

**RESOLUTION OF CONGRATULATIONS, GRATITUDE AND APPRECIATION TO  
BROTHER KNIGHTS OF COUNCIL 12345 WHO HAVE ACHIEVED OVER FORTY  
YEARS OF DEVOTED SERVICE TO THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS**

**WHEREAS**, the following members of Council 12345 have maintained their membership in the Knights of Columbus for over forty years:

SK John Doe  
65 years (February 16, 1955)

Jim Doe  
63 years (June 13, 1956)

John Smith  
63 years (August 11, 1956)

SK Jim Smith  
62 years (September 10, 1957)

Johnny Doe  
62 years (March 1, 1958)

Msgr James Doe  
61 years (November 8, 1958)

James Smith  
59 years (April 7, 1960)

Johnny Smith  
56 years (February 1, 1964)

Joe Doe  
55 years (October 12, 1964)

Joseph Smith  
55 years (October 11, 1964)

Joey Smith  
55 years (November 15, 1964)

Jack Doe, Jr  
54 years (April 16, 1965)

SK Jack Smith  
54 years (August 10, 1965)

William Smith  
53 years (June 9, 1966)

Bill Doe  
53 years (March 1, 1967)

SK William Doe  
50 years (November 1, 1969)

SK Billy Smith  
48 years (August 1, 1971)

Horace Smith  
48 years (March 1, 1972)

Jose M. Doe  
47 years (November 1, 1972)

Robert Doe  
46 years (April 1, 1973)

George Smith  
45 years (November 7, 1974)

SK Bob Doe  
44 years (September 6, 1975)

Michael A. Smith  
42 years (March 19, 1978)

SK Harry Smith  
40 years (November 22, 1979)

SK Leroy Doe  
40 years (November 5, 1979)

Leon Smith  
40 years (February 4, 1980); and

**WHEREAS**, these members, through their sustained support and participation have helped support the spiritual mission of First Catholic Church in the City of Somewhere and of other parishes previously and currently affiliated with the Council; and

**WHEREAS**, these members have helped further the charitable works of the Council through their personal involvement in Council programs and activities; and

**WHEREAS**, the members' commitment has helped enable Council 12345 to have a continuous service to the Knights of Columbus in excess of one hundred eighteen years.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that in view of their dedication and service to the Council, the Knights of Columbus, the Church, and the Community, the delegates to the 120<sup>th</sup> California Annual State Council Meeting on May 20-21, 2022 in Sacramento extend congratulations and appreciation to each of these members for their years of loyal and dedicated service to our beloved Order; and

**FURTHER RESOLVED**, that the State Secretary be directed to forward a certified copies of this resolution to the Grand Knight of First Catholic Church Council 12345 to present to the brothers listed above.

Attested: *(insert Date)*

*John Smith*

John Smith, Grand Knight

*James Jones*

James Jones, Recorder

