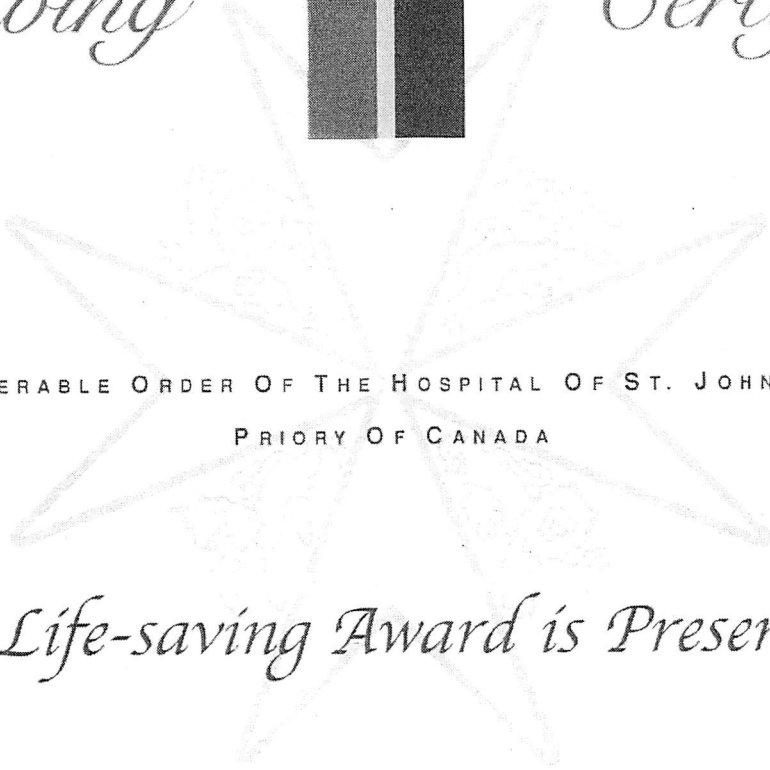


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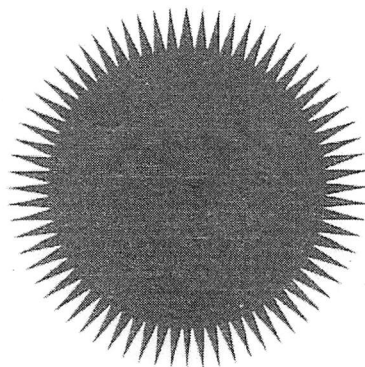
*This Life-saving Award is Presented to*

**A/Sergeant JOE SMYTH**

who, on February 28, 2015, in Corner Brook, Newfoundland used his first aid skills to save a life. A/Sgt Joe Smyth, a member of the Royal Newfoundland Constabulary, was with members of the Special Olympics team who were having breakfast together in a local hall. Suddenly Joe realized that one of the athletes was choking. The casualty was unable to speak or breathe and was losing consciousness. Joe quickly stepped up and administered several abdominal thrusts. The obstruction was dislodged and the casualty began to breathe again. The athlete was examined by a doctor and later released to return to the games where he helped his team win a gold medal at the curling event. A/Sergeant Joe Smyth is to be commended for his quick intervention and for his knowledge and use of first aid in saving a life.

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