

Rollo on Leaders

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Definition of Leaders

- ▶ Leaders are those who with their person and conduct influence the thoughts and actions of others in their environment.
- ▶ They guide, orient and direct.
- ▶ The leader knows what she wants, why she wants it, what she wants it for and how she wants to achieve it.

What should the leader be like?

- ▶ Quote from Pope Pius X's Firm Proposal
- ▶ She will live in Grace and share her life in Christ with others.
- ▶ She will influence those around her, leading them to the life of Grace.

The Determining Factor in Formation...

- ▶ Is the will to be Formed
- ▶ To have determination
- ▶ To be like Christ
- ▶ To lead others to Christ
- ▶ To grow in piety, study and action

Qualities of the Leader

- ▶ Must know Ideal
- ▶ Must know the Reality
- ▶ Must have the following:
 - Discipline
 - Warmth
 - Initiative
 - Generosity

Supernatural Qualities:

- ▶ Living Faith
- ▶ Humility
- ▶ Hope
- ▶ Love

Summary

Christian leaders are those who combine their natural and supernatural qualities with Christian virtue knowing how to live their response to God's call by accepting and responding to their vocations in life.

Witness / Testimonial

- ▶ Piety
- ▶ Study
- ▶ Action

Conclusion