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Funny Quotes by Famous People

“It is wonderful to be in the great state of Chicago”
Dan Quayle former vice president of the United States

SCJ MASTER COUNCILOR



It's that time of year again. DeMolay Month is over and the countdown to Conclave 2006 is ticking away. I hope everyone has had an enjoyable year so far. I was glad to see more than twenty new members initiated at Membership Class. More young men now have the opportunity to change their lives for the better, to gain experiences they never knew they would have, to meet new people, and to create life-long friendships they never thought possible. The campaign for new members should not happen once a year, but rather should occur on a daily basis. Lets not stop at 20 new members, or even 100, because there are thousands of young men in our jurisdiction alone who are starving for such an organization as DeMolay to come into their lives.

Brian James

SCJ DEPUTY MASTER COUNCILOR



Conclave is almost here and SCJ is looking to break positive in membership. Congratulations to the chapters that brought new members to membership class and to the first term award winners. This is the half way point and if we are going to be number one we need to pump up our game. We should be looking for members all the time and it should be a priority. If you need help getting people initiated don't be afraid to ask your presidents or jurisdiction officers. We are here to help you achieve the goals you and your chapter wish to reach. We need to work together to keep this jurisdiction number one.

Tony Fernandez

SCJ SWEETHEART



Hey SCJ!! I hope that everyone has had a good couple of months. The SPD & ICD Sweethearts Balls were wonderful and everyone looked so great!! I hope that everyone had fun. The membership class went so well, it was a great way to start off the weekend. Congrats to everyone who received trophies!! Devotional Day at Six Flags had a great turnout, and I had a lot of fun, hopefully everyone else did too. I will be seeing you guys around, remember to keep on traveling, this year is starting to get busy!!!

**Sweetheart Love and Cowgirl Kisses
Rachael Regnier**

District Discussion

ICD

“ Sure there has been some injuries and deaths in boxing-but none of them were serious”

Alan Minter, Boxer

To My Brothers of SCJ,

Hello everyone! I hope everyone had a great “DeMolay” Month and an awesome April. I would like to thank all of those who participated in our membership class. You all did a fantastic job and performed two of the best degrees that I have seen in a long time. Thank you to all who came to Devo day and supported the Jurisdiction and its charity. Congratulations to Walt Disney Chapter for finishing first in ICD Basketball and Congratulations to Excelsior for finishing second. On May 20th we are planning a Dodge ball tournament and I hope that everyone can go to that. Thanks a lot guys and have a great day.

Fraternally,
Matthew Pinzon ICD President 05-06

Hey Guys,

Well, hello you friendly fellows! I hope everyone had a BLAST at Devo Day, because I sure did! I also would like to thank the Jurisdiction for showing their support at ICD events, it makes them all more enjoyable. Well, it is now officially installation season again and I can't wait to see you guys and all the new members you've received! I love you guys, see you all soon! !

Jessica Stibich
ICD Sweetheart 2005-2006



IED

“ I go to a lot of over-sea places like Canada”
Pop Singer Britney Spears

What is up Southern California,

This month we have had some great times in the I.E.D.. Hope you guys had a great time at Devo day, I know that I did and congratulations to everyone who got to go to Magic Mountain for free. Our District lock-in was a huge success and we had a great turn out. Remember to go out there and ask your friends to join. It is important to keep this year going strong so that the inland empire can be the best district out there. We want to keep sprit going all the way into conclave which is right around the corner. I hope to see you all at the sweethearts ball in honor of our wonderful sweetheart Ashley Dotter. Remember to Embrace the Empire.

Hello SCJ!

Things in the Inland Empire are going mighty fine. Devotional Day has definitely increased our spirit and brotherhood, and I hope you enjoyed your day at Six Flags. The penny wars still continues, so don't forget to keep giving that change to the Sweetheart's milk jugs. I hope to see you all at our Sweethearts Ball on April 29th, I know Sarah and I are super excited. Take care and remember to EMBRACE the EMPIRE!

All-star love and Hugs,
Ashley Dotter
Inland Empire District Sweetheart 05-06



OASIS

“ I have opinions of my own-strong opinions– I just don’t always agree with them”

George Bush Former President of the United States

Hey SCJ!!!!

Everything is going great in Oasis District. I am proud to say that Torrance chapter got 11 new members at membership class, they just doubled their membership!! I believe I am the only president to say that, Oasis was the only district to meet their membership goal for the Dad Reed membership class this March. It is the beginning of Installation season so I hope that i see everyone out traveling to make DeMolay grow and to help our brothers through out SCJ. And always remember, have a blast Oasis. See you around.

Matt Terzian

Oasis District President

Hello Boys!

I hope everyone is enjoying this year so far. I know that I am having tons of fun. I am looking forward to seeing all of you at the upcoming installations. Also, I would like to congratulate the recently installed officers. Good luck on your terms. As for the Sweethearts in Oasis, I will let all of you know what we have coming up at a later date.



SPD

“ We are going to turn this team around 360 degrees”

Jason Kidd when he joined the Dallas Mavericks

Brethren,

With DeMolay month behind us and summer coming, its time to start preparing for a large change. Chapters will be holding their installations soon and then comes summer. I am looking forward to getting out there and seeing all of you at the events this upcoming summer and I know that it is going to be one to remember. The District is taking it a little easy to go out and view the installations and help the chapters with starting up their term. I know that Agate will be traveling to Texas April 7-9 to compete at the international ritual competition. I would like to wish them the best of luck and know that they will make SPD and SCJ proud and bring back a victory. We have one event coming up these next two months and that is our district beach party on May 20th. I hope to see everyone there and know that it is going to be a blast. So keep enjoying your DeMolay experiences, and always, always remember...

SOUTHWEST!!!!!! Oh Yeah!!

Joe Valenzuela SPD President 05-06

Hello everyone,

I want to take this time to thank you for attending my sweetheart’s ball, and for your congratulations and support. Also I would like to thank you for giving me the opportunity to represent Southwest Pacific District, and I appreciate everyone for being kind to me, and trying to involve me in conversations. I hope to get to know you all better, and attend more events..

Kori Shannon SPD Sweetheart



April 2006

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
						1 Liberal Arts, Whittier, and Foothill Inst.
2 Oasis Basketball	3	4	5 Oasis Visitation to Pasadena	6	7	8 Grand Assembly 8-11
9 I.E.D. Meeting at Scottish Rite	10	11	12	13 S.P.D. Meeting at Shrine	14	15 Yorba Linda and Redlands Installation
16 Easter Holiday	17	18	19 Deadline for S.C.J. Basketball	20 Shrine Circus 20-23	21	22 S.C.J. Basketball, L.C. Kelly installation
23	24	25	26 I.C.D. meeting at excelsior	27	28	29 Oasis Soccer, Orange Inst, I.E.D. Sweethearts Ball
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SCJ PRINCESS



Hello Boys!!

I hope everyone is enjoying the start of the next installation season. March was a busy month, and full of lots of fun events. I wish all of the incoming Master Councilors and Sweethearts good luck on their respective terms. Don't forget about the upcoming Sweetheart Balls, Sporting events, and the Charity events that the Sweethearts are putting together. We are hoping to be able to participate in the MS Walk once again, and start up an effort to do Beach Clean Ups. Please help the Sweethearts Program in our efforts to better our surrounding communities! I look forward

to seeing all of you very soon!

Princess Aurora Kisses & Cowgirl Jesse Hugs,

Natalie James

SCJ Princess 2005-2006

May 2006

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1	2	3	4 Oasis Visitation to Old West	5	6 Huntington Beach Inst., Oasis Sweethearts Ball
7 S.C.J. Planning Session, P.S.D. Meeting	8	9	10 Deadline for S.C.J. Soccer, S.P.D. Visitation to Coronado	11 S.P.D. Meeting at shrine	12	13 S.C.J. Soccer, Walt Disney Installation
14 I.E.D. Meeting at Scottish Rite	15	16	17	18	19	20 Excelsior Inst, Oasis Sports Day, S.P.D. Day at the Beach
21	22	23 I.C.D. Meeting at Yorba Linda	24	25	26 I.E.D. Camp 26-29	27
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JURISDICTION DAD



With the Spring and Summer comes the most exciting and active part of the DeMolay year. There are chapter, district, and jurisdiction events happening all over the place for you to attend and participate in. But more importantly, there are numerous opportunities to meet new friends and become even closer to your brothers of this order. DeMolay affords you the opportunity to make friends that will last a lifetime. The things you do today, many of which may seem ordinary, will be the topic of happy reminiscences between you and those lifelong friends years from now. So take advantage of the opportunity to make some memories for tomorrow by participating as much as you can in DeMolay today. Travel, visit other chapters, and attend their events. Those you visit will do the same for you and your events will be well attended. A tremendous amount of brotherhood can be found outside of the body of your own chapter and in the smile and handshake of another DeMolay you just met. Seek out the brotherhood of DeMolay and it will find you.

Dad Barr

EXECUTIVE OFFICER



FROM THE E O

I am strongly encouraged that this will be the first of many years for great membership growth. Last year Dad Salazar from Nor Cal almost made positive growth (more new members than those lost to majority etc.), and really trounced us in the standings. Wouldn't you really like to beat Nor Cal this year? Well, we're off to a good start.

To give you somewhat of an idea, we gave away 35 free admissions to Devo Day at Magic Mountain. That means there were 35 new initiates reported to us on Form 10's from January 1st to March 18th. And remember...only three new initiates with your name on that top line and you can go to Conclave for FREE. There are many more levels of recognition for those who really distinguish themselves, but let me reiterate my offer...if SCJ is the #1 Jurisdiction in the world this calendar year for new initiates, I will let all 4 of the current District Presidents throw a pie in my face!

Many chapters are initiating lots of new members...is yours one of them? Yorba Linda initiated 8 at the end of February, and 3 have already passed their Initiatory Degree Proficiency. Other chapters are reporting groups of 3 to 5, and these reports come in on a regular basis. It is going to be a great year, and I'd like to see YOUR chapter be listed as growing. Remember...the more people you have at a function, the more fun it is. And installing a full corps of officers is a real achievement.

On a different note, I would like to thank all of the people - both adults and youth - who helped make the 3 day marathon of Membership Class, LOH Observance, and Devotional Day such a success. Late nights and early mornings did not faze those on whom we relied, and I am both proud and appreciative of the tremendous results. Thanks for 3 jobs well done!

Dad Jeanson

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Pasadena, CA - Congratulations to all of the candidates from SCJ Membership Class!

