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GREETINGS TO EVERYONE

The Order of the Knights of Rizal, Cleveland Chapter, supported by other Chapters of the Knights of Rizal in Ohio is honored to host the 5th USA Regional Assembly on August 29th – September 1st, 2014 at the Double Tree Hotel by Hilton at 6200 Quarry Lane, Independence, Ohio, 44131. We invite you to join us and all our brother Knights from all over the United States in celebration of the life of Dr. Jose Rizal and reaffirm the Knights pledge of lifelong dedication to the virtues embraced & lived by Dr. Rizal, the Philippine National Hero.

The symposium's theme for this year is "Rizal Is Alive In Us; We Shine Like A Prism Through K.O.R. Leadership" which speaks of the importance and relevance of Rizal's ideals through leadership, both then and now, even after more than a century after Dr. Rizal's martyrdom at Bagumbayan Field.

The registration fee for the three-day assembly is U.S. $250. The fee covers the convention paraphernalia, snacks and refreshments during the Friday evening registration (meet & greet), one sumptuous dinner (during the Gala Night), breakfast and lunch on Saturday, Sunday & Monday as well as coffee breaks during the symposium. There will be one formal night (Gala Night) on Sunday, August 31st, 2014.

Our venue is a hotel / conference center & banquet facility which is situated just 10-minutes south of downtown Cleveland, OH. The hotel rate is $89/Night and is conveniently accessible from major highways as well as only 10-minutes away from Cleveland Hopkins International Airport. For those who are flying into Cleveland, free shuttle service to and from Cleveland Hopkins Airport is offered by the hotel. Please ensure you schedule your own airport shuttle service arrangements when making your hotel reservations at (Phone: 216-447-1300 / Fax: 216-901-9209 / Code: Knights of Rizal). Please reserve your accommodations early since a limited block of rooms have been set aside at the discounted rate. The rates will revert back to prevailing rates one month before the conference.

For your enjoyment during your stay, amenities including a Swimming Pool, Fitness Room, Free Parking, ATM/Banking, Dry Cleaning / Laundry Service, 24-hour Business Center, Restaurant & Bar, Safe-Deposit Boxes (at front desk), Coffee & Tea (in lobby), Complimentary Newspapers (in lobby), Room Service & much, much more are available on site. Also, only minutes away from downtown Cleveland where the possibilities may seem endless; Shopping at Tower City, Cleveland Brown's Stadium (Football), Progressive Field (Cleveland Indians Baseball), Quicken Loans Arena (Basketball), Museums of History – Art – Autos - Medicine, Horseshoe Casino, Rock-N-Roll Hall of Fame, Great Lakes Science Center, Playhouse Square, West Side Market, Botanical Gardens, Steamship William G. Mather Museum and USS Cod Submarine Tours are just a few things worth mentioning.

A bus trip (Tour Day – Saturday afternoon & evening) is planned for the Rock-N-Roll Hall of Fame as well as the Nautica Dinner & Dance Cruise. The tour fee which is not included in the registration fee is $70 and is nonrefundable. We anticipate approximately 3-hours at the Rock-N-Roll Hall of Fame and then 3-hours for the Dinner & Dance Cruise. This will be a 'limited' size engagement, so be sure to book your tour and save yourself a seat upon arrival / registration in Cleveland. (Note: Tour payments will be cash only.)

For additional information and updates associated with the assembly, please access the 5th USA Regional Assembly Website at the following address: (http://korcleveland.wix.com/knightsofrizalcleve). The registration details and advertisement form can also be printed from this site. Also, please consider placing a personal, business or greetings advertisement in our Souvenir Journal to be distributed during the Gala Night.

Thank you and hope to see you all August 29th, 30th, 31st and September 1st, 2014.

Fraternally yours in Rizal,

Sir Paul L. Bielinski, KCR
Cleveland Chapter Commander

Sir Oscar Dejelo, KCR
Area Commander – Ohio Eastern USA