
Phi Delta Phi Establishes Sutherland Inn at J. Reuben Clark Law School

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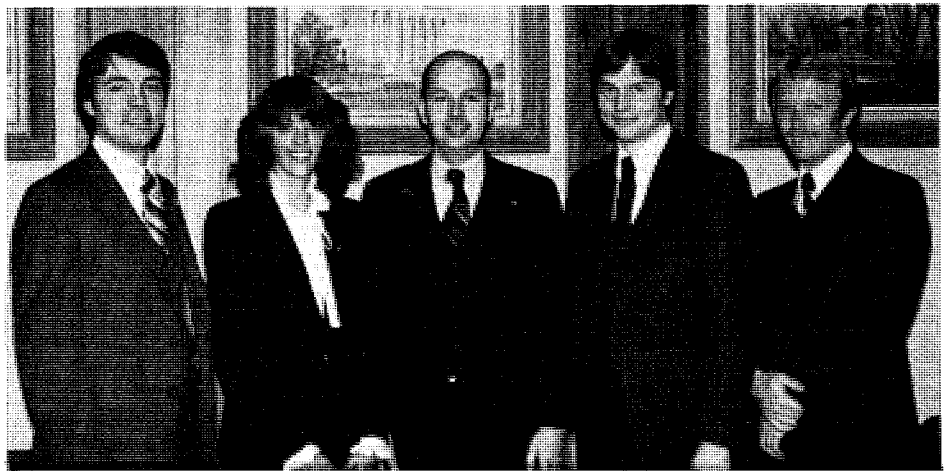
The George Sutherland Inn of the International Legal Fraternity of Phi Delta Phi was established at the J. Reuben Clark Law School on October 13, 1979. Members of the fraternity's Executive Council gathered at the school from all parts of the country to administer the fraternity's 110-year-old ritual to 32 student initiates and to the Sutherland Inn's first honorary member, the Honorable Aldon J. Anderson, Chief United States District Court Judge, District of Utah. Membership of the Sutherland Inn doubled at its Winter Initiation held February 5, 1980, which included the induction into Phi Delta Phi of the Honorable Malcolm R. Wilkey, United States Court of Appeals Judge, District of Columbia Circuit.

Phi Delta Phi, founded in 1869 at the University of Michigan, is the oldest and largest professional legal fraternity in America. Chapters of the fraternity, called Inns, after the Inns of Court in England, are organized at over 130 law schools throughout the United States, Canada, and Latin America. The International Headquarters of Phi Delta Phi are located in Washington, D.C.

The purpose of Phi Delta Phi, as stated in its Constitution, is to promote a higher standard of professional ethics and culture in the law school and in the legal profession at large. The Sutherland Inn is meeting that goal by sponsoring speakers at the law school and holding various social and cultural activities. The Inn has also



The Benchers administer the Phi Delta Phi Ritual at the Winter Initiation. From left to right: Magister Gregory Burr, Judge Aldon Anderson, Richard Clark, Esq., Professor Douglas Parker, and Jack Bush, Esq.



PHI DELTA PHI OFFICERS, from left to right: Mark Albright, Cindy Frazier, Gregory Burr, Reid Everett, and Jonathan Duke



Sutherland Inn's Charter Honorary Member, The Honorable Aldon J. Anderson, Chief U.S. District Court Judge

held several fundraising activities this year to provide it with the means to carry out its programs.

Months of careful planning and preparation went into the founding of the Sutherland Inn. The Inn has grown rapidly into a thriving, dynamic organization due in no small measure to the dedicated efforts of its officers. Serving as officers of the Inn during its charter year are Gregory Burr, Magister, Jonathan Duke, Vice Magister, Cindy Frazier, Exchequer,

Reid Everett, Clerk, and Mark Albright, Historian.

The Sutherland Inn recently named Gregory Burr as the first recipient of its annual Graduate of the Year Award. Aside from serving as the Inn's first Magister, Greg also attended the Phi Delta Phi International Convention in Quebec City as the Inn's official delegate, and has taken an active role in the Student Bar Association and other law school organizations.