

# Change Your World in 24-Hours



## *Give a Little, Gain So Much*



In today's world, a man faces multiple commitments to his spouse, children, workplace, community and Church. Every day these responsibilities seem to grow while the time to meet them seemingly dwindles. It can be daunting for today's man to find time to volunteer.

Imagine if you could give only 24 hours a year to the Knights of Columbus and make a positive difference in your community and Church. It's true.

Even with this minimal commitment you can be an important part of your council and reap the benefits membership offers to you and your family.

Think about it. Just 24 hours a year. Any man can fit this into his schedule. When you look at it this way, the time commitment of joining the Order really isn't very intimidating at all.

In total, there are 8,760 hours in a year. By giving the Knights of Columbus a mere 24 of those hours, you can be a more caring Catholic father, a more loving husband and a better person.

Think of the difference the Knights of Columbus can make in your communities with your help and the help of others around you who have not yet made a small time commitment. If each eligible Catholic man in your community carved out just 24 hours, less than 1% of his time for the year, and became an active Knight, think of the impact it would have around you.

Here is an illustration of just how little time it takes to be an active member of the Order.

Of course, once you become a member and see how rewarding it is to be a Knight of Columbus, you may find yourself dedicating more of your time to the

Order and its many important causes.

Look below to see a sample of how your hours can be spent:



**Six hours** a year on a council-sponsored Church, community, council, family, pro-life or youth project of his choosing.



**Four hours** a year attending council meetings (of course, you may find yourself going more).

### *24 HOURS WITH THE KNIGHTS*



### *IS TIME WELL SPENT*



**Four hours** a year enjoying (with your entire family) a council social function such as a dinner, dance, picnic, etc.



**Four hours** a year attending, with his family, two corporate Communion or council prayer services at your parish.



**Four hours** a year volunteering at the council's annual drive for people with intellectual disabilities, our International Catholic Citizenship Essay Contest, Soccer Challenge, Substance Abuse Awareness Poster Contest or one of many similar events.



**One hour** a year reading the council bulletin, council Web site and the Supreme Council Web site.



**One hour** a year visiting with your Knights of Columbus Field Agent to ensure that your family is protected now and in the years to come.

## To join the Knights of Columbus