

Memorial Resolution

**Blake Leighton
Robert Gould
Gregg Nolta
William Sassman
Evan Ardley**

Resolved by the Diocese of Northern California of The Episcopal Church, in Convention, on the fifth day of November, 2016, at Sacramento, California, that this diocese with sharply felt grief, gives thanks and remembers with deep fondness our brothers Blake Leighton, Robert Gould, Greg Nolta, William Sassman, and Evan Ardley, all of whom served our diocese faithfully for many years, and have witnessed to all a deep faith made manifest in the diligence, dignity, grace, humor and incredible patience with which they discharged their respective duties. This diocese hereby gives voice and attests to our deep and lasting love for Blake, Robert, Greg, William, and Evan, our thanks to God for their lives, and our sympathy to their families who most acutely feel their absence.