



Knights of Columbus

INQUIRIES GUIDE FOR ADMISSION COMMITTEE

Questions listed below are offered as a guideline for the members of the Admission Committee. The Supreme Council Insurance Representative should be invited to attend this meeting. The candidate's responses to these suggested questions should be helpful in determining his attitudes, talents, and general interest as a prospective member of the council, and as a participant in the council's Service Program. The candidate should be made to feel welcome at the meeting which should be conducted informally. During the interview complete the questionnaire (Form #391).

ON THE CATHOLICITY OF THE CANDIDATE

Do you know what a practical Catholic is according to the Church? Are you one?
Do you know your pastor or any of his assistants personally?
Are you a member of any parish organizations? Do you hold, or have you held, office in any of these organizations?
Have you worked as a volunteer in any parish project?
Do you subscribe to Catholic periodicals, newspapers, etc.?
Do you serve as a deacon, Eucharistic minister, lector, usher or in some other ministry?

ON THE CITIZENSHIP OF THE CANDIDATE

Are you a member of any civic, trade, professional or other fraternal organization?
Do you hold, or have you held, office in any of these organizations?
Have you served, or are you serving on any committees for organizations such as the Red Cross, Cancer/Heart associations, Special Olympics, etc.?
Do you hold, or have you held an elective or appointed office in the municipal, state or provincial government?
Are you a registered voter? Do you regularly vote in local, state or provincial and national elections?

ON OUR ORDER

Why are you interested in joining the Knights of Columbus?
Were you invited to join or did you ask to join?
Has anyone explained the member benefits to you or the financial obligations such as initiation fee or annual dues?
Everyone has a personal project or interest in his neighborhood, parish or community. What is yours?
What is your favorite hobby, sport or recreational activity?
Every K of C council has an organizational format of elected and appointed officials. Would you be interested in serving or assisting in some administrative capacity now or in the future?
What do you expect your K of C membership to provide you and your family?
What do you hope to contribute to the Order?

The members of the Admission Committee and the Supreme Council Insurance Representative should be prepared to answer any questions raised by the candidate. They should be encouraged to give the applicant a brief explanation of the insurance features of our Order and the various aspects of the Service Program.