



# OASIS KNIGHTLINE

**Knights of Columbus  
Council 4828 - Fallon, Nevada**

*Charity  
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## 2006/2007 Officers

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## Installation of Officers and Awards Ceremony Dinner

Council 4828 held our annual Installation of Officers Ceremony and Awards Dinner on 5 August. Instead of having it at the Fallon Eagle's Hall, this year we decided to have it at Moiola Hall and do our own steak dinner. Approximately 40 Knights and family members were in attendance.

After dinner was served, Past Grand Knight Cliff Cramer presented various awards and certificates, including the Knight of the Month awards for each of twelve months of the 2004/2005 Columbian Year, the Knight of the Year award, and the Family of the Year award.

**Knight of the Year** was presented to Br. Tom Lukas for all of the many Council and church activities he either coordinated or participated in throughout the year. The Council appreciates Tom for everything he does, and this award was well deserved.

**Family of the Year** was presented to Jeff and Sheila Scholz and their daughter, Mary, for their participation and support in various church and Council functions throughout the year, including the Council-sponsored semi-monthly Living Rosary services, various youth activities, and other church ministries.

This year's Grand Knight, Dennis Kathrein, also shared a few words about the current and on-going Columbian Year. The Council wishes to thank Br. Elmo Dericco for chairing this event and also to all of the other Br. Knights who helped with the coordination, set-up, cooking, cleanup, etc.

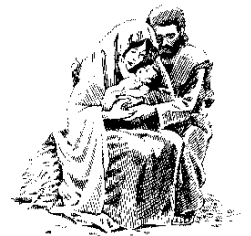
For reference, our new officers are listed in the column to the left of this article. Congratulations to each of them. Please provide them with your full support throughout the on-going Columbian Year.

(Pictures are shown on the new "Photo Finish" page.)

## Remember to Keep Christ In Christmas

In Spring of 2002, Council 4828, upon the recommendation of Br. Kurt Carlson, submitted the following resolution to the Nevada State Council and it was subsequently passed. Not much has changed over the past four years and, in many ways, our Christian beliefs and customs are being attacked even more, often on a daily basis.

Therefore, since this is the Council's last newsletter before the onset of the Advent, Christmas, and the holiday season, this resolution is, once again, being reprinted, as a reminder to all Brother Knights to continue to "Keep Christ in Christmas." Therefore, as we all begin to think about our Christmas giving, let us keep the intent of this resolution in mind:



**Whereas, there is a known Knight program of "Keeping Christ in Christmas"**

**and Whereas, there is a progressive incrementalism of American society that continues to erode any Christian root of Christmas, except for the purchase of gifts**

**and Whereas, younger generations are in danger of not knowing, through "political correctness," the true meaning of Christmas.**

**Be it resolved that: All Knights and their families, to the best of their conscience, support those businesses, or those communities, that have the courage to continue to display appropriate Christmas images**

**and be it further resolved: That all councils read this resolution at their meeting closest to Advent.**

Similar to last year, throughout Advent, a series of "Keep Christ In Christmas" posters will be displayed in the Council's two poster frames, adjacent to the Church bulletin board. Our large of "Keep Christ In Christmas" yard banner will also be displayed somewhere on the church grounds.