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THE WHITE HOUSE WASHINGTON

DeMolay Week, 1976

As an Honorary Grand Master of the Order of DeMolay, I am delighted to participate in this special observance.

Communities across our country have been strengthened and the lives of countless individuals brightened by the Order's many worthwhile activities. On this occasion, it is appropriate that we express our thanks to those who contribute to the continuing success of the Order and of its important role in building better citizens in an atmosphere of fellowship and brotherhood.

On behalf of all Americans, I salute the Order's accomplishments and wish all its chapters a rewarding and productive year.

Gerald R. Ford

