



The Franciscan Alumni Association

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Dear Alumnus,

The Franciscan Alumni Association is made up of people who were involved in the priest/brother formation program of St. John the Baptist Province or Our Lady of Guadalupe Province in the Order of Friars Minor. Our members include those who went on to profession and ordination as well as those who did not. The FAA seeks to serve Jesus by:

- o building up the common bond that Franciscan students and friars found in our attraction to St. Francis of Assisi, a bond that resulted in our exploration of a Franciscan vocation;
- o furnishing a means of strengthening our Franciscan spirituality;
- o fostering communication among members of the association;
- o offering consolation and reconciliation to those who are experiencing feelings of bitterness or alienation; and
- o assisting and furthering the work of Our Lady of Guadalupe Province and St. John the Baptist Province, the Order of Friars Minor, and the Franciscan missions.

Furthermore; a newsletter is published periodically, and a website is maintained with information on current events, archival material, and a guest book where messages can be left. An annual reunion, meeting, and memorial service are conducted each year on the Saturday following Father's Day near the end of June. By the way, the 2007 Chapter (reunion for all Alumni) will be held June 21-24 in Albuquerque, NM. Details will be on the website and in the Spring newsletter.

The work of the Franciscan Alumni is very important, and we continue to need the generous donation of our Alumni's time, talent and treasure to make sure these efforts will continue successfully. Please consider contacting any member of the Franciscan Alumni Association Board to offer, renew or enhance your volunteer efforts of time and talent. Please use the enclosed donation card and self-addressed envelope to support the Franciscan Alumni Association with a contribution.

Pax et Bonum,

J. Patrick Daly '76, President
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