



## KNOW YOUR KNIGHT, OF COLUMBUS, THAT IS

**William (Bill) Montroy**

**Spouse: Shirley**

**Children: 4, Mike, Kathy, Dianne, David**

**Grandchildren: 7**

**Life Goal: Actually retire to do woodworking, travel and fishing,**

**I met my wife... through a mutual friend in high school. I was a senior, Shirley a junior.**

**Jobs I've Held: During high school: laborer at a roofing factory, radio / TV repair & record sales. Marine Corps 1953-1974 as an radar/electronics & computer hardware tech & instructor, Instrument Calibration Tech, Refrigeration, Hydraulic Tech, Electronic Supply & Technical Advisor. Retired as a Master Sergeant in May of '74 Since 1974: Computer Hardware Instructor, Software developer. Personal Care & Nutrition salesman. Water Meter repairman. In 1992, I have started a Flowmeter sales & service business, now my youngest son is working with me.**

**How and Why We Came to St. Gerard's: When I retired from the Marine Corps in '74, we bought a home in Brooklyn Park and found this church in a corn field with movie screens up front (was not even sure it was Catholic), walked in was greeted by a parishioner who assured us we would like it and we did. Since then we've move twice, 1982 to Maple Grove and in 1991 to Coon Rapids. We still like it here and have made many wonderful friends.**

**Activities We've Been Involved In at St. Gerard's: Shirley has been involved in the Guilds and now with the KC's Ladies Auxiliary. I was a member of the Men's Club and now the St Gerard's KC's. We both have helped with Corn Fest, Loaves & Fishes, and other projects of St Gerard's .**

**I became a Knight because...my Dad was a Knight, and when a friend asked if I would join (1955) I was very curious as well as honored to be asked.**

**I support my spiritual growth by...prayer, retreats, reading and friends**

**I relax by...fishing, reading and watching TV ( Discovery, Science channel etc. some movies and definitely SciFi )**

**Hobbies...fishing, boating, woodworking, Computer SW.**

**Favorite Food(s): ice cream period, pecan pie, spare ribs and a good steak.**

**Pet Peeve: Bad public officials. GRRRRRR**