

*Knights of Lithuania*  
95<sup>th</sup> National Convention  
July 31- August 3, 2008



**RE: We are inviting you to participate in the Annual National Convention with your ADVERTISEMENT in the PROGRAM BOOK!**

Greetings or as we say in Lithuanian, Labas!

Organized on April 27, 1913, the Knights of Lithuania is a nationwide organization of Roman Catholic men and women of Lithuanian ancestry and their spouses. Adhering to the motto: "For God and Country", the Knights of Lithuania aims to keep alive among its members an appreciation of the Lithuanian language, customs and culture.

With Lithuania's regained freedom, the Knights of Lithuania has worked to continually expand on our current goals and work towards new ones. We work to assist the needs of Lithuanian causes and Lithuania through our Lithuanian Affairs Committee which works to disseminate information on current issues both here and abroad.

Here in the United States, we strive to keep alive our Lithuanian heritage through cultural presentations, lectures, trips, choral and dance groups. A longtime member once said, "Our youth is our future", and the Knights of Lithuania have heeded these words. Through the efforts of our National Scholarship Fund, the organization is able to help talented members further their education.

The Annual National Convention is held as a means of gathering all nationwide members and friends to share in the Lithuanian heritage, attend cultural events, committee meetings, and have fun! Participants are drawn from the entire United States with a member base of over 700!

This year's 95th National Convention of the Knights of Lithuania will take place from Thursday, July 31st to Sunday, August 3rd, 2008, in the Dayton, Ohio region. Our host hotel this year is the beautiful Holiday Inn of Fairborn, Ohio, conveniently located by Wright State University and I-675.

We are inviting you to participate in the convention thru your advertisement in the program book. This enables all of the attendees to learn of your business or organization, and have a chance to frequent your establishment or buy your product. You can choose how you want your ad to look and read, or allow our graphic staff to complete this for you. Each participating vendor will receive a convention program book.

Won't you please play a part in the 95th National Knights of Lithuania Convention by buying an ad and contributing to the success of the convention and program book? Each advertiser will receive the ad of their choice. We offer full page, ½ page, ¼ page, and business card size ads in black and white. All you need to do is complete the attached form. You can supply camera ready art in WORD and we can do the rest. If you wish, you can mail the camera ready work or email it. Use this email address: [maryagnes7@aol.com](mailto:maryagnes7@aol.com).

All checks are made payable to the Knights of Lithuania Council #96. We only ask that you adhere to the June 2nd deadline. It's that easy.

Please complete the enclosed form and send you check, made payable to: The Knights of Lithuania, # 96.

For more information on our national organization, just visit our website: [www.KnightsOfLithuania.com](http://www.KnightsOfLithuania.com). In consideration of all attendees, vendors, and advertising, we reserve the right to screen vendors and ads.

Thank you for your consideration and participation!

Respectfully,

**Mary Agnes Mikalauskas**  
Program Book Co-Chair

**Elena Mikalauskas**  
Program Book Co-Chair