



# TEXAS KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

## Pro-Life Silver ACE Wings Application

Pro-Life without **A**pology, without **C**ompromise, and without **E**xception

The Knights of Columbus Pro-Life Silver ACE Wings is earned by participating in five (5) or more different Public Pro-Life activities in 1 year, starting when the Knight completes his first event. Form may be submitted at any time during the fraternal year. Upon receipt, the State Pro Life Chairman will review and if approved, a set of ACE Wings will be sent to the applicant's District Deputy for presentation. Applications for Priests, non-Knights, squires or replacement wings do not need to have events listed, simply note it on line #1. Knights who wish to obtain a set of ACE Wings for their spouse or children (ages 12 and up), must send payment of \$7 per ACE Wings with the form (the Knight's original set of ACE Wings are free). Checks need to be made to Texas State Council and sent to the State Pro Life Chairman at the address below.

1.) \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

2.) \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

3.) \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

4.) \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

5.) \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**Knight's Name** \_\_\_\_\_

(Please Print Clearly)

**Knight's Signature** \_\_\_\_\_

(With this signature the Knight pledges to remain active in Pro Life until all human life is protected)

**City and Diocese** \_\_\_\_\_

**Phone** \_\_\_\_\_

**E-mail** \_\_\_\_\_

**Completed forms mail to:**

**Hector Gutierrez**  
**State Pro Life Chairman**  
**209 Agnes St.**  
**El Campo, TX 77437**  
**hectorg77437@gmail.com**

**Grand Knight's Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Council No.** \_\_\_\_\_

Faithful Navigator or District Deputy may sign in place of the GK, but for tracking purposes please include only the Council number. ACE Wings will be sent to the District Deputy, please indicate if you wish them sent elsewhere.

\*Additional Set of Wings for Spouse/Children yes \_\_\_\_\_ no \_\_\_\_\_ (If yes please provide their names)

\$7 for wings designated for a spouse/child(ren) Name(s) \_\_\_\_\_

\*\*Councils may present one ACE Wings per year to a strong Pro Life non-Knight individual in their community, (\$7 charge) please indicate their name here \_\_\_\_\_



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## Pro-Life ACE Wings

The "Precious Feet" on the ACE Wings are the size and shape of an unborn baby's feet at 10 weeks after conception.

### Requirements for Receiving the Pro-Life ACE Wings

A minimum of 5 Public Pro-Life events are required to qualify for the Texas State Council Pro-Life ACE Wings.

4 out of the 5 **must** deal with the unborn:

- The following can be done **multiple** times and count as **one** event - Sidewalk Counseling, Volunteer at Pregnancy Resource Center
- The following count as **three** events - Attend the Texas Rally for Life in Austin
- The following count as **two** events - Attend a local Diocesan March for Life, Hike for Life
- The following each count as **one** event and each can only be listed once - Participate in The Silver Rose, Pro-Life Rosary Processions, View the movie Unplanned, View the movie Bloodmoney The Business of Abortion, Rosaries Outside Abortion Clinics, Pro-Life Mass, 40 Days for Life, Pro-Life Conferences, Pro-Life Dinners, Pro-Life Presentations to Youth Groups, Support of Parish Life Resource Center

The list above is just some of the many possibilities and this is not meant to be a complete list.

**Private Pro-Life events (such as saying the Rosary privately or at a Council meeting, or offering up a private intention at Mass), while always encouraged, do not count as ACE Wings items.**

The 5<sup>th</sup> item can be either a Pro-Life item as described above or:

- Special Olympics Volunteer, Prayers Prior or During Inmate Executions, Volunteering at a Hospice, Nursing Home, or Veterans Hospital, being part of any of the American Wheelchair Mission events.
- **Our Holy Father has called us to be Pro-Life**, from conception to natural death, therefore we must remember to include those who are forgotten and left to die. Since it is legal to kill a baby in the womb we must keep this in the forefront, this is why in order to obtain the ACE Wings one must complete 4 items that deal with our most vulnerable, the unborn.
- **A Council may present the ACE Wings once a year to a non-Knight in their local community that has demonstrated a strong Pro-Life stance.**
- **Councils may elect their Parish Priest(s) and Deacon(s) to receive the ACE Wings.**
- It is recommended to present The ACE Wings by the District Deputy or Grand Knight at a Council meeting or event.
- We encourage everyone to continue to support Pro-Life events, however, **only one set of ACE Wings will be presented to a Brother Knight by the State.** Lost or damaged ACE Wings can be replaced for \$7.