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Chairman Emeritus

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Dear Mike:

Congratulations to you upon earning the rank of Eagle Scout. This is a great honor which few young men attain.

With that honor, you assume a new responsibility to the Boy Scouts of America, to your friends, your family and your nation. That responsibility is to help maintain the high regard that all Americans have for Eagle Scouts. They are expected to exemplify in their daily lives the high principles and values expressed in the Scout Oath and the Scout Law.

By being true to this new responsibility, you will not only honor the Scouting movement; but you will also greatly increase the chances that you will be successful in your chosen career. You could not have had better character-building training to handle the challenges of your future.

Once again, congratulations -- spread those Eagle wings and rise up to even greater achievements in the future.

Sincerely,

S. N. McDonnell
Past National President

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