

RESOLUTION NO. 5
Appreciation of the Clergy in Iowa

(ADOPTED AS AMENDED)

WHEREAS, the Iowa State Council of the Knights of Columbus is deeply grateful of the many benefits provided to its members by the bishops and clergy located in the State of Iowa;

AND WHEREAS, we wish to renew our pledge of continued love, loyalty and submission, and we wish to assure the clergy that the Knights of Columbus will always be at their service and that of the Church, and we wish to further promise unswerving loyalty to the hierarchy and clergy of the Church.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Iowa State Council of the Knights of Columbus, duly assembled at this 107th State Convention, do hereby express to all bishops and clergy our sincere appreciation and thanks for their splendid guidance and leadership, and our pledge of continued loyalty, support and service, with particular appreciation given to the following:

The Archbishop of the Dubuque Archdiocese, the Most Reverend Jerome G. Hanus;
The retired Archbishop of the Dubuque Archdiocese, the Most Reverend Daniel W. Kucera;
The retired Bishop of the Davenport Diocese, the Most Reverend William E. Franklin;
The Bishop of the Davenport Diocese, the Most Reverend Martin J. Amos;
The retired Bishop of the Des Moines Diocese, the Most Reverend Joseph L. Charron;
The Administrator of the Des Moines Diocese, the Reverend Monsignor Stephen L. Orr;
The newly appointed Bishop of the Des Moines Diocese, the Most Reverend Richard E. Pates;
The Bishop of the Sioux City Diocese, the Most Reverend R. Walker Nickless;
The retired Bishop of the Sioux City Diocese, the Most Reverend Lawrence D. Soens;
The State Chaplain, the Reverend Thomas V. Dooley;
All Council Chaplains, Priests and Deacons in Iowa.

Submitted by: Executive Committee