



**GUARDIA SVIZZERA
PONTIFICIA**

Città del Vaticano,

COMANDO

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Your Excellency,

I am here today with my friends, the Philharmonica of Canobbia-Lugano, to bring you cordial greetings from the Vatican, in my own name and in the name of the Swiss Guard.

I would like to assure you and your family and all the citizens of Massachusetts of our good wishes and prayers - that God will bless all of you with prosperity and peace.

Excellency, please accept the official Pontifical Medal of His Holiness Pope John Paul II as a sign of our admiration and friendship.

Colonel R. Buchs

Commander of the Swiss Guards