

SAINT FRANK PARATER

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SAINT FRANK PARATER WAS
BORN ON OCTOBER 10TH IN
1897 IN RICHMOND
VIRGINIA.



SAINT PARATER WAS ABLE
TO REACH HIS RANK OF
EAGLE. HE WAS IN THE
SCRIBE FOR HIS TROOP 32.



SAINT PARATER WENT TO SCHOOL AT XAVIERIAN BROTHERS SCHOOL AND BENEDICTINE HIGH SCHOOL IN RICHMOND VA. HE STUDIED FOR THE PRIESTHOOD AT BELMONT ABBEY SEMINARY COLLEGE IN NORTH CAROLINA AFTER THAT HE THEN WHEN TO PONTIFICAL NORTH AMERICAN COLLEGE IN ROME.



PARATER GOAL WAS TO "STRIVE BY EVERY POSSIBLE MEANS TO BECOME A PURE AND WORTHY PRIEST..." HE WHEN TO MASS EVERY DAY AND RECEIVED HOLY COMMUNION AND PRAYED THE ROSARY AND MEMORARE. HE DEDICATED HIS LIFE TO THE SACRED HEART OF JESUS.



PARATER BEGAN HIS STUDIES IN ROME THE FALL OF 1919 AND IN JANUARY WAS HOSPITALIZED WITH RHEUMATIC FEVER. TO RECEIVE COMMUNION AT HIS LAST RITES, HE KNELT ON HIS BED.



FRANK PARATER DIED ON FEBRUARY 7, 1920. AND HE IS BURIED IN THE COLLEGE MAUSOLEUM AT CAMP VERANO IN ROME.



MAY ONLY CATHOLICS OR SCOUTS EARN THIS?
WHO MAY EARN THIS ACTIVITY PATCH?

ANY YOUTH OR ADULT MAY EARN ANY OF THE ACTIVITY
PATCHES. THE REQUIREMENTS ARE GRADE-SPECIFIC.



IS THIS ACTIVITY CONSIDERED A RELIGIOUS EMBLEM AND MAY A SCOUT RECEIVE A RELIGIOUS KNOT AFTER COMPLETING THIS ACTIVITY?

NO. THIS ACTIVITY IS CONSIDERED A RELIGIOUS ACTIVITY, NOT A RELIGIOUS EMBLEM PROGRAM. SCOUTS MAY NOT RECEIVE A RELIGIOUS KNOT FOR EARNING THIS ACTIVITY PATCH.

The 4 steps on becoming a Saint

1. Wait five years. The process to make someone a saint cannot normally start until at least five years after their death
- 2 Become a 'servant of God'
3. Show proof of a life of 'heroic virtue'
4. Verified miracles

MY RESEARCH ON SAINT FRANK PARATER HAS INSPIRED ME TO LIVE MY FAITH BECAUSE HE WAS A SCRIBE IN HIS TROOP, AND HE CHOSE TO HELP PEOPLE WHEN HE DID NOT NEED TO. THIS RELATES TO ME BECAUSE I AM A CHILI FIRE EXPLORE AND I NEED TO HELP PEOPLE IN MY GROUP.

