## Wisconsin Forward

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Greetings Sir Knights of Wisconsin,

Greetings Sir Knights, As we hit the midwinter stride and get a full start into the year, I take a moment and reflect on how lucky we are as Knights Templar. We are lucky that we get to have

another inspection season and get to see the culmination of all the hard work many of our Commanderies but in since the last inspection.

We get to see mother earth reveal another beautiful spring, reminding us of our savior and how he sacrificed and keeps watch over us giving us this beautiful time of renewal.

We get to review all the great work we have put into our philanthropic charities and how much giving to others we are able to do. Just realizing how many people we have been able to help or assist in their time of need. The great work that is being done helping research heath issues, providing scholarships that help youth advance their education.

We are so lucky to have wonderful assets that we have helped build and care for such as Three Pillars where our brothers and sister can go to be taken care of in the sunset years of their life.

We are so lucky to have the foundations that can assist those that have financial needs when their luck is down and just need a little helping hand to assist them back onto their feet.

We are lucky to have all the amazing Brothers that are there with some emotional support and just the right words of encouragement when we need one. To have the amazing brotherhood that we develop by being actively involved in all the great masonic organizations, and finding the ones that fit us as individuals, that help us grow and become better people.

Many of us are VERY lucky to have the ladies in our lives that not only allow us to make so many meetings, but are always there with their help, support and love. It is truly amazing all that they do for us every day.

So take a moment, kiss your lady and tell her thank you one more time for we can not say it enough. Take a moment and think about all the impact we are making on this world.

Take a moment and reflect on all the great people you have met through your masonic travels.

Take a moment and watch how our wonder world transforms from is winter slumber to the sweet warmth of spring.

Take a moment and think about the one new thing you're going to do this year to make the world a better place. It does not have to be big or grand, just one simple small thing that makes a difference for you. Once you do take a minute sit back and enjoy the feeling that you get but be careful that feeling just might be habit forming. I know how LUCKY I am, do you?

Can not wait to see you in the asylum my Brother,

Through Knighthood- your servant,

Michael Roering, Grand Commander

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