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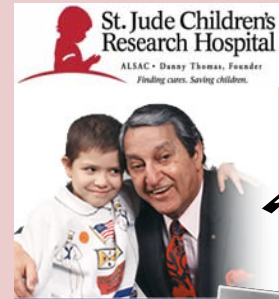
"We consider no man from the standpoint of those qualities and advantages he has not attained by personal effort. We stand for men whose manhood has withstood the test of trying conditions. We deem sterling character and staunch uprightness to be necessary qualifications to membership in this fraternity. All else, though desirable, is secondary to these."

"Membership in Tau Kappa Epsilon is a privilege and an opportunity that will be valuable throughout your college years and for all the years to follow"

Ronald Regan
Iota Chapter
Eureka College, 1929



TEKESPOTLIGHT



Danny Thomas
Gama-Nu Chapter
Univ. of Toledo,



Entertainer

One of the best-loved entertainers of his time, starring in shows in New York and Chicago, Hollywood movies and in the television series. However, best known as a generous philanthropist, Thomas founded the St. Jude Children's Research Hospital in Memphis, Tennessee, in 1962. It would be a hospital for needy children, a place where they would be cared for regardless of race, religion or ability to pay - a hospital where no suffering child would be turned away.

Over 9,500 men are currently enrolled as undergraduates at colleges and universities across the United States and Canada.

There are over 1,100 TKE alumni living within a 30 mile radius of Painesville, OH area. In addition to a core of 14,600 Tekes in the states of Ohio and Michigan combined.

Be a Founder

The Founders of Tau Kappa Epsilon desired an organization different from those represented by the existing fraternities. Their desire was to establish a fraternity in which the primary requisites for membership would be the personal worth and character of the individual rather than the wealth he possessed, the honors or

titles he could display, or the rank he maintained on the social ladder.

By accepting the opportunity to become a Founding Father of TKE at Lake Erie, you can:

- Build your own fraternity
- Leave your legacy
- Have immediate impact

Benefits for the Lake Erie Student

More than 245,890 men have established solid friendships that last a lifetime. Tekes around the world act as a network of friends, which can be very beneficial both personally and professionally to our members.



Tau Kappa Epsilon expects serious attention to academic performance and will help its members excel in their academic life and assists in their pursuits afterward.

Tau Kappa Epsilon provides young men the opportunity to develop as leaders and prepares them to use those

leadership skills during their lifetime. Tekes are encouraged to take an active leadership role in the community, campus, and chapter activities.

Tau Kappa Epsilon emphasizes core values such as integrity, honesty and patience, and is committed to teaching these values to our members. Generations of men have become successful in life through their experiences in Tau Kappa Epsilon.

Hazing Free new member education! When you and others commit to building a chapter you have the opportunity to establish a new "Blueprint" free of hazing activities and devoid of the negative stigmas that plague our Greek system.

TKE believes that the essential element of true brotherhood is love charity, and esteem, placing value on personal relationships, diversity and generosity towards all.