



**Take Up  
His Cross**  
Knights of Columbus  
Ohio State Council  
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## *Ohio State Council Knights of Columbus*

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**Dear Member,**

**The Columbus Diocese Knights of Columbus have chosen to support Vocations.**

**We are providing to you a ticket to raise funds to help to promote Vocations. Vocations are very important and will be this year's theme for our March Madness Basketball Sweepstakes. Many Councils use the Supremes Councils RSVP program to provide funds directly to a Seminarian. The State Council also provides a program called Pennies for Heaven that also supports vocations in each diocese in Ohio.**

**This year we have made a little change to hopefully sell more tickets. Each Council will choose where their proceeds will go to help them promote Vocations. Your support for this worthy project is needed. We will be selling basketball sweepstakes tickets. The tickets are \$10.00. The way you win is that each ticket has four different College Basketball teams in the March Tournament. If your four teams score the most or least number of cumulative points for the entire tournament, you win a cash prize. Prize amounts are listed on the ticket.**

**Please return \$10.00 for each ticket sold to PSD Gary Eckstein. Please make checks payable to the Greater Columbus Chapter Knights of Columbus, and mail to, Gary Eckstein, 1498 River Trail Drive, Grove City, Ohio 43123**

**The amount of proceeds to be returned to each Council depends on the amount of tickets that are sold. After the prize money and expenses are deducted and if we sell One Thousand tickets, the return to the Council for each ticket sold will be approximately \$4.50 a ticket. If Two Thousand tickets are sold the return to the Council will be approximately \$5.50 a ticket.**

**I feel that this is a great and positive opportunity for all Knights in the Columbus Diocese to show that we also support Vocations and urge your support with the selling of the Sweepstakes tickets.**

**Fraternally,  
Kevin Miller**