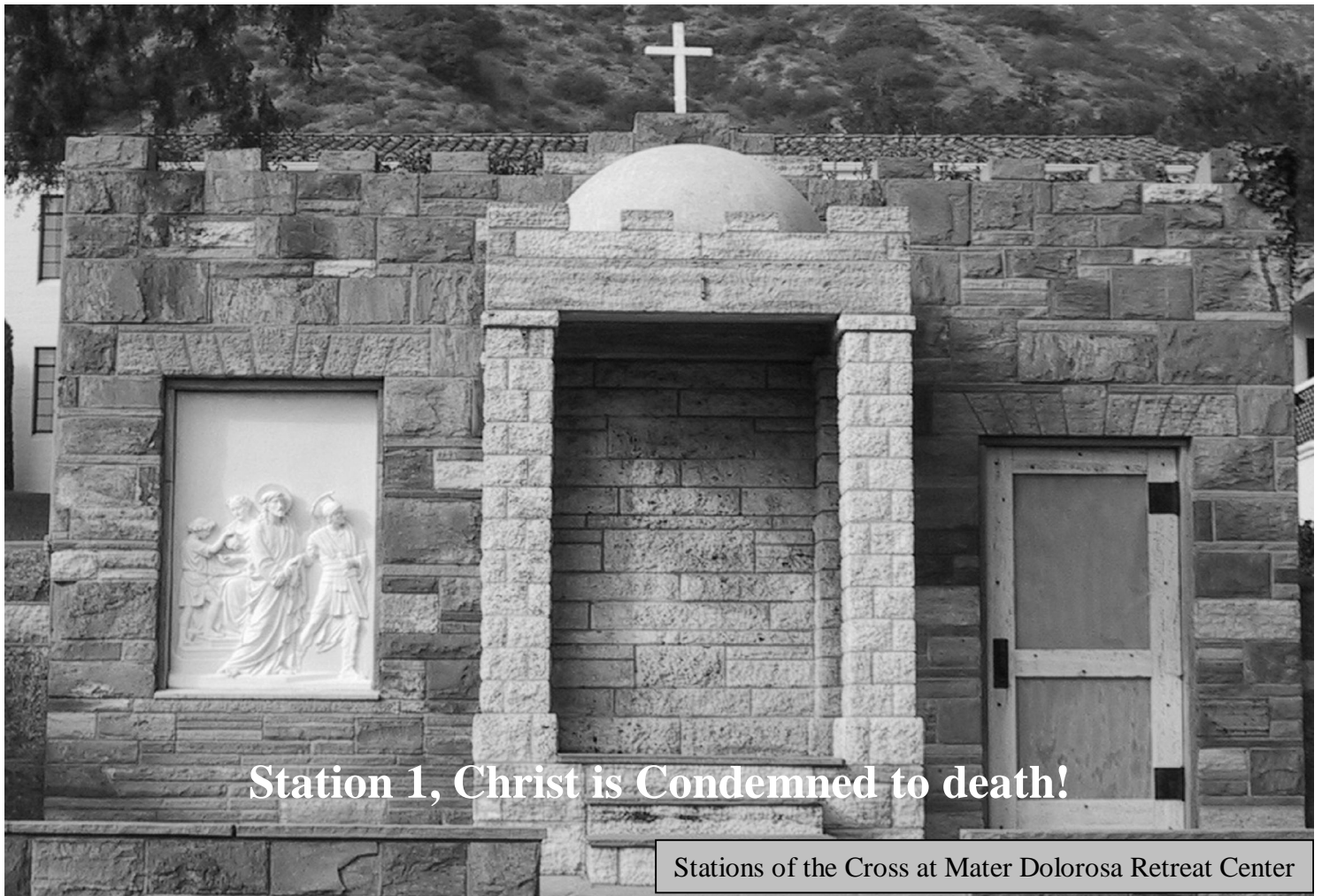
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Tom Cordeiro 964-2878
Robert Clarke 964-7599
Robert and Cecelia Marks 968-6008
Ralph Wengler 967-3109
Bob Jamond 649-7221

“Strength is the capacity to break a chocolate bar into Four pieces with your bare hands and then eat just one Of the pieces.”

Judith Viorst



Station 1, Christ is Condemned to death!

Stations of the Cross at Mater Dolorosa Retreat Center

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