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My Brother Knights,

This letter is to inform you of my intent to run for Utah Knights of Columbus, office of State Advocate. I previously served two years as the State Warden and one year as the State Treasurer. I had skipped the position of State Advocate and now is the time for me to go and learn this position. I feel it is good to serve at every state officer position before reaching the top positions in our State Council. If elected I plan on working with councils in putting together resolutions for the state convention and forwarding them on to supreme and updating our State by-laws with any amendments that were approved by the Supreme Board of Directors.

I served as the Financial Secretary of Council 5214 for 17 years. In Assembly 1144 I served as the Faithful Comptroller for 7 years. My time now is spent focusing on supporting the State Council.

As a state officer I attended as many events as I could to support the local councils and state functions. I attended multiple membership drives at local parishes, contributing to the membership goals of the state. I assisted at the State soccer challenge, free-throw championship, and science fair. I attended multiple funerals for brother knights and priest. I just recently participated in my first honor guard at the funeral for Sir Knight Billy Sandoval. I have participated in several more since then and will continue to do so honoring our deceased brother knights.

I desire your vote and the opportunity to serve as your State Advocate for this coming fraternal year. Thank you in advance for your vote. I look forward to working with local councils and our Utah State Knights of Columbus council.

Vivat Jesus

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Stephen Gerichs".

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