



The Holy Ascension Armenian Church

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Gentlemen:

This is a brief report of the 1971 8th Annual Bazaar, of which I was Chairman.

Enclosed are copies of the Ad Booklet, letters, forms, and publicity fliers for the Church records. The Committee lists, donors and patrons are all listed in the booklet along with a short resume of events during the Bazaar. It was decided to send a copy of the Booklet to the entire Parish mailing list this year to be sure everyone got a copy, along with all the Ad Book donors.

The Financial Statement has been submitted which gives a picture of our monetary success showing a profit of \$4487.⁰⁰ with still some outstanding money to come in.

I was asked to be the Chairman of the Bazaar early in the Spring of last year. After some thought, I accepted with the idea of outdoing 1970's Bazaar



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and breaking the \$5000.00 profit mark. However, due to the economic situation of Fairfield County, we ended up a couple of hundred dollars less than last year in our profit column. Actually, I think this was very good, all considering. Due to the hard work of soliciting, especially the Booklet Committee, we managed to pick a lot of new donors, which took up the drop on some of our established contributors.

In closing, may I quote from my own statement in the Ad Book:

PEOPLE

It has been my priviledge to have been the Bazaar Chairman for the second consecutive year. During these two years I have met, gotten to know, worked with, and I hope, gained the friendship of many people--Armenian and Non-Armenian alike.

This has also been my personal gain, along with the satisfaction of working for the Church.

People--they are the main ingredient of the Church. Without people you do not have a Church or --

- A Bazaar
- A Ladies Guild
- A Choir
- A Sunday School
- A Youth Group
- A Mr. & Mrs. Club

"Friendship & Love"



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The Church has realized a gain, I have realized a gain, and I hope all you PEOPLE, workers and guests alike, have realized a gain from the Bazaar because: "People need People".

To my very hard workers, my very generous donors, my very gracious hosts, and all you good people who attended:

God Bless You &

Thank You

My special thanks to Jack Demirjian, who very graciously accepted my invitation the second consecutive year to be my Treasurer.

Respectfully Submitted
James M. Kernicky
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Chairman, Bazaar 1972