

FREE WILL

I begin this column for February after a Great Midyear meeting and a Great weekend at the Gathering of Men's Retreat in Estes Park with Monsignor Ken Leone, Father John Lager, and 300 men, @ 75 of which were Brother Knights.

I again begin with the Holy Trinity as my team. **In the Name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. Amen!**

God the Father gave each and every one of us **FREE WILL**. God the Son said, "Ask and you shall receive". With those two statements, and **TRUST in the LORD**, you shall receive the graces to accomplish every thing you need in the Name of the Lord.

If you can think it, you can do it.

God has given us the **POWER** over our lives. What you do with your free will is up to you. If you want to turn your **FREE WILL** over to the devil, he will take it and run with it! It is all up to you! Your life is all up to you! What you want to do with it is God's gift to you!

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The sky is the limit. Did you ever hear that one? **GOD IS EVERYWHERE!** If you think you have a problem, all you need is to put your **Total Trust** in the Lord. If you think you are in charge; you are wrong. **GOD IS IN CHARGE OF EVERYTHING.** Be positive! Put yourself in the person across from you and try to think what he or she thinks of the situation. Then you become aware that the solution is a compromise. Only we put limitations on ourselves. With the power of prayer to and through the **HOLY SPIRIT**, we get **knowledge, perseverance and patience**. All the makings for a solution to our problem!

The power of positive thinking!

Don't ever say can't. You have just defeated your self.

"Can't" never could! And, "could" never would!

So in your life's journey when coming to a fork in the road and you have to make a choice, my money is on the Holy Spirit and the Holy Trinity Team. You will never lose with them as your team!

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Vivat Jesus
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