



RHODE ISLAND STATE COUNCIL  
*Knights of Columbus*

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To: State Officers, Past State Deputies, Master of the Fourth Degree, District Deputies, Grand Knights, Deputy Grand Knights, Faithful Navigators, Faithful Captains and my Brother Knights

Re: **2009 Rhode Island Hope Award**

Dear Worthy Brother:

The Rhode Island State Council Knights of Columbus is pleased to announce that **Michael J. McGovern** is the **2009 recipient of the HOPE AWARD**. The Hope Award, inaugurated in 1968, is the highest tribute given by the Knights of Columbus Rhode Island State Council. It is presented in recognition of outstanding community service to one whom by his life, labor and humanitarian influence has made an exceptional and significant contribution to building a better Rhode Island community.

Please join with the State Council, our Brother Knights and their ladies in paying tribute to the fifteenth recipient of the Hope Award. The Hope Award will be presented at the Providence Marriott Hotel on Orms Street in Providence on Monday October 12, 2009. Cocktails (cash bar) starting at 6pm with dinner at 7 pm sharp. Tickets are \$45 per person \$90 per couple.

We have enclosed one ticket (good for one or two people) for your convenience. Additional tickets and ticket returns should be mailed to

Ticket Chairman Ronald G. Parenteau, PSD      Phone (401) 568-2733  
PO Box 662  
Glendale, RI 02826

Please make checks payable to RI State Council K of C and put your ticket number (s) on the check. Each ticket is good for one or two people depending on the amount you pay. Councils are encouraged to purchase a table. Your reservation must be received by October 1, 2009.

Looking forward to seeing you on Columbus Day October 12<sup>th</sup>.

Fraternally yours,

Arthur D. Sylvester, IPSD  
Chairman

Stephen Ciolfi

State Deputy