Raymond Joseph Martin 27th State Deputy of Oregon 1960-1962



Raymond Joseph Martin was born on September 16, 1926 in Toledo, OH to Frederick and Aura Morrin Martin.

In 1945 Raymond graduated from St. Tomas Military Academy in St. Paul, MN. During WWII, Raymond served in the Army in Iran. After he was discharged he worked for 9 months in Abadan, Iran for Trans World Airlines.

After the war, he graduated from the University of Notre Dame with a degree in Business Administration in 1950.



Raymond married Dolores Shull also in 1950 in Lucas, OH and moved to Roseburg, OR. They had 8 children: Jerry, Mary Ann, Tom, Tim, Judy, Diane, Patty and Kathleen.



Raymond joined the Roseburg 2939 Council in 1950 where he became the Grand Knight and District Deputy. Raymond served as the State Decency, Public Relation, Family Life and Legislative Chairman. Was elected State Deputy in 1960 at the Roseburg State Convection but never held any other State Office.

Raymond served as District Master from 1968 to 1970.

Raymond worked in production and management from 1950 to 1973 for Martin Brothers Container and Timber Products. In 1973 he became a full time Field Agent until he retired. He was elected President of the Portland Serra Club in 1983 and President Oregon Fraternal Congress in 1983.

Raymond J. Martin died on August 8, 2006 in Portland, OR and is buried at Mount Calvary Cemetery in Portland, OR. Dolores is still living.

Raymond standing, Dolores sitting.

"We cannot all possibly have the same ideas, but the majority thinking for good must prevail and we, even though we may not individually agree, must bring our thinking in line with that which will promote and improve our Order." Raymond J. Martin, September 16, 1961, Corvallis, OR

