

April 10, 1969

The Hon. Mayor of San Francisco  
Joseph Alioto  
San Francisco City & County Bldg.  
San Francisco, California

Re: Oxnard Knights of Columbus  
Annual Civic Night  
Tuesday, October 14, 1969

Dear Mayor Alioto:

Mrs. Jane Tolmach "Mrs. Democrat of Ventura County" suggested that I write to you directly in hopes of securing an acceptance by you to be our guest speaker at our annual Civic Night. Each year in October we honor and pay tribute to our elected and appointed civic officials in our community and we have been successful in securing some notable speakers in the past; namely Jesse M. Unruh, former Speaker of the Assembly, Governor Edmund G "Pat" Brown, Governor Ronald Reagan, T.V. Commentator Tom Duggan, U.S. Congressman Charles Teague and others.

Our Civic Night is normally scheduled for the second Tuesday of October. However, we realize that you have your own schedule and can be flexible and schedule our affair on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of the first three weeks in October. By the way, Oxnard Council 750 is not just another Knights of Columbus Council. We are the third oldest in the State (San Francisco #1, Los Angeles #2), have a membership of 600 and in statewide competition have been judged the best Council in the State for four of the past five years. We are also one of the few Councils that have recently moved to new quarters and we feel that we have one of the finest Knights of Columbus facilities in the State. Three Hundred plus at our Civic Night is a normal attendance including the invited guests which number about 100. These are comprised of Ventura County Board of Supervisors, Mayors, City Councilmen, Chiefs of Police, Chiefs of Fire Departments, Superintendents of Elementary and High School Districts, the elected School Board Officials, Municipal and Superior Court Judges, Ventura County Sheriff, Head of the Highway



Patrol, State Assemblyman, Ken MacDonald, State Senator Bob Largomarsino, the County and City appointed officials, those in Command of the Military Installations; Oxnard Air Force Base, Pacific Missile Range and Naval Air Station and other units at Pt. Mugu, C.B.C. Naval Base in Port Hueneme, Home of the Seabees, Postal Officials and etc. These officials are generally from Oxnard, Port Hueneme and Camarillo. As you can see, this is the "Cream of the Crop" of the Who's Who in this part of the County.

Mayor, I trust that you can see fit to give this invitation serious consideration and will honor us by being our Speaker in October. Jane Tolmach has advised me, and I must agree, that you must be made aware of what a great opportunity this is for you to present yourself to the leading citizens of our area. As a fellow Democrat, I certainly hope that we will receive a favorable reply.

Most Sincerely Yours,

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Jim Davi

*Hope you follow up  
Jane - can give us a soon.  
Best Regards for your H.S. Board  
on this very soon. ask Joe Crookly  
re-election to the influence  
Why don't you use his photo?  
Andy*