

Definition of a Rotarian

by RI Pres ~~Frank Devlyn~~ Rick King said
Give of Time & Money till it Hurts

by: Terrold Revesse followed that with
Continue to give till it feels Good
at the membership meeting they said

Give until ^{you} Get that warm & FIZZY Feeling

Two weeks ago along with 4 other club members, I attended the RI conference in San Antonio. There was over 22,000

In Attendance ^{with me} over 50,000 attended by the internet from half way around the world, Nigerians had 1,000 attendees, and from 230 miles away we only had 5. What a missed opportunity.

The opening ceremonies was opened with the presentation of the flags from the 131 countries ^{that were} attendance. One by one they passed by with video on horse back until next to last was the USA, ^{host country} and last was RI Pres. Frank Devlyn country of Mexico.

For the next three days I attended sessions where the many projects of

rotary were presented. Projects like Polio Plus, preventable blindness, artificial Limbs, the wheel chair program, & the children of the dump. Many times I was so moved I got teary eyed.

Next year RI conf. is in Spain, 2003 in Austria, 2004 in Japan, + 2005 in Chicago USA. If you can't go to Spain, Austria, Japan - Make plans to go to Chicago. I guarantee it's an experience you will never forget.

I challenge each of you to make this rotary year, the year you get that warm & fuzzy feeling and become a true Spree Center Rotarian.