Life Time Achievement Award

Presented By
Christuva Nallenna Iyakkam

To
Rev. Bro. Patric
Founder, MCDS

May his personal example of leadership, compassion and dedication to the truth be a model especially for the youth, and for his home in servant leadership.

In Consideration for his commitment to the Church, dedicated service to the community and the love of God, he is designated as a partner in this great work.

On the occasion of 1st December 2014, Christuva Nallenna Iyakkam is presented with the Lifetime Achievement Award, for their dedication to the community.

BIRTH: 29.09.1941 NEW LIFE: 07.04.2015

REV. BRO. GERARD PATRICK
Founder Director MCDS
GOLDEN JUBILEE RELIGIOUS COMMITMENT
(1961 - 2011)

DEAR Bro. GERARD PATRICK

Your life has been filled with challenges.
You have looked life differently.
And have taken a road less travelled by others.
You have proved by your life
that we are the change that one seeks and
"If you risk nothing, then you risk everything".
You have walked a long road
always rushing where God beckons
to meet the urgency of men's needs.
You dared to touch the unreachable,
touching the lives of others
the poor, neglected abandoned,
and those broken men and women.
Your outreach arms lifted
the orphans, and the differently abled...
The blind see and the deaf hear.
"Some people touch the lives of others
with all colours of the rainbow, you are one of them."
As you ascent from the 'gold',
May your vision be fixed
on the distant miles yet be fixed on the distant miles yet to be traversed
With the angles beckoning you
to your Father's haven with voice-
"Whatever you did to the least of these brothers and sisters of mine, you did for me."
- Matt 25:40
*I can do all things through him who strengthens me* - Philip 4:13

THE SUCCESS STORY OF A MAN WHO 'DARED'

Birth 20.09.1941, Kaipuzha, Kotlayam
1955 - 1959 Juniorate, Kazipet
1959 - 61 Novitiate, Echinkadu
1961 - April Fast Vows, Echinkadu
1962 - 63 Scholasticate, Kazipet
1963 - 64 St. Joseph's, kolhakudam, Teacher
1964 - 65 St. Charles, Sardhana, Teacher
1967 - Dec Perpetual Vows, Yercaud
1965 - 72 Monfort School, Teacher
1972 - 80 R.S.K., Trichy, Teacher
1980 - 83 Monfort School, Yercaud
1983 - 84 St. Joseph's, Chengalpet, Teacher
1984 - 90 St. Louis, Adyar, Press in-Charge
1990 - 95 St. Louis, Adyar, Director
1996 - Founder, Director MCDS, Chennai

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"We all have only one life.
Dream big for God and his people.
Never let anyone come in the way
of your dreams and have enough gumption
not to give up on your dreams.
Follow your heart,
no matter what."

Who am I, O Lord God.
You have brought me this far?
- 2 Sam 7/18

The lamp that he has lit in the lives of many still continues to burn
through the functioning of MCDS.............