

Dear Men,

February 1, 2010

How are those New Year's resolutions going? I personally haven't developed one yet. My resolutions remain continual: to realize how I may better serve my Lord, my wife and my son each and every day. I am so blessed to be able to serve God through the work of *The King's Men, Inc.* (TKM) and I am blessed to be able to share with you what your support has enabled us to do this past month of January.

As usual, the month began with TKM taking to the streets with our No More Porn Tour (NMPT) at Adult World in Montgomeryville, PA on Wednesday January 5th. Believe it or not, my co-founder Damian Wargo and I have been offering this activism opportunity to men every month for the last 6 years. Hard to believe we have been doing them that long! With three sexually oriented businesses closing in that time and a fourth on its way to ceasing its objectification of women ("Just Sports in Warwick Township Bucks County), our NMPT is a proven and effective means of combating the evil of pornography in our communities.

On Friday January 8th, my wife and son traveled with me to Scranton, PA for a talk that I was invited to give through a Knights of Columbus Council at St. Michael the Archangel parish. My family and I were blessed to attend a Latin Mass prior to delivering my featured talk on chivalry to a crowd of about 100 men, women and children. If you would like more information on where TKM is speaking next or how you can book Damian or myself, for a talk at your parish, please visit www.thekingsmen.org.

On Saturday January 6th, TKM returned to the Malvern Retreat House. TKM had yet another packed workshop at the country's oldest privately run lay men's retreat center. The men of Malvern are clearly stirred and interested in the theme of this workshop: Fathers initiating and mentoring sons. TKM will be returning to Malvern in the months of February, March and April.

TKM was busy generating mid-month first donor solicitation letter of the New Year. Thank you to all those who have graciously responded to our request for support in 2010.

On Wednesday January 27th, my ongoing court battle Keyport, NJ finally came to a close. You will recall that I was arrested while protesting pornography back on December 21, 2007. Yes, hard to believe it is has been over 2 years since this happened. I am pleased to report that our defense has been made and the judge in the court proceedings has reserved his ruling in this case till further notice. So my guilt on the charges of disorderly conduct and obstruction of justice has not been determined. Please keep this intention in your prayers. Pray for the judge Emory Toth and for his findings in this case. If he is honest with himself and the testimony of four TKM witnesses, he will render a verdict of not guilty. If I am found guilty, TKM has plans to appeal this decision. My attorney, Demetrios Stratis, has been defending me pro-bono. Please join me in praying for him and all his work in defending those wrongfully accused.

May God continue bless you and your family abundantly in this New Year!

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