

GRACE CATHEDRAL

A House of Prayer



SAN FRANCISCO

for All People



*Deum Diligite Animalia Diligentes*

*The Investiture of Knight Officers and Knight Commander Officers*  
*for*  
*The North American Chapter*  
*of*  
**The International Order of Saint Hubert**

*November Fourth*  
*Nineteen Hundred and Seventy Seven*



# The Processions

*A Verger*

*The Crucifer*

*The Cathedral Banner*

*The Cathedral Mens Choir*

*A Verger*

*The Canons of The Cathedral*

**MONSIGNOR RICHARD C. DWYER — CHAPLAIN OF THE ORDER**

*The Archdeacon's Verger*

**THE ARCHDEACON OF SAN FRANCISCO**

*A Verger*

*The Black Raven Pipe Band of The Royal British Legion*

*The Colour Guard of Honour of The Royal British Legion*

**The United States**

**Germany**

**Austria**

**Great Britain**

**Canada**

**Australia**

**New Zealand**

**The Post Standard**

*A Verger*

*The Banner of The Order of Saint Hubert*

*The Staff of The Order*

*The Sceptre of The Order*

*The Jewels of The Order*

*The Knight Officers and The Knight Commander Officers Designate*

*The Knight Officers and The Knight Commander Officers*

*The Officers of The Order*

**THE GRAND MASTER**



## The Knight Officers Designate

Frank H. Abbott  
John Bowles  
John Brown Cook  
Richard J. Burke  
Prentis Cobb Hale  
Cortlandt T. Hill  
Stuart M. Hodgson  
Ray L. Hommes, Jr.  
E. C. Krebsbach  
Herman Mortl  
Ned R. Nelsen  
Ernesto J. Saska  
Major General William L. Starnes  
Roy Weatherby

*Tiburon, California*  
*Beverly Hills, California*  
*Beverly Hills, California*  
*Corona Del Mar, California*  
*San Francisco, California*  
*Pebble Beach, California*  
*Yellowknife, NWT, Canada*  
*Beverly Hills, California*  
*Polson, Montana*  
*Herzogenburg, Austria*  
*Los Angeles, California*  
*Boulder, Colorado*  
*San Antonio, Texas*  
*Downey, California*

## The Knight Commander Officers Designate

G. Ray Arnett  
John B. Beckett  
Roy G. Cole  
Charles Coles  
G. Bayley Dorris  
Gordon Farrell  
Peyton Hawes  
Barron Hilton  
Arthur L. Irving  
George D. Jagels  
John M. S. Lecky  
Frederick E. Llewellyn  
Dr. W. K. MacLeod  
William K. MacLeod, Jr.  
Peter O'Malley  
Adolf Rosenauer, M.D.  
Dan H. Rowan  
Thomas G. Somermeier, Jr.  
Frederick C. Sweet  
William M. Witter

*Stockton, California*  
*Orinda, California*  
*Hamilton, Ontario, Canada*  
*London, England*  
*Pacific Grove, California*  
*Vancouver, B.C., Canada*  
*Portland, Oregon*  
*Beverly Hills, California*  
*St. John, New Brunswick, Canada*  
*Pasadena, California*  
*Montreal, Quebec, Canada*  
*San Marino, California*  
*Thetford Mines, Quebec, Canada*  
*Thetford Mines, Quebec, Canada*  
*Los Angeles, California*  
*Reno, Nevada*  
*Beverly Hills, California*  
*Beverly Hills, California*  
*Vancouver, B.C., Canada*  
*San Francisco, California*



# The Order of Service and Ceremony

*As the congregation is being seated*  
the **BAND OF THE SIXTH UNITED STATES ARMY** shall play

*As the ARCHDEACON'S procession enters the Cathedral Church*  
*all shall stand as the Band plays*

**CORONATION MARCH**

(le Prophete) Meyerbeer

*Then shall be sounded:*  
**A FANFARE**  
**The State Trumpeters of the Military Band**

*After which the Pipe Band shall lead the COLOUR GUARD OF HONOUR*  
*and THE GRAND MASTER'S procession into the Cathedral*

*When all have reached their appointed places*  
*there shall be played by the MILITARY BAND*

**THE NATIONAL ANTHEMS of**

**THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA**  
**AUSTRIA**

**GREAT BRITAIN**  
**CANADA**

**The GRAND MASTER** shall then receive, **THE STAFF** and **THE SCEPTRE**  
*of the Order and place them on the High Altar*

*Then, all kneeling, the Archdeacon shall say*  
**THE INVOCATION and PRAYERS**

*All shall be seated*

**GREETINGS — The Grand Master of the International Order of Saint Hubert**



# The Investiture of the Knight Officers and the Knight Commander Officers

*The Recipients will move in their appointed order to the Chancel  
Each recipient will be named by the Recorder as each is to be invested  
with the Order's Insignia for the grade designated.*

## THE RECORDER:

Grand Master I present to you these Knight Officers and Knight Commander Officers for the honour of being invested in accordance with the Statutes of our Order.

## THE GRAND MASTER:

With pleasure do I welcome these newly appointed and promoted Members of the Order. By authority delegated to me, I am about to invest you Knight Officers and Knight Commander Officers in the Venerable Order of Saint Hubert. The Badge symbolizes the Virtue of the Order — — honour the Lord in His creatures.

*As the Knights are being invested The Pipe Major  
shall play — "FLOWERS OF THE FOREST"*

*The GRAND MASTER shall say to each Knight as he is being invested  
Do you agree to abide by the Constitution of the International Order of Saint Hubert?  
Do you further agree to aid in the promoting of Wildlife Conservation?  
By virtue of the authority vested in me and on behalf of this Venerable Order  
I do invest you with the Insignia of Knight Officer (Knight Commander Officer) and  
welcome you as a member of the International Order of Saint Hubert.*

*At the conclusion of the Investiture the Knights shall make their  
reverences to the GRAND MASTER and return to their appointed places.*

*Then, all kneeling, the Monsignor shall say*

Let us pray:

We pray to our Heavenly Father, that He will vouchsafe to  
Preserve all our Members, enlighten  
Their minds that they may study to maintain  
The Honour and Purpose of this Venerable Order  
And give them Grace, that they may accomplish those ends. Amen

*Then all shall join together to say*

## THE LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father, who art in Heaven, hallowed be Thy name  
Thy Kingdom come, Thy will be done, on Earth as it is In Heaven  
Give us this day our daily Bread, and  
Forgive us our Trespases, as we forgive those who trespass Against us.  
And lead us not into Temptation, but Deliver us from Evil.  
For Thine is the Kingdom and the Power and the Glory, Forever and Ever.  
Amen



**LAUDA ANIMA**

J. Goss 1869

1 Praise, my soul, the King of heaven;  
To his feet thy tribute bring;  
Ransomed, healed, restored, forgiven,  
Evermore his praises sing:  
Alleluia! Alleluia!  
Praise the everlasting King.

2 Praise him for his grace and favor  
To our fathers in distress;  
Praise him still the same as ever,  
Slow to chide, and swift to bless:  
Alleluia! Alleluia!  
Glorious in his faithfulness.

3 Father-like he tends and spares us;  
Well our feeble frame he knows;  
In his hand he gently bears us,  
Rescues us from all our foes.  
Alleluia! Alleluia!  
Widely yet his mercy flows.

4 Angels, help us to adore him;  
Ye behold him face to face;  
Sun and moon, bow down before him,  
Dwellers all in time and space.  
Alleluia! Alleluia!  
Praise with us the God of grace.

*All shall be seated*

**GREETINGS**

The Archdeacon

*The Choir shall then sing:*

**TE DEUM LAUDAMUS IN "D"**

Henry Ley

*Then, all kneeling, the Archdeacon shall pronounce*

**THE BLESSING**

*Then, shall the Pipe Band accompanied by the Cathedral Organ play*

**AMAZING GRACE**

New Britain

*During the playing of this Hymn, THE GRAND MASTER shall return the  
STAFF and the SCEPTRE of the Order to the bearers*

*The Processions withdraw from the Cathedral as*

**THE SIXTH ARMY BAND** plays selections from, Johann Sebastian Bach

*The Bells of the Cathedral Church are now rung*



# The International Order of St. Hubert

*A Hunters' Convention Since 1695, A.D.*

Albert F. Messany, *Restitutor* (1892-1975), Vienna, Austria

George U. Wood, K.G.O., *Grand Master*, Orinda, California, United States

## The Grand Chapter

Karl Christian Weber, K.G.O., Deputy Grand Master  
Leopold Pramer, K.G.O., Chancellor & Justiciary  
Josef Bertagnoli, K.G.O.  
General Mark Clark, K.G.O.  
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Halvor O. Ekern, K.G.O.  
The Honorable Colonel Clarence Wallace, K.G.O.  
The Duke of Palmella, K.G.O.  
Heinz Gebauer, K.G.O.

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Austria  
Austria  
United States  
United States  
United States  
Canada  
Portugal  
Germany

## The North American Chapter

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General Mark W. Clark, K.G.O., Chancellor & Justiciary  
The Honorable Clarence Wallace, K.G.O., Deputy Chancellor & Justiciary  
Halvor O. Ekern, K.G.O., Master of the Rolls  
Leigh F. Stevenson, K.C., Marshal & Herald  
Ray L. Hommes, K.C., Master of Ceremonies  
Roger A. Converse, K.C., Recorder  
David D. Bohannon, K.C., Quaestor

Los Angeles, California  
Charleston, South Carolina  
Vancouver, B.C.  
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Vancouver, B.C.  
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Los Angeles, California  
San Mateo, California

## Knight Commanders and Knight Officers

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The Venerable C. Julian Bartlett, K.C.  
William H. Becker, K.C.  
Arthur T. Beckett, K.C.  
John B. Beckett, K.C.  
Clay P. Bedford, K.O.  
Stephen C. Bilheimer, K.C.  
David E. Bohannon, K.C.  
John Bowles, K.O.  
J. Allen Bray, K.C.  
Timothy O. Browne, K.O.  
Richard J. Burke, K.O.  
Lord Harold Anthony Caccia, Baron of Abernet, K.C.  
Willard G. Castonguay, K.C.  
Roy G. Cole, K.C.  
Charles L. Coles, K.C.  
Joseph J. Coney, K.C.  
John Brown Cook, K.O.  
Hernando Courtright, K.C.  
John Parr Cox, K.C.  
Randolph Crossley, K.C.  
The Honorable Emmet Daly, K.C.

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Honolulu, Hawaii  
Stockton, California  
Menlo Park, California  
Houston, Texas  
Orinda, California  
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Scottsdale, Arizona  
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Sacramento, California  
Beverly Hills, California  
Oakland, California  
Hillsborough, California  
Corona Del Mar, California  
Windsor, Berkshire, England  
Smith River, California  
Hamilton, Ontario, Canada  
Fordingbridge, Hants, England  
Oakland, California  
Beverly Hills, California  
Beverly Hills, California  
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 Herman Mortl, K.O.  
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 Jack Okell, K.C.  
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 Bill Stremmel, K.C.  
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 John V. Vaughn, K.C.  
 Brooks Walker, K.C.  
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 The Duke of Wellington, K.C.  
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 G. William Wood, K.C.

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 Beverly Hills, California  
 St. John, New Brunswick, Canada  
 San Marino, California  
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 Thetford Mines, Quebec, Canada  
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 Kenya, East Africa  
 Los Angeles, California  
 Hillsborough, California  
 San Francisco, California  
 Herzogenburg, Austria  
 Los Angeles, California  
 San Francisco, California  
 St. Louis, Missouri  
 Los Angeles, California  
 Los Angeles, California  
 Colusa, California  
 Alfarim-Sasimbra, Portugal  
 Beverly Hills, California  
 Reno, Nevada  
 Inglewood, Florida  
 Piedmont, California  
 Boulder, Colorado  
 Oakland, California  
 Beverly Hills, California  
 San Antonio, Texas  
 Reno, Nevada  
 Reno, Nevada  
 Vancouver, B.C., Canada  
 San Marino, California  
 San Francisco, California  
 South Gate, California  
 Basingstoke, Hants, England  
 Willows, California  
 Vancouver, B.C., Canada  
 San Francisco, California  
 Orinda, California



# The Participants

## Presiding,

Mr. George U. Wood, K.G.O.

The Venerable C. Julian Bartlett, K.C.

Josef Bertagnoli, K.C.

David D. Bohannon, K.C.

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Mario Mormorunni, K.C.

Leigh Stevenson, K.C.

Clarence Wallace, K.G.O.

Karl C. Weber, K.G.O.

G. William Wood, K.C.

The Colour Guard of Honour — The Royal British Legion, California Post No. 1

Officer of the Guard, Commander Stanley G. Strain.

## The Musicians

### The Cathedral Mens Choir

Canon John Fenstermaker

Organist and Master of the Choristers

Mr. John R. Renke

Deputy Organist and Carillonneur

The Band of the Sixth United States Army

Director — Warrant Officer Tony Cason

The Black Raven Pipe Band of the Royal British Legion

Pipe Major — William Stewart Cathro

*The Knights of the International Order of Saint Hubert, the North American Chapter:  
desire to place upon record their most sincere appreciation to:*

*The Dean and Chapter of Grace Cathedral and to all who participated  
in this Investiture of Knights.*



# Saint Hubertus

**T**he Story of Saint Hubert, or Saint Hubertus as he was often called in Europe, is an interesting one, since it parallels in many ways the lives of other great religious figures of the Christian, Mohammedan and Buddhist religions. He was born in the middle of the seventh century A.D., of noble blood; his father was the Duke of Aquitaine, and his grandfather was the renowned Charibert, King of Toulouse. By the time he was a young man, he had achieved an extensive reputation as a bon vivant and one who was highly skilled at the art of stalking and hunting. He spent much of his leisure time in search of wild boar and stag in the forest of the Ardennes.

He was married in the year 690 A.D. to the daughter of a nobleman, and normally would have lived out his life following the carefully circumscribed customs of a titled landowner, had it not been for a curious incident which took place on a Good Friday, while he was on a stag hunt in the forest. His hunting party unexpectedly came upon a magnificent stag to which they gave full chase. During the melee, he became separated from his companions and found himself alone in a dark forest glade. The cries of the hounds became fainter and fainter, and he was left in a strange quiet that seemed to pervade the wilderness around him. As his eyes grew accustomed to the half-light, he saw before him, only a short distance away, the largest and most magnificent stag he had ever encountered. He spurred his horse to close in for the kill, when the stag suddenly turned around in its tracks and faced him, blocking his path. As he prepared to make the kill, he was astounded to see a cross appear between the antlers of the stag, brilliantly illuminated with a strangely beautiful luminescence. In the stillness, a voice seemed to speak to him, from the stag. It urged him to lead a holy life. Saint Hubert was so overcome by the emotional impact of this experience that he dismounted and

knelt to pray. The voice from the stag continued to speak to him, directing him to renounce his material possessions and offer his services to the Bishop of Maastricht. In spite of the intensity of this vision and its effects upon Saint Hubert, he did nothing about it until two tragedies occurred, which profoundly affected the course of his life; his wife died in childbirth and his father died shortly thereafter. As a result Saint Hubert divested himself of his military and ducal titles, sold his possessions and gave the money to the poor; he then offered the remainder of his life to the service of the Church.

In order to test his sincerity, Bishop Lambert of Maastricht ordered him to live for ten years as a hermit in the forest of the Ardennes, to humble himself and atone for his many sins. After this penance, he was sent by the Bishop on a pilgrimage to Rome. During the visit, the Bishop was assassinated, and the Pope then appointed Saint Hubert as his successor.

He spent the remainder of his life working amongst the people of the Ardennes, many of whom were pagan hunters, who lived by sword and spear as their ancestors had for a thousand years. Because of his good works in the forest among these people, he became closely associated with the hunters and woodcutters, who preferred the wilderness to village life.

Saint Hubert died on May 30, 727 A.D. at Tervueren, near Liege, where he was buried. Sixteen years after his death, he was canonized, and in 825 A.D. his remains were removed to Andain in the Ardennes, near a monastery and a town that were later named in his honor.

Because of his love of hunting and his close association with hunters, Saint Hubert became the patron saint of hunters and sportsmen, and has thus become a world-wide symbol of the best traditions of good hunting and good sportsmanship.



The International Order of St. Hubert is the oldest hunting organization of its kind in the world. It was founded by Count Franz Anton Sporck in 1695 and restituted by Albert F. Messany of Vienna at the request of Chancellor Figl of Austria in 1950 under the auspices of the Ministry of Agriculture and Forestry. The Order is registered in the county of Kirchdorf, Austria.

Wherever you travel in Europe and wherever outdoorsmen congregate, you will see the time honoured universal symbol of the Order — a cross emblazoned between the antlers of a Royal Stag. This emblem originated in the 8th century when the Order was established in the Ardennes Forest which borders France and Belgium.

St. Hubert was born November 3 in the year 670. His birthdate is celebrated by sportsmen throughout the world. This date is a religious holiday in Austria where sportsmen meet in their traditional costumes in one of the many churches dedicated to St. Hubert, to receive their blessing and to repeat their sacred obligation — *"To see that no free living animal or living plant will ever become extinct."*

During the protectorate of Austria by the four powers, the United States, Great Britain, France, and the U.S.S.R., following World War II, the restituted Order had its rebirth in Vienna, and four American sportsmen and one Britisher became Knights of the Grand Chapter in recognition of the great contribution these men in their respective offices had made to the present and future welfare of the Federal Republic of Austria. These men became members of the North American Chapter.

Llewellyn E. Thompson, K.G.O.,  
*U.S. Ambassador*

General Mark W. Clark, K.G.O.,  
*Commanding General of the Allied  
Armed Forces in Austria.*

Halvor O. Ekern, K.G.O., *Chief  
Political Adviser to the Armed  
Forces.*

George U. Wood, K.G.O., *Consul-  
tant to the Ministry of Health for  
the Establishment of Hospitals and  
Health Facilities.*

Baron Harold Anthony Caccia,  
K.G.O. *High Commissioner of  
Great Britain. Former British  
Ambassador to the United States.*

In 1966 George Wood was appointed Grand Prior and founded the North American Chapter in 1968.

The first investiture of the North American Chapter took place at the Bohemian Club in San Francisco on St. Hubert's birthday, November 3, in 1968, and Albert Messany, the Grand Master presided.

On November 3, 1975, Albert Messany, Restitutor and Grand Master announced his retirement because of ill health, and George Wood, having fulfilled all requirements prescribed by the constitution was elected Grand Master.

The purposes of this venerable Order are three fold:

1. To foster a spirit of brotherhood and fellowship among true sportsmen and to maintain the highest standards of sportsmanship among members.

2. To foster and encourage measures for the preservation of the habitats of wildlife and the conservation of such wildlife.

3. To encourage, sponsor and support all reasonable measures for the attainment of those objectives and purposes to the end that succeeding generations may continue to enjoy the heritage of the true sportsman.



## In Memorium

<b>George E. Scott</b>	<i>Whitby, Ontario, Canada</i>	1968	<b>John Ohanneson, M.D.</b>	<i>Alameda, California</i>	1975
<b>Frank M. Jordan</b>	<i>Sacramento, California</i>	1969	<b>Albert F. Messany</b>	<i>Vienna, Austria</i>	1975
<b>Robert Taylor</b>	<i>Los Angeles, California</i>	1969	<b>H. R. MacMillan</b>	<i>Vancouver, B.C.</i>	1976
<b>Llewellyn E. Thompson</b>	<i>Washington, D.C.</i>	1971	<b>Prince Shanker Rana</b>	<i>London, England</i>	1976
<b>William H. Thompson</b>	<i>Los Angeles, California</i>	1971	<b>John Lecky</b>	<i>Vancouver, B.C.</i>	1976
<b>Edward C. Henshaw</b>	<i>San Francisco, California</i>	1972	<b>Emmett Jones</b>	<i>Los Angeles, California</i>	1976
<b>Lauritz L. H. Melchior</b>	<i>Beverly Hills, California</i>	1973	<b>Phillip K. Crowe</b>	<i>Easton, Maryland</i>	1976
<b>Sherrill A. Parsons</b>	<i>San Francisco, California</i>	1973	<b>C. J. Bender</b>	<i>Dallas, Texas</i>	1977
<b>Daniel E. London</b>	<i>San Francisco, California</i>	1974	<b>Thomas F. Gleed</b>	<i>Seattle, Washington</i>	1977
<b>Josef Krips</b>	<i>Vienna, Austria</i>	1974			

## Ranks of the Order

<b>KNIGHT GRAND OFFICER</b>	<b>K.G.O.</b>
<b>KNIGHT COMMANDER</b>	<b>K.C.</b>
<b>KNIGHT OFFICER</b>	<b>K.O.</b>

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