



A legend or a fable is a story that doesn't pretend to be historical, but simply teaches a lesson. The events surrounding the resurrection of Christ gave rise to many legends.

Mary Magdalen and the red egg

According to legend, some time after the death of Jesus, Mary Magdalen decided to travel to Rome.

Because of her noble birth, she was invited to attend a banquet where the Roman emperor, Tiberius Caesar, would be present.

Never hesitant to speak her mind, Mary soon cornered Tiberius, and began to denounce Pontius Pilate for the way he handled the trial of Jesus and for allowing him to be put to death.

Then she told Tiberius Caesar about the resurrection of Jesus. To make her point, she picked up a white egg from a nearby dinner table. Just as new life breaks through the egg shell, so too did Jesus break through the bonds of death and rise from the tomb, she explained.

But the skeptical Tiberius was not convinced. There was as much chance of a human being returning from the dead, he said, as an egg turning red.

Suddenly the egg *did* turn red.

That is why, it is said, the Orthodox Church exchanges red eggs at Easter, and why Mary Magdalen is frequently pictured holding a red egg.



BIG BINGO CRUSHES IT !!!!

On April 8th, the Knights converged onto the scene at GS & proceeded to have one of the biggest bingos ever in our history. Thanks to everyone who gave of their time to volunteer. This money helps with our Church and School as they get 60%, then we get 40% to put into our account to do good stuff with. Heck, everybody wins !!! Details on how much we made will happen at the meeting! WE ARE THE KNIGHTS !!!!!

NEXT MEETING - MAY 2nd

Come one, come all, to the next exciting and thrilled packed meeting at our very own Good Shepherd Parish Hall coming up NEXT week. You're welcome to come early and hang out as we start with the officers meeting at 5pm, then hopefully we'll have a new dude meeting at 5:30, then a meal at 6:00. Rosary will start at 6:45 and the Meeting happens around 7. There's lots of fun stuff going on and lots to talk about. We'll have some new faces and some you haven't seen in a while, as Deacon Don Yochum returns. So, go mark off next Thursday and join us brothers in Christ and help us do good work for our Church and Community. Hope to see yah there! Unless you have a GOOD excuse.....

Pontius Pilate: "Joseph I really don't understand. You're one of the richest men in the region, and you've spent a small fortune on a new tomb for you and your family and you want to give it to this man Jesus?"

Joseph: "It's just for the weekend"

Saints...

often look remarkably like mothers.



HAPPY MOTHER'S DAY!

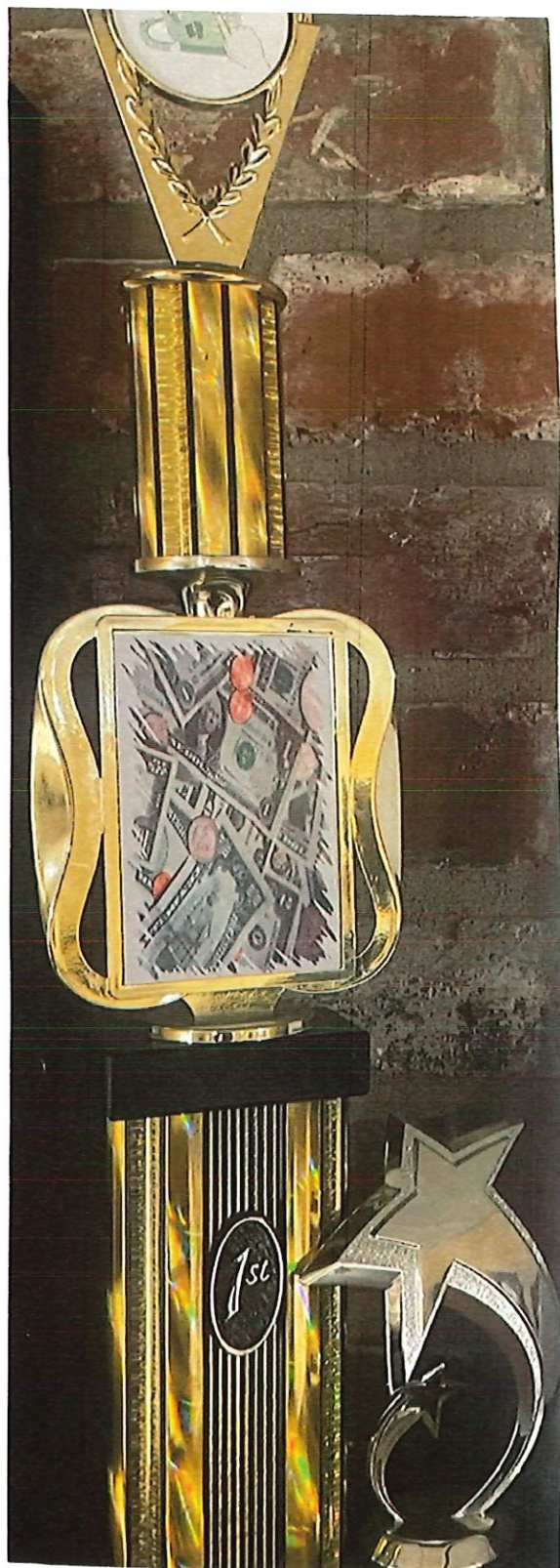


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Knights Defend Easter Seals Title

Once again, Ken Smith's team took to the phones and knocked out a huge amount of donations from many of us to successfully get the crown again for the second year in a row. Ken was only able to get 2 other volunteers from our crew of 160+ but they made the most of it and won the prize. Thanks to Ken for organizing, and Al Bragin and John Smith for jumping in. Also, thanks to those who donated for such a fine cause. This money goes to help low income families get help for therapy. Great work !!



Jerusalem Times

Obituaries

33 AD

JESUS CHRIST

Jesus Christ, 33, of Nazareth, died Friday on Mount Calvary, also known as Golgotha, the place of the skull. Betrayed by the apostle Judas, Jesus was crucified by the Romans, by order of the Ruler Pontius Pilate. The causes of death were crucifixion, extreme exhaustion, severe torture and loss of blood.

Jesus Christ, a descendant of Abraham, was a member of the house of David. He was the Son of the late Joseph, a carpenter of Nazareth, and Mary, his devoted Mother. Jesus was born in a stable in the city of Bethlehem, Judea. He is survived by his mother Mary, his faithful Apostles, numerous disciples and many other followers.

Jesus was self-educated and spent most of his adult life working as a Teacher. Jesus also occasionally worked as a

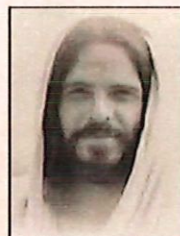
Medical Doctor and it is reported that he healed many patients. Up until the time of his death, Jesus was teaching and sharing the good news, healing the sick, touching the lonely, feeding the hungry and helping the poor.

Jesus was most noted for telling parables about His Father's Kingdom and performing miracles, such as feeding over 5,000 people with only five loaves of bread and two fish, and healing a man who was born blind. On the day before His death, He held a Last Supper,

celebrating the Passover Feast, at which He foretold His death.

The body was quickly buried in a stone grave, which was donated by Joseph of Arimathea, a loyal friend of the family. By order of Pontius Pilate, a boulder was rolled in front of the Tomb. Roman Soldiers were put on guard.

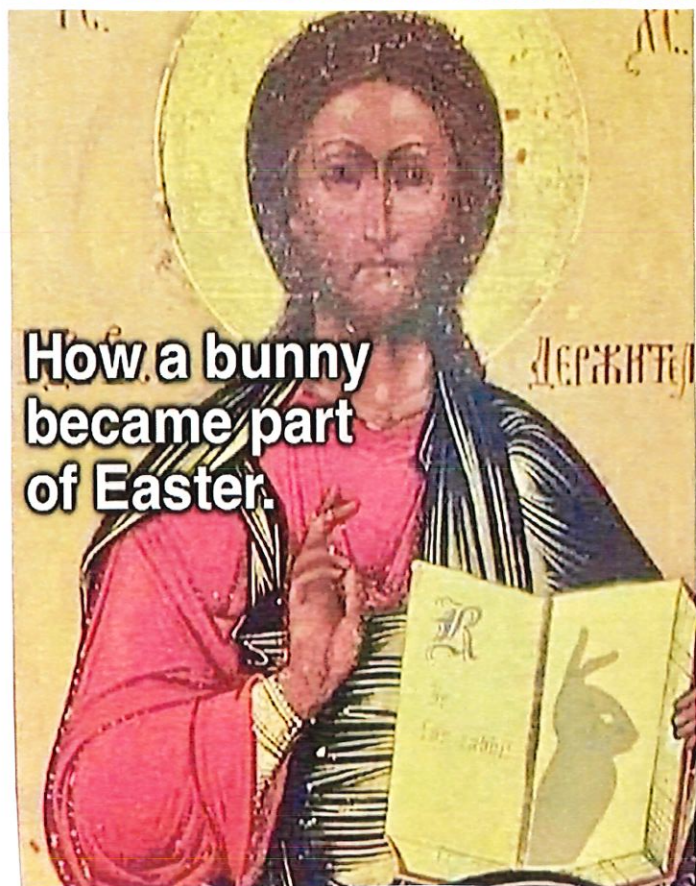
In lieu of flowers, the family has requested that everyone try to live as Jesus did and believe in Him. Donations may be sent to anyone in need.





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How a bunny
became part
of Easter.

John Hamilton Update

Our brother John, is kinda having some health issues with his leg & needs some prayers. He is currently hanging out at Riverpointe right around the corner on Green River Rd. Some of us don't live too far away to maybe go make a visit with him. His Room number is 410 and he'd love to see anybody. It just takes a little of your time to say "Hi", and makes his time go by better. He'll be there for about another week or so. "When I was sick, you looked after me, when I was in prison, you visited me. And I say, whoever does this, to the least of my brothers, he does it to Me" !

Good Shepherd Ultreya

On May 21st, in the Narthex at G.S. the Ultreya will happen right after a night of Mass, Adoration and Confession !!!! What a wonderful Catholic evening !!! That's like the "Hat Trick" of coolness. Then, to top that off, we have spent top dollar to bring in keynote speaker and last Men's Coordinator at Cursillo, the one and only Pete Hillenbrand to give a witness talk. So, mark your calendar for a night of Christification with some Sacraments and good fellowship! This starts at 5:30 with Adoration and time for Confessions, then Mass at 6:30ish, followed by Ultreya around 7:00 ish !!





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Welcome to GS, Jack Martin !!

Good Shepherd will be blessed this Summer with the help of Seminarian Jack Martin, starting in June. He'll be showing up on the Altar with Fr. Zach and jumping in for other activities. He has been invited to our meetings, and if his schedule allows it, he may just make it. So make sure you say Hi to him if you get the chance, and REMEMBER.. to keep him in your prayers. Welcome, Jack Martin, we're glad to have yah !!!!!

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HOME PARISH: ST. PHILIP PARISH, POSEY COUNTY

Parents: Deacon Bob and Anne Martin

Siblings (and their spouses): Jake (brother) and Olivia Martin

High School / College (prior to seminary):

Our Lady of the Rosary School (homeschool)

The priest or deacon who baptized you:

Father Jack J. Durchholz

The priest who heard your First

Confession: Father Joseph E. Kane

Your Confirmation Saint: I chose St.

Padre Pio of Pietrelcina because I saw in his life aspects that mirrored or that were very similar to my own.

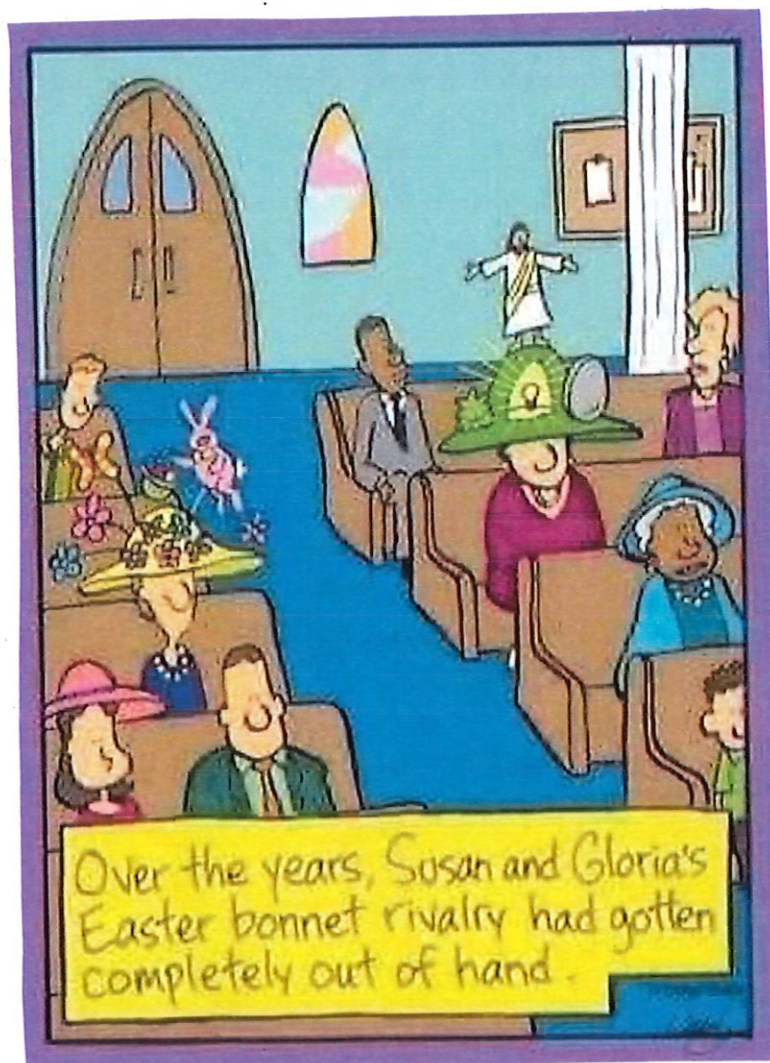
Favorite Bible verse: "Do not be conformed to this world, but be transformed by the renewal of your mind, that by testing you may discern what is the will of God, what is good and acceptable and perfect" (Romans 12:2).

Important Question:

What is your favorite baseball team?

"I don't really have a favorite, but if I had to choose, it would have to be the Cardinals".

UGGHHH!





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MLB Teams With Highest Payrolls in 2024

RANK	TEAM	TOTAL PAYROLL
1	Mets	\$301,731,074
2	Yankees	\$293,666,666
3	Astros	\$237,303,141
4	Phillies	\$236,182,617
5	Braves	\$225,315,000
6	Rangers	\$221,955,000
7	Blue Jays	\$221,876,784
8	Dodgers	\$220,691,666
9	Cubs	\$216,330,000
10	Giants	\$188,767,909
11	Cardinals	\$164,301,667
12	Red Sox	\$162,324,847
13	Angels	\$158,818,094
14	Diamondbacks	\$156,511,716
15	Padres	\$153,765,453
16	Rockies	\$134,099,285
17	Mariners	\$129,158,333
18	Twins	\$118,886,590
19	White Sox	\$117,773,333
20	Royals	\$105,219,570
21	Nationals	\$95,371,429
22	Tigers	\$95,073,933
23	Orioles	\$94,495,168
24	Brewers	\$94,484,960
25	Reds	\$88,123,333
26	Rays	\$88,066,012
27	Guardians	\$86,433,928
28	Marlins	\$83,710,000
29	Pirates	\$72,014,000
30	Athletics	\$47,905,000

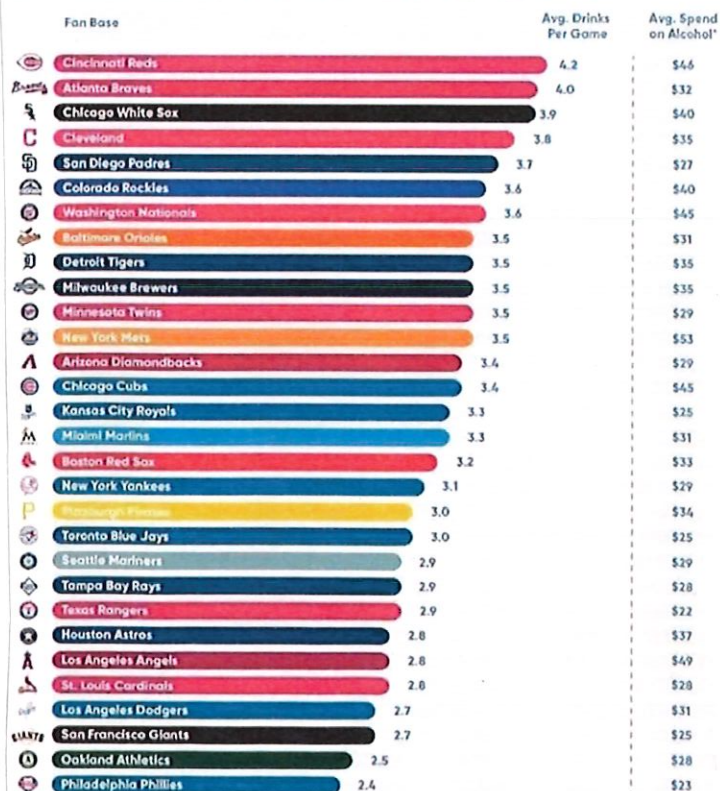
"A brother in Christ, is half a man's soul"-St. Augustine

Helping Feed the Homeless

If anyone is interested, we have a few brother Knights who help every Wednesday down at St. Anthony's Parish in helping with lunch for the homeless. The labor is not that hard and the reward is awesome. To serve those that are having a rough time in life is priceless. So if you have a free Wednesday sometime, call one of our guys like Tom Schenk, Kent Kleiman or Paul Hirsch for details. They'd be glad to help you with the details and where to go. Thanks !!

WHICH MLB FANS DRINK THE MOST?

REDS DAILY



*AVERAGE SPEND ON ALCOHOL DURING A GAME



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Saturday Morning Rosary

Every Saturday morning at 6am, when the bells chime, we're having a Rosary said for the health, well being, & safety of everyone in our parish and diocese. We also offer up any intentions & pray for souls of family or friends. We don't forget the poor souls that have no one to pray for them either! Dress is casual and all are welcome, so come join us if you're one of those early risers! Wooo!

THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN A PARISH, A CATHEDRAL, A BASILICA, & A SHRINE



PARISH

"A parish is a definite community of the Christian faithful established on a stable basis within a particular church; the pastoral care of the parish is entrusted to a pastor as its own shepherd under the authority of the diocesan bishop."



CATHEDRAL

A cathedral is the chief church of a diocese and in itself is also a parish church. The bishop is technically the pastor of the cathedral parish, and appoints a rector to manage its spiritual and temporal affairs.



BASILICA

The term basilica was used to identify churches of historic and spiritual importance. Usually, these churches are built in the basilica style, but the key criterion is that they are places of historic and spiritual importance.



SHRINE

A shrine is a church or other sacred place where a relic is preserved, or where an apparition has taken place. It may also be an historical event of faith has taken place. Lastly, a shrine may also be a place designated to foster a belief or devotion.



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CATHOLIC MEETING TODAY



5 minutes in, Colin suddenly realised he had mis-read the sign.

by
Bee



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COLUMBIA: What have you come to learn about the young men who have been formed by today's culture?

CURTIS MARTIN: We have to recognize that the culture is grinding men to a powder. There are two massive false understandings about men. One is that you're macho, and you're going to blow stuff up and break stuff and you're strong, but you have no control. And the other one is that you're a wimp and that you're easy to mock because you're not very smart. Those are both lies from hell. The reality of the matter is that men are called to be great. And they need other men in their lives to do so. That's the key.

I really do believe masculinity is not something you grow into. It's something that's imparted to you by the other men in your life: your father, your older brothers, your friends. That's why the Knights of Columbus, as a fraternal organization, is so important.

As a young man, you learn, first of all, what it means to be a son. Then as you grow, you learn how to be a brother. Unfortunately, that step is gone for many in our society. If you do have brothers and sisters, they live in different rooms and have their own social media; you don't share life.

Brotherhood is an important step. When you learn how to love as a brother or a sister, you learn how to love people in a nonsexual way. But we've removed brotherhood, and there is horrible confusion today about what it means to love.

The next step is to be a husband, which then leads to fatherhood.



"When you're going through trials we have a special bond. To just say I'm praying for you and I'll be here for you". — Into The Breach quote

Peter: "Hey, John, maybe we should walk over to the tomb and see what's going on..."

John:



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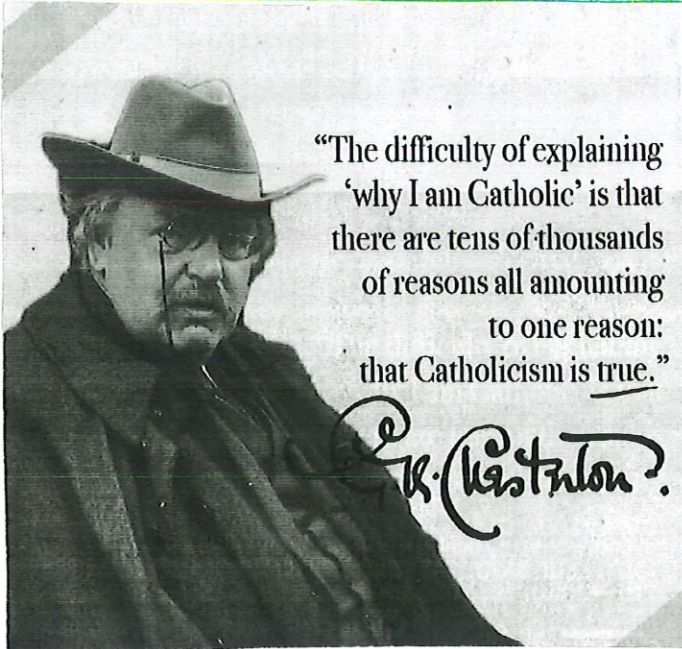
Saints... have lots of heart.





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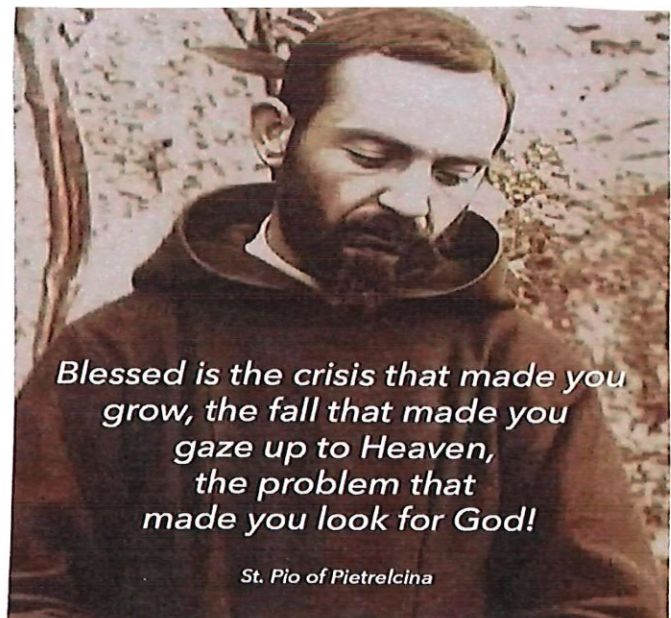
"Although we were created without our consent, we cannot be saved without our co-operation".

- Raoul Plus SJ



Up In Your Grill !!

The Knights will be looking in to purchasing a nice grill that can be used for Knights meals, Summer Social, Kickball tourneys, or any other festivity that comes along. It'll be a great investment and will also be a lot safer for everyone !!!





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My wife called me immature
so I banned her from my
carboard box fort



We are gathered here today on this
mountaintop in a foreign country,
at great expense to family & friends,
to pretend that your union is too
special for a neighborhood church...



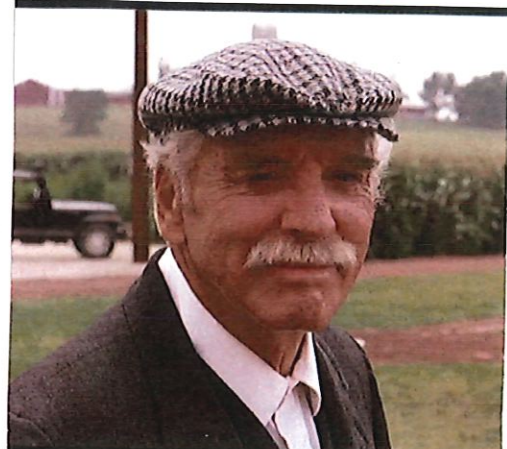
**"A generosity that sees clearly and is
not taken in, but instinctively embraces
work that is arduous: this is the mark of
a true apostle: his heart is on fire."**

- Raoul Plus SJ

"Moonlight" Graham

"We just don't recognize life's most significant moments
while they're happening. Back then I thought, "Well,
there'll be other days." I didn't realize that that was the
only day.

My favorite character in my favorite movie. ❤️



WELL, AFTER JUST A WEEK AT HOME,
I'VE COME UP WITH A COMPREHENSIVE
LIST ON HOW TO DO THINGS MORE
EFFICIENTLY AROUND HERE, HONEY...



**THE REAL REASON MANY MEN
DON'T LIVE LONG AFTER RETIRING**