

Grand Commandery Knights Templar State of New York



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The Commander of each Commandery is hereby ordered to read this General Order at the first Conclave following receipt and the Recorder is to distribute to his Commandery's constituent members electronically upon receipt.

General Order No. 4

To: The Grand Line Officers, Past Grand Commanders, Commandery Officers and all Sir Knights of the Constituent Commanderies of the Grand Commandery State of New York wheresoever dispersed.

CHRISTIAN GREETINGS SIR KNIGHTS:

1. Pursuant to a resolution at the 210th Annual Conclave of the Grand Commandery of New York in Albany, New York; the 211th Annual Conclave will convene at the **Crown Plaza Hotel Suffern, 3 Executive Blvd, Suffern NY 10901** on Friday, September 20, 2024 at 1:45 pm and conclude Sunday Morning, September 22, after the completion of the passing of the cord, ring, and sword ceremony.
2. Section 647: Constitution Statues and Regulations of the Grand Encampment of the United State of America state that it is the duty of the Commander, Generalissimo, and the Captain General to attend the Annual Conclave of their Grand Commandery.

3. Article XII, Section 30 of the Statues of the Grand Commandery reads: that the Commander, Generalissimo, or Captain General of any constituent commandery being unable to attend the Annual Conclave of the Grand Commandery in person, may vote by proxy. Said proxy must be registered as the Certificate of Proxy of his appointment with the Committee on Credentials prior the opening of Conclave. **Proxy Forms are not to be mailed to the Grand Recorder.**
4. Registration and the Credentials Committee will be located in the lobby area to the left of the front door.
5. Commandery or Zone Drill Teams are invited to have their Drill Captains meet with the Drill Master, SK David L. Lathers REPGC at the time of registration to receive orders for Drill.
6. All dispensations and travel motions are hereby granted for attending the Annual Conclave of the Grand Commandery of New York, and for the participation in all events to all members and representative of affiliate jurisdictions.
7. Friends and families are invited to attend all social events and meals not related to official business of the Conclave.
8. It is the duty of all Grand Representatives to attend the Annual Conclave of the Grand Commandery of New York or communicate regrets in a timely manner.
9. All meetings will be held at this location. **Those requiring overnight accommodation will make reservations directly with the hotel by calling the Front Desk at 1 (845) 357-4800. Ask for Grand Commandery NY Room Rate (\$139.00 plus tax). The deadline for room reservations is August 15, 2024 (cutoff date). Meal reservations with payment must be received by September 7, 2024.**

It is anticipated that the following Committees will be appointed at first session of the Conclave to serve the Conclave.

Report of the Grand Commander

SK David L. Lathers PGC/KCT/AGR

SK Stenrick B. Adams PGC/KCT

SK Donald J. Berry PGC/KCT

Charters and Dispensation

SK Paul G. Huck

Credentials Committee

SK Steven L. Wing PGC/KCT/GR

SK Carl J. Klossner PC/GS

SK Michael T. Dunn PC

SK Louis D. Denato PC/DZC

SK Wayne E. Towne, II

SK John P. Murray

SK Frank R. Williams

Appeal and Grievances

SK David L. Lathers PGC/KCT/AGR

SK Paul Barrera PGC/KCT/GT

SK Yves Etienne PGC/KCT

Time and Place

SK Mike Sikos PC

Committees and Annual Reports

Grand Recorder-SK Steven Wing PGC/KCT/GR

Grand Treasurer –SK David L. Lathers PGC/
KCT

Grand Trustee's Report-SK Ronald Brown HPGC/KCT

Jurisprudence Report- SK Paul G. Huck

Finance Committee-SK Dennis S. Davis PGC/KCT

Patriotic Activities-SK John J. Mullin GSW

Tactics and Uniform-SK Dennis S. Davis PGC/KCT

Education Found.-SK Robert N. Rogers ZC

KT Eye Foundation-SK John W. Scott DGC

Drill Team Comp.-SK David Lathers PGC

Long Range Planning-SK John W. Scott DGC

Religious Activities & Necrology
SK Charles M. Roberts PGC/KCT/GP

Endowment Committee-SK Ronald Brown HPGC/KCT

Emergency Executive Board

SK R. Conrad Johnson REGC/KCT

St. Bernard's Endowment-SK Donald J. Berry PGC/KCT

Grand Commandery Website

SK Gerald R. Lathers PC

Easter Sunrise-SK Earl G. Wilkinson GJW

Inspection Review-SK John W. Scott DGC

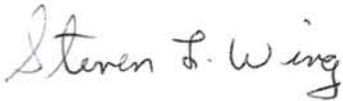
Grand Historian's Report-SK Ronald Brown HPGC/KCT

Membership-SK Richard P. Miori GW

This Order given under my hand and seal at Bronxville, NY on May 27, 2024.

Attest,

Courteously,



Steven L. Wing, PGC/KCT

Grand Recorder

SK R. Conrad Johnson, KCT

Grand Commander 2023-2024