

Grand Commandery Knights Templar Of the State of New York

210th Annual Conclave

September 15th 16th 17th, 2023



At the

Crown Plaza Desmond Hotel

660 Albany Shaker Rd., Albany NY 12211

Updates can be found at <https://nygckt.org/>.

Annual Conclave of the Grand Commandery of New York

Friday September 15, 2023

Buffet theme is Woodstock 1969.

210th Annual Conclave Preliminary Schedule

Friday, September 15th

9:00 – 11:00 AM & 4:00 PM – 6:00 PM Conclave Registration opens _____ King Street
9:00 AM – KCT Meeting _____ 22 High Street
10:00 AM – PGC Meeting _____ 22 High Street
10:00 AM Grand Line Meeting _____ 28 High Street
12:00 PM Grand Commander's invited lunch (ticket required) _____ Shaker Room
1:00 – 4:00 PM Basket Room Opens _____ 26 High Street

1:15 PM – 210th Annual Conclave Convenes _____ 2 & 4 King Street

2:30- 5:00 PM Hospitality Suite Opens _____ 24 High Street
3:30 PM Empire State Commandery # 83 _____ 22 High Street
6:15 PM Social Hour and Cash Bar _____ King Courtyard
7:15 PM Grand Commander's Theme Buffet Dinner (ticket required) _____ 6 & 8 King Street
10:00 PM Order of Knights Preceptor _____ 22 High Street
9:00 – 11:00 PM Hospitality Suite Opens _____ 24 High Street

Saturday, September 21st

7:00 AM Education Foundation Breakfast _____ Mr. D's
7:30- 11:00 AM Registration Reopens _____ King Street
7:45 AM Visiting Dignitaries line up _____ King Courtyard

8:00 AM 210th Annual Conclave Reconvenes

8:30 AM Reception of Visiting Dignitaries _____ King Street
9:00 AM Necrology Report and Memorial Service
9:30 AM Youth Groups Remarks
10:00 AM Ladies and Visitors Excused
10:00AM – 12:15PM

Remarks from: GHP ME Larry Barnard, DGM RI Donald Kunego & Deputy Ill. Michael Morris

Recognition of: Past Grand Commanders, Zone Commanders, Grand Representatives, Commanders.

Reports: Credentials Committee Report
Grand Commander's Elocution and Response
Election of Officers
Templar Plan by Grand Commander Elect

11:00 AM – 12:00 PM Ladies' Program _____ TBA

11:25 AM Report of time and place Committee

11:30 PM Remarks from: SK John Barnes NEDC
SK Jeffrey Bolstad DGM Grand Encampment
MW Richard J. Kessler Grand Master of Masons in NY

12:30 PM Luncheon (tickets required) _____ 6 & 8 King Street
1:30 - 4:30 PM Basket Room Opens _____ 26 High Street
2:00 PM Public Installation of Grand Commandery Officers _____ 2 & 4 King Street
2:00 – 5:30 PM Hospitality Suite _____ 24 High Street
3:00 PM Drill Team Competition _____ Rear Parking lot / bad weather TBD
4:30 PM Basket Raffle Drawing _____ 26 High Street
6:00 PM Social Hour and Cash Bar _____ King Courtyard
7:00 PM Grand Commandery Banquet (ticket required) _____ 6 & 8 King Street
9:30 - 11:00 PM Hospitality Suite _____ 24 High Street

Sunday September 17th

9:00 AM Divine Worship Service _____ Shaker Room
Exchange of the Cord, Ring and Sword _____ Shaker Room