

The Grand Chapter of Texas
Order of the Eastern Star

Presents

The One Hundred Twenty-Ninth

“Garden of Friendship”
Grand Chapter Session



George R. Brown
Convention Center
Houston, Texas
August 10-13, 2011

Mrs. Mary Ruth White
Worthy Grand Matron

Mr. Karl Arthur Drescher, Jr.
Worthy Grand Patron

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**Extends Fraternal Greetings and
Welcomes you to
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THE WORTHY GRAND MATRON'S THEME, EMBLEMS, FLOWERS, AND COLORS

Theme

“He who sows courtesy reaps friendship, and he who plants kindness gathers love.”

Emblems

The Iris and the Fleur de Lis

“Friends are the flowers in the garden of life.”

The Iris is only considered to be a perfect specimen if it has three Standards and three Falls. The three Standards are the petals reaching upward and the three Falls the petals that extend downward. I see the Standard petals as the membership reaching upward to achieve the many goals of our Order and the Falls as the strength and dedication of the membership to uphold the standards of our Order in accomplishing its worthy purposes. The Iris reminds us of the Holy Trinity, and also of Faith, Hope and Love. Through Faith, Hope and Love all things are possible.

Flowers

The Iris

Colors

All Colors and White

WORTHY GRAND MATRON'S SCRIPTURE

**“And now abideth, faith, hope, love, these three;
but the greatest of these is love”**

Corinthians 13.13



Mrs. Mary Ruth White
Worthy Grand Matron



Mr. Karl Arthur Drescher, Jr.
Worthy Grand Patron



Mrs. Rennie Ofton

Most Worthy Grand Matron
General Grand Chapter and
Past Grand Maron of Texas



Mr. John Grobler
Acting Most Worthy Grand Patron
General Grand Chapter



Mrs. Alma Lynn Bane

Right Worthy Grand Secretary
General Grand Chapter and
Past Grand Matron of Texas



Elizabeth Bordeaux
Worthy Grand Chaplain and
Past Grand Matron of Vermont



Rosemary Swetland

Worthy Grand Organist
General Grand Chapter and
Past Grand Matron of Texas

**2009 - 2012 TRIENNIAL ASSEMBLY
EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE**



HENRY S. MARTIN
General Chairman—Texas
PGP of Texas



H. LEE STALLINGS
Finance Chairman—Texas
PGP of Texas



KENNETH R. GREGORY
Co-Chairman—Texas
PGP of Texas



JERRY TREES
Housing Chairman—Texas
PGP of Texas

**2009 - 2012 TRIENNIAL ASSEMBLY
EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE**



SHARON FENTRESS
Housing Co-Chairman—Texas
PGM of Texas



JANICE HERRIDGE
Executive Secretary and
Cardinal Crew
PM of Texas



BETTY Y. FRIEND
Social Chairman—Texas
PGM of Texas



JERRY L. MARTIN
Ambassador to Hawaii
PGP of Texas

**2009 - 2012 TRIENNIAL ASSEMBLY
APPOINTED COMMITTEES**



ELSIE PALADINO
Appeals & Grievances
Committee
PGM of Texas



BUDDY BAKER
Chapter Restoration
Committee
PGP of Texas



KAREN MORGENTHALER
Cancer Committee
PGM of Texas



DORIS JEAN HESTER
Credentials Committee
PGM of Texas

**2009 - 2012 TRIENNIAL ASSEMBLY
APPOINTED COMMITTEES**



ED WARNER
ESTARL Committee
PGP of Texas



WANDA FAIRCHILD
Membership Committee
United States Chairman
PGM of Texas



BILLY H. COMBEST
Knights Templar Charities
Committee Chairman
PGP of Texas



NANCY BROWN
Pin Committee
Pin Distribution Chairman
PGM of Texas

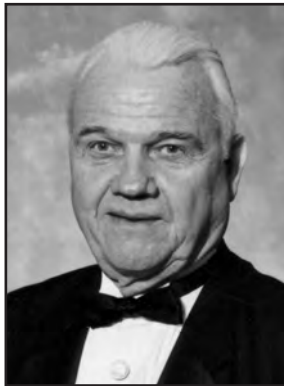
**2009 - 2012 TRIENNIAL ASSEMBLY
APPOINTED COMMITTEES**



ALMA CARTER
Registration Committee
United States Chairman
PGM of Texas



LELAND BENEFIELD
Unfinished Business
Committee
PGP of Texas



JACK W. GUY
Service Dog Committee
PGP of Texas

**2009 - 2012 TRIENNIAL ASSEMBLY
APPOINTED COMMITTEES**



JOYCE GILBERT
Youth Committee
United States Chairman
PGM of Texas



J. WILLIAM "BILL" RHYAN
Registration Committee
PGP of Arizona



FRANKIE LITTLE
Necrology Committee
PGM of Iowa

GENERAL GRAND CHAPTER SPECIAL APPOINTMENTS



SYLVIA GARCIA
Deputies to the Most Worthy
Grand Matron & Most Worthy
Grand Patron in Mexico



RAUL GARCIA
Deputies to the MWGM &
MWGP in Mexico &
Central America



PHYLLIS MACON
International Grand Reps.
Association – President
Past Matron of Texas



DR. CHARLES W. "BILL" BANE
International Headquarters
Administrator
PP of Texas

SPECIAL APPOINTMENTS OF THE MWGM & MWGP



GAY M. CARNES
Who's Who/Tri-Line Book,
Calendar & Souvenir Book and
Cardinal Crew
PM of Texas



LEATRIS LEGG
Secretary to the MWGM
PM of Texas



JERRY NEUENSCHWANDER
Choir Director
PP of Texas

CARDINAL CREW COMMITTEE



WILLIE MAE SHAW
Chairman
PM of Texas



MARY H. BEACH
PM of Texas



**GEORGIA
CAMPBELL**
PM of Texas



**SARAH VALKUS
COURSEY**
PM of Texas



**KARL A. DRESCH-
ER, SR**
PP of Texas



EVA G. HICKS
PM of Texas



BETTY MARTIN
PM of Texas



OPAL MARTIN
PM of Texas

CARDINAL CREW COMMITTEE



BETTY MORRIS
PM of Texas



**SHARON MOSMEY-
ER**
PM of Texas



JANE ROBISON
PM of Texas



**PATRICIA "PAT"
STALLINGS**
PM of Texas



CLETA M. TODD
PM of Texas



JANELL TREES
PM of Texas



JOSEPH F. WHITE
PP of Texas



JAYNE YENGER
PM of Texas



NANETTE GWALTNEY
PM of Texas

In Memory Of



FREDERICK W. CLARKE
MOST WORTHY GRAND PATRON
AT REST
December 28, 2010

In Memory Of



MARY BROWN
PAST GRAND MATRON
AT REST
July 4, 2011

DISTINGUISHED MEMBERS AND GUESTS

Most Worthy Grand Matron and Most Worthy Grand Patron

Past Most Worthy Grand Matrons and
Past Most Worthy Grand Patrons

General Grand Chapter Elected Officers

General Grand Chapter Appointed Officers

General Grand Chapter Executive Committee Members

General Grand Chapter Committee Members

Worthy Grand Matrons and Worthy Grand Patrons
of Other Grand Jurisdictions

Past Grand Matrons and Past Grand Patrons
of Other Jurisdictions

Past Grand Matrons and Past Grand Patrons of Texas

Most Worshipful Grand Master
Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of Texas
Ancient Free and Accepted Masons

Installed Grand Officers and Elected Board Members
of Other Jurisdictions

Special Appointees of Most Worthy Grand Matron

Grand Representatives of Texas in Other Jurisdictions

Grand Representatives of Other Grand Jurisdictions
In Other Grand Jurisdictions

Grand Representatives of Other Jurisdictions in Texas

Special Appointments of Most Worthy Grand Matron

Grand Committee Members and Appointments
Of Other Grand Jurisdictions

Presiding Officers and Distinguished Members of All Appendant Bodies

Youth and Adult Leaders of Fraternal Youth Organizations

HONORED MEMBERS

Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron 2010-2011

Mrs. Rennie Ofton, Most Worthy Grand Matron

Mr. John E. Grobler, Acting Most Worthy Grand Patron

Texas' Own General Grand Chapter Officers and Committee Members

Mrs. Alma Lynn Bane, Right Worthy Grand Secretary

Mrs. Rosemary Swetland, Worthy Grand Organist

Mr. Henry S. Martin, Executive Chairman

Mr. Kenneth R. Gregory, Executive Co-Chairman

H. Lee Stallings, Finance Chairman

Mr. Jerry Trees, Housing Chairman

Mrs. Sharon Fentress, Housing Co Chairman

Mrs. Betty Y. Friend, Social Chairman

Mr. Jerry L. Martin, Ambassador to Hawaii

Mrs. Elsie Paladino, Appeal & Grievances Committee

Mrs. Karen Morgenthaler, Cancer Committee

Mr. Buddy Baker, Chapter Restoration Committee

Mrs. Doris Jean Hester, Credentials Committee

Mr. Ed Warner, ESTARL Committee

Mr. Billy H. Combest, Knights Templar Charities Committee, Chairman

Mrs. Wanda Fairchild, Membership Committee, US Chairman

Mrs. Nancy Brown, Pin Distribution, US Chairman

Mrs. Alma Carter, Registration Committee, US Chairman

Mr. Jack W. Guy, Service Dog Committee, Texas and Louisiana

Mr. Leland Benefield, Unfinished Business Committee

Mrs. Joyce Gilbert, Youth Committee, US Chairman

Past Grand Matrons and Past Grand Patrons of Texas

Mrs. Lallah Mae Vollus	Mr. Murray Watson
Mrs. Molly Goodpasture	Mr. Wayne P. Jones
Mrs. Patricia Major Neinast	Mr. Graham H. Childress
Mrs. Rennie Ofton	Mr. Glenn Whitaker
Mrs. Elise Hammack	Mr. Garland W. Rattan
Mrs. Beulah Speer	Mr. Leland G. Benefield
Mrs. Elsie Paladino	Mr. Billy H. Combest
Mrs. Betty Phillips Benham	Mr. Richard Ochs
Dr. Effie Mae Davis	Mr. Kenneth R. Gregory
Mrs. Jane Gregory	Mr. Henry Martin
Mrs. Wanda Fairchild	Mr. H. Lee Stallings
Mrs. Rosemary T. Swetland	Mr. Duane (Buddy) Baker
Mrs. Alma Carter	Mr. Harold Trammell
Mrs. Yvonne Brownfield	Mr. Ed Warner
Mrs. Alma Lynn Bane	Mr. Jack W. Guy
Mrs. Betty Y. Friend	Mr. Jerry L. Martin
Mrs. Naomi Wolfe	Mr. Nelson Campbell
Mrs. Jimmie Lee McMahon	Mr. John Creel
Mrs. Sharon Fentress	Mr. Jerry Trees
Mrs. Doris Hester	Mr. Ray Hertenberger
Mrs. Karen Morgenthaler	Mr. Bill Wyatt
Mrs. Nancy Brown	
Mrs. Geraldine Dusek	
Mrs. Joyce Gilbert	
Mrs. Joyce Nicklas	
Mrs. Bess Caldwell	

Mrs. Sylvia Garcia, Deputy to the MWGM in Mexico

Mr. Raul Garcia, Deputy to the MWGP in Mexico and Central America

Mrs. Phyllis J. Macon, President

International Grand Representative Association

Dr. Charles W. "Bill" Bane, International Headquarters Administrator

Mrs. Janice Herridge, Secretary to Executive Committee

INSTALLED GRAND OFFICERS



Mrs. Vi Griffin
Associate Grand Matron



Mr. David Dibrell
Associate Grand Patron



Mrs. Marlene Scholari
Grand Secretary



Mrs. Lorrie Faith Owens
Grand Treasurer



Mrs. Annette Curry
Grand Conductress



Mrs. Jayne Yenger
Associate Grand
Conductress



Mrs. Marceline Crenshaw
Grand Chaplain



Mrs. Sherry Dieckmann
Grand Marshal



Mrs. Janell Trees
Grand Organist

INSTALLED GRAND OFFICERS



Mrs. Martha Hefington
Grand Adah



Ms. Fran Johnson
Grand Ruth



Mrs. Marty Drescher
Grand Esther



Mrs. Susan Smith
Grand Martha



Mrs. Doris Davis
Grand Electa



Mrs. Jane Wert
Grand Warder



Mr. Ray Hargis
Grand Sentinel



Mrs. Rita Lytle
Fraternal Correspondent

BOARD OF DIRECTORS



Mr. Keith Mikeworth
Chairman



Mr. Ronald Zipp
Vice Chairman



Mrs. Elizabeth Wise
Secretary/Treasurer



Mrs. Betty M. Scott
Member, District 1



Mrs. Tonya Foster
Member, District 1



Mrs. Karen Kidd
Member, District 2



Mrs. Lorraine Williams
Member, District 3



Mrs. Darla Dunaway
Member, District 3



Mrs. Gerry Sturtz
Member, District 4



Mrs. Kathy Teele
Member, District 5

BOARD OF GRAND EXAMINERS



Melissa Simonton
Hudman
District 1



Mrs. Carla Stringer
District 2



Mrs. Cheryl Albrecht
District 3



Mrs. Sharon Mosmeyer
District 4



Mrs. Sandra Zipp
District 5



Mrs. Susan Bigham
Grand Examiner At Large

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE



Mr. Mark Dieckmann
Chairman



Mr. H. Bart Henderson
Co Chairman



Mrs. Heidi Jenkins
Secretary



Mrs. Judy Tucker
Treasurer



Mrs. Darlene Taylor
Auditor

ARRANGEMENTS COMMITTEE



Mr. John Elkinton
Chairman



Mr. Pete Araiza
Co-Chairman



Mr. Dwight Von Heeder
Co-Chairman



Mrs. Shirley Meerscheidt
Secretary



Mrs. Marsha Owen
Decorations Chairman



Mrs. Georgia Campbell
Distinguished Guests
Chairman



Mrs. Linda Wentworth
Ditty Bags Chairman



Mr. Paul Garner
Elections Chairman

ARRANGEMENTS COMMITTEE



Mr. Ronald Harris
Electrical Chairman



Mr. George Gwaltney
First Aid Chairman



Ms. Terri Rozell
Housing Chairman



Mrs. Patricia Cooper
Information, Lost & Found
Chairman



Mr. Sam Cooper
Labyrinth Chairman



Mrs. Evelyn Huddleston
Paraphernalia Chairman



Mr. James "Jim" Turner
Photographer



Ms. Shelley Sturgeon
Security Chairman

ARRANGEMENTS COMMITTEE



Mrs. Pat Turner
Social Chairman



Mr. Ben Wilson
Sound Chairman



Mrs. Virginia Keasling
Special Needs Chairman



Mrs. Delphia Von Heeder
Stage Pages Chairman



Mrs. Debby Pruitt
Tickets Chairman



Ms. Virginia Franklin
Ushers Chairman



Mrs. Mickie Campbell
Vendors Chairman

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Mr. Mark Dieckmann Chairman
Mr. H. Bart Henderson Co-Chairman
Mrs. Heidi Jenkins Secretary
Mrs. Judy Tucker Treasurer
Mrs. Darlene Taylor Auditor

ARRANGEMENTS COMMITTEE

Mr. John Elkinton Chairman
Mr. Pete Araiza Co-Chairman
Mr. Dwight Von Heeder Co-Chairman
Mrs. Shirley Meerscheidt Secretary
Mrs. Marsha Gail Owen Decorations Chairman
Mr. Jim Lee Owen Decorations Co-Chairman
Mrs. Georgia Campbell Distinguished Quests General Chairman
Mrs. Vicki Hertenberger Distinguished Quests Co-Chairman
Mrs. Linda Wentworth Ditty Bags Chairman
Mr. Paul Garner Elections Chairman
Mr. Ronald Harris Electrical Chairman
Mr. George Gwaltney First Aid Chairman
Ms. Terri Rozell Housing Chairman
Mrs. Patricia Cooper Information, Lost & Found Chairman
Mr. Sam Cooper Labyrinth Chairman
Mrs. Evelyn Huddleston Paraphernalia Chairman
Mr. James "Jim" Turner Photographer
Ms. Shelley Sturgeon Security Chairman
Mrs. Pat Turner Social General Chairman
Mrs. Bertha Fincher Social Co-Chairman
Mr. Ben Wilson Sound Chairman
Mrs. Virginia Keasling Special Needs Chairman
Mr. G. W. Robertson, Jr. Special Needs Co-Chairman
Mrs. Delphia Von Heeder Stage Pages Chairman
Mrs. Debby Pruitt Tickets Chairman
Ms. Virginia Franklin Ushers Chairman
Mrs. Mickie Campbell Vendors Chairman
Mr. Robert Squires Vendors Co-Chairman

**ASSISTING GRAND WARDERS AND
ASSISTING GRAND SENTINELS**

Anyone not on the following list who wishes to serve as an Assisting Grand Warder or Assisting Grand Sentinel, you are most welcome.

Please report to
Jane Wert, Grand Warder
or
Ray Hargis, Grand Sentinel
For your assignment.

Please do not leave your station unattended.

THANK YOU!

**ASSISTING GRAND WARDERS AND
ASSISTING GRAND SENTINELS**

Skip Smith
Renea Lopez
Judy Caldwell

Yvonne Smith
Gay Nell Keith
Tanya Watkins

CREDENTIALS COMMITTEE

Mrs. Linda Roy, Chairman
Mrs. Becky Austin, Mrs. Charlotte Beall, Mrs. Carolyn F. Black,
Mrs. Mary F. Bond, Mrs. Nell Smith Drenner, Mrs. Martha Grissom,
Mrs. Joan Groth, Mrs. Delores Harris, Mrs. Leah Hayes, Mrs. Patsy Hewlett,
Mrs. Mary Jo Jaska, Mrs. Annette Otremba, Mrs. Joyce Schneider,
Mrs. Judy Stone and Mrs. Margaret Wood

REGISTRATION COMMITTEE

Mrs. Barbara Randle, Chairman
Mrs. Carolyn Bell, Mrs. Neva Corbin, Mrs. Nancy Jo Estill,
Mrs. Myrtle Foreman, Mrs. Gail Ruth Fuller, Mrs. Patricia Hart,
Mr. James Wade Heflin, Mrs. Caron I. Joseph,
Mrs. Peggy Ledinski, Mr. C. J. McKinney, Mrs. Sula Jane Reilly,
Mrs. Mary Ann Skrabanek,
Mrs. Tava Smith and Mrs. Pat Winkleblack

CEREMONIAL OPENING
129th GRAND CHAPTER OF TEXAS
Garden of Friendship Session
Thursday Afternoon Session
August 11, 2011

10:30 a.m.

Musical Prelude

Mrs. Rosemary T. Swetland
Worthy Grand Organist
General Grand Chapter
Past Grand Matron of Texas

11:00 a.m.

Master of Ceremonies

Mrs. Betty Benham
Past Grand Matron of Texas

Thought of the Day

Mrs. Betty Y. Friend
Executive Committee
Social Chairman - Texas
General Grand Chapter
Past Grand Matron of Texas

Assisting Grand Marshal

Mrs. Karen Morgenthaler
Cancer Committee
General Grand Chapter
Past Grand Matron of Texas

Processional of Distinguished Members and Guests

11:15 a.m

Grand Chapter Dad

Mr. Karl A. Drescher, Sr
Escorted by Mrs. Kay Drescher

Grand Chapter Mom

Mrs. Joann Drescher
Escorted by Mr. Gary L. Drescher

WGM's Treasured Sister

Mrs. Edna Goettee
Escorted by Mr. James L. Goettee, Jr.

Board of Grand Examiners

Mrs. Melissa Hudman
District 1
Escorted by Mr. Richard L. Hudman

Board of Grand Examiners -
Continued

Mrs. Carla Stringer
District 2
Escorted by Mr. Bobby Stringer

Mrs. Cheryl Albrecht
District 3
Escorted by Mr. Darrell Albrecht

Mrs. Sharon Mosmeyer
District 4
Escorted by Mr. Gary Mosmeyer

Mrs. Sandra Zipp
District 5
Escorted by Mr. Ronald Zipp

Mrs. Susan Bigham
At-Large
Escorted by Mr. Larry Bigham

Board of Directors

Mr. Keith Mikeworth
Chairman
Escorted by Mrs. Wanelle Mikeworth

Mr. Ronald Zipp
Vice-Chairman
Escorted by Mrs. Sandra Zipp

Mrs. Elizabeth Wise
Secretary/Treasurer
Escorted by Mr. Herman Wise

Mrs. Betty M. Scott
District 1
Escorted by Mr. Andrew N. Scott

Mrs. Tonya Foster
District 1
Escorted by Mr. Charles Foster

Mrs. Karen Kidd
District 2
Escorted by Mr. Ken Shockley

Mrs. Lorraine Williams
District 3
Escorted by Mr. Jimmy Williams

Board of Directors - Continued	Mrs. Darla Dunaway District 3 Escorted by Mr. Larry Dunaway
	Mrs. Gerry Sturtz District 4 Escorted by Mr. Sam Cooper, Jr.
	Mrs. Kathy Teele District 5 Escorted by Mr. Jerry Miller
Fraternal Correspondent	Mrs. Rita Lytle Escorted by Mr. Toby Lytle
Grand Sentinel	Mr. Ray Hargis Escorted by Mrs. Linda Hargis
Grand Warder	Mrs. Donna Jane Wert Escorted by Mr. Harold Wert
Grand Electa	Ms. Doris Davis Escorted by Mr. Rick Skidd
Grand Martha	Mrs. Susan Smith Escorted by Mr. Richard Smith
Grand Esther	Mrs. Marty Drescher Escorted by Mr. James Walker
Grand Ruth	Ms. Fran Johnson Escorted by Mr. Herb Morgan
Grand Adah	Mrs. Martha Heffington Escorted by Mr. Richard Ochs
Grand Organist	Mrs. Janell Trees Escorted by Mr. Jerry Trees
Grand Marshal	Mrs. Sherry Dieckmann Escorted by Mr. Mark Dieckmann
Grand Chaplain	Mrs. Marceline Crenshaw Escorted by Dr. Billy G. Crenshaw
Associate Grand Conductress	Mrs. Jayne Yenger Escorted by Mr. Joseph D. Yenger

Grand Conductress	Mrs. Annette Curry Escorted by Mr. Jerry Davis
Grand Treasurer	Mrs. Lorrie Owens Escorted by Mr. Jerry Owens
Grand Secretary	Mrs. Marlene Scholari Escorted by Mr. Joe Scholari
Associate Grand Patron	Mr. David Dibrell Escorted by Mrs. Marlene Dibrell
Associate Grand Matron	Mrs. Vi Griffin Escorted by Mr. Tommy F. Griffin
Worthy Grand Patron	Mr. K. Arthur Drescher, Jr. Escorted by Mrs. Betty Thomas
Worthy Grand Matron	Mrs. Mary Ruth White Escorted by Mr. Joseph F. White

PRESENTATIONS

Bible and Bible Marker	Karl Drescher, Sr. Father of the Worthy Grand Patron and JoAnn Drescher Mother of the Worthy Grand Patron
Square and Compasses	Right Worshipful Jerry L. Martin Grand Junior Warden Grand Lodge of Texas A.F. & A.M. Past Grand Patron of Texas.

FLAG PRESENTATIONS

United States	Mr. Jedidiah Dieckmann Eagle Scout, Troop No. 549, BSA and Mr. Joshua Dieckmann Life Scout, Troop No. 549, BSA Grandsons of the Worthy Grand Matron
Canadian	Mr. John Creel Past Grand Patron of Texas

Texas	Mr. Joseph F. White Grand Representative of Arkansas in Texas Cardinal Crew
Washington	Mr. Bill Wyatt Past Grand Patron of Texas
Nova Scotia	Mrs. Kay Drescher Grand Page to Grand Esther
Prince Edward Island	Mr. Gary Drescher Grand Representative of Nova Scotia & Prince Edward Island in Texas
Christian	Mr. Ed Warner ESTARL Committee General Grand Chapter Past Grand Patron of Texas
Eastern Star	Mrs. Jimmy Lee McMahan Past Grand Matron of Texas
Masonic	Mr. Jack W. Guy Service Dog Committee General Grand Chapter Past Grand Patron of Texas
Rainbow	Miss Melanie Rachel Seymour Grand Worthy Advisor
DeMolay	Mr. Wesley Wunsche State Master Councilor

12:15 p.m.
Call to Order

Mrs. Alma Lynn Bane
Right Worthy Grand Secretary
General Grand Chapter
Past Grand Matron of Texas

Mr. Henry S. Martin
Executive Committee
General Chairman
General Grand Chapter
Past Grand Patron of Texas

Invocation

Mrs. Sharon Fentress
Executive Committee
Housing Co-Chairman - Texas
General Grand Chapter
Past Grand Matron of Texas

Garden of Friendship Drill

Installed Grand Officers and Pages

Directed by Mrs. Sherry Dieckmann, Grand Marshal

ENTRANCE OF 2010 - 2011 OFFICERS

Welcome to Houston

Mr. Mark Dieckmann
Executive Committee Chairman

Greetings

Mayor Cindy Siegel
Mayor of the City of Bellaire

Greetings

Jen Charr
Representative of the City of Houston
Proclamation

Greetings

Mrs. Marlene Dibrell
Supreme Fidelity
Supreme Liaison to Mexico
International Order of the
Rainbow for Girls

Mrs. Jo Ann Weaver
Supreme Deputy in Texas

Miss Melanie Rachel Seymour
Grand Worthy Advisor

Greetings

Texas Order of DeMolay
Honorable J. Weldon Clampitte
Grand Master of DeMolay
International Supreme Council
Executive Officer
Texas DeMolay Association

Mr. Wesley Wunsche #1141
State Master Councilor
International Order of DeMolay

Greetings

The University of Texas
MD Anderson Cancer Center Representative
Amanda Harris

Greetings

Shrine Burns Hospital in Galveston
Rick Townsend

Greetings

Scottish Rite Children’s Hospital
Tommy Griffin

Greetings

Most Worshipful T. E. “Gene” Carnes
Grand Master of Masons in Texas
Grand Lodge of Texas A.F. & A.M.

Greetings

Mrs. Marianne Shenefelt
Right Worthy Associate Grand Conductress
General Grand Chapter

Greetings

Mr. John E. Grobler
Acting Most Worthy Grand Patron
General Grand Chapter
Past Grand Patron of Washington

Greetings

Mrs. Rennie Often
Most Worthy Grand Matron
General Grand Chapter
Past Grand Matron of Texas

Response to Welcome
& Greetings

Mr. K. Arthur Drescher, Jr.
Worthy Grand Patron of Texas

Mrs. Mary Ruth White
Worthy Grand Matron of Texas

Presentations

**ALL WHO ARE NOT MEMBERS OF
THE ORDER OF THE EASTERN STAR
WILL PLEASE RETIRE**

1:00 p.m.

Partial Report of the Credentials Committee

**RITUALISTIC CEREMONIAL OPENING
Installed Grand Officers**

Opening Ode	“How Great Thou Art” Grand Choir Assembly Directed by Mrs. Janet Clark Grand Choir Director
Flag Presentation	Mrs. Sherry Dieckmann Grand Marshal
Pledge of Allegiance	Mr. Harold Trammell Past Grand Patron of Texas
The National Anthem	Grand Choir & Assembly
O Canada	Grand Choir & Assembly
Thought of the Day	Mrs. Nancy Brown Pin Distribution Chairman General Grand Chapter Past Grand Matron of Texas

FORMAL INTRODUCTIONS

(At Altar)

- Most Worthy Grand Matron and Acting Most Worthy Grand Patron
- Past Most Worthy Grand Matrons & Past Most Worthy Grand Patrons
- General Grand Chapter Elected Officers
- General Grand Chapter Appointed Officers
- Executive Committee Members
- General Grand Chapter Committee Members and Ambassadors for the Most Worthy Grand Matron and Most Worthy Grand Patron
- Worthy Grand Matrons & Worthy Grand Patrons of Other Jurisdictions
- Past Grand Matrons and Past Grand Patrons of Other Jurisdictions
- Past Grand Matrons & Past Grand Patrons of Texas
- Most Worshipful Grand Master of the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of Texas A.F. & A.M.

(In Back of Esther’s Station)

- Installed Grand Officers & Elected Board Members of Other Grand Jurisdictions
- Special Appointees of the Most Worthy Grand Matron & Most Worthy Grand Patron (Deputies, IGRA, and International Headquarters, Who’s Who/Tri-Line Book, Webmaster, Secretaries to the Executive and Finance Committees of General Grand Chapter)
- Grand Representatives of Texas in Other Jurisdictions
- Grand Representatives of Other Grand Jurisdictions in Other Grand Jurisdictions
- Grand Representatives of Other Grand Jurisdictions in Texas
- Special Appointments of the Most Worthy Grand Matron (Secretaries, Cardinal Crew and Travel Coordinator)
- Grand Committee Members & Appointments of Other Grand Jurisdictions
- Presiding Officers of Appendant Bodies
- Youth & Adult Leaders of Fraternal Youth Organizations

Welcome and Greetings	Mr. H. Lee Stallings Executive Committee Finance Chairman - Texas General Grand Chapter Past Grand Patron of Texas
Response to Welcome	Mrs. Barbara “Bobbi” White Right Worthy Associate Grand Matron General Grand Chapter Past Grand Matron of West Virginia
Greetings - Other Grand Jurisdictions	Mrs. Beverly Boyett Worthy Grand Matron Grand Chapter of Oklahoma

Grand Choir Program

Grand Representatives Report/Program

Humanitarian Report/Program

**Session Called from Labor to Rest
Until 8:00 a.m.
Friday Morning**

Benediction	Dr. Effie Mae Davis Past Grand Matron of Texas
7:00 p.m.	General Banquet Honoring WGM/WGP

FRIDAY MORNING SESSION August 12, 2011

8:00 a.m.

Musical Prelude

Mrs. Chloe Schultea
Organist
Oak Forest Chapter # 1080

8:30 a.m.

Call to Order

Mrs. Naomi Wolfe
Past Grand Matron of Texas

Mr. Duane "Buddy" Baker
Chapter Restoration Committee
General Grand Chapter
Past Grand Patron of Texas

Garden of Friendship Drill

Installed Grand Officers and Pages

Directed by Mrs. Sherry Dieckmann, Grand Marshal

Entrance of Installed Grand Officers

Opening of the Holy Bible

Mrs. Annette Curry
Grand Conductress

Invocation

Mrs. Alma Carter
Registration Committee
US Chairman
General Grand Chapter
Past Grand Matron of Texas

Session Called from Rest to Labor

Thought of the Day

Mrs. Doris Jean Hester
Credentials Committee
General Grand Chapter
Past Grand Matron of Texas

Reports:

(All Committee Chairmen are to be seated in the East until their pictures have been taken. Please be available at all times since you may be called upon earlier or later than scheduled)

- Committee on Chapters Under Dispensation
- Parliamentarian

Reports - Continued:

- Credentials - Partial Report
- Worthy Grand Matron
- Worthy Grand Patron
- Grand Secretary
- Grand Treasurer
- Board of Directors
- Jurisprudence Committee
- Board of Grand Examiners
- Committee on By-Laws

Benediction
 Mrs. Wanda Fairchild
 Membership Committee - US Chairman
 General Grand Chapter
 Past Grand Matron of Texas

Closing of the Holy Bible
 Mrs. Annette Curry
 Grand Conductress

Session Called from Labor to Rest Until 2:00 p.m.

12:00 p.m. Grand Line Officers Luncheons

FRIDAY AFTERNOON SESSION
August 12, 2011

1:30 p.m.
 Musical Prelude
 Mrs. Susan Smith
 Grand Martha

2:00 p.m.
 Call to Order
 Mrs. Joyce Nicklas
 Past Grand Matron of Texas

Mr. Ray Hertenberger
 Past Grand Patron of Texas

Garden of Friendship Drill
 Installed Grand Officers and Pages

Directed by Mrs. Sherry Dieckmann, Grand Marshal

Entrance of Installed Grand Officers

Opening of the Holy Bible
 Mrs. Annette Curry
 Grand Conductress

Invocation Mrs. Elise Hammack
Past Grand Matron of Texas

Session Called from Rest to Labor

Thought of the Day Mr. John Creel
Past Grand Patron of Texas

Recognition and Presentation of 50, 65, and 75 year Members

Reports Continued:

- District Deputy Grand Matrons
- Grievances and Appeals Committee
- Educational Fund Committee
- Purposes and Policy Committee
- Registration Committee
- Executive Committee
- Arrangements Committee
- International Headquarters Committee
- Titles, Deeds and Properties Committee
- Museum Committee
- Webmaster
- Financial Investment Committee
- OES Endowment Fund Committee

Benediction Mrs. Elsie Paladino
Appeals & Grievances Committee
General Grand Chapter
Past Grand Matron of Texas

Closing of the Holy Bible Mrs. Annette Curry
Grand Conductress

**Session Called from Labor to Rest Until
Saturday August 13, 2011
8:00 a.m.**

4:00 p.m.
Memorial Program

5:00 p.m.
ESTARL Program

7:00 p.m.
Rob Morris Banquet and Celebration

10:00 p.m.
Candidates Reception

**SATURDAY MORNING SESSION
August 13, 2011**

7:30 a.m.

Musical Prelude

Mrs. Heidi Newman
Associate Conductress
Farmers Branch Chapter # 687

8:00 a.m.

Call to Order

Mrs. Joyce Gilbert
Youth Committee - US Chairman
General Grand Chapter
Past Grand Matron of Texas

Mr. Jerry Trees
Executive Committee
Housing Chairman - Texas
General Grand Chapter
Past Grand Patron of Texas

Garden of Friendship Drill

Installed Grand Officers and Pages

Directed by Mrs. Sherry Dieckmann, Grand Marshal

Entrance of Installed Grand Officers

Opening of the Holy Bible

Mrs. Annette Curry
Grand Conductress

Invocation

Mrs. Jane Gregory
Past Grand Matron of Texas

Session Called from Rest to Labor

Thought of the Day

Mrs. Yvonne Brownfield
Past Grand Matron of Texas

Reports Continued:

- Registration Final Report

Unfinished Business:

- Adoption of ESTARL Report
- Adoption of Memorial Report

9:00 a.m.
Credentials Final Report

9:15 a.m.
Appointment of Election Judges

10:00 a.m.
Election of Officers

Reports Continued:
• Special Committees

Invitation to 2011 - 2012 Grand Chapter Session

Recognition and Presentations

Benediction Mr. Nelson R. Campbell
 Past Grand Patron of Texas

Closing of the Holy Bible Mrs. Annette Curry
 Grand Conductress

**Session called from Labor to Rest
Until 6:30 p.m. Saturday Evening**

**Please join us for the 2011 - 2012
Installation of Grand Officers**

Processional of Distinguished Guests will begin at 5:30 p.m.

*If We Can Dream It
We Can Do It*



**Humanitarian
Program
2010-2011**

Mrs. Mary Ruth White
Worthy Grand Matron

Mr. Karl Arthur Drescher, Jr.
Worthy Grand Patron

If We Can Dream It We Can Do It

Humanitarian Program

Dreams Come True in the Garden of Friendship

A Dream is the beginning of a plan, a hope of something better to come. The Order of the Eastern Star is a beautiful fraternal organization that gives our Eastern Star Sisters and Brothers the opportunity to fellowship together for charitable purposes. A Dream is what Robert Morris had when he developed his plans to form an organization that would allow the female relatives of Master Masons to share in similar fraternal activities as are enjoyed by their Masonic relatives. He used this Dream to lay out the blueprint for the Order of the Eastern Star.

The letters in the word **DREAM** represent the components of this year's Humanitarian Program.

D – Dreams	Education Fund
R – Revenue	General Fund
E – Educational	ESTARL
A – Aid	Benevolent Aid
M – Members	TMRC



D – EDUCATION FUND — The interest from the Education fund can help to bring to fruition the **DREAMS** of those students who are seeking scholarships to further their educations. These scholarships are not limited to recent High School graduates, but also older applicants who are seeking to further their education or training.

R – GENERAL FUND — The daily expenses of Grand Chapter are provided by the **REVENUE** received by the General Fund.

E – ESTARL — The money given to ESTARL — Eastern Star Training Awards for Religious Leadership — is to allow for **EUDUCATION-AL** scholarships for those who seek to further their education in a field where they have dedicated their lives to God’s ministry and in service to their fellow man.

A – AID — The Benevolent Aid Fund is to assist our members who may need emergency or permanent assistance. **AID** is sometimes needed to allow them to remain in their own homes or to purchase needed medicine. In times of rising living costs these funds are often in demand.

M – TMRC—Our **MEMBERS** in the Texas Masonic Retirement Center deserve our most dedicated attention. The funds given to this fund are used for their personal and social needs.



For Chapters to become 100% in the Humanitarian Program, you must give \$1.00 per member on your chapter rolls as of May 31, 2010. Additional awards will be issued to Chapters reaching 200%, 300%, 400% and each succeeding 100%. The funds may be designated to one or divided among any of the projects or funds within the Humanitarian Program. Chapters are reminded to continue collecting contributions for any of these projects throughout the year in the form of Honoraria, Memorials and in honor of any special event or happening.

*If you can imagine it ... you can achieve it.
If you can dream it ... you can do it.*

Sincerely and Fraternaly,

*Mrs. Mary Ruth White
Worthy Grand Matron*

*Mr. Karl Arthur Drescher, Jr.
Worthy Grand Patron*

The Greatest of These Is Love

ESTARL Service And Awards



Mary Ruth White
Worthy Grand Matron

K. Arthur Drescher, Jr
Worthy Grand Patron

August 12, 2011
5:00 p.m.

Jacalyn DeLange
General Chairman

ESTARL PROGRAM
"The Greatest of These Is Love"

Welcome	Mrs. Jacalyn DeLange General Chairman
ESTARL Committee	Marion Lee Pierce D1 Jerry Pingle D2 Georgia Orr D3 Deneice Marshall D4 Dorette Smith D5
Musical Selection	Matthew Wallace Recipient
Scripture Reading & Message	Becky Love Recipient
Offertory Prayer	Mireya Martinez Recipient

ESTARL LOVE OFFERING

Musical Selections	Matthew Wallace Mireya Martinez Recipients
Presentation of Awards	Mary Ruth White Worthy Grand Matron K. Arthur Drescher, Jr Worthy Grand Patron

Assisted By ESTARL Committee

Response from Recipients	Kristopher Redus Recipient
Benediction	Justin Southall Recipient

*“Garden of Treasured Memories
and Promised Hope”*
Memorial Program



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Mary Ruth White
Worthy Grand Matron

K. Arthur Drescher, Jr.
Worthy Grand Patron

Marceline Crenshaw
Grand Chaplain

“Garden of Treasured Memories and Promised Hope”
Memorial Program

Musical Prelude	Mrs. Rosemary T. Swetland Worthy Grand Organist and Past Grand Matron of Texas
“Cross of Hope” Memorial Drill	Installed Grand Officers and Grand Pages <i>Directed by Mrs. Sherry Dieckmann</i> Grand Marshal
“Room at the Cross for You”	Grand Choir <i>Directed by Ms. Janet Clark</i> Grand Choir Director
Invocation	Mr. Kenneth R. Gregory Gen. Grand Chapter Executive Committee Co-Chairman & Past Grand Patron of Texas
Solo “In the Garden”	Mrs. Marjorie Shenkir Grand Soloist Accompanied by: Mrs. Rosemary T. Swetland Worthy Grand Organist and Past Grand Matron of Texas
Report of the Grand Chaplain	Mrs. Marceline Crenshaw Grand Chaplain
Instrumental Presentation “Blessed Assurance”	Mrs. Rosemary T. Swetland Worthy Grand Organist and Past Grand Matron of Texas
Tribute to General Grand Chapter	Grand Chaplain
Floral Presentation	Mrs. Rennie Often Most Worthy Grand Matron and Past Grand Matron of Texas Mr. John E. Grobler Acting Most Worthy Grand Patron and Past Grand Patron of Washington
Tribute to Past Grand Matrons and Past Grand Patrons	Grand Chaplain
Floral Presentation	Mrs. Mary Ruth White Worthy Grand Matron Mr. K. Arthur Drescher, Jr. Worthy Grand Patron

Tribute to Grand Chapters of other Grand Jurisdictions

Grand Chaplain

Floral Presentation

Mrs. Jimmie Lee McMahon
Past Grand Matron of Texas
Mr. Harold Trammell
Past Grand Patron of Texas

Tribute to Subordinate Chapters

Grand Chaplain

Floral Presentation

Mrs. Karen Morgenthaler
General Grand Chapter Cancer Committee and
Past Grand Matron of Texas
Mr. Jerry L. Martin
General Grand Chapter Ambassador to Hawaii and
Past Grand Patron of Texas

Tribute to U. S. Military

Grand Chaplain

Floral Presentation

Mrs. Elsie Paladino
General Grand Chapter
Appeals & Grievances Committee &
Past Grand Matron of Texas
Mr. John Creel
Past Grand Patron of Texas

“Battle Hymn of the Republic”

Grand Choir
Directed by Ms. Janet Clark
Grand Choir Director

“Taps”

Mrs. Rosemary T. Swetland
Worthy Grand Organist and Past Grand Matron of Texas

Opening of the Holy Bible

Mrs. Annette Curry
Grand Conductress

Draping of the Altar

Mrs. Annette Curry
Grand Conductress

Mrs. Jayne Yenger
Associate Grand Conductress

Mrs. Marceline Crenshaw
Grand Chaplain

“Garden of Friendship”

Solo

“Until Then”

Mrs. Marjorie Shenkir

Grand Soloist

Accompanied by: Mrs. Rosemary T. Swetland
Worthy Grand Organist and Past Grand Matron of Texas

Closing Narration

Grand Chaplain

Closing of the Holy Bible

Mrs. Annette Curry

Grand Conductress

Benediction

“The Lord’s Prayer”

Mrs. Marjorie Shenkir

Grand Soloist

Accompanied by: Mrs. Rosemary T. Swetland
Worthy Grand Organist and Past Grand Matron of Texas

Please Retire Reverently

INSTALLED GRAND OFFICERS PERSONAL PAGES AND SECRETARIES

Worthy Grand Matron
Mrs. Mary Ruth White

Mrs. Cathi Cannon - Secretary
Mrs. Martha Lytle Bettis-Ecards
Mrs. Shelley Walker
Mrs. Susan Dormady
Mrs. Lesa Smith
Mrs. Cindy Newbury
Mrs. Linda Winn-Christenson

Worthy Grand Patron
Mr. K. Arthur Drescher, Jr.

Mrs. Linda Carney
Mr. Lee Roy Carpenter
Mr. Gary Drescher
Mr. Michael D. Salas
Mr. John Searson
Mr. Tony Whitehead

Associate Grand Matron
Mrs. Vi Griffin

Mrs. Dorris Clegg
Mrs. Marialice Bailey
Ms. Melanie Rayner

Associate Grand Patron
Mr. David B. Dibrell

Miss Jo D. Dibrell
Mr. Darrell Albrecht
Mr. Paul McLin
Mr. Arris Whitehead

Grand Secretary
Mrs. Marlene Scholari

Mrs. Donna Kirkpatrick
Mrs. Tina Stevens
Mrs. Addie Taylor

Grand Treasurer
Mrs. Lorrie Owens

Mrs. Kay Ballentine
Mrs. Mary Brunet
Mrs. Ethel Dammann
Mrs. Linda Rae Mason

Grand Conductress
Mrs. Annette Curry

Mrs. Barbara Martin
Mrs. Doreen Carden
Mrs. Kathy Crews
Mrs. Konnie Harrell
Mrs. Donna Noe
Mrs. Durinda (Dee) Walker

Associate Grand Conductress
Mrs. Jayne Yenger

Mrs. Jean Hobbs
Ms. Jennifer D. Bodnar
Mrs. Susan I. Hall
Mrs. Helen Sanderford
Mrs. Michelle Stegman

Grand Chaplin
Mrs. Marceline Crenshaw

Grand Marshal
Mrs. Sherry Dieckmann

Grand Organist
Mrs. Janell Trees

Grand Adah
Mrs. Martha Heffington

Grand Ruth
Ms. Fran Johnson

Grand Esther
Mrs. Marty Drescher

Grand Martha
Mrs. Susan Smith

Grand Electa
Ms. Doris Davis

Grand Warder
Mrs. Donna Jane Wert

Grand Sentinel
Mr. Ray Hargis

Mrs. Janice Butler
Mrs. Billie Hoyt
Mrs. Linda Starr

Mrs. Christine Armstrong
Mrs. Linda Rae Henderson
Mrs. Patricia Hope
Mrs. Norma Phillips

Mrs. Diane Beckley
Mrs. B. J. Corwin
Mrs. Jay Rhyan
Mrs. Janlen Waclawczyk

Mrs. Dottie Ammerman
Mrs. Margie Curry
Mrs. Arlene Willis

Mrs. Evelyn Berry
Mrs. D'Lois Bryson
Mrs. Betty Stark
Mrs. Jerri Young

Ms. Marti Atkerson
Ms. Kathy Chavarria
Mrs. Kay Drescher
Mrs. Esther Harper

Mrs. Sharon Cobb
Mrs. Patricia Dauer
Mrs. Betty Mugg

Mrs. Colleen Asaro
Mrs. Patti Littlepage Strey
Mrs. Janet Kramer

Mrs. Betty Carter
Mrs. Mary Jeanette Davis
Mrs. Elizabeth Reinhardt

Mr. Jim Hevron
Mr. Duane Hosick

PARLIAMENTARY RULES OF PROCEDURE FOR GRAND CHAPTER 2011

In accordance with Code of Laws, Article 157, Pages 118-120 and the following:

1. "Robert's Rules of Order Newly Revised" shall be the adopted parliamentary authority and the rules found therein shall govern in all cases in which they are applicable and in which they are not inconsistent with the Constitution and Code of Laws of the Grand Chapter of Texas.
2. The Credentials Committee, immediately prior to the Ritualistic Opening of Grand Chapter, shall report the number of delegates registered. The report of this committee will determine if a quorum is present. Immediately prior to holding the election at the Saturday morning session, the Credentials Committee shall make a final report of those entitled to vote and the total number of votes.
3. In order to enter the Grand Chapter meeting room for all business sessions, delegates shall wear the official badge issued by the Registration Committee and must also show a current dues card or demit. On Saturday morning, delegates also must have their signed official ballot for admission to the Grand Chapter room.
4. There shall be three (3) written copies of all motions made from the floor. These copies shall have the name, signature, and chapter name and number of the maker of the motion, as well as that of the member seconding the motion. These copies are to be distributed as follows:
 - a. One copy to the Worthy Grand Matron;
 - b. One copy to the Grand Secretary; and
 - c. One copy to the Chairman of the Jurisprudence Committee.
5. Only Worthy Matrons, Worthy Patrons, Past Matrons, Past Patrons of this Grand Jurisdiction (or members holding the proxy of the Worthy Matron and/or Worthy Patron) are entitled to speak, make motions, debate or vote.
6. In order to obtain the floor, the following procedure will be used:
 - a. Proceed to the nearest microphone;
 - b. Address the Presiding Officer;
 - c. Wait for recognition from the Presiding Officer before speaking; and
 - d. State name, title, chapter name and number; then proceed to make a motion or participate in debate.
7. All motions must be seconded and stated by the Presiding Officer before debate can begin.
8. A motion may be amended (primary amendment) and the amendment may be amended (secondary amendment). In taking the vote, the secondary amendment is voted on first, then the primary amendment as amended, then the original motion as amended.

9. Debate shall be limited to three (3) minutes for each speaker for each question. No member may speak more than one time on a question unless permission to speak again is given by the Presiding Officer. The three-minute time limit can be extended by a two-thirds (2/3) vote of the delegates present and voting, or can be extended by the Presiding Officer, if there is no objection.
10. A majority vote shall determine all questions, unless otherwise specified in these rules of procedure. If the result is not clear, a division can be called. Voting Delegates will hold up the PINK card - Chapter Representatives will hold up the PURPLE card.
11. After a motion has been made, seconded and stated by the Presiding Officer, it cannot be withdrawn without permission of the voting body.
12. The following motions are not debatable:
 - a. Reconsider;
 - b. Refer to a committee;
 - c. Call for the orders of the day;
 - d. Division of the question;
 - e. Previous question*;
 - f. Lay on the table;
 - g. To call off; and
 - h. To proceed to close.

*A member wishing to close debate shall proceed to a microphone; wait to be recognized; address the Presiding Officer, state your name, title, chapter name and number; and then make the following motion: "*I move the previous question.*" Simply calling out the word "*question*" from the audience will not be recognized by the Presiding Officer.

13. Emergency legislation may be presented at Grand Chapter if it is approved by a majority vote of the delegates present and voting. There shall be three (3) copies in writing of all emergency legislation proposals with distribution as follows:
 - a. One copy to the Worthy Grand Matron;
 - b. One copy to the Grand Secretary; and
 - c. One copy to the Chairman of the Jurisprudence Committee.
14. The motion to reconsider must be made by a delegate who voted on the prevailing (winning) side either on the same day the vote was taken on the original motion, or the next succeeding day.
15. The maker of the motion shall be entitled to be the first speaker on that motion.
16. The affirmative and the negative vote will be taken on all questions and resolutions and the result announced by the Presiding Officer.
17. The Worthy Grand Matron shall make all rulings and decisions. It will take two-thirds (2/3) vote of the delegates present and voting to overrule a decision of the Chair.

18. Nominating speeches are not permitted. Nominations shall be made on election day by a member making the nominations as follows:
 - a. Go to a microphone and address the Presiding Officer;
 - b. Wait for recognition;
 - c. State your name, title, Chapter name and number; and
 - d. Give the name and Chapter name and number of the member being nominated and the office for which this nomination is made.
19. Nominations do not require a second.
20. The election results will be announced by the Presiding Officer.
21. No tape recorders (except official recordings) are permitted in the Grand Chapter room.
22. No food or drinks are permitted on the Grand Chapter floor. Box lunches are allowed in the seating area.

“GARDEN OF FRIENDSHIP”
129th GRAND CHAPTER OF TEXAS SESSION, OES
George R. Brown Convention Center, Houston, Texas
SOCIAL EVENTS CALENDAR

MONDAY, AUGUST 8, 2011

10:00 am Executive and Arrangements and Subcommittee Chairs Meeting
Hilton Hotel – Executive Committee Office, Room 342

TUESDAY, AUGUST 9, 2011

12:00 pm - 5:00 pm Vendor Setup
Rooms 350EF & 351, George R. Brown Convention Center

9:00 am Move into George R. Brown Convention Center – Executive, Arrangements,
 Registration, and Credentials Committees
 (ALL MEMBERS) move into George R. Brown and begin to set up for
 Grand Chapter.

7:00 pm **“The Long & Winding Road”** - 2010-11 Installed Grand Officers Banquet
(By Invitation Only)

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 10, 2011

8:00 am - 5:00 pm Vendor Area Open
Rooms 350EF & 351, George R. Brown Convention Center

9:00 am Arrangements – Continue and Complete Set Up

9:00 am - 11:00 pm Reception Honoring the AGM and the 2012 Installed Grand Officers
(By Invitation Only)

10:00 am - 5:00 pm Registration and Credentials Open
Room 340A, George R. Brown Convention Center

10:00 am - 1:00 pm **“Our Redbird Returns – Rennie’s Homecoming”** - PGM/PGP Meeting
 and Luncheon
(Open to this Group Only, Spouses and Traveling Companions)

11:30 am - 1:00 pm **“Treasured Memories”** 2010-11 Deputies of Grand Chapter Luncheon
(Open to this Group Only)

12:00 pm - 3:00 pm Hospitality Room for Distinguished Guests and Grand Representatives
Hilton Hotel

1:00 pm - 5:00 pm Drill Practice (Opening, Grand Representatives, Humanitarian,
 Memorial)
General Assembly Room, George R. Brown Convention Center

2:00 pm - 3:00 pm PAGO Reception – *Hilton Hotel*

3:00 pm - 5:00 pm Grand Choir Practice
General Assembly Room, George R. Brown Convention Center

5:00 pm - 6:30 pm Reception for Distinguished Guests, hosted by Worthy Grand Matron and
 Worthy Grand Patron *(Open to GCC Officers and Committee Members, Past
 Grand Matrons and Patrons, Worthy Grand Matrons and Patrons, Installed
 Grand Officers and Elected Board Members)*

7:00 pm **“It’s a Small World After All”** - General Grand Chapter Banquet
 Honoring Rennie Ofton, Alma Lynn Bane and Rosemary Swetland
(Open to Membership)

THURSDAY, AUGUST 11, 2011

- 7:00 am - 8:00 am **“Gate Guardians”** – Grand Warder and Grand Sentinel’s Breakfast
(Open to Membership)
- 8:30 am -10:00 am **“Friends Around the World”** - Grand Representatives Breakfast
(Open to Present & Former Grand Representatives, Fraternal Correspondents, Spouses and Traveling Companions)
- 8:00 am Grand Examiners Room Open
Room 342D, George R. Brown Convention Center
- 8:00 am - 5:00 pm Registration and Credentials Open
Room 340A, George R. Brown Convention Center
- 8:00 am - 5:00 pm Vendor Area Open
Rooms 350EF & 351, George R. Brown Convention Center
- 9:00 am - 12:00 pm Hospitality Room for Distinguished Guests and Grand Representatives
Hilton Hotel
- 9:00 am - 10:00 am **“Until Our Trails Meet Again”** – 2009 – 10 Grand Family Brunch
Honoring Bess Caldwell, PGM and Bill Wyatt , PGP *(Open to Membership)*
- 10:45 am - 11:00 am Opening Prelude
- 11:00 am - 1:00 pm Informal Opening – Open to Public
General Assembly Room, George R. Brown Convention Center
- 1:00 pm - 6:30 pm Formal Opening – Members Only
General Assembly Room, George R. Brown Convention Center
- Introductions
 - Grand Representatives Drill
 - Humanitarian Program
- 7:00 pm **“Deep Purple Night”** - General Banquet Honoring WGM/WGP *(Open to Membership)*

FRIDAY AUGUST 12, 2011

- 7:00 am - 8:00 am **“Accomplishing the Dream”** Elected Board Members Breakfast *(Open to Membership)*
- 7:00 am - 8:00 am **“The Busy Bee Gathering”** Grand Secretary and Grand Treasurer’s Breakfast *(Open to Membership)*
- 8:00 am Grand Examiners Room Open
Room 342D, George R. Brown Convention Center
- 8:00 am - 5:00 pm Registration and Credentials Open
Room 340A, George R. Brown Convention Center
- 8:00 am - 5:00 pm Vendors Open
Rooms 350EF & 351, George R. Brown Convention Center
- 8:00 am - 12:00 pm Hospitality Room for Distinguished Guests and Grand Representatives *Hilton Hotel*
- 8:30 am - 11:45 am **Morning Session**
General Assembly Room, George R. Brown Convention Center
- 12:00 pm - 1:00 pm **“We Have Made A Difference”** WGM/WGP Luncheon
(Open to Membership)
- 12:00 pm - 1:00 pm **“Dazzlings Daisies”** AGM/AGP Luncheon
(Open to Membership)

- 12:00 pm - 1:00 pm **“Gathering Memories Along the Trail”** Grand Conductress Luncheon
(Open to Membership)
- 12:00 pm - 1:00 pm **“Beginning Links”** Associate Grand Conductress Luncheon (Open to Membership)
- 1:30 pm - 4:00 pm **Afternoon Session**
General Assembly Room, George R. Brown Convention Center
- 4:00 pm - 5:00 pm **Memorial Program** - Open to Public
General Assembly Room, George R. Brown Convention Center
- 5:00 pm - 6:00 pm **ESTARL Program** - Open to Public
General Assembly Room, George R. Brown Convention Center
- 7:00 pm **“Iris Under the August Moon”** Rob Morris Banquet
(Open to Membership)
- 10:00 pm - 11:00 pm Candidates Reception - *Hilton Hotel*
- 10:00 pm 2011-2012 Installation Practice
General Assembly Room, George R. Brown Convention Center

SATURDAY, AUGUST 13, 2011

- 7:00 am - 9:00 am Registration and Credentials Open – George R. Brown Convention Center
- 8:00 am - 9:00 am Grand Examiners Room Open
Room 342D, George R. Brown Convention Center
- 8:00 am - 3:00 pm Vendors Open
Rooms 350EF & 351, George R. Brown Convention Center
- 7:00 am - 8:00 am **“Dynamic Duo – Unleash the Energy”** AGM /AGP Breakfast
(Open to Membership)
- 8:30 am - 2:00 pm **Saturday Session**
General Assembly Room, George R. Brown Convention Center
- 5:30 pm **Installation of 2011-12 Grand Officers**
General Assembly Room, George R. Brown Convention Center

SUNDAY, AUGUST 14, 2011

- 9:00 am - 10:00 am **“She’s Got That Look”** AGC Breakfast (Open to Membership)
- 10:00 am WGM Meeting – 2011 - 12 Officers - *Hilton Hotel*

**NOTE: ALL FOOD FUNCTIONS WILL BE HELD AT THE HILTON HOTEL
BALLROOM OF THE AMERICAS – 2nd FLOOR**

The Star Spangled Banner

Oh, say, can you see, By the dawn's early light,
What so proudly we hailed at the twilight's last gleaming?
Whose broad stripes and bright stars, thru' the perilous flight,
O'er the ramparts we watched, were so gallantly streaming?
And the rocket's red glare, the bombs bursting in air,
Gave proof thru' the night that our flag was still there.
Oh, say, does that Star Spangled Banner yet wave
O'er the land of the free, and the home of the brave.

O Canada

O Canada! Our Home and native land!
True patriot love in all thy sons command.
With glowing hearts we see thee rise,
The True North strong and free!
From far and wide, O Canada,
We stand on guard for thee.
God keep our land glorious and free!
O Canada, we stand on guard for thee,
O Canada, we stand on guard for thee.



*129th Grand Chapter
"Garden of Friendship"
Session*

**Directory of Elected & Appointed Officers
and Committee Members**

GRAND CHAPTER OF TEXAS INSTALLED GRAND OFFICERS 2010-2011

- Mrs. Mary Ruth White** (*Joseph*) (135) (Birthday 6/18) **Worthy Grand Matron**
4310 Bellaire Blvd., Bellaire 77401, 713-664-1833, 832-216-1320 *cell*,
whitemrk@sbcglobal.net
- Mr. K. Arthur Drescher, Jr.** (*Marty*) (574) (935) (Birthday 5/21) **Worthy Grand Patron**
4104 Jubilee Drive, Flower Mound 75028, 972-355-7365, 214-707-4168 *cell*,
art.drescher@tx.rr.com
- Mrs. Vi Griffin** (*Thomas*) (649) (Birthday 8/16) **Associate Grand Matron**
PO Box 437, Stowell 77661, 409-296-2796, 409-267-7383 *cell*, griffins2@windstream.net
- Mr. David B. Dibrell** (*Marlene*) (574) (921) (Birthday 5/26) **Associate Grand Patron**
6349 Southpoint Drive, Dallas 75248, 972-931-7699, 214-957-6237 *cell*,
ddibrell@sbcglobal.net
- Mrs. Marlene Scholari** (*Joseph*) (959) (508) (Birthday 6/3) **Grand Secretary**
2838 White Oak Dr, Grand Prairie 75052, 972-660-6860, marlene.scholari@tx.twcbc.com
- Mrs. Lorrie Faith Owens** (*Jerry*) (1136) (1103) (Birthday 3/18) **Grand Treasurer**
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JLO67HOGS@aol.com
- Mrs. Annette Curry** (684) (Birthday 6/30) **Grand Conductress**
2912 Field Street, Fort Worth 76117, 817-834-4207, 817-832-5058 *cell*, Acurry@aol.com
- Mrs. Jayne Yenger** (*Paul*) (32) (Birthday 10/21) **Associate Grand Conductress**
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rjaynestar@sbcglobal.net
- Mrs. Marceline Crenshaw** (1135) (348) (Birthday 2/7) **Grand Chaplain**
604 CR 1210, Center 75935, 936-598-8155, 936-554-1609 *cell*,
marcelinecrenshaw@sbcglobal.net
- Mrs. Sherry Dieckmann** (*Mark*) (135) (Birthday 6/7) **Grand Marshal**
3003 South Braeswood Blvd, Houston 77025-2603, 713-302-5399 *cell*,
sedieckmann@gmail.com
- Mrs. Janell Trees** (*Jerry*) (616) (Birthday 6/25) **Grand Organist**
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- Mrs. Martha Heffington** (*Carroll*) (425) (435) (Birthday 12/10) **Grand Adah**
908 North Pierce, Burnet 78611, 512-756-4907, 830-613-8813 *cell*, mmhstar@peoplepc.com
- Ms. Fran Johnson** (1008) (1010) (Birthday 11/4) **Grand Ruth**
1225 Mimosa Circle, Odessa 79761, 432-770-1920, 432-770-1920 *cell*, fran_johnson@att.net
- Mrs. Marty Drescher** (*K. Arthur*) (574) (935) (Birthday 4/5) **Grand Esther**
4104 Jubilee, Flower Mound 75028, 972-355-7365, 972-523-2209 *cell*, mldrescher@tx.rr.com
- Mrs. Susan Smith** (*Richard*) (838) (Birthday 12/12) **Grand Martha**
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- Ms. Doris Davis** (49) (Birthday 2/21) **Grand Electa**
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Caring For Others Committee - will have the Caring For Others Pin available. The profits from the donations will be divided equally between the Dallas Scottish Rite Hospital and the Shrine Burns Hospital in Galveston. The Caring For Others Pin will be available for a donation of \$10.00.

Music Committee - will have the sheet music written for the Worthy Grand Matron and the Worthy Grand Patron's marches available. The proceeds of the donations will be designated for the Worthy Grand Matron's Special Projects. The sheet music will be available for a donation of \$5.00 each.

Proficiency Committee - will encourage and assist in forming study classes regarding the Constitution, Code of Laws and the Ritual. They will also assist the Grand Examiner in examining the members at the Schools of Instruction and in distributing the proficiency stickers for a donation of \$1.00 to those who obtain their "A" certificates. The District Chairman will assist the Grand Examiner in obtaining volunteers to help in the examining room. Donation proceeds from the stickers will benefit the Educational Fund.

Time and Talent Committee - will plan and present parties for our Sisters and Brothers in the Texas Masonic Retirement Center. The General Chairman will work with the members of each District to host one of these parties. The parties will be in celebration of:

Thanksgiving	November 14, 2010	Host Dist. I
Christmas	December 19, 2010	Host Dist. II
Valentine's Day	February 13, 2011	Host Dist. III
Mother's Day	May 1, 2011	Host Dist. IV
Father's Day	June 12, 2011	Host Dist. V

Committee Members will be encouraged to ask chapters in their District to donate food, decorations and/or gifts for the party assigned to their District.

In addition to the parties planned by the Time and Talent Committee, they will also be responsible for selling the Time and Talent Pins. The net proceeds from these pins will be used for the funding of the five parties and to provide funds for the activities and personal needs of the residents. The Time and Talent Pin will be available for a donation of \$5.00

Young Americans Committee - will be designated to provide the Young Americans Pin, the Iris Sun Catcher and Iris Night Light. The profits from the donations will be divided equally between the International Order of the Rainbow for Girls and the Order of the DeMolay.

The Young American Star Burst Pin will be available for a donation of \$5.00. The Young Americans Sun Catchers will be available for a donation of \$5.00. The Iris Night Light will be available for a donation of \$8.00.

Team Work Pin

There will also be a youth organization pin called the Team Work Pin that must be earned by the Rainbow Girls, DeMolays and the members of the Order of the Eastern Star. Each quarter the youth members and members of the Eastern Star who have earned this pin will be announced in the Eastern Star Bulletin. The points to earn these Team Work Pins will be turned in to the Young Americans Committee members in their section. To receive this award pin a person must earn 7 points and these points may be earned in the following manner:

Rainbow Girls and DeMolays - 1 point each for:

- Attending an Eastern Star or Masonic Installation
- Attending an Eastern Star or Masonic Open Meeting
- Assisting at an Eastern Star or Masonic Fund Raiser
- Bringing in a Rainbow or DeMolay Petition

Member of the Eastern Star (both sisters and brothers) – 1 point each for:

- Attending a Rainbow or DeMolay Installation
- Attending a Rainbow or DeMolay Meeting
- Assisting at a Rainbow or DeMolay Fund Raiser
- Bringing in a Rainbow or DeMolay Petition

Bulletin Committee - will encourage renewal of subscriptions as well as new subscriptions to the Official Grand Chapter Bulletin. The committee members should bring copies of the new subscription order form when attending chapter meetings. The committee members may ask to speak under Good of the Order and point out articles of interest which may not be read in open chapter by the Chapter Secretary. They should then announce that they have subscription forms for those who are not current subscribers or those who have let their subscriptions expire. They can also suggest that subscriptions always make good gifts for all occasions

Endowed Membership Stamp Committee - will ask to speak at chapter meetings to inform the membership of the benefits of an Endowed Membership and to recognize those who already have endowed memberships. The committee member will explain the purpose of the Endowed Membership Stamp program and how the membership can obtain the stamps. They should encourage the members to purchase the stamps for themselves, as gifts to members, as a gift for visitors who present programs or a membership in memory of a deceased member. Chapter

Secretaries should be encouraged to have both stamps and booklets available for purchase at all times.

The stamps can be acquired for a donation of \$10 each and placed in an Endowed Membership booklet. After fifty (50) stamps have been collected the member may redeem them for an Endowed Membership Certificate. After the Endowed Membership Certificate has been issued, the member's Chapter will receive the interest income forever.

Historical Highlights Committee - will encourage the sale of the Historical Highlights Book. Each page of the loose-leaf book is a condensed overview of a Grand Chapter year along with the pictures of that year's Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron and a listing of their Installed Grand Officers. This notebook is a way of reminding the membership of the love and dedication that has gone into building this Grand Jurisdiction and the Subordinate Chapters of Texas

The members of this committee will tell the membership about this book and encourage them to order the complete Historical Highlights notebook for a donation of \$20.00 and the update pages for a donation of \$2.00 from the Grand Secretary's office through their Chapter Secretary.

I Can Make a Difference Committee - will be composed of Worthy Matrons that do not have other grand appointments. They will promote activities in their chapters and community that will benefit the benevolent purposes of our Order. These activities might be "Walks" for a charity, visits to members and friends in nursing homes, school supplies for underprivileged children, stuffed animals for children of battered women, stuffed animals for police and firemen to give to children, give assistance in community disasters and any other benevolent project that the Worthy Matron sees appropriate in her chapter or section.

The committee members will report these activities to their District Chairman, who will in turn report these activities to the General Chairman. The General Chairman will compose a report of activities by Districts that will be printed in the Eastern Star Bulletin. The committee members will not be asked to sell anything but will serve as ambassadors of good will for our benevolent projects both in our chapters and in our communities. Through the efforts of this committee it is hoped that the community at large will be made aware of the "Good Work" of the Order of the Eastern Star.

Masonic Relations Committee - will be encouraged to carry Eastern Star Petitions with them at all time and make them available to all Masons and their families. This committee of Masonic Brothers will be asked to visit Masonic Lodges and encourage their Masonic Brothers and the families to become members of the Order of the Eastern Star.

Many new Masons do not receive the benefits of fraternal work that they might enjoy by being a member of the Eastern Star, as well as the being able to work together with their wives and families for a common cause.

Membership Visitation Committee - will visit chapters and promote visitation between Chapters in their section. The Traveling Plaque should be stressed as an incentive for the members to visit other Chapters in their section who currently have the Traveling Plaque. By visiting other chapters their circle of friends will be increased and fellowship will be enjoyed by all.

The committee members should visit other chapters in an attempt to encourage them to try to increase their membership by sometimes having open meeting and parties that their friends can be invited to. The committee members will encourage chapters to try to recover those members in their chapters who are not in regular attendance.

Precious Memories Committee - will be composed of members of our Subordinate Chapters who have given many years of service to our Order. These committee members will be asked to send at least one member a card during the month wishing them a Happy Birthday, Thinking About You or just a note letting them know that someone is remembering them today. In addition to cards they will be asked to make at least one phone call a month to a new member, someone that the chapter has been missing or anyone they would just like to visit with.

The Worthy Matrons of these committee members will be asked to invite the Precious Memories Committee member to bring a brief program to the chapter telling the chapter about some fond memories they have about their early years in the chapter. The programs might be called "Once Upon A Time" and they could share memories and experiences that many of our newer chapter members have never heard of. It would be nice if the Precious Memories Committee member or the Chapter Secretary could write these memories on paper so that they could become a part of the chapter minutes.

Publicity Committee - will visit each chapter in their section to encourage the chapter to provide publicity to the general community regarding the activities of the membership within the chapters. The chapters will be encouraged to submit articles for publication to the local news media regarding their events, including information of meetings, installations, fund raisers, benevolent projects, etc. The Committee members should also encourage the members to wear articles of clothing that have the Eastern Star emblem and their chapter name if possible. By wearing clothing that identifies them as Eastern Stars we can receive visual recognition of our participation in charitable and benevolent projects.

Ritual Competition Committee - will be composed of current Worthy Patrons and other Brothers who are proficient in their Ritual work and are interested in seeing that the lectures in our Ritual are rendered as nearly perfectly as possible. It is the duty of the Worthy Patron to see that the officers are proficient in their work and this is an opportunity for these committee members to examine those members that would like to compete with others in their rendition of the Ritual work of our order.

A team of two or more members of this committee will examine those wishing to compete during the Fun Night of the Schools, and awards will be given before the ending of the School. The awards or certificates will be furnished by the

Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron.

Rob Morris Celebration Committee - will organize, and encourage their memberships to provide items for, silent auctions held during the Schools in their sections. The proceeds will be designated to subsidize the cost of the Rob Morris Celebration Banquet that will be held at the Grand Chapter session in Houston, August 12, 2011.

An additional live auction and fund raiser will be held the night of the Rob Morris Celebration Banquet. The proceeds from the net profits of the banquet, the live auction and any other fund raiser held during the Rob Morris Celebration Banquet on August 12, 2011 will be allocated to the Worthy Grand Matron's Special Projects.

Spring Fling Committee - will plan an event to be held at the Texas Masonic Retirement Center on April 30, 2011. This event is held to promote fun and fellowship among the members of our Order as well as provide the chapters with the means of raising funds for their chapters.

Booths will be available at no charge. The chapters and approved public vendors will keep all moneys from their sales. Food booths will be open during the day and lunch will be available. An auction will be held before lunch and the Spring Fling Committee members will be responsible for collecting the items for this auction as well as promoting the event to the chapters. All proceeds after expenses will benefit the TMRC Beautification Fund.

Yearbook Committee - will encourage all the members and chapters to place ads in the yearbook and to sell ads to commercial enterprises for the following year. The yearbook will also contain pictures of interest, birthdays and anniversaries entered on the calendar pages and a one-page detailed announcement for each of the Schools of Instruction. The Yearbook will be offered for sale on a prepaid order form and a small quantity will be offered for sale at the Schools of Instruction. The Yearbook will be offered for a donation of \$10.00 each. All proceeds after expenses will benefit the General Fund.

Friendship Exchange Committee – Louisiana - will give the membership information about the event and encourage the membership to attend. The details of this event have not been finalized at this time.

Multi-State Exchange Visits - will give the membership information about the events and encourage the membership to attend:

Hosted by Alabama - This Multi-State Exchange Visit will be held in Birmingham, AL on August 13-14, 2010. The details of this exchange visit are printed in the July Bulletin.

Hosted by Mississippi - This Multi-State Exchange Visit will be held in Vicksburg, MS on July 23-24, 2011. The details of this exchange visit have not yet been furnished by the Grand Chapter of Mississippi.



General Grand Chapter Banquet

*“It’s A Small World
After All”*



General Grand Chapter Banquet
“It’s A Small World After All”
Houston, Texas
Wednesday, August 10, 2011, 7:00 p.m.

Master of Ceremonies:

Karen Morgenthaler
Cancer Committee
General Grand Chapter

Sister Karen Morgenthaler: Sisters and Brothers, at this time, I have the honor of presenting Sister Rosemary Swetland, our Worthy Grand Organist, escorted by John Berry; Sister Alma Lynn Bane, our Right Worthy Grand Secretary, escorted by Bill Bane; we have Brother John Grobler, our Acting Most Worthy Grand Patron, escorted by his wife, Barbara; Sister Rennie Ofton, our Most Worthy Grand Matron, escorted by Brother Jerry Martin; also, I would like to present our very own Texas Brother Arthur Drescher, Worthy Grand Patron, escorted by Marty Drescher. Brother John, if you will please come, I did introduce you. Sisters and Brothers, this is Brother John Grobler, our Acting Most Worthy Grand Patron, escorted by his wife, Barbara. Sisters and Brothers, Texas own Worthy Grand Patron, Brother Arthur Drescher, escorted by his wife, Marty. Sisters and Brothers, our Worthy Grand Matron of Texas, Sister Mary Ruth White, escorted by her husband, Joe White. Sisters and Brothers, may I have your attention please? At this time, if you will please join me in standing and our Worthy Grand Patron will bring the Pledge of Allegiance.

Worthy Grand Patron Arthur Drescher, Jr.: I pledge allegiance to the flag of the United States of America, and to the Republic for which it stands, one Nation under God, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all.

Sister Karen Morgenthaler: Thank you. You may be seated. Sisters and Brothers, I’d like to introduce Sister Susan Smith. She is our Grand Martha and she will bring a special piece of music tonight.

Sister Susan Smith: I’d like to play a song for you called “There is a Place for Us”. (Played song on piano) (Applause)

Sister Karen Morgenthaler: Thank you Sister Susie, very much. That was beautiful, Hon. I would like to invite Sister Sharon Fentress to come to the podium for she will be bringing our welcome. Now, I have to tell you something, Sister Sharon wanted to make clear to everybody today. Sharon is serving on the Executive Committee as Housing Co-Chairman. She said she is Co-Chairman only. Brother Jerry Trees is the Chairman. So if you have any issues direct them to him. (Laughter)

Sister Sharon Fentress: Now I’m going to tell you Sisters and Brothers that is a friend indeed. Isn’t it? I have been given the very sweet pleasure of having the opportunity to extend to you the very warmest of Texas welcomes. You know, we are known as a very warm and loving State, and I come from Ft. Worth and that’s Cow Town. And we’ll be seeing you there for the General Grand Chapter Session. But tonight as I look out over this crowd, I know what joy it’s brought to our Most Worthy Grand Matron. You know, some people are really kind and polite and they’re sweet spirited until you try to sit in their pew at the church. (Laughter) And you know that’s kind of the way it is in seating in Eastern Star and we want you to know that you are as welcome as we could make you in any way or form and know how much we know the miles and the hours that you spent to be here. You are loved and

appreciated and I have a little prayer here. And it says: "Heavenly Father, remind us each day that of all the gifts that you give to us, the greatest gift is love. It is not enough to share that love with those we love and hold dear. Open our hearts, not to just those that are close to us, but to all humanity. Let us be slow to judge, quick to forgive." Show patience, sympathy, and love and you know that is the Sisterhood and Brotherhood of the Order of the Eastern Star. Thank you again for all of the effort you have put forth to come and join us in Texas for this wonderful Grand Chapter Session. Thank you. (Applause)

Sister Karen Morgenthaler: The response to our welcome will now be given by Sister Barbara "Bobbi" Browning, our Right Worthy Associate Grand Matron.

Sister Barbara "Bobbi" Browning White: Good evening everyone. Hi y'all. I saw the other day if you speak French you say Hi y'all. So anyway, we are pleased to be with you this evening as you honor your Most Worthy Grand Matron on her return to Texas after, well, a year and a half or whatever of great service to the Order of the Eastern Star in General Grand Chapter. As well as your Right Worthy Grand Secretary, Sister Alma Bane and your Worthy Grand Organist, Sister Rosemary Swetland. Now Rosemary played today at our Past Grand's luncheon and I said "Rosemary, you can play any time for me but you made me cry". Course that's nothing unusual, I cry at the drop of a hat sometimes so keep your hats on. It is a delight to be here with you once again in Texas. I've always enjoyed my trips here. And we look forward to coming back next year in Ft. Worth, I think. You know that's when John is going to be installed as Most Worthy Grand Patron. (Laughter) I want to tell you about these two Texans who were sitting outside of Starbucks one morning and they were sipping their coffee. And this truck went by that was loaded with pallets of sod. And one Texan said to the other, "I'm going to do that when the oil well comes in in the south forty." The other guy says, "do what?" He said; "Send my lawn out to be mowed." (Laughter) Once again, it is a great pleasure to be with you and we look forward to spending this time at your session and we do look forward to coming back to Ft. Worth not for our installation but for when you recognize all the accomplishments of your Most Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Rennie. She has been my dear friend for many years. We served as Trustees together way back in the dark ages and I still consider her friend and we're still speaking. Thank you very much! (Applause)

Sister Karen Morgenthaler: Thank you, Sister Bobbi. At this time I would like to invite Sister Joyce Gilbert to come to the podium. She will be bringing our invocation.

Sister Joyce Gilbert: Let us pray. Holy and merciful Father, in you and through you, we praise your name for who you are in our lives and with bowed heads and thankful hearts, we voice our needs to you. I thank you for the privilege to enter your throne of grace with fullness of heart and confidence that you hear and answer our petitions. Lord help us to grasp the depth of your love and that our lives will constantly reflect that love through our actions and service to you. Father, you have filled this room with love and laughter. You tell us in your scripture that laughter is a good medicine. So I thank you for lifting our spirits through your people. Father, I know your power is able to do more than I ask or can even imagine, so I am placing in your hands the needs of your people. I pray for those who are unable to be with us tonight because of sickness or other reasons that we aren't aware of, but Father you know their needs. So we ask that you will touch, heal, comfort, encourage whatever that need may be. Father, we pray for wisdom, knowledge and patience for our Worthy Grand Matron, our Worthy Grand Patron, and membership as we deliberate and make decisions in this coming Session. We ask that you fill our mouth with words so that everything we say and do will bring glory and honor to You. And may our hearts be joined together in one accord for the betterment of our beautiful Order. I ask your blessings upon our honorees, our Most Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Rennie, our General Grand Chapter Officers, Sister Alma

and Sister Rosemary that you will keep them safe and healthy as they continue their service to the membership of the world. We thank you for their dedication and willingness to serve. For Lord, many lives have been touched by their love, their generosity, and as they share their time and talent. We are so pleased to greet and to welcome our Sisters and Brothers, our General Grand Chapter officers, our distinguished Brothers and Sisters who visit with us tonight in this celebration of our Most Worthy Grand Matron's home visit. We ask that you grant them safe travel. And Father, we ask that you keep a close watch over our young men and women that stand in harm's way, that they are defending the freedom this night that we may enjoy peace in America. Father, place a guardian angel on their shoulder, protect them and Lord hold on to them with Your mighty power. And now we ask you to bless the food that our bodies will be strengthened that we will serve you with joy and boldness. Our Father, who shows your children mercy, we ask that you forgive us as we forgive others and we will give you the praise and honor for ever and ever and ever. Amen.

Sister Karen Morgenthaler: Sisters and Brothers, we will now have dinner. But I'd like for you at the head table and sub-heads to pass your tickets down to the end, to the person on each end and they will take them for you. And then to our center tables, our round tables, if you will give them and put them in the envelope, we would certainly appreciate it. Enjoy.

[Dinner]

Sister Karen Morgenthaler: Sisters and Brothers, I want to tell you a little about the Cancer Research Program. At the end of the year, whatever funds we may have given to them as a donation, they send a report back, one page report, letting you know exactly what they have been doing in their research program. And I thought that these people, they do a lot of work in educating family members whose family is going through cancer. But one thing that I did find out that they educate our veterans and their families who are dealing with cancer and I think that is a very worthwhile cause in dealing and working with our veterans. I'm going to invite Sister Sharon Mosmeyer, if she will come to the podium. Sisters and Brothers, I'm going to ask you to do this as she is coming up. Now it is very difficult to attempt introductions. This lady has worked very, very hard on it. But I did remind her that everybody that is sitting in this room will know if she makes a mistake. (Laughter) So I told her to just keep trucking. We are not worried about mistakes tonight. Thank you. Sister Sharon.

Sister Sharon Mosmeyer: No pressure, no pressure. (Laughter) Thank you Master of Ceremonies, Sister Karen. Thank you also for this great honor. I was a little nervous to bring the introductions tonight but mostly very excited to introduce our dignitaries present this evening.

It is with pleasure that I introduce Texas' own Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron, Sister Mary Ruth White, Worthy Grand Matron, and her husband, Brother Joseph White, Grand Representative of Arkansas and a member of the Cardinal Crew Committee; and Brother K. Arthur Drescher, Jr., Worthy Grand Patron, and his wife, Sister Marty Drescher, Grand Esther. Please join me in welcoming them. (Applause)

It is my honor to introduce Sister Rennie Ofton, Most Worthy Grand Matron of General Grand Chapter and a Past Grand Matron of Texas and Brother John Grobler, Acting Most Worthy Grand Patron of General Grand Chapter and a Past Grand Patron of Washington and his wife, Sister Barbara Grobler, Escort and Secretary to the Acting Most Worthy Grand Patron and Sister Margaret Clarke, Worthy Grand Esther and a Past Grand Matron of Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island and the widow of our beloved Most Worthy Grand Patron, Brother Fred Clarke. Please join me in welcoming them. (Applause)

Texas is honored to have these elected General Grand Chapter officers: Sister Barbara

“Bobbi” Browning White, Right Worthy Associate Grand Matron and a Past Grand Matron of West Virginia; Sister Alma Lynn Bane, Right Worthy Grand Secretary and a Past Grand Matron of Texas, and her husband, Dr. Charles William “Bill” Bane, International Headquarters Administrator and Grand Sentinel of the District of Columbia; Sister Glenda G. Winchester, Right Worthy Grand Treasurer and a Past Grand Matron of South Carolina; Sister Helen J. Westmoreland, Right Worthy Grand Conductress and a Past Grand Matron of Florida; Sister Marianne Shenefeld, Right Worthy Associate Grand Conductress and a Past Grand Matron of Wyoming; Brother Robert Penoyer, Right Worthy Grand Sentinel and a Past Grand Patron of Pennsylvania, and his wife, Sister Muriel Penoyer, Escort. Please join me in welcoming them. (Applause)

I am honored to introduce the Grand Trustees of General Grand Chapter: Brother Michael Berry, Chairman, Right Worthy Grand Trustee and a Past Grand Patron of Kentucky; Sister Paula Argus, Vice-Chairman, Right Worthy Grand Trustee and a Past Grand Matron of Utah; Sister Betty J. Briggs, Secretary, Right Worthy Grand Trustee, Right Worthy Grand Secretary Emeritus and a Past Grand Matron of Iowa. Please help me in welcoming them. (Applause)

I am honored to introduce the Appointed General Grand Chapter Officers: Sister Mary F. Lockridge, Worthy Grand Marshall and a Past Grand Matron of Michigan, and her husband, Brother Gary Lockridge, Escort, Finance Committee; Sister Rosemary Swetland, Worthy Grand Organist and a Past Grand Matron of Texas, and her Escort, Brother John E. Berry; Sister Marilyn L. Woods, Worthy Grand Adah and a Past Grand Matron of Missouri; Sister Connie Woodward, Worthy Grand Ruth and a Past Grand Matron of Ontario, and her husband, Brother Roger Woodward, Escort; Sister Elizabeth Roach, Worthy Grand Electa and a Past Grand Matron of Louisiana; Sister Vivian Chrisopolos, Worthy Grand Warder and a Past Grand Matron of Ohio. (Applause)

I am honored to introduce these General Grand Chapter Committee Members from the Executive Committee: Brother Henry S. Martin, General Chairman Texas and a Past Grand Patron of Texas, and his wife, Sister Opal Martin, Cardinal Crew Committee and Grand Escort; Brother H. Lee Stallings, Finance Chairman and a Past Grand Patron of Texas, and his wife, Sister Patricia Stallings, Cardinal Crew Committee and Grand Escort; Brother Jerry Trees, Housing Chairman and a Past Grand Patron of Texas, and his wife, Sister Janell Trees, Grand Organist, Cardinal Crew Committee and Grand Escort; Sister Sharon Fentress, Housing Co-Chairman and a Past Grand Matron of Texas; Sister Betty Y. Friend, Social Chairman and Past Grand Matron of Texas, and her husband, Brother Jack Friend, Grand Escort; And these General Grand Chapter Committee members: Brother Jerry L. Martin, Ambassador to Hawaii and a Past Grand Patron of Texas and the Grand Junior Warden of the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of Texas, Ancient Free and Accepted Masons, and his wife, Sister Betty Martin, Cardinal Crew Committee and Grand Escort; Sister Marylyn Swinamer, Ambassador to New York and a Past Grand Matron of Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island, and her husband, Brother Ralph Swinamer, Associate Grand Patron of Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island; Brother Harry W. Fisher, Chairman of Appeals and Grievances and a Past Grand Patron of Pennsylvania, and his wife, Sister Delores Fisher, Credentials Committee Member; Sister Karen Morgenthaler, Cancer Committee and a Past Grand Matron of Texas; Brother Duane “Buddy” Baker, Chapter Restoration and a Past Grand Patron of Texas, and his wife, Sister Judy Baker, Grand Escort; Sister Carol Featherstone, Chapter Restoration and a Past Grand Matron of Ontario, and her husband, Brother Kenneth Featherstone, Executive Committee; Brother Edward Lamkin, Chapter Restoration and a Past Grand Patron of Louisiana, and his wife, Sister Linda Lamkin; Past Grand Matron of Louisiana; Sister Betty Jo Morgan, Charters and a Past Grand Matron of Louisiana; Brother

Robert P. Brown, Credentials and a Past Grand Patron of Maine, and his wife, Sister Elizabeth Brown, Past Matron; Sister Doris Hester, Credentials and a Past Grand Matron of Texas; Brother David Flaxington, Credentials and a Past Grand Patron of Rhode Island, and his wife, Sister Sandra Flaxington, Conductress; Sister Billie Kraemer, Eastern Star Journal and a Past Grand Matron of Missouri, and her husband, Brother Bob Kraemer, Grand Escort; Sister Mary L. Sisemore, ESTARL and a Past Grand Matron of Missouri, and her husband, Kenneth Sisemore, Escort; Brother Ed Warner, ESTARL and a Past Grand Patron of Texas and his wife, Sister Beulah Warner, Cardinal Crew Committee and Grand Escort; Sister Bertha Cadigan, International Headquarters and a Past Grand Matron of Maine; Sister Wanda Fairchild, Membership - US Chairman and a Past Grand Matron of Texas; Brother William C. "Bill" Barnes, Membership and a Past Grand Patron of Oklahoma and his wife, Sister Ren Barnes, Grand Escort; Sister Susan Gaines, Membership and a Past Grand Matron of Maine, and her husband, Bernard Gaines, Grand Escort; Brother Eldon Howell, Membership and a Past Grand Patron of Louisiana, and his wife, Sister Mary Howell, Past Grand Matron of Louisiana; Sister Rhonda B. King, Membership and a Past Grand Matron of Virginia; Sister Betty Robertson, Necrology, US Chairman and a Past Grand Matron of New Mexico; Sister Gail Cook, Necrology, Canadian Chairman and a Past Grand Matron of Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island; Sister Frankie Little, Necrology and a Past Grand Matron of Iowa, and her husband, Brother George Little, Grand Escort and a Past Potentate of El Kahir Shrine in Cedar Rapids Iowa; Sister Nancy Brown, Pin Distribution Chairman and a Past Grand Matron of Texas, and her husband, Brother Gayle Brown, Grand Escort; Sister Alma Carter, Registration US Chairman and Past Grand Matron of Texas; Brother Jack W. Guy, Service Dog and a Past Grand Patron of Texas, and his wife, Sister Linda Guy Grand Escort; Sister Joyce Gilbert, Youth US Chairman and a Past Grand Matron of Texas. Wow! Look at this group. You look beautiful! Please help me welcome this hard working group. (Applause)

It is an honor to introduce these visiting Worthy Grand Matrons: Sisters Joy Beth Williams, Louisiana; Roberta Nelson, Mississippi; and this visiting Worthy Patron, Brother Louis Patterson, Mississippi, and his wife, Sister Rose Patterson, Grand Electa. Please join me in welcoming them. (Applause)

It is my honor to introduce these Past Grand Matrons of other Jurisdictions: Sisters Sue Peterson, Arizona; M. Jean Lockard, District of Columbia; Patricia Williams, Florida; Annelle Hammond, Georgia; Terrie C. Castay, Louisiana and Grand Secretary of Louisiana; Juanita Wilkinson, Louisiana; Dawn Robinson, Maine; Frances Sumrall, Mississippi; Marion Buchan, Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island; Margie McConnell, Oklahoma and her husband, Brother Warren McConnell, Grand Escort; Brenda B. Jones, Virginia; Nadine Raffelson, Wyoming. And these Past Grand Patrons of other Grand Jurisdictions: Brother Dale Robinson, Iowa, and his wife, Sister Martha Robinson, Grand Escort; Brother James Premeaux, Louisiana and his wife, Sister Louise Premeaux, Past Matron; Brother Jim McAlister, Oklahoma, and his wife Sister Kay McAlister, Grand Escort of Oklahoma. Please help me welcome this group. (Applause)

And now it is my honor to introduce Texas' own Past Grand Matrons: Sisters Elise Hammack; Betty Phillips Benham; Dr. Effie Mae Davis; Jane Gregory; and Joyce Nicklas. And these Past Grand Patrons of Texas: Brothers Nelson Campbell, and his wife, Sister Georgia Campbell, Cardinal Crew Committee and General Chairman of Arrangements Distinguished Guests; Brother Ray Hertenberger, and his wife, Sister Vickie Hertenberger, Co-Chairman Arrangements Distinguished Guests; Bill Wyatt and his wife, Sister Ann Wyatt, Grand Escort. Please help me welcome them. (Applause)

I have the distinct honor to introduce the Grand Master of Masons in Texas, Most Worshipful T. E. "Gene" Carnes, Grand Master of the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of

Texas, Ancient Free and Accepted Masons, and his wife, Sister Gay Carnes, First Lady of Masons in Texas and Who's Who Tri-Line Book, Calendar, and Souvenir Book and the Cardinal Crew Committee. Please join me in welcoming them. (Applause)

I am honored to introduce the Installed Grand Officers of Other Grand Jurisdictions: From the Grand Jurisdiction of District of Columbia, Sister Vickie Starr, Associate Grand Matron, and her husband, Brother Robert H. Starr, Past Grand Master of the District of Columbia; Sister Irene Stadick, Grand Conductress; from the Grand Jurisdiction of Louisiana, Sister Shirley Boone, Associate Grand Matron; Brother Gene Cagle, Associate Grand Patron, and his wife, Sister Norma Cagle, Past and Present Worthy Matron; Sister Pamela Gill, Associate Grand Conductress; Sister Betty Summitt, Grand Organist; Sister Lynn Palmer, Grand Adah, and her husband, Brother Eddie Palmer, Past Patron; Sister Fayce Bacle, Grand Ruth; Sister Joyce Boyt, Grand Electa, and her husband, Brother Dennie Boyt, Grand Chapter Committee Member; Sisters Betty Nichols and Martha Joe Schexneider, elected Board Members of Louisiana. From the Grand Jurisdiction of Mississippi: Brother Larry McVey, Grand Chaplain, and his wife, Sister Lynette McVey, Grand Representative of New Brunswick in Mississippi; Sister Janet MaCarstle, Grand Ruth. Please join me in welcoming them. (Applause)

And now I am so proud to introduce the Installed Grand Officers and Elected Board Members of Texas: Sister Vi Griffin, Associate Grand Matron, and her husband, Brother Tommy Griffin, Grand Escort and a Past Grand Master of the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of Texas, Ancient Free and Accepted Masons; Brother David Dibrell, Associate Grand Patron and a Past Master of the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of Texas, and his wife, Sister Marlene Dibrell, Supreme Fidelity of the International Order of the Rainbow for Girls; Sister Marlene Scholari, Grand Secretary; Sister Lorrie Faith Owens, Grand Treasurer, and her husband, Brother Jerry Owens, Grand Escort; Sister Annette Curry, Grand Conductress; Sister Jayne Yenger, Associate Grand Conductress; Sister Marcelene Crenshaw, Grand Chaplain; Sister Sherry Dieckmann, Grand Marshall, and her husband, Brother Mark Dieckmann, Executive Chairman; Sister Martha Heffington, Grand Adah; Sister Fran Johnson, Grand Ruth; Sister Susan Smith, Grand Martha, and her husband, Brother Richard Smith, Grand Escort; Sister Doris Davis, Grand Electa; Sister Donna Jane Wert, Grand Warder, and her husband Brother Harold Wert, Grand Escort; Brother Ray Hargis, Grand Sentinel, and his wife, Sister Linda Hargis, Grand Representative of Missouri in Texas; and these members of the Board of Directors: Brother Ron Zipp, Vice-Chairman, and his wife, Sister Sandra Zipp, Board of Grand Examiners, District 5; Sister Lorraine Williams, District 3, and her husband, Brother Jimmy Williams, Spring Fling; Sister Gerry Sturtz, District 4; and these members of the Board of Grand Examiners: Sister Carla Stringer, District 2, and her husband, Brother Bobby Stringer, Arrangements Sound; Sister Cheryl Albrecht, District 3, and her husband, Brother Darryl Albrecht, Grand Page to the Associate Grand Patron; Sister Sharon Mosmeyer, District 4, that's me; Sister Susan Bigham, Grand Examiner at Large, and her husband, Brother Larry Bigham, Young Americans. Please join with me in welcoming this really hard working group. (Applause)

I am pleased to introduce the Deputies of General Grand Chapter: Sister Sylvia Garcia, Deputy to the Most Worthy Grand Matron in Mexico, and her husband, Brother Raul Garcia, Deputy to the Acting Most Worthy Grand Patron in Mexico and Central America. Please join me in welcoming them. (Applause)

I am pleased to introduce Sister Phyllis Macon, President of the International Grand Representatives Association, and her husband, Brother Carroll Macon, Member. Please join me in welcoming them. (Applause)

It is my honor to introduce these Grand Representatives of Texas in other Grand

Jurisdictions: Sisters Frances Pate, Grand Representative of Texas in the District of Columbia; Jane Mercer Elkins, Grand Representative of Texas in Florida and a Florida Grand Chapter Drill Leader; Carol Howard, Grand Representative of Texas in Georgia; Lois McNeil, Grand Representative of Texas in Iowa; Gay Topper, Grand Representative of Texas in Maryland; Lovis Hicks, Grand Representative of Texas in Mississippi, and her husband C. W. Hicks, Masonic Relations; Dixie Mathisen, Grand Representative of Texas in Wyoming. Please join me in welcoming them. (Applause)

It is my honor to introduce these Grand Representatives of Other Grand Jurisdictions in Texas: Sisters Lynnda K. Wilkins, British Columbia in Yukon; Betty Lynn, District of Columbia; Doris Wagner, Florida; Virginia Akins, Georgia, and her husband, Brother Ray Akins; Edna Marsh, Kansas; Diane Davidson, Mississippi; Brother Paul C. Zappe, III, New Mexico; Dr. Leslie Keilberg, New York; Brother Richard Hancock, North Carolina, and his wife, Sister Patricia Hancock, Arrangements Decoration; Sisters Cathi Cannon, Quebec and Secretary to the Worthy Grand Matron; Kitty Welch Thompson, Sao Paulo, Brazil, and her husband, Brother Ronald Thompson, Worthy Patron; Evelyn Huddleston, Tennessee, and her husband, Brother Wayne Huddleston, Past Patron; Linda Carney, Vermont and Secretary to the Worthy Grand Patron and Secretary Treasurer to the International Grand Representatives Association for 2009 – 2012; and Brother Jack Beall, Wyoming and his wife, Sister Charlotte Beall, Credentials. Please join me in welcoming them. (Applause)

It is my pleasure to introduce the Special Appointments of the Most Worthy Grand Matron and the Most Worthy Grand Patron: Sister Lea Legg, Secretary to the Most Worthy Grand Matron; Sister Erma Maxwell, Secretary to the Most Worthy Grand Patron and these members of the Cardinal Crew Committee: Sisters Willie Mae Shaw, Chairman and International Grand Representatives Association, Parliamentarian and Parliamentarian of Texas Grand Chapter; Brother Karl A. Drescher, Sr., Grand Chapter Dad, and his wife, Sister Joann Drescher, Grand Chapter Mom; Sister Betty Morris, Special Friend Committee; and Sister Nanette Gwaltney, Travel Coordinator, and her husband, Brother George Gwaltney, Arrangements First Aid. Please join me in recognizing this group. (Applause)

This next group of members represents the Worthy Grand Matron of Texas and they work and travel close with our Worthy Grand Matron. Will the Deputies of Grand Chapter please stand? Ladies, your devotion, hard work, and dedication, has not gone unnoticed. Let's show them how much we appreciate their hard work. (Applause)

I am pleased to acknowledge special friends of the Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Edna Goettee, Treasured Sister and widow of Dr. James Goettee, a Past Grand Patron of Texas; and Brother Floyd Greene, Special Friend and widower of Sister Virginia Lynn Greene, Past Grand Matron of Texas. Please welcome them. (Applause)

Will the members of Grand Chapter Committees and the Special Committees of the Worthy Grand Matron who have not been previously introduced please stand. These members have helped make this Grand Chapter year and will make this Grand Chapter Session of Texas "Grand". Please help me welcome them. (Applause)

Now as you can see, this Grand Chapter Session has many dignitaries attending and we have worked very hard to properly introduce all of our dignitaries. And I hopefully have not overlooked anyone. We are looking forward to making all of our visitors feel welcome here and we hope you enjoy your stay here in Houston, Texas. And stay inside and not get too hot. This concludes the introductions. (Applause)

Sister Karen Morgenthaler: Sisters and Brothers, she did a beautiful job and she did it in less than 20 minutes. I've been timing her. But I also would like for you to know that her husband, Gary, would have been here tonight with us but he is in the hospital recovering from surgery that was totally unexpected. So please keep him in your prayers and Sister Sharon in your

prayers. Thank you. (Applause) At this time we are going to have some very special entertainment, Sister Susan Smith, our Grand Martha and Sister Lesa Smith our District Deputy from District 3 will be doing some special entertainment for you. Please enjoy it.

**[Sister Susan Smith played the piano as
Sister Lesa Smith sang “Welcome to My World”]**

Sister Lesa Smith: Okay, now this next song - Susan you can just do a little music interlude right there. This next song is going to require a little bit of audience participation and I'm going to stand behind the piano because I want to make sure I get all the words right. But I do want you to participate. And if you see that your neighbor's not participating, make them. And it is just clapping your hands, don't worry about it. And you are more than welcome to join in and sing with me cause you all know this song. “Lean on Me” (Applause)

Sister Karen Morgenthaler: Thank you Sisters, very much. I would like to invite Brother Gene Carnes to come to the podium to bring Greetings on behalf of the Grand Lodge of Texas.

Brother Gene Carnes: Thank you so much. What a beautiful evening it is and it's my great honor to bring Greetings on behalf of the Trustees of the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of Texas and the 90,000 Masons that reside here in Texas, or members in Texas anyway. It is a great honor for me to be here on this special occasion to welcome the General Grand Chapter Officers and the Committee Members. It gives me a great deal of honor to welcome our Most Worthy Grand Matron. We kind of grew up together. She calls me her “Brother” and I call her my “Sister”. But it is a great honor to have you here in the great State of Texas. We ordered in a cool breeze for you. (Laughter). If this is any indication of what it is going to be if you don't go to heaven, I've got my reservations made. How about you? Thank you so much for being here and it is a great honor to have you here in Texas, and we welcome you here and if there is anything the Grand Lodge of Texas can do for any of you, please feel free to contact us. Thank you so much. (Applause)

Sister Karen Morgenthaler: Sisters and Brothers, Brother Kenneth Gregory was to bring Greetings tonight on behalf of our Past Grand Patrons of Texas but his lady fell last night in the Hotel and hurt her leg and he felt that it was better to get her home to their doctors, so Brother Jerry Trees has gracefully accepted to bring Greetings on behalf of our Past Grand Patrons (I told him “if he didn't, I was going to get him”).

Brother Jerry Trees: Thank you, Master of Ceremonies. Most of you would have recognized that Brother Kenneth was not here tonight because he is taller than I am. (Laughter) It's a pleasure to bring Greetings from the Past Grand Patrons and to say Thank You to our out-of-state guests that have come a long way to be with us tonight on this special occasion. We want to especially say congratulations to our honorees tonight. These three Texas ladies have worked very hard for our Grand Chapter and they do a great job and they have been rewarded with the appointments that they have and the love that people have given to them and we are very, very pleased that they are here being honored tonight. And a special thank you to our own Texas people who came to this Grand Chapter to support our Worthy Grand Matron and our Worthy Grand Patron and their Grand Chapter this week. And I might know it's kind of General Grand Chapter but you know Sister Sharon she keeps saying that you know I'm Chairman of Housing for General Grand Chapter in Ft. Worth but I told her I said you know you've just got to be sure that you say a little prayer for me tonight that I don't get sick, you know about the time for that time to come but as I say, we will have plenty of rooms and we will try to make it a very pleasant time for you. Thanks to each and every one of you for being here tonight to honor these three ladies. Thank you. (Applause)

Sister Karen Morgenthaler: At this time, I would like Sister Jane Gregory to bring Greetings on behalf of our Past Grand Matrons of Texas.

Sister Jane Gregory: Thank you, Master of Ceremonies. Would the Past Grand Matrons of Texas please stand with me? Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Most Worthy Grand Matron, Acting Most Worthy Grand Patron, My Sisters and Brothers all. The Texas Past Grand Matrons are always delighted to see you come our way. We have served sometimes with many of you throughout the state but to have this whole audience practically stand tonight when they introduced the ones from out-of-state is fantastic. We are so proud of our Rennie and we're so thrilled that you joined us to welcome her home. I know that as long as we continue to meet wherever, whatever, in whatever state we are looking always forward to those who have been so much a part of our lives in the service of Eastern Star. I know that it's difficult and when you come to Texas in August you always know to bring a fan. This year thank goodness we don't have a hurricane in our midst, which we have had in the past. And if you were in the Galveston Grand Chapter, you'll know you had to beat it to get home. But please, know that you are very special in the lives of the Past Grand Matrons of Texas and I would like to leave you with this thought, "In the morning if you would rest your elbows on the windowsill of heaven and gaze at the face of the Lord, when you have your fill, turn away and start your day". Thank you for being here. Thank you.

Sister Karen Morgenthaler: Thank you, Sister Jane. If Sister Joyce Nicklas will come to the podium. Sisters and Brothers, she will be bringing a tribute to our Ambassador, to our General Grand Chapter Committee Members, to our Special Deputies, and to our Cardinal Crew Members. Thank you, Sister Joyce.

Sister Joyce Nicklas: Oh, thank you, Sister Karen. I am so excited to get to do this. All of you in this room know how I love to talk and I usually don't get a chance to talk very much. And I was told tonight I have three minutes. Now I counted how many we were paying tribute to tonight and that's 29, 29 times three, and I think that's 78 minutes that I get. (Laughter) Is that wrong? I beg your pardon, I guess I made a mistake. Three minutes for the whole thing? I better get started. Well, I would like the Cardinal Crew to please stand. Where are all the Cardinal Crew members? You know Sisters and Brothers, we all know these sweet individuals. They have been working diligently for many years and now they are putting in double duty because this General Grand Chapter in Ft. Worth is just around the corner. And they are going to have to do a lot more. We in Texas love and appreciate these special ones and I would ask all of my Sisters and Brothers present to raise your glasses and let's toast the Cardinal Crew members. Here! Here! Thank you. Now I would like to ask the Deputies of the Most Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron to please stand. Sylvia and Raul you know how very special you are to us and we know that you go over and above your duties. You plan trips for us to go to Mexico and we don't want to go with anyone else because Sisters and Brothers they know how to speak the language and we don't. But we feel safe when we are in their care. And we love and appreciate all that you do. Sisters and Brothers raise your glass and let's toast our Deputies of the Most Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron. Olé! Glad I brought my tea with me. Now I would like to ask the General Grand Chapter Committee Members to please stand. You know these special ones; they have earned their own tribute. They served the state in a grand capacity. They have worked years to achieve special goals. In Texas they say that we put our Past Grand Matrons and Past Grand Patrons on a pedestal. You know, maybe we do but we know their love for us, they have proven it over and over again. Their devotion to us is unending. So we would like to show them the same love and respect in return. Sisters and Brothers raise your glasses and let's toast these General Grand Chapter Committee members. Here! Here! Now I would like to ask the Ambassador to please stand. I really think that is such a cool name.

Ambassador...Brother Jerry are you standing? I was told that you are the Ambassador, that's like, that's like royalty! And you know you have very special accomplishments and in our eyes "you're regal"! And I think "Ambassador" just sounds like so much fun. You'll have to tell us all about it sometime when we have time, I'm almost out of my three minutes and you can't talk right now. (Laughter) Sisters and Brothers would you raise your glass and let's toast our Ambassador. Here! Here! I think that concludes my tribute. I hope that you enjoyed it. If I had had 97 oh, 87 minutes, we could have gone through a lot more and I just want you to know that everyone in this room loves all of these special ones bunches and bunches. Thank you, Sisters and Brothers. (Applause)

Sister Karen Morgenthaler: Brother Henry. Would you come to the podium and bring Greetings?

Brother Henry Martin: Thank you, Master of Ceremonies. It is certainly a privilege to be asked to bring Greetings from the General Grand Chapter Committees, Committee Members and Ambassadors and Sister Jane Gregory, you did a beautiful job of establishing protocol earlier so I'm going to forego that opportunity. I'd like to ask the General Grand Chapter Committee Members and our Ambassador, including the Cardinal Crew to please stand with me during this response. And the Deputies, I'm sorry, too. Let me say, first of all, I want to thank our Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron for this banquet tonight to honor the General Grand Chapter family. And Most Worthy Grand Matron, I want to say to you, we thank you, all of us for giving us the opportunity during this Triennium to serve General Grand Chapter and to our Sister Joyce Nicklas, who delivered that beautiful tribute, we appreciate very much the sentiments you expressed there and it's a pleasure to be with you. This crowd is wonderful. To stand up here and look out at this crowd is really something and we want to thank all of you from all these other jurisdictions for joining us here in Texas. Thank you very much. (Applause)

Sister Karen Morgenthaler: Sister Betty Benham, would you come to the podium please? Sisters and Brothers, it is my honor to present Sister Betty Benham who will bring a tribute to our Worthy Grand Organist.

Sister Betty Benham: Thank you, Sister Karen, Master of Ceremonies. Sister Rosemary Swetland, will you come join me please? Sister Rosemary, it gives me great honor and personal pleasure to bring tribute to our Worthy Grand Organist. I have to share something with you that Sister Rosemary and I are roommates and have been for many years at Grand Chapter. She got in evening before last and said "You know, I haven't heard a thing about this General Grand Chapter Banquet." I said "Well, what is there to know?" She said "Nobody's got in touch with me". I said "Well, Sister Rosemary, you are being honored, you're being fed so you just come and enjoy". Got by with it. This morning Sister Rosemary and I are having coffee and she says "You know I just can't understand no one approaching me about what is going on at the banquet." She said, "Usually they have tributes or something." She said "do you know anything that I don't know"? Noooo....Sister Rosemary gets to the banquet and sees the program. So Sister Rosemary, it is a sweet, sweet pleasure and I salute you as Worthy Grand Organist of General Grand Chapter. I salute you as Past Grand Matron of Texas but you know most of all, I salute you for being my friend and to say to you that through the many years I have known you that I have admired your grace and dignity at all times. The first time that we got acquainted with one another was at a candidate's party years ago. Two or three! And I was a candidate for Grand Examiner, District 2. Sister Rosemary was a candidate for Grand Examiner, District 4. I went over to her and said "Oh it's so nice to meet you and it's so wonderful to see a pretty young thing that's interested in serving Grand Chapter." And she said "I'm not as young as you think I am". But Sister Rosemary, you're that same pretty young lady that I met those many years ago. And I'm so

proud of you. You know you laughed and stated that we have always shared things parallel and I have to say to you this evening, to me and I have to mention Sister Elsie Paladino, our sweet friend. All three of us have been treasured friends for a long time and I might add that you served as one of my Radiant Jewels. We have been together through many Eastern Star experiences. Some good, some not so good. We've been through life's experiences. Some good, some not so good. However Sister Rosemary, with the love of God, we have survived and look where you are today. You have played your elegant music from The Yellow Rose of Texas to the other Grand Jurisdictions and around the world and Texas proudly claims you. It is with genuine pride in your attainment of this high office in General Grand Chapter serving under our own Sister Rennie Ofton, our Most Worthy Grand Matron that I join with all of our Texas home folks especially your home district, District 4, that we are in Houston. I want to say that we love you and we glory in your honor which has been accorded to you. You have shared your music with many others in your teaching profession and that is something that will be in their hearts and go on and on in that teaching. You know the music of life is played by ear, setting the tempo and choosing the key, major or minor tone. There is no printed score that is provided to us and no two tunes are the same. The keyboard of life holds beauty. There is a harmony waiting there for the heart that attains the song of life to prayer, goodwill and peace. Now I have to say that John you are a new song in her life right now and you might think that Sister Rosemary has no family. Well, boy am I here to inform you that she has a very large family. Just look at all the room. These are her Sisters and Brothers and we want you to take care of Sister Rosie and we welcome you to the family. Sister Rosemary, from the time of our first meeting, I have been impressed with your dedication to this Order and for all it stands. You have set high goals and purposes in your life and have followed those goals and given of yourself with all your heart. It has been necessary for you to use every ounce of knowledge and wisdom which you possess for you to show patience and understanding in many difficult situations. What I am saying my sweet friend, all of this and more, you have accomplished. So my friend, time is relentless, seasons follow seasons, as rhythmically and harmoniously as a great sonata. So you have brought music to our hearts now you go write more beautiful music and my wish for you is that the song and music will last forever. And we would like to give you a special thank you for your service. (Applause)

Sister Rosemary Swetland: Wow! That's my new word. In the last few months, I have found great joy and happiness and everything brings me excitement. So, you want to say it with me? Wow...Sister Karen, thank you for a beautiful evening. Sister Rennie, thank you for a beautiful appointment. Sister Betty, thank you for the love you have always had for me. Sisters and Brothers, if you could walk inside my heart at this moment, you would find a portrait there of yourselves. For on the wall of my heart are beautiful memories that each of you all have placed - each one bringing their own gift, their own kindness, their own gentleness. Sometimes it's pretty overwhelming to realize how much I love each of you and I feel your love in return. This is a great evening in my life. From the time I served as Sister Rennie's Deputy to now being her Worthy Grand Organist, my dreams have now come true. I've been able to share my music for the world. But God in return has said "Well Done!" and has now given me a greater gift, a gift of real love, a gift of friendship from this gentleman by my side tonight. You will get to know him better and better because we are going to be married next month. So, you need to pray for us (Applause) as we start our new journey to be among you throughout, I plan on seeing many of you for many times, now he's going to come by me so I won't cry anymore. John is a beautiful gift and has been a long time friend. I am very blessed. And I want to thank each of you for coming to Texas, for sharing with us in this great evening, for the joy and excitement of being a member of the Eastern Star. May you be

blessed for all you are going to offer and give in your lives to this Order. I thank you for your caring and your love for me over the years. You are in my heart and you will be remembered forever. Thank you. (Applause)

Sister Karen Morgenthaler: Brother Ray Hertenberger, will you come to the podium please? Sisters and Brothers, I'm very honored to present Brother Ray Hertenberger who will bring a tribute to our Worthy Grand Secretary.

Brother Ray Hertenberger: Thank you, Master of Ceremonies. I got to visit with Sister Alma out in the foyer there in the Hotel yesterday and we were talking about me doing her tribute and she said "Be nice". Alma, just take a nap, this will hurt a lot less. (Laughter) I was also saying we weren't going to do the thing about "when she was born" and "where's she from" and all of this. But I got to thinking, you know, you talk about age, she's old enough to be in Eastern Star yet not old enough to be carbon dated. (Laughter) Alma Bane's background is much deeper than a birth date, a bunch of organizations that she belongs to or has belonged to in the past, or a list of titles and accomplishments. Alma's foundation was laid years ago that supports the lady that she is today. The love that she has with her family and the values of her upbringing was everyday life in the Lynn family. As Sister Alma traveled life's winding road, she took the necessary time needed to absorb the precept that should govern all of us. Through the years, she has molded her character around the attributes of confidence, commitment, dedication, loyalty and love. Her confidence is derived through knowledge and diligence. She always did her research on any subject that might affect her work or duties. She was diligent in the performance of her duties once she was confident that she had the knowledge to proceed. Sister Alma's commitment to superior service to the Order of the Eastern Star has been noticed and appreciated by our membership all over the world. Her commitment to her family and community will never be challenged. Alma Bane's dedication and loyalty has been exhibited time after time in every position of service that was accorded to her. Alma's serving as Right Worthy Grand Secretary is true testimony of her dedication and loyalty to the membership and our beloved Order. Finally Alma Lynn Bane was taught to love her God, her family and her friends, her country and especially her Sisters and Brothers. And now she is receiving the love from everyone who has ever had the pleasure of knowing her. Sister Alma, our families have known each other for a long time and I am deeply proud and honored to be able to call you my friend. And I heard another friend's name called out there a little bit ago during introductions, where is Sister Betty Lynn? There she is! Hello Sister Betty. This is Alma's mother and we have been friends through the Galveston area through Eastern Star, Shrine, and Masonry for many years and I just really want to thank Sister Karen for allowing me the opportunity to bring this tribute to such a fine lady. Thank you. (Applause) Sister Alma, please accept this token of love from this banquet and the membership of Texas. Thank you.

Sister Alma Lynn Bane: "Whoa"....my new word, not "wow" but "whoa". Master of Ceremonies, Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Acting Most Worthy Grand Patron, Sister Rennie, and Sister Rosemary, other Honorees tonight, Distinguished Members, my Sisters and Brothers. One cannot prepare for a moment like this. Brother Ray, thank you for a beautiful tribute. It is my prayer that I can live up to it. I appreciate the time and the caring you put in the words that you framed for my tribute. You and Vickie are very special to Bill and me and know that our door is open anytime you come to D.C. Longfellow said: "Look not mournfully into the past. It comes not back again. Wisely improve the present, it is thine. Go forth to meet the shadowy future, without fear and with a manly heart." I want to thank each of you for taking the time to come to this very special banquet which has been in the planning stages for many years. Knowing that there would come a time when we would welcome back to Texas our Most Worthy Grand Matron and she wanted to share this

evening with Sister Rosemary and with me and with many of you. And I am so pleased to be one of the honorees tonight. As we go forth into our duties, especially the duties that our Right Worthy Grand Secretary has, she cannot do those alone. There are those throughout the Grand Jurisdictions, they are called Grand Secretaries, who work in their area, work with me, for me, and for our Order. And a few of those are here tonight and I thank them. But the biggest helpmate that was given to me, by Sister Barbara Benham and then again by Sister Rennie Oton, is a person who was named to an appointment of International Headquarters Administrator. And I would like for my husband, Bill Bane, to please stand. He is not only my helpmate, he is yours. When the doorbell rings, he makes sure it is someone who is qualified to come into our facility. He's the one that when your Grand Secretary needs rituals or petition forms, he's the one that puts them in the box and mails them to you. It is a life change for both of us, especially for him, from being a professor at the University to working in the mail room. But we love every minute of it because we love working with our Sisters and Brothers. I would ask each of you to plant seeds for growth. I talk about how we get members, one at a time. You plant a plant the same way. You put one seed in the ground, some require two, and you nurture it. We get our new members one at a time. Accept those petitions, initiate them, but then nurture them. Help them become the officers and the leaders of your chapters, just as someone nurtured you. Please take those thoughts home with you. To the Texas membership, I want to thank you for the love and support all these years. As Brother Ray said I have my mother here this evening but I also have my baby sister, Sister Sandra. And we have with us, some very dear friends, our extended family in the District of Columbia. They have been introduced but I want to mention them again. Sister M.G. Lockhart, our Jr. Past Grand Matron but she is serving in the West with Bill in Federal Chapter and next year they will serve in the East. Also Sister Irene Statick, Grand Conductress who made a special call to Bill and we are looking forward to 2013-2014 with her. And then Sister Frances Pate, who replaced Bill as Grand Representative and she is here in Texas and we want to make sure she goes back and tells everybody in D.C. how super it was. And we have with us our Associate Grand Matron, Vickie Starr and her husband, Robert. And we want to thank them for making this special trip. To my Sisters and Brothers, keep planting those seeds, keep making our order grow, and know that we are here to serve you. And I just consider myself the General Grand Chapter Help Desk. Thank you. (Applause)

Sister Karen Morgenthaler: Sisters and Brothers at this time, I will invite Brother John to bring Greetings on behalf of our General Grand Chapter. (Applause)

Brother John Grobler: Thank you, Master of Ceremonies, Karen. Houston, I think we have a problem. Actually I think we have a dichotomy. When I first arrived in Texas, in all the while I've been here, I've heard about how big things are. How you have bigger cars, bigger parties, bigger crowds. So I went down to the gift store in the hotel to see if I could find anything that looked like it was bigger, and the first thing I came across was a Bic lighter that was like 8 inches long and 2 inches in diameter. That surely was bigger. And I went over to see if I could find a card that was typical of Texas and I found a card that had a picture of the United States with Texas exaggerated stretching from the Gulf of Mexico to the border of Canada. (Laughter) So truly things are bigger in Texas until I got here tonight and I picked up the program. And it says "It's a Small World After All". (Laughter) It is my pleasure to be here this evening to honor these special people, our Most Worthy Grand Matron, our Right Worthy Grand Secretary, and our Worthy Grand Organist, and the General Grand Chapter Committee Members in Texas. You know when you have a chapter meeting, there's three people that really are very important and you almost couldn't have a meeting without them and certainly one of those is the Worthy Matron and then the Secretary, also. And what would

our meetings be like without the Organist. So it is truly fitting to honor these three this evening, and of course, all those Committee Members that would help them out. In closing I would just like to say, Life is a journey, not a destination. My wish for you is that your journey will be smooth and downhill all the way. Thank you. (Applause)

Sister Karen Morgenthaler: Brother Jerry, will you come to the podium please? Sisters and Brothers, Brother Jerry Martin will bring a tribute to our Most Worthy Grand Matron.

Brother Jerry Martin: Thank you, Master of Ceremonies and my partner in crime in 2004 and 05. I know now why you had me sit down there, so that by the time I got up to here I'd be so out of wind I couldn't go more than 3 minutes. (Laughter) What a special privilege it is for me tonight and an awesome responsibility to bring a tribute to our Most Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Rennie Ofton. Now Sister Rennie once did a tribute for me and she said I made it a little rough on her because she had to learn a bunch of terms about Mariners and things. And so tonight is payback and I've got a whole lot to say. Since the very first time I met our Most Worthy Grand Matron, I have been impressed by one thing about her more than any other. And that is her humility. In all the high offices she has held, she has never changed. According to Confucius, "Humility is the solid foundation of all the virtues". And if he hadn't passed away a couple of thousand years ago, I would have sworn he knew Sister Rennie. Some of her other virtues are that she is deeply committed to her religion and served in many leadership roles in her church including being an elder. She is compassionate, caring, giving, and believes that actions speak better than words when it comes to helping others in need. All of these virtues and more paved the way for her to become our Most Worthy Grand Matron. And Most Worthy Matron the membership is extremely proud of you and maybe the words from an old Lionel Ritchie song could sum up our feelings. And it goes something like this, that *You're Once, Twice, Three Times A Lady* and we love you. And that is true, but Most Worthy Grand Matron, as you know here in Texas when we're about to do something we are prone to say "I'm a fixin' to do whatever". Well, I'm a fixin' to change this tribute. I'm sure you've had these traditional tributes over time but to do something different, this one is going to rhyme.

Where else but in Austin, Texas once upon a time,
a child was born who's fraternal future would shine.

But first there was growing up, schooling and more.
And parents who taught her respect, virtue, and compassion galore.

Now in Hotwells High School down in old San Antone,
her prowess as a tennis player was very well known.

And the boys got in trouble in so many classes,
for watching out the window while cute Rennie did practice.

As a senior in high school, a man named Paul did she meet.
Who coming home from the war, lived on the same street.

Destiny was calling and before long they were wed.
Little did they know what a whirlwind future lay ahead.

Paul was a Mason and before long you surely have guessed,
they joined the Masonic appendant body called OES.

The teachings of this Order fell in line with all her beliefs,
but those bright shiny dresses didn't cause her any grief.

Working for an Air Force General kept her busy by day,
but nights and weekends in the Order of the Eastern Star did she play.

Soon she became Worthy Matron at her chapter called Harlandale,
then Deputy, District Deputy Grand Matron, and Grand Examiner went well.

She was elected Associate Grand Matron at Texas Grand Chapter,
Grand Conductress, Associate Grand Matron, followed thereafter.

Then one year later she was elected Worthy Grand Matron
and beside her stood Duke Weber, her Worthy Grand Patron.

Before long an appointment from General Grand Chapter came,
and then began the trek that would lead to honor and fame.

First on the trip was her election as a Grand Trustee,
15 years later Most Worthy Grand Matron she would be.

Her accomplishments to date have certainly been plenty,
but they haven't changed a thing about our sweet Sister Rennie.

The finale tonight here in Texas could only come in one way,
will the audience please rise and tell Rennie, Olé! (Olé)

Well, that was certainly fun and it took more than my allotted three minutes. However, I've been in trouble with this Master of Ceremonies before and I know how to take what's coming to me. Most Worthy Grand Matron, the Order of the Eastern Star and all its members are blessed by your commitment of service to our beloved Order. May God's hand continue to guide your leadership and may his travelling grace protect you in your continued journeys. And I believe that the membership has a little token of love they would like to give you at this time, Sister Rennie.

Most Worthy Grand Matron Rennie Ofton: My, I was nervous! Where do you start with a wonderful evening like this? Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, I want to thank you for doing this for your General Grand Chapter family. We all are working for the good of the Order but we learned what we learned in Texas. And that means that the Texas people love their people and doing something like this just makes us all feel a little better. So on behalf of all of the honorees tonight, I thank you both for this lovely evening. And to everyone who had anything to do with it, who worked hard to get everything fixed for it, I thank you very much. It's a beautiful, beautiful sight out there and I know it took a lot of work. So we do indeed thank you. You know, members of the Order of the Eastern Star in Texas taught me a lot as I came up through the ranks, so to speak. Because you walk among good people and you find out good things and you find how to be a part of it. And that is what this Grand Chapter has taught me. My life has been intertwined with so many good members; a lot of them have passed away. Many of them that signed the petition asking me to please run for an office in General Grand are gone. It was just one of those things and they came to me and asked me to run I said, "Oh, No, that's not for me and besides that we have

so many and there are others here and they might want somebody else and I was having too much fun being Grand Examiner". Well, after the meeting was over, they brought me a yellow sheet - like that. It had strawberry shortcake on it, butter on it, grease from the meat, and they all signed it and said we'll stay with you. Well, many of them are gone but you in their place have stayed with me to keep things going and your encouragement is what makes my life so good right now. I know that these General Grand Appointments that I have made were made with very special thoughts. Because these are the people that I have been so close to in all these years in Eastern Star and I appreciate so much their working and then to have all of you from other states come in for this special night makes it just that much better. Because I know you are still a member of our very special team. We are all going to work for another thirteen months, Bobbi. But it is so good to have all of you here and I know our Texas folks are proud to see you and I hope they give you a good dose of Texas hospitality. It's wonderful to share this night with Alma Lynn and Rosie. They have been a special part of my life. It just seems that every time something happens it's because of good people and their effect on me, I guess effect is as good a word as any, but I learned from them that life is good. You know there are very few people that have a dream and live to see it come true. Sisters and Brothers, I want you to know that I have had a dream ever since I got in line at General Grand of having the Service Dog Program. But as you go along and it had never been done and some people said you know, people aren't going to be interested in dogs. Well, I persevered and I thought we'll see what the membership says. Membership, you have been outstanding. And the reports of the monies that we have right now for that project, and these are informal, it's places where I have been and seen the monies that they have given we're over \$350,000 for service dogs for our Patriot Paws. (Applause) My dream has come true and thanks to you. You know when we started, the Texas Cardinals was born. And we said okay that Texas Cardinals will just have to work extra hard. But I tell you when Texas got behind the Texas Cardinals; they had more fun than I did. I think we all have this little bit of a talent in our mind or something that we'd like to go around and sell something to somebody all the time. Well, I think they sold everything, everything imaginable. And so to the members of Texas Cardinals and members of Texas supporting the Texas Cardinals, I thank you. By virtue of the monies we raised, we do not have to bother General Grand Chapter about receiving any funds and that was our goal. And that was another goal that just shot up because of you the wonderful membership. I don't know of any way to say thank you because all these nice speeches that were made, those are all very true for me also. And I don't know that any one person should be showered with such wonderful thoughts, but you the membership of Texas, you the membership of all over, the ones that have come tonight have really enriched my life and given me just that much more energy. I didn't look like I had much energy. I had to be dragged in. I'm having a little problem with that knee again and that's the way it is sometime. And Jerry, thank you for that. You know (Jerry said he was a Mariner). So I read all the books and I was trying to figure out how to take spars down and roll up the masts. All of that stuff. And I read all through that and he got up and looked at me and I didn't know if he was going to hit me or say thank you cause I didn't know what I had said. Really, you know...Spars and booms and everything else. But I had a good dictionary evidently cause he didn't...but Sisters and Brothers, Eastern Star is a wonderful way of life. Each one of us, and we've often heard it said, whatever you put into something is what you receive. In the Order, we talk about right now oh, we're losing members. But all of the things that are happening in our Order are still moving. And as long as we have dedicated members like you that want to be a part of this great organization, to do the things for which we are gathered and it's going to be alright. We can turn it around if we work a little harder. It's hard to explain to people how much fun we have, how much good we can do because everybody else has his

or her opinion and anyhow, Monday night is football, Tuesday night is something else, and I can't go here, I can't go there but they just don't know how nice we are. They should be out with us. But they didn't make it. I'm real pleased Brother John to have you here and Barbara. That was an unfortunate event but as always a good organization has somebody to step in. And John and Barbara have stepped in to go the way and as I told them today, that Margaret is still following through with a lot of Fred's stuff as she travels around with us. So what we planned is still moving. And John – in fact sometimes it's moving so fast I overload him. But he smiles, I don't know if he's smiling at me or just saying what am I doing here? Again, I want to thank each one of you. Our home folk and our visitors for the love that you have shown to our Order and as I've travelled around to the different jurisdictions, you have been outstanding in your courtesies to me. I get embarrassed because I want to be an Eastern Star member. I don't want to be carried around and you know and get things that maybe some other people don't get. But once I got em' I keep em'. (Laughter) So as we make plans for 2012, Henry has four books that deep (measures with hand) so I guess we'll be hearing what we're supposed to be doing and that's why I leave town as much as I can. (Laughter) But we hope that we can make a difference in life. We can make a difference in the world of some of the problems that we have now days. We can and we will because we have a loving God above us and when we talk with Him and when we follow what we think He wants us to do, we'll be alright. And I told them at noon today that I have a little thing that I want all of you to remember when somebody asks you about "What is Eastern Star". What do you do? Tell them we are good people, doing good things, for good reasons, and thoroughly enjoying it. And isn't that right? (Applause) So with another one great big thank you for this wonderful evening, Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, to you the membership for being here and for the fact that we have this beautiful Order of the Eastern Star, I say thank you with a heart full of love for each of you for our Order and to our God to see how we can make it better. Thank you so much Sisters and Brothers. (Standing ovation)

Sister Karen Morgenthaler: We will now hear from our Worthy Grand Patron.

Brother Arthur Drescher: Thank you Master of Ceremonies. Howdy! (Howdy! Response) Worthy Grand Matron, Most Worthy Grand Matron, Acting Most Worthy Grand Patron, General Grand Chapter Family, Distinguished Visitors, my Sisters and Brothers all. It's kind of a hard act to the next one to the last up tonight, you know. But I am, what she said was that she didn't tell everything she knows...but I'll get to that in a few minutes. Okay, first – I was sitting up here and this is an awesome sight, I don't, this is one of the first times I've been up at a head table, sitting next to the podium in this position and looking out over the audience, is an awesome sight. But what struck me more than anything else and my mother is probably dying right now because I've just gone totally off my script. What struck me more than anything else is how many of y'all I know. That I have met over the last five or ten years travelling the Eastern Star circuit. Not just here in Texas but in Oklahoma, Louisiana, Nova Scotia, and New Mexico. Every place that I have been and as I think about our theme tonight that "It is a Small World After All", it is. And Eastern Star brings it all together. And as I think, well there's a lot of examples of that and it's just awesome to think about that. I do want to thank our entertainment tonight. I call them the Smith Sisters. They're Sisters and their last name both is Smith. Lesa your singing is always beautiful to hear and your playing Susan, just beautiful, I love to hear it. Thank y'all for doing that for us. Let's show them how much we appreciate the entertainment. (Applause) And Sister Karen, you've made a wonderful Master of Ceremonies. Everything went perfect. Okay, so far. (Laughter) But we still have three more minutes. (Sister Karen said "One minute") One minute. To our Grand Master, Brother Gene Carnes, what a distinguished way you have conducted yourself this year. You are a true gentleman, a Mason's Mason, and I thank you for

coming tonight and bringing your beautiful wife, Gay. Thank you very much. And if I can have you approach...on behalf of the Grand...and I'm doing this so that y'all can hear me, on behalf of the Grand Chapter of Texas, I'd like to present you with this little love gift for being here this evening. Thank you. (Brother Gene says "Thank you so much".) I'm getting last minute instructions as we go. Those of y'all that served as Worthy Patron or Worthy Grand Patron, that never happens, right? Okay, to our Acting Most Worthy Grand Patron, thank you for taking time out of your busy schedule and spending time with us. I know you're still working and this came a little early for you. For one working Worthy Grand Patron to a working Acting Most Worthy Grand Patron, I understand your pain as they say. But we do thank you for being here. You and your wife are both wonderful people. I've enjoyed visiting with you. I never thought that I would have the opportunity to visit with you like this and I had got to know Brother Fred real well and we share, well, his son lives in Dallas and we're all hockey fans, we do hockey together. This has been a joy getting to know you and your wife and if those of you in the audience have not had the opportunity, I want to suggest, take the opportunity to spend a few minutes with them. They are just very, very interesting people, and I do...and if you will join me right here, I also have for you a love gift from the Grand Chapter of Texas and another little gift. Thank you very much for coming.

Brother John Grobler: Thank you. You know the reason he knows so many people is because of his friendly and outgoing manner. When we arrived on Monday one of the first people to greet us was Brother Art. We were down having breakfast and there he was. In fact, he was in the café down there about every time we went down there. (Laughter) That's why he knows everybody. (Applause)

Brother Art Drescher: Oh...that's not where they usually find me, but that's close. To our Honorees tonight, each of you, and to our Grand Chapter Committee Member Honorees, each of you has a special place in my heart. Through the last few years, working with you, some of you I've known even before Eastern Star, Brother Henry, it's just great to see you working so hard. To our Honorees, Sister Rosemary, you've been a great friend and advisor. And I'm going to tell a little story on each one of them so I'll warn them now. I still remember that Friday night somewhere around 10:20 p.m. and I get this frantic phone call from the Chairman of the Jurisprudence. And we've got a problem. And we worked on it for a couple of hours and we faxed some things back and forth and worked on it a few more hours the next day. Between the two of us, we made everybody happy. And I remember that, and our friendship had started before that and continues. And I do value your friendship and all the advice you have given me and as our Jurisprudence Chairman this year, I know when the phone rings, and she says "Oh, it's him again". But she did answer it every time and she has really, really been a big help this year. Thank you very much and we love you very much. (Applause) Sister Alma Lynn, as Worthy Grand Matron, you represented Texas well. You even picked a Mr. X that never misses a beat. For those of y'all that don't know, Henry's a drummer. As a matter of fact, when Brother Lee Stallings was introduced as Mr. X it was Henry that was on the drums playing German music with me and a few friends. So we got him out of that gazebo thingy. Okay. As Our Right Worthy Grand Secretary, you are doing a phenomenal job. However, what I value most is the advice and counsel you have given me, the last two years especially. You have been there every time I called. You've listened to me be a little frustrated. You have always just said, it will be better later and it has. It has been invaluable and there is no way I can ever, ever, ever repay you. Marty and I truly value your and Bill's friendship. Thank you very much. (Applause) And to our Most Worthy Grand Matron, all I wrote down here is what can I say? Every time I start to talk about things I get both boots in my mouth and it just gets worse from there. So, I'm not going to talk about sitting on the bed, (Laughter) see that's the first time. There's a lot of lot of things. But Sister,

those of y'all that don't know, my mother will be getting her 60 year certificate this year and I think she has about three more years than Sister Rennie. They are both out of San Antonio and Sister Rennie watched my brother, sister, myself and several other children of members grow up the in Eastern Star Temple in San Antonio. And there were about what, eight of us? The Bailey kids, everybody, and we were running around and we could set up a chapter room when we were 5 and 6 years old or at least play with that crown, you know things like that. So she has known me for most of my life. To be standing here as her middle son in her triline, it wasn't even a dream. This is a fantasy. This is just something I never even thought about. So, thank you. I've called you also, we've talked, you've helped but more than that, you have been a good friend to the Drescher family, all of us for many, many, many years and we do value that. Thank you for all your hard work for the Eastern Star. Thank you very much. (Applause) In closing, I want to thank everyone for coming this evening. We are going to be opening tomorrow. I do have one little bit of business, if our Grand Chapter Officers will please meet me for five minutes over here in the corner when we get done. I've got one little change for tomorrow I've got to let y'all know about. So if y'all will do that, I would appreciate it then we'll be out of here. Thank all of y'all for coming and God Bless every one of you. (Applause)

Sister Karen Morgenthaler: We will now have greetings from our Worthy Grand Matron.

Worthy Grand Matron Mary Ruth White: Thank you Master of Ceremonies, Sister Karen and thank you for your hard work. I knew when I asked her if she would chair this banquet that I would have someone that would make this evening worthy of the Honorees we are honoring tonight. I want to thank everyone, that, I'd probably, I'm not going to name anyone because there would be a very special person that had done quite a bit in putting this evening together that I might leave out. But we enjoyed the entertainment by Lesa and Susan. The decorations, the programs, and all the things that went into making this evening what it is. But I want to thank those that are seated in the head tables and in the audience, because all the efforts in the world would not be worth anything if it wasn't for the membership that came with open hearts to help pay tribute to those we honor this evening. Sister Rosemary Swetland, will you join me please? Sister Rosemary, I remember when you were a candidate for the Grand North, such a lovely lady. I used to enjoy having attended her programs when she was visiting chapters. She had very beautiful inspirational musical programs. Then we have enjoyed you so this year as Worthy Grand Organist. We were so proud of your appointment and we so look forward to your music in 13 months. But I feel very privileged because I am going to have the opportunity to have this very talented and special person open our musical prelude tomorrow at our opening session. You served as a beautiful Worthy Grand Matron. And you are serving Grand Chapter with your many, many talents. And now you're entering into another venture in just a month. I look forward to attending that event with you and wishing you all the happiness in the world. On my behalf and also the behalf of the State of Texas because we all love you very dearly and I'd like to give you this little love gift from the Grand Chapter of Texas and this little personal gift from the Worthy Grand Patron and I. We love you very, very much. And thank you for serving me in a very special way this year as my Jurisprudence Chairman. Thank you. (Applause)

Sister Alma. Sister Alma and I go way way back to even Rainbow times. And I had the privilege of having her ask me one evening, "Mary Ruth, would you like to help me out in my year as Worthy Grand Matron by driving the Grand Chapter van?" I don't think that there is a title of Past District Deputy Grand Matron, but you also made me your permanent personal page. And that is something that I will always honor and cherish. Because Sister Alma,

you are a very special person to me. I thought I knew her real well when we started working together. But being in her home, being with her family, watching the girls grow up and graduate from college, I felt like it was a big loss to Texas when she left to go to Washington, D.C. But it's a benefit to Texas also. Because we have a wonderful Right Worthy Grand Secretary up there and we are so proud that she is Texas' own also. Thank goodness for AT&T because that keeps us close together. And thank you for leaving your baby sister and your mother in Texas so that we can enjoy them. Because that also brings you back to Texas frequently and we get to spend that personal time together. Thank you for all the service that you have given to the Grand Chapter of Texas and your dedication that you have for General Grand Chapter. We salute you as a fine lady and my personal friend. And this is a little gift I'd like to give you from the Grand Chapter of Texas and a little gift from your Worthy Grand Patron and I. Thank you.

Sister Rennie, do you feel like coming up here again? Maybe we can work that kink out. I will always remember your beautiful year when you served as Worthy Grand Matron of Texas, our special Cardinal Lady. And then it wasn't long after that that we formed the Texas Cardinals and I am proud and happy as well as many people in this room that I have that gold card that was signed by Brother Harold Todd saying charter member of the Texas Cardinals. We have all supported you for many years and now we are reaping the benefits of all those years of toll that you have contributed to Grand Chapter and to General Grand Chapter. We are so proud to have you as our Most Worthy Grand Matron and we look forward in 13 months to your Session. (Bobbi didn't hear that) Okay, I heard no groan because she looks forward to that session, too. Because she knows that a very special person will be leading our General Grand Chapter in Ft. Worth. I know that all of Texas will try their very best to be at that Session and let you know how happy and how proud we are to see you finally serve in the General Grand Chapter East. And this is just a little love gift from the Grand Chapter of Texas and from your Worthy Grand Patron and I.

Most Worthy Grand Matron Rennie Ofton: It's been great and thank you so much for the courtesies. Everything has just been wonderful. Thank you.

Worthy Grand Matron Mary Ruth White: We've heard people say that Texas is a big state. Yes it is. As a matter of fact, from my home right here in Houston to El Paso is a longer distance than travelling from El Paso to Los Angeles, California. But I want to feel like Texas has a big heart. And we are so happy to have so many visitors from the other Grand Jurisdictions with us this evening. We salute all of our Grand Chapter Officers and Committee Members. We're so happy to have the Acting Most Worthy Grand Patron with us and our Worshipful Grand Master. Thank you for both of your attendance too. Tomorrow morning we will be opening the 129th Session of the Grand Chapter of Texas and I am so happy that we had the opportunity to break bread together this evening to start this very important day tomorrow. I look forward to seeing each of you in the morning and God Bless each and every one of you and thank you for being with us this evening. (Applause)

Sister Karen Morgenthaler: Sisters and Brothers before Brother Lee brings us our Benediction there's something that I would like to say at this time. If you look on the back of your program you see a very special thank you to the following that helped make this banquet happen. I would like for them to stand. Sister Betty Fogarty, Barbara Hargrove who is not able to be with us, Marsha Owens, Pat Stallings, Sharon Mosmeyer, Vickie Hertenberger, Sharon Willingham, Debra Pruitt. To those who assisted in getting you settled at the tables, will that group please stand with me, Johnnie Fay? Please stand and also to the four gentlemen that were down here this afternoon who work for this hotel. Anything that I asked for "Yes, ma'am, we will have it here." If that's what you want, it's taken care of." And to their

staff who waited on us tonight, we say a very special thank you. For Sisters and Brothers, nothing can be done by one person but with the help of many friends a beautiful evening can be enjoyed by all. We hope you enjoyed this evening. Thank you. Brother Lee.

Brother Lee Stallings: Please take the hand of the one next to you as we go to the Lord in prayer. Heavenly Father, we thank you for your presence here tonight. We thank you for bringing our Sisters and Brothers from other Grand Jurisdictions to Texas to share with us in our Grand Chapter session. We thank you Lord especially for the Order of the Eastern Star and for what it means to each one of us. We thank you for those that we have honored here this evening and for their dedication to our beautiful Order. We ask that if it be your will that you bless and prosper our Order. Lord, we pray a special prayer for our Most Worthy Grand Matron and our Acting Most Worthy Grand Patron and their officers as they lead our International Order and our Worthy Grand Matron and our Worthy Grand Patron and their Officers as they lead our annual Session. We ask that you would give each one of them the strength, the wisdom and direction to do their job well that it might bring honor upon them, our Order and to you. We ask, Heavenly Father, that you be with our country and our leaders at this difficult time and we pray your special blessings on those that protect our freedoms both at home and abroad. Now go with us as we leave this meeting tonight. Keep us each safe and healthy til we meet again. This all we ask in your Son's glorious name, Jesus Christ. Amen (Amen)

Sister Karen Morgenthaler: Sisters and Brothers thank you very much. Good night.



Ceremonial Opening
129th Grand Chapter of Texas
Garden of Friendship Session
Thursday, August 11, 2011, 11:00 a.m.

Musical Prelude:

Mrs. Rosemary Swetland
Worthy Grand Organist
General Grand Chapter
Past Grand Matron of Texas

Master of Ceremonies:

Mrs. Betty Benham
Past Grand Matron of Texas

Assisting Grand Marshal:

Mrs. Karen Morgenthaler
Cancer Committee
General Grand Chapter
Past Grand Matron of Texas

Sister Betty Benham: Good Morning, Sisters and Brothers. Good Morning, friends of the Order of the Eastern Star. It is my honor to stand in the East of our beloved Grand Chapter of Texas. Beloved because it has honored us with positions of leadership and has given to us opportunities of service. But most of all, because it has afforded the precious joy of walking friendship trails with you. It is my pleasure to welcome you to the *129th Garden of Friendship Session* of the Order of the Eastern Star. We have many visitors with us this morning and a special welcome to the Officers and Committees of General Grand Chapter who have come to help in honoring our own Sister Rennie Oton, Most Worthy Grand Matron and Past Grand Matron of Texas home. To our out-of-state visitors and to those of you who are not members of the Order, but are with us as interested onlookers, we are honored by your presence. Now to our very own members of Texas who have come from the Panhandle, from the Plains, from the border cities and towns, from the Hill Country, from the coast, from the Piney Woods, from Big "D" where the Worthy Grand Patron's home is, and from Ft. Worth, to our hostess city of Houston, our Worthy Grand Matron's home. So Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Mary Ruth White, and Worthy Grand Patron, Brother K. Arthur Drescher, Jr., we thank you for the dedicated efforts of your programs for the 2010-2011 and for your record as serving by the true teachings of our Order. Thank you for the honor accorded to me in presenting and presiding at this *Garden of Friendship Session*. At this time, I do invite Sister Betty Friend who will bring the Thought of the Day to us. Sister Betty Friend is a Past Grand Matron of Texas and also the Social Chairman of the General Grand Chapter. I present my friend, Betty Friend. (Applause)

Sister Betty Friend: Thank you. Thank you, Worthy Grand Matron for the opportunity to bring the Thought for the Day at the beginning of this Session. Our Worthy Grand Matron has chosen "Garden of Friendship" as her theme for this 129th Session of Texas Grand Chapter. Everyone dreams of having a perfect friendship during their lifetime. Here are some secret components to the Art of Friendship. Treat everyone with Honor; begin with your family. Believe in the inherent goodness of mankind, and each person's potential for greatness. Be understanding; strive to lift people up rather than tear them down; be one who encourages, rather than discourages; and do your best to set an example that will be an inspiration

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to others. Be yourself; Hypocrisy, Artificiality, and Pretense should be eliminated from your life. "Meet and Mingle" with others in quiet simplicity and humility. Always seek the Truth; it will become the meaning of your life, serve it well. Join others who are working for great principles, great purposes, great causes; LOVE, will be the fruit and Friendship will abound. Today, in our Worthy Grand Matron's Garden of Friendship, we see beautiful bouquets of Irises throughout this Assembly Hall. Nature has given us these lovely stems which represent the values of True Friendship. Honor, Understanding, Humility, Truth and Love. These are the Happy Thoughts that we want to pursue as we engage in this 129th Grand Chapter Session of Texas. Thank you. (Applause)

[Sister Beverly Plante on the piano.]

Sister Betty Benham: I am pleased to introduce our Assisting Grand Marshal for this afternoon – Sister Karen Morgenthaler. Sister Karen was the Worthy Grand Matron when our Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Mary Ruth White was Grand Examiner At-Large, so it is a very special honor for Sister Karen to serve as our Assistant Grand Marshal. We have had the privilege of enjoying the beautiful music in the prelude this morning by our Worthy Grand Organist, Sister Rosemary Swetland. Please show our appreciation to her. (Applause) Also, Sister Beverly Plante, Arrangement Committee as she is playing for our distinguished processional today, so let's also thank her.

At this time we will have the Processional of our Distinguished Members and Guests. Would you please give us your attention?

Assisting Grand Marshal, you will escort and I would say at this point, Sister Rennie, our Most Worthy Grand Matron is already seated in the East. Assisting Grand Marshal would you please bring our Acting Most Worthy Grand Patron, Mr. John E. Grobler, and his wife, Mrs. Barbara Grobler, to the East. Sisters and Brothers and Friends, please give our Most Worthy Grand Matron and Acting Most Worthy Grand Patron a very warm, loving Texas welcome.

Assisting Grand Marshal, you will escort the General Grand Chapter Officers, Ambassadors and Committee Members to the East. Let's give them a hearty Texas welcome also. (Applause) Again, let's show our appreciation. (Applause) They have come from all over the United States to be here for this eventful Session and to help honor our Most Worthy Grand Matron.

Assisting Grand Marshal, you will escort the visiting Worthy Grand Matrons and Worthy Grand Patrons along with the Past Grand Matrons and Past Grand Patrons from Other Grand Jurisdictions to the East. If you would join our Assisting Grand Marshal by the Organist. (Applause)

We have our Grand Chapter Dad, Mr. Arthur Drescher, and daughter-in-law, Kay Drescher escorting him. So let's give him a wonderful hearty welcome. (Applause)

We are ready for our Executive Committee of General Grand Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star. Assisting Grand Marshal, will you escort these distinguished working men and women to the East. (Applause) Let's welcome our own Texas Executive Committees of General Grand Chapter. (Applause) Assisting Grand Marshal, if there are other Committee Members of General Grand Chapter, will you please have them escorted to the East. Again, let's welcome our General Grand Chapter Officers, Ambassador, and Committee Members. (Applause)

Assisting Grand Marshal, of those who have not been introduced, let's have our Texas Past Grand Matrons and Past Grand Patrons escorted to the East. (Applause) One more round of applause for our own Texas Past Grand Matrons and Past Grand Patrons. (Applause)

I would like to ask, are there other General Grand Chapter Committee Members that have not been brought to the East. Special Appointments of the Most Worthy Grand Matron, and our President of the International Grand Representatives Association. Alright, I see them coming. Assisting Grand Marshal, escort these wonderful, hard-working corps of members of the General Grand Chapter, appointed by our Most Worthy Grand Matron. A hearty welcome, for Rennie the Redbird would not be flying so high if it were not the wings of her Redbirds. (Applause)

Assisting Grand Marshal, you will escort our Most Worshipful Grand Master of the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of Texas, Ancient Free and Accepted Masons to the Grand East. (Applause) Brother Gene Carnes, we welcome you and appreciate your time in attending with us and if it were not for the Masons, there would be no Eastern Star.

It is now my happy pleasure to present our Grand Chapter Officers, the Grand Chapter Mom and Dad and the Worthy Grand Matron's Treasured Friend. Assisting Grand Marshal you will present as I stated, the Grand Chapter Mom and Dad and the Worthy Grand Matron's Special Friend. Our Grand Chapter Dad, Mr. Karl A. Drescher, Sr., escorted by his daughter, Mrs. Kay Drescher. Let's welcome them. Grand Chapter Mom, Mrs. Joann Drescher, escorted by her son, Mr. Gary L. Drescher. (Applause) Worthy Grand Matron's Treasured Sister and Treasured Sister to all of us, Sister Edna Goettee, escorted by her grandson, Mr. James L. Goettee, Jr. (Applause)

Assisting Grand Marshal, you will escort the General Grand Chapter Deputies of the Most Worthy Grand Matron and Most Worthy Grand Patron, Leaders of Appendant Bodies, and Fraternal Youth Groups and the Representatives of the Cities of Houston and Bellaire to the Grand East. (Applause) Again, let's welcome this wonderful Youth Group, and the Dad and this City Official who will be speaking in just a few minutes. (Applause)

The Board of Grand Examiners is composed of six members elected annually. The 2010-2011 members are Assisting Grand Marshal you will present these Mrs. Melissa Hudman, District 1, escorted by Mr. Richard L. Hudman; Mrs. Carla Stringer, District 2, escorted by Mr. Bobby Stringer; Mrs. Cheryl Albrecht, District 3, escorted by Mr. Darrell Albrecht; Mrs. Sandra Zipp, District 5, escorted by Mr. Ronald Zipp; and Mrs. Susan Bigham, At-Large, escorted by Mr. Larry Bigham. Again let's welcome this beautiful group that works hard for our Grand Chapter. (Applause)

Assisting Grand Marshal, you will escort the Board Members. The Board is composed of ten members and it is my honor to present them: Mr. Keith Mikeworth, Chairman, escorted by Mrs. Wanelle Mikeworth; (Applause) Mr. Ron Zipp, Vice Chairman, escorted by Mrs. Sandra Zipp; Mrs. Elizabeth Wise, Secretary, escorted by Mr. Herman Wise; Mrs. Betty M. Scott, District 1, escorted by Mr. Andrew N. Scott; Mrs. Tonya Foster, District 1, escorted by Mr. Charles Foster; Mrs. Karen Kidd, District 2, escorted by Mr. Ken Shockley; Mrs. Lorraine Williams, District 2, escorted by Mr. Jimmy Williams; Mrs. Darla Dunaway, District 3, escorted by Mr. Larry Dunaway; Mrs. Gerry Sturtz, District 4, escorted by Mr. Sam Cooper, Jr.; Mrs. Kathy Teele, District 5, escorted by Mr. Jerry Miller. Again, let's welcome them. (Applause)

Assisting Grand Marshal, you will present to the Grand East the Installed Grand Officers and Fraternal Correspondent: (Applause) Fraternal Correspondent, Mrs. Rita Lytle, escorted by Mr. Toby Lytle; Grand Sentinel, Mr. Ray Hargis, escorted by Mrs. Linda Hargis; Grand Warder, Mrs. Donna Jane Wert, escorted by Mr. Harold Wert; Grand Electa, Mrs. Doris Davis, escorted by Mr. Rick Skidd; Grand Martha, Mrs. Susan Smith, escorted by Mr. Richard Smith; Grand Esther, Mrs. Marty Drescher, escorted by Mr. James Walker; Grand Ruth, Ms. Fran Johnson, escorted by Mr. Herb Morgan; Grand Adah, Mrs. Martha Heffington, escorted by Mr. Richard Ochs; Grand Organist, Mrs. Janell Trees, escorted by

Mr. Jerry Trees; Grand Marshal, Mrs. Sherry Dieckmann, escorted by Mr. Mark Dieckmann; Grand Chaplain, Mrs. Marceline Crenshaw, escorted by Dr. Billy G. Crenshaw; Associate Grand Conductress, Mrs. Jayne Yenger, escorted by Mr. Joseph D. Yenger; Grand Conductress, Mrs. Annette Curry, escorted by Mr. Jerry Davis; Grand Treasurer, Mrs. Lorrie Owens, escorted by Mr. Jerry Owens; Grand Secretary, Mrs. Marlene Scholari, escorted by Mr. Joe Scholari; Associate Grand Patron, Mr. David Dibrell, escorted by Mrs. Marlene Dibrell; Worthy Grand Patron, Mr. K. Arthur Drescher, Jr., escorted by Mrs. Lauren Thomas, oh – Mrs. Betty Morris (Lauren how you’ve changed!); (Applause) Mrs. Mary Ruth White, our Worthy Grand Matron and escorted by Mr. Joseph F. White. To each of you, I hope that this *Garden of Friendship Session* will be a memory commending the love and devotion you have given to the Grand Chapter of Texas. Welcome all of them again. (Applause)

Thank you, Sister Karen Morgenthaler.

We are ready to do the Altar Service. The Altar is the center of our Grand Chapter Room and plays a great part in our Order. It represents the place that we have taken the solemn vows that unite us as Brothers and Sisters in the Order of the Eastern Star and a place that we gain wisdom and strength. It is appropriate that we present the Holy Bible and Square and Compasses.

Our Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron are proud to have special family members of the Worthy Grand Patron to assist in these presentations: The Holy Bible is presented by Mr. Karl Drescher, Sr., father of the Worthy Grand Patron; the Bible Marker by his mother, Mrs. Joann Drescher; the Square and Compasses are presented by Mr. Jerry L. Martin, Right Worthy Junior Warden, Grand Lodge of Texas, Ancient Free and Accepted Masons and Past Grand Patron of Texas.

The Flags that will be presented represent nations, states, religions, and organizations. These Flags are symbols of love, religion, dedication, patriotism, and freedom. The foundation of our fraternal family is founded on these virtues. It is with much gratitude to those who have gone before to secure these rights and privileges, that we present these flags so dear to the hearts of us all.

The United States Flag is presented by Mr. Jedidiah Dieckmann, Eagle Scout, Troup and Mr. Joshua Dieckmann, Life Scout, Troup #549, BSA and these wonderful gentlemen are the grandsons of the Worthy Grand Matron.

The Canadian Flag is presented by Mr. John Creel, Past Grand Patron of Texas. The National Flag of Canada, also shown, has the maple leaf and a red flag with a white square in the center, featuring an eleven point red maple leaf. Thank you, Canada for standing on guard for us.

The Texas Flag is presented by Mr. Joseph F. White, Grand Representative to Arkansas and Cardinal Crew. The Texas Flag is a sacred symbol conveying the faith to which Texans were born. The Lone Star Flag has behind it a lengthy and lively tradition. May we strive always to preserve the purity of these records of our Lone Star.

The Washington Flag is being presented by Mr. Bill Wyatt, Past Grand Patron of Texas. This flag represents the flag of our forefathers and it bears a background based on the design Coat of Arms of George Washington.

The Nova Scotia Flag is presented by Mrs. Kay Drescher, Grand Page to Grand Esther.

Prince Edward Island presented by Mr. Gary Drescher, Grand Representative of Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island. The flag depicts the official Coat of Arms granted in 1905. It displays an island on a British Oak Tree centered. Both symbolic of dissents of immediate left. All others are protected by Golden British Lions.

The Christian Flag is presented by Mr. Ed Warner, Past Grand Patron of Texas. The Christian flag is the banner of the Prince of Peace. It stands for no creed or denomination.

The white background of the sacred emblem represents the peace of God and purity of Christ, his son.

The Eastern Star Flag is presented by Mrs. Jimmie Lee McMahon, Past Grand Matron of Texas. The dream of Rob Morris became a reality when he assembled the flag of the Eastern Star. Let us remember as we look at our emblem and the points that there is a message of loyalty. Denotes constancy, sheds light and joy, a symbol of nature's eternal life, and teaches us to love one another.

The Masonic Flag is presented by Mr. Jack W. Guy, Service Dog Committee, General Grand Chapter and Past Grand Patron of Texas. The Square and Compasses represents truth and brotherly love. The Square and Compasses rest on the Bible in our Grand Jurisdiction and in doing so joins us together in the spirit of brotherly love for the great principles of Masonry.

The Rainbow Flag is presented by Miss Melanie Rachel Seymour. She is our Grand Worthy Advisor. Our flag is on a beautiful white background depicting the rainbow of uncertainty but at the end of that rainbow is always golden treasures.

The DeMolay Flag is presented by Mr. Wesley Wunsche, State Master Counselor. The DeMolay banner is a beautiful red and white with a Coat of Arms. The Order is established to help young men to be better men.

Thank you Sisters and Brothers for being so attentive in this informal opening and now it is with pleasure and honor and thank you in many ways that I introduce Alma Lynn Bane, our Right Worthy Grand Secretary, General Grand Chapter and the Past Grand Matron of Texas and Mr. Henry S. Martin, Executive Committee – General Chairman, General Grand Chapter and Past Grand Patron of Texas to call this Thursday afternoon *Garden of Friendship Session* to order.

Sister Alma Lynn Bane: It is with a gavel made from wood from the home of Rob Morris, I call this Session to order. Walt Disney said that “you can dream, create, design, and build the most wonderful place in the world, but it requires people to make the dream a reality”. Many plans and committee meetings have gone into the preparation of this very Special Session of the Grand Chapter of Texas. It is the Official Visit of the Most Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Rennie Ofton. She is our very own Past Grand Matron and we have looked forward to this time when she and the Acting Most Worthy Grand Patron, Brother John E. Grobler, visit our Grand Chapter officially. To the General Grand Chapter Family visiting our Jurisdiction, I say, “welcome and please come back soon”. To my Sisters and Brothers of Texas, it is good to be back on Texas soil and near my hometown of Galveston. I hope to have the opportunity to catch up on the hugs I have been missing and a refresher course on my Texas accent. Sisters and Brothers, the Worthy Grand Matron has accorded me, assisted by my Worthy Grand Patron, Brother Henry S. Martin, the honor of calling to order the Ritualistic Ceremonial Opening of the 129th *Garden of Friendship Session* of the Grand Chapter of Texas. We thank you, Worthy Grand Matron, not only for this privilege, but for the opportunity to greet our membership. Worthy Grand Matron, we have shared many wonderful miles and experienced the love and smiles of our Sisters and Brothers throughout the years. Our friendship is golden and grows brighter each day. We may be separated by miles, but we can still keep in touch by using a “phone a friend” as needed.

Brother Henry, you and Opal served with Bill and me in 1998-1999 and you were my wise counsel and the best Worthy Grand Patron for our year at the *Tapestry of Love and Service Session*. To borrow a word from Brother Joe Jeffers, Past Grand Patron, “May your future journeys be awesome and your service monumental to our Order”. Brother Henry, I invite you to bring greetings to our Texas membership and invited guests.

Brother Henry S. Martin: Thank you, Sister Alma Lynn Bane. It is certainly a pleasant
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ure to join you at this podium today as together we open the 129th *Garden of Friendship Session* of the Grand Chapter of Texas. Being with you here at the podium also reminds me of that year of 1998-1999 and our *Tapestry of Love and Service Session* in Waco in 1999 when you and I presided together. That special bond that developed between you and Bill and Opal and me has grown even stronger as the years have passed and your service to our Order has continued. Today, this is a special session and one that we have all been anticipating for a number of years, when our own Sister Rennie Ofton will be making her official visit as our Most Worthy Grand Matron of General Grand Chapter. We are fortunate to also have our Acting Most Worthy Grand Patron, Brother John Grobler, joining us here in Houston. I also want to express a hearty welcome to all of the General Grand Chapter visitors who have joined us here. Please know that you honor us with your presence and we hope that you will visit us many times in the future. To each and every Texas member, you have always been very special and supportive and have given me wonderful opportunities to serve our Order. It is always a privilege to be in your presence. And Sister Alma, thank you for your comments. I also want to thank our Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Mary Ruth White, and give her my special thanks for asking me to join Sister Alma in opening this Thursday Session. Sister Mary Ruth, you served as District Deputy Grand Matron during that 1998-99 year and we have maintained that special bond with you and Joe through these continuing years of your service to our Grand Chapter. And now it is my pleasure to share with Sister Alma as we welcome you to this podium for your Grand Chapter Session and to our Worthy Grand Patron, Brother Arthur Drescher, our friendship goes back many years. And it includes not only some great fraternal relationships but many special memories of playing together in several musical organizations throughout the years. You allowed me the privilege of installing you at Grand Chapter last year and it's been a pleasure to work with you this year, as you have served the Grand Chapter of Texas so well. And now welcome to your Grand Chapter Session.

Sister Alma Bane: Thank you Brother Henry. It is indeed our pleasure to be with you this afternoon as we begin this Session. As we would not want to set forth on any great task without the blessings of God, I invite Sister Sharon Fentress, Executive Chairman, Executive Committee, Housing Co-Chairman of Texas, General Grand Chapter and Past Grand Matron of Texas to bring our invocation. Sister Sharon.

Sister Sharon Fentress: Would you join me in prayer? (Three raps) Mighty and Merciful God, we thank Thee Lord for the privilege of coming to your throne of grace and asking for your blessings on our proceedings here at this Grand Chapter Session. We pray Lord that you will give us wisdom and direction as you have through these many years. Lord, we pray your safety and your enjoyment on each one who is attending. We pray Lord that each one will have safe travels as they leave this special time. We pray Lord, for those who couldn't be with us. Lord, please wrap them in your arms. Give them comfort, healing and Thy grace, Lord. Lord, be with those young men and women who protect us in our military. Put your hedge of thorns around them. Protect them. Give them strength. Give them courage and give them peace. And give them safe return to us. Our Father, we thank Thee and we pray that everything that is said and done in this Session will be according to Thy will and with Thy richest blessings. In Jesus' Holy precious name I pray. Amen (Amen)

Sister Alma Lynn Bane: At this time, the Arrangements Committee will prepare the room for the *Garden of Friendship Drill* by the installed Grand Officers and Pages directed by Mrs. Sherry Dieckmann, Grand Marshal. I now ask the Grand Officers and their Pages to retire to the West to prepare for the *Garden of Friendship Drill*. We will have a short recess while the Arrangements Committee clears the Grand Chapter floor.

[Recess]

While we are setting up this room, I would ask those who are going to be serving as Assisting Warders and Assisting Sentinels to please meet with the Grand Sentinel over here in the Southwest Corner soon.

Sisters and Brothers it is with great pleasure that I invite the Installed Grand Officers of 2010-2011 and their personal Pages to enter the Garden of Friendship Drill under the direction of Mrs. Sherry Dieckmann, Grand Marshal.

[Drill]

Thank you, Grand Marshal, for that lovely drill. Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, I invite you and your Officers to retire to the West to prepare. Arrangements Committee, we would ask at this time that you please reset the labyrinth.

Sisters and Brothers, I invite all of you to be seated because we are about to have a very important formation. I do want to encourage you to be sure and come early before each Session so you that you can see beautiful preparations that have been made. Not everything is being shown today. We've got a few more secrets for tomorrow so come early.

Sisters Grand Conductress and Associate Grand Conductress, you will enter the Chapter Room with the Worthy Grand Matron and the Worthy Grand Patron and their Grand Officers.

Sisters Grand Conductress and Associate Grand Conductress, you will escort our Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron to the East. (Three raps, applause)

Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron, behold your Sisters and Brothers. Sisters and Brothers behold your Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron and salute them with Grand Honors. (One rap)

Worthy Grand Matron, it is with great pleasure and extreme pride that I present to you your Gavel to preside over this Session. Many years ago, Sister Lallah Mae Vollus took me aside and she said, "when the time comes, I may not be able to be there. But you be there. You be with Mary Ruth". Sister Mary Ruth, I present you the Gavel that Sister Lallah Mae presided with to preside with at your Session. This is a day that we have both looked forward to and wanted to share with our Sisters and Brothers. And from that crowded Grand Assembly floor when I asked you to be my District Deputy Grand Matron for District Four to this moment in time, we have laughed together and cried together. But, now let us rejoice and be glad that the Lord has been our constant companion and guide and this moment is ours to share. Brother Art, I have three words for you. "Gig 'em Aggies" and "Whoop"! (Laughter) May God bless both of you as you preside. Brother – okay.

WGM: I invite the Grand Officers to assume their stations. (Applause) Sister Alma, I invite you to preside for the procession of the Distinguished Guests.

Sister Alma Lynn Bane: It is now my pleasure to present Mr. Mark D. Dieckmann, Chairman of the Executive Committee, who will welcome you. I invite Brother Mark to speak to the assembly.

Brother Mark Dieckmann: Most Worthy Grand Matron, Acting Most Worthy Grand Patron, General Grand Chapter Committees, General Grand Chapter Officers and Committees, Past Grand Matrons of Texas, my Sisters and my Brothers all. Welcome to Houston. This is the 129th Annual Session of the Grand Chapter of Texas. Four years ago when Mary Ruth was elected to become the Associate Grand Conductress, we started deciding where we wanted to be. We found this beautiful room right here and we found a beautiful hotel right across the skywalk and we decided, well that's pretty good because we have nice mild weather in Houston in August. (Laughter) 175 years ago, two brothers (they were

Yankee brothers by the way) came down to the Buffalo Bayou and made a settlement. They bought 1,700 acres of land and decided to name it after General and Brother Sam Houston who had just helped defeat Santa Anna, just a few miles down the road here at San Jacinto. 175 years later we welcome everyone to our little town on Buffalo Bayou. We hope that you enjoy your stay here and if you have anything that you need, please see the Executive and Arrangements Committees and we'll be happy to do what we can. Welcome again.

Sister Alma Lynn Bane: Thank you, Brother Mark for the warm welcome to be here at this Session. We certainly are enjoying this beautiful convention center and the warm hospitality. Sisters and Brothers, we have the honor to have with us Cindy Siegel, Mayor of the City of Bellaire. I am pleased to introduce to you Mayor Siegel and I invite her to greet this assembly. (Applause)

Mayor Cindy Siegel: Good morning or afternoon. This is afternoon. Well, it's my pleasure to be here. I'll let you in on a little secret. Your Worthy Grand Matron, although Houston is the host city, she's actually the citizen of my town, the City of Bellaire and in case you don't know where Bellaire is, we're about 4 miles up the road. Smack dab in the middle of the City of Houston. We are our own separate City. We have about 18,000 people and it's known for its small town atmosphere. And I will tell you Mary Ruth is a good representative of mine that we are proud of in Bellaire. We have a lot of other citizens that are just as warm as she is. And so, it's with great pleasure that I am here. When Mary Ruth was asking me to come and give a few words of welcome to you, I told her that my mother had actually belonged to the Order of the Eastern Star but in Kansas. And so, Eastern Star has a special place in my heart. And I actually, decades ago, was a member of the Order of Jobs Daughters. And I spent a lot of hours memorizing very long verses of the book of Job. Mary Ruth was talking to me she said, "when you are through being Mayor, maybe you'll petition to become a member of the Order of the Eastern Star". And I'm warning you, Mary Ruth, I don't have the memory I had when I was 16 so I hope there's not any long passages to memorize. The Order of the Eastern Star was a lifeline, a network of support for my mother and my family when she had battled Alzheimer's disease for 12 long years. So I know intimately what this organization stands for — its spiritual values and its mission to give back and to be a service to others. And I can tell you my family could not have survived those very difficult years in the late 70's, when many people didn't even know what Alzheimer's was, without her friends and her Chapter of the Eastern Star. So, on my way over here today, I was thinking, you know, you listen to the radio and we hear about the economy and the events of the world. I think we need more Chapters like Eastern Star that are based on spiritual values and are willing to get out there and give back and really try to make this world a better place. So, it's my pleasure to welcome y'all on behalf of the citizens of Bellaire and my friends in Houston, to Houston. And I hope you have a great 129th Session and I hope you have time to get out and enjoy all Houston has to offer. And if you have time, come up the road and come visit us in Bellaire. Good Luck with your Session. Thank you. (Applause)

Sister Alma Lynn Bane: Thank you Mayor Siegel. Sisters and Brother we are honored to have with us the Mayor's Director of External Affairs for the City of Houston. She works hard and represents the City well and provides outstanding leadership.

Ms. Jenn Char: Hi, my name is Jenn Char. I am thrilled to be here. The Mayor is so sorry that she wasn't able to make it. But I'm humbled to be in the presence of such wonderful leaders committed to service. I will present a Mayoral Proclamation on behalf of the Mayor. It's a little long but it's important so I'm going to go ahead and read it all.

"The Order of the Eastern Star was established on December 1, 1874 in Washington, D.C. It is the largest Fraternal Organization in the world that both men and women can join. The Order of the Eastern Star has approximately 10,000 Chapters in 20 countries and

approximately 1 million members under its General Chapter. Texas has been home to 400 subordinate chapters and more than 36,000 members. Order of the Eastern Star Grand Chapter of Texas' membership is involved in numerous charitable organizations including Shrine Hospital for Children in Houston, Shrine Burn Hospital in Galveston, MD Anderson Cancer Center, local and community scholarship programs, Youth Organizations, Service Dog projects for returning service men and women, as well as numerous local projects and worthy organizations. The Texas Grand Chapter also contributes to and raises funds for projects that benefit such charities as ESTARL, Eastern Star Training Awards for Religious Leadership. On August 11th, 2011, the Order of the Eastern Star Grand Chapter of Texas hosts its 129th Grand Session and celebrates its service to the community. The City of Houston congratulates and commends the Order of the Eastern Star Grand Chapter of Texas on this important occasion and extends best wishes for continued success. Therefore I, representative for Mayor Annise D. Parker, Mayor of the City of Houston, hereby proclaim August 11th, 2011 as Order of the Eastern Star Grand Chapter of Texas Day."

I present this to Mary Ruth White, Worthy Grand Matron. (Applause) I have a like Proclamation for K. Arthur Drescher, Jr., Worthy Grand Patron.

Sister Alma Lynn Bane: Our Session photographer, we are going to get a picture of this please. (Picture taken)

Representing the International Order of the Rainbow for Girls are Mrs. Marlene Dibrell, Supreme Fidelity and Supreme Liaison to Mexico, International Order of the Rainbow for Girls, Mrs. Jo Ann Weaver, Supreme Deputy in Texas, International Order of the Rainbow for Girls accompanied by Miss Melanie Seymour, Grand Worthy Advisor, Grand Assembly of Texas, International Order of the Rainbow Girls. Our Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron are pleased to make a special presentation at this time.

WGM: As a Past Worthy Advisor and Past Mother Advisor, I treasure my majority membership from Houston Assembly #8 and pledge my continued support to the International Order of the Rainbow for Girls. May I ask for all majority Rainbow Girls, current Rainbow girls, and adult leaders working with these Rainbow Girls to raise your hands at this time. I think that this is wonderful. I thank each and every one of you for your support of this wonderful Organization. Each beautiful and talented Rainbow Girl represents our future, our dreams and our hopes. We wish each of you your every dream come true and it is my pleasure to present a gift from the Grand Chapter of Texas. Worthy Grand Patron, I'm sure that you have a few words for these fine ladies.

WGP: Thank you, Worthy Grand Matron. Sister Marlene, it is such a pleasure to welcome you today. We do go back a ways both having served on the Richardson Rainbow Board together. Your endless love and support for our Rainbow Girls is reflected in everything you do for them. For the last 12 years, you have served as Supreme Deputy in Texas. Under your leadership, our girls have blossomed.

Sister Joann Weaver, you have mighty big shoes to fill; however, from what I have heard and seen so far, you are doing a great job. I know you will leave your mark just as your predecessors have done.

And Miss Melanie Rachel Seymour, you are just getting started in your term. Being Grand Worthy Advisor is a big responsibility. I know with the help of Sister Joann, your members, your family and God, you will handle your position with dignity and honor.

Sister Alma Lynn Bane: I now invite Mrs. Marlene Dibrell, Supreme Fidelity and Supreme Liaison to Mexico, Mrs. Jo Ann Weaver, Supreme Deputy and Miss Melanie Seymour to bring greetings.

Sister Marlene Dibrell: Thank you Master of Ceremonies. Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Most Worthy Grand Matron, Acting Most Worthy Grand Patron, Past

Grand Matrons and Patrons, General Grand Chapter and Grand Chapter Family, my Friends, it was 13 years ago that I had the first opportunity to speak at Grand Chapter Opening Session and greet all of you on behalf of Supreme Assembly. During this period of time, I have seen the good relationships between Eastern Star Chapters and Rainbow Assembly grow and increase with their activity together. I think particularly this 2010 – 2011 Grand Chapter year has been very significant with our Eastern Star Chapters and our Rainbow Assemblies with the Young American Award that Sister Mary Ruth and Arthur Drescher gave to us this year as one of the programs. As you know, Rainbow service involvement is taking on a little bit different turn for me and I remain as Supreme Fidelity and a member of the House of Gold, the governing body of International Rainbow, and I'll still be working for you as Supreme Assembly and Grand Assembly. But we have exciting news. Another lady will be leading the operations of Texas Grand Assembly and you know, as I know, that any organization is only as good as its next leader. In Mrs. Weaver, we have an outstanding leader. I congratulate her. I want her to have great enjoyment in this office and I know that she will serve with the same spirit of love and support that she will receive from you as members of the Order of the Eastern Star. So I want to thank you personally for all you've done for me these 13 years and all for Texas Rainbow and I want to challenge you to continue to pass on God's love. And remember, there's a ripple effect in all that we do. What you do touches me and what I do touches you. It gives me a supreme joy and pride to present to you, Mrs. Jo Ann Weaver, Supreme Deputy in Texas, International Order of the Rainbow for Girls for her greetings. (Applause)

Mrs. Jo Ann Weaver: Thank you and to each of you present this afternoon, we greet you in friendship and in appreciation for all of your service to our Order. All of you who help our Assemblies, love our girls, support them in all that they do, but more importantly you have the confidence in them that they are the youth of today but will be our leaders of tomorrow. Our young ladies are blessed to be a part of this fraternal family and they are blessed to have the sponsorship and the support of each one of you dedicated adults. Thank you Eastern Stars and Masons for your friendship to Rainbow. Thank you for inspiring our young ladies and believing in them. That the world of tomorrow will be in safe hands because of the youth of today if we keep them looking upward and living the lessons and the values of our Rainbow organization. We wish you a most successful and a loving 129th Session of Grand Chapter. May the *Garden of Friendship Session* be all it can be, an opportunity to make a lasting bouquet of friends. Thank you for honoring Rainbow by your invitation to be here today and to bring our Fraternal greetings. Now, it is with a great deal of pride and my pleasure that I invite the Grand Worthy Advisor of 2011-2012, Miss Melanie Seymour, to bring greetings on behalf of the Texas Rainbow team. (Applause)

Miss Melanie Seymour: Thank you. Good afternoon everyone. On behalf of each member of Texas Grand Assembly International Order of the Rainbow for Girls, it gives me a great deal of pleasure to bring greetings. What a wonderful year it has been for you both. It is true that friends are flowers in the garden of life. In the garden of the Grand Chapter of Texas has been cared for by Mrs. White and Mr. Drescher as they have travelled throughout Texas. Of all the flowers that God has created, two of the most "bee-utiful" and handsome have truly been our Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron this year. We are taught in Rainbow to love and to have faith in each other and to support our Sisters in all that we do. Eastern Star gives us as Assemblies and individuals your constant love and support. Your love is the guiding light of our future. For this we are most grateful and I am pleased to have this opportunity to thank you. This year for Texas Rainbow we are showing our love for our Order with the theme "Bees and Bugs". As we celebrate some of God's smallest and most unique creatures, the theme for this year is an acronym starting with Be Extraordinary

Examples of Service Bringing Unique Gifts. We believe that every girl and adult has something special to offer to Rainbow and to our Masonic family. This year, the State charity project is the Ronald McDonald House Charities. The Ronald McDonald House Charities helps families of children receiving long term medical treatments at hospitals by allowing the families of the children to stay at the houses at no cost. There are multiple ways to support this project: from purchasing an adorable stuffed bee which we have at our booth, collecting pull tabs from soup and soda cans, holding statewide food and toy drives, collecting supplies for the houses and by playing online games. Everyone can do something to help sick children and their families. It is often said that Rainbow girls are the future of this Order. This statement could not be truer. As we grow in our Rainbow Order, we are always looking forward to the day that we become members of the Order of the Eastern Star. Will all of you who are former Rainbow Girls or who are or have served on an advisory board, please stand. This is a “bee-utiful” sight. Let’s give them a hand. (Applause) Thank you, y’all may be seated. Rainbows are so proud and honored to have such a wonderful Order to support us in all that we do. Rainbow Girls everywhere truly appreciate seeing you at our events and we love being able to support you as well. To Mrs. Griffin and Mr. Dibrell, I look forward to what I know will be an “amazzzzing” year with you. I can’t wait to make many memories with you as we serve our Orders together. Congratulations again to Mrs. White and Mr. Drescher for having such a successful term. You both truly shared your love of Eastern Star with everyone. Thank you (Applause)

Sister Alma Lynn Bane: Thank you. Representing the International Order of DeMolay the Honorable J. Weldon Clampitte, Grand Master of DeMolay, International Supreme Council, Executive Officer, Texas DeMolay Association and Mr. Wesley Wunsche, State Master Councilor, International Order of the DeMolay. I know that our Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron are pleased to make a presentation after which they will have you bring greetings. We invite them to come to the podium at this time.

WGM: The members of the Order of the DeMolay represent some of the finest young men from across our state. We pledge our support to your fine Order and extend to you our best wishes for your every success. The same project items that have benefitted our Rainbow Girls this year and our benevolent projects were sold in support of the Order of the DeMolay. And it is my pleasure at this time to present a love gift from the Grand Chapter of Texas. Worthy Grand Patron, do you have a few words for our DeMolay?

WGP: Thank you, Worthy Grand Matron. I’m going to start off at this point, it’s a little different than is on the script, we have done a little checking and it appears that Sister Mary Ruth and I, you could prove me wrong, but right now we’re right, are the first Majority Rainbow Girl and Senior DeMolay to serve together in the Grand East. (Applause) We have said the youth is our future. We’re examples of that. So, I’m hoping it keeps going. Brother Weldon, your dedication to the Order of DeMolay and to these young men is to be commended. Congratulations on being elected and installed as the Grand Master of DeMolay. This is a real honor to you and for the State of Texas. As I stated to the opening of the State Conclave a few weeks ago, if my Dad had not handed me a petition when I was 14, I would not be here today. (Applause)

Mr. J. Weldon Clampitte: Most Worthy Grand Patron and Most Worthy Grand Matron, Most Worshipful Grand Master, Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron, Distinguished Guests, Distinguished Officers. In June, when I was elected as the Grand Master of DeMolay International, my eyes opened up a lot of just how big DeMolay is. We’re talking about worldwide. I met and talked with Representatives from Brazil, Germany, Serbia, Greece, Paraguay, Bolivia, Chile — all while attending a Session in Grand Rapids, Michigan. And if you have never gone to Grand Rapids, Michigan, it’s because it’s hard to

get there. I tried several airplanes and I finally had to fly to Chicago and drive over. But DeMolay is growing internationally, tremendously, as are many of the other Masonic organizations. They are flourishing abroad, much more so than we are in the Continental United States. However, we are growing. We have programs in place that you're going to see in the next couple of years that we think will really generate DeMolay and we hope Masonry. In Texas, as Executive Officer, we've been doing very well. Some very good young men. Texas stays in the top 4 or 5 in memberships annually. It's due to the hard work of our Advisors in the field. They are the ones that do the work, I just coordinate. We've got several young ladies, well we have several older ladies that are Chapter Moms that are running DeMolay chapters. I want to thank them very much and they're also probably in this room today because they are also active with the Eastern Star. I want to thank you as the Eastern Star for all that you do to support the youth. As Art said earlier, these young men are our future, not only for Eastern Star but for Masonry and our society in general. It is now my pleasure to introduce to you the State Master Councilor of DeMolay, a young man who has a Masonic heritage. His parents are very active Eastern Star and York Rite. He himself has just recently in the past several months become a Master Mason and also a member of Klein Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star. It is my pleasure to introduce to you now, the State Master Councilor of DeMolay of Texas, Carl Wesley Wunsche, Jr.

Mr. Wesley Wunsche: Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Most Worthy Grand Matron, Officers Present and Past, Distinguished East, Grand Master Carnes, members and visitors. I would like to thank you all for the wonderful opportunity to be able to attend and speak this afternoon. Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron, I would also like to congratulate you and all of your Officers this year on a job well done. I'm privileged to be a member of Klein Eastern Star #1141, Order of the Eastern Star. This will be my first Grand Chapter that I will be able to sit in Session. (Applause) It is inspiring to me to watch the dedicated members of my chapter work hard at every meeting. This inspiration encourages me to work harder in my daily life and to implement this dedication to all the DeMolays in Texas. At this time, I would like to introduce my State Officers for this year: Brother Kenneth Colby Spicer, who is our State Illustrious Night Commander for Texas Priory. (Applause) He is also a member of Eastern Star at Corsicana. I have two other guys with me but they are outside at this time so they won't be able to come in here. Someone has to man the booth. Matt Smith, who is our State Junior Councilor and Joey McAteer, who is our State Senior Councilor. (Applause) I would like to wish y'all the best of luck in your Sessions later this week. I look forward to bringing greetings at the Installation of Officers on Saturday evening. Thank you once again Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron for this opportunity. Thank you. (Applause)

WGM: Could our photographer get a picture of our State Master Councilor and...we missed a photo opportunity with our Rainbow guests. We always want pictures of our special guests at our meeting, but as you can tell DeMolay and Rainbow are very special to your Worthy Grand Matron and Patron this year and we certainly do not want to miss a picture with these fine adult and youth leaders of our youth organizations.

Sister Alma Lynn Bane: Representing the University of Texas MD Anderson Cancer Center, it is my pleasure to introduce Mrs. Amanda Harris. I know that our Worthy Grand Matron and Worth Grand Patron are pleased to make a presentation after which we will have greetings from the MD Anderson Cancer Center Representative.

Mrs. Amanda Harris: Thank you so much for having me. I'm happy to be here with you today and express deep appreciation for your contributions to the University of Texas MD Anderson Cancer Center. As the nation's number one cancer hospital we count on support of those who believe in our mission among our greatest resources. Through your gen-

erosity, you encourage and support all of us at MD Anderson as we work to overcome a disease that annually claims the lives of more than half a million people in our nation alone. We thank you for standing with us in our commitment to making cancer history. There has never been greater hope of conquering this disease. We are on the cusp of being able to tailor treatment to each individual's distinct cancer makeup and in some cases we are already making inroads with life-saving outcomes for patients. We could not have done this 10 years ago but we can say this now. We now know that cancer is a genetic disease and with today's technology we are able to map genetic strains of malignant tumors in just seven days. This ability is giving us a better understanding on the molecular and cellular levels of possible factors causing a patient's cancer. Once we know the specific genetic profile of the tumor we will be able to determine which drug or drug combination has the best chance of effectively fighting each individual cancer. Our leadership believes this is the future of cancer medicine and at MD Anderson we are uniquely positioned to reach it. Thank you for helping us come closer to this hopeful future. Thank you so much. (Applause)

WGM: Miss Harris, our Grand Chapter is very aware of the research, treatment and care provided by MD Anderson Cancer Center. My husband, Joe White, was a Leukemia patient at MD Anderson and is now one of MD Anderson's success stories and a cured patient. Many of our members have experienced the benefits of this world-renowned cancer center and it is an honor for the Grand Chapter of Texas to be able to participate in this love gift to your center to benefit the needs of many, many others. Worthy Grand Patron, would you like to have some words?

WGP: Thank you, Worthy Grand Matron. Thank you for the continued work done at MD Anderson Cancer Center and for the care and treatment of our cancer victims. Cancer is no respecter of persons and I feel certain that each one of us in this room has had family members who have suffered from this disease or even had a more personal experience with this dreaded disease. My father and my sister are survivors. I am a 22 year survivor and my sister-in-law is now undergoing treatment for breast cancer so it has touched our family greatly. We trust that this love gift will provide assistance in your research and treatment to help wipe out this disease. (Applause)

Sister Alma Lynn Bane: The Shrine Burns Hospital of Galveston is represented today by Mr. Rick Townsend, Chairman, Board of Governors, Galveston Shrine Burns Hospital. I know that our Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron are very familiar with this institution and its great work and I know that they would be pleased at this time to make a presentation to those invited to bring remarks.

WGM: The work of Shrine Hospitals are known nationwide. The love and caring treatment received by those at the Shrine Burns Hospital of Galveston cannot be expressed by words but must be seen to be believed. The lives of many have been changed by the care they have received at this facility. It is my privilege to present to you this love gift from the Grand Chapter of Texas to continue the outstanding, caring, and loving care received at the Shrine Burns Hospital of Galveston. Worthy Grand Patron.

WGP: Thank you, Worthy Grand Matron. The work of the Shriners worldwide is legendary and deserves our special support and gratitude. It is our hope that this love gift will be used to fund a special project of the Burns Hospital in Galveston. Thank you for your ongoing programs benefiting your patients. (Applause)

Sister Alma Lynn Bane: The Texas Scottish Rite Hospital for Children is represented today by Brother Tommy Griffin. Our Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron are pleased to make a presentation to them and we invite them to come to the podium at this time.

WGM: One of the charity projects this year has been the Scottish Rite Children's "*Garden of Friendship*"

Hospital. It has been gratifying to see the patients see the outpouring of the support of our members to this hospital. Many times during the year we have heard our members tell of their children or the children of friends who have had life-affecting treatment received at this facility. We thank you for all that you do to make a difference in the lives of so many families and it is the pleasure of the Grand Chapter of Texas to give this gift to further your outstanding work. (Applause)

WGP: Thank you for the work done by the Scottish Rite Hospital for Children. Through the Scottish Rite Hospital, children in Texas – regardless of their background or economic standing – receive care that otherwise would not be available to them. I am personally aware of the work done by the staff and the effects it has on the children. While I was working on my Master’s degree, the Scottish Rite Hospital allowed me to do my Recreational Therapy Internship at the hospital. I was able to observe how through “play” therapy, the staff could determine a child’s fears, concerns and help the child overcome these obstacles. I spent many hours in the play room and learned volumes about child behavior and how to understand what was behind that behavior. As a result, while President of the Richardson Shrine Club, we became aware of a need for the play therapy room that had to be cut due to budget restraints. Our Club donated the funds to purchase a “doll” – which they named Richie in our honor – upon which a child could perform surgery; including removing of spines, knees, hips, and surgeries they were going to experience themselves. Of course, this was one way of showing a child getting ready for surgery what was going to happen, taking away some of the fears, concerns and uncertainty. I would hope that these funds we are presenting to you today can be used to purchase something that has been postponed due to budget cuts. (Applause)

Sister Alma Lynn Bane: Brother Tommy, I invite you to bring greetings.

Brother Tommy Griffin: Thank you, Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron. On behalf of the Trustees and the staff headed by Brother J. C. Montgomery of the Scottish Rite Hospital in Dallas, it is a pleasure to receive this donation. I will get it to them as soon as possible and I know that it will be put to good use. Thank you very much. (Applause)

Sister Alma Lynn Bane: It is an honor and privilege to introduce one who needs no introduction, Most Worshipful T.E. “Gene” Carnes, Grand Master of the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of Texas, Ancient Free and Accepted Masons. We are so pleased to have him bring greetings at this time on behalf of the Grand Lodge of Texas. Brother Gene.

Brother Gene Carnes: Thank you so much, Sister Alma Lynn. You know, I’ve been looking forward to this for quite some time. Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Most Worthy Grand Matron, my Sis, Rennie Ofton, Grand Chapter Officers, Ladies and Sisters and Brethren and everybody here. I’ve really been looking forward to this. I wrote for about 2 ½ to 3 hours last night. I had this 45 minute dissertation written up. I was practicing it this morning and Gay sent me in to take a shower and when I got back, it had disappeared. So you can all thank her for that. (Laughter) What an honor and a pleasure it is to be here, Sisters and Brethren, on this very special occasion and to bring greetings to all of you both in-state and out-of-state from the Grand Lodge of Texas and all the Masons of Texas. And we thank the Eastern Star for the privilege of being here today to greet you and all the dedication and things that you have done for humanity. I’d like to congratulate the Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron on a successful year. I appreciate you and the efforts you have made all this year. Masonry and the Eastern Star have had a very long and enjoyable relationship in the State of Texas over the years and we certainly hope that that continues throughout eternity. Our organizations have a great relationship because we both teach great lessons. And the Order of the Eastern Star is famous for its teachings on benevolence and high moral and spiritual character and I believe that’s symbolized by the Star Points and

teachings of those lessons that they teach that guide us through our own labyrinth of life. The Masons of Texas wish you much success in your deliberations in this Session and may God Bless you and the Order of the Eastern Star. Thank you. (Applause)

Sister Alma Lynn Bane: At this time I recognize Mr. H. Lee Stallings, Past Grand Patron and member of our Executive Committee for General Grand Chapter. I think he has an announcement to make at this time.

Brother Lee Stallings: Thank you Sister Alma Lynn. Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Most Worthy Grand Matron, Acting Most Worthy Grand Patron, Distinguished Guests, my Sisters and Brothers, it gives me a great deal of pleasure as President of the Past Grand Association of Texas to introduce to you a person who has become very near and dear to our hearts, Sister Marianne Shenefeld, Right Worthy Associate Grand Conductress of General Grand Chapter, Past Grand Matron of Wyoming, who has a very special announcement for you.

Sister Marianne Shenefeld: Thank you, Brother Lee. Protocol having been established “Hi Texas!” I am so pleased and so excited to be here with you or is that you all or y’all? Thank you, Worthy Grand Matron, Mary Ruth, and Worthy Grand Patron, Art, for your kindness in allowing me to greet these beautiful Texas Grand Chapter Members. I’ll keep it short because good things when short are twice as good, and this is good. My Sisters and Brothers, tomorrow you will be asked to vote on legislation about a job invitation I have extended to a Brother here in Texas. This gentleman possesses outstanding qualifications and abilities for the job. One of the most single important in my mind is his sincere and earnest caring for the wellbeing of our members. He is humble, well organized and a man of vision. He is well respected and a dedicated Eastern Star as well as an outstanding member of many other Masonic Organizations. He is a gentleman of the highest honor and he and his beautiful wife are the finest of Eastern Stars. It is these qualities and more why I would ask for a “yes” vote tomorrow on my invitation to my Mr. X, Brother Henry S. Martin, to be a candidate for the office of Right Worthy Grand Sentinel of the General Grand Chapter and serve with me in the 2018 – 2021 Triennium. I want you to know that Wyoming would be very proud and honored to work with Texas and I believe that our partnership would be one that would benefit our Order in many, many ways. I will be returning to Wyoming later today because I have to speak at our own Grand Chapter that is going on exactly day for day. You know and because we might become family, I wanted to share a little story about my family and most of us are blondes so I hope its okay. My blonde cousin, Cindy, and her husband, Bill, lying in bed listening to the barking dog that was in the next door neighbor’s back yard. It had been barking for hours and hours. My cousin jumps out of bed and says, “I’ve had enough” and goes downstairs. Well, she finally comes back to bed and Bill says “the dog is still barking. What have you been doing?” And Cindy says “I put the dog in our back yard. Let’s see how they like it!” (Laughter) Thank you again, Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron, for the special privilege to speak and for the wonderful hospitality and delightful courtesies that have been extended to me here. I always have a wonderful time in Texas. Thank you (Applause)

Sister Alma Lynn Bane: Brother Henry, since you were my Mr. X and now you are Marianne’s Mr. X does that mean we can call you “Dos Equis”? (Laughter) Okay, that was not in the podium book, I’ve got to get back to the podium book. It is an honor and privilege to introduce, I think my number two boss, Mr. John E. Grobler, Acting Most Worthy Grand Patron, General Grand Chapter and Past Grand Patron of Washington. We’re pleased at this time to have him bring greetings.

AMWGP Grobler: Thank you Past Grand Matron, Alma. It is my pleasure to address the members of the Texas Grand Chapter. I really appreciate this. It is also a pleasure to be

here in the East with our Most Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Rennie Ofton. Rennie, I hope this is the beginning of your return to the OES trail. I am looking forward to joining you as often as my schedule permits. It is also a pleasure to be here in the East with Sister Bobbi White, Right Worthy Associate Grand Matron, who will be my partner for the next Triennium. Thank you, Sister Bobbi for being here, and then all the other General Grand Chapter and Committee Members who were in attendance. Thank you all for being here. When I was sitting back here in the East, and that light is shining down on us, it reminded me of many, many years ago, I worked in Community Theatre. We did some serious plays and we did some slapstick. And it reminded me of what I am doing right now cause I'm actually Acting – Most Worthy Grand Patron, and these folks here are my supporting cast. When I was a child, seems like yesterday, growing up on the farm in Washington State, we did not have the luxury of store bought toys and we loved to go to the movies, especially westerns or maybe old wars, if that's what you call them. We used to take a stick with a rope tied to it and use it as a horse. And we would take a board, if we could find a flat board, and we would draw the outline of a pistol or any kind of gun that we knew and we would cut it out and use those for our guns. And then we would ride around with our horses. We'd ride into town and have shoot-outs. As we saw in many of the movies, most of the towns we knew were in Texas. We would ride into Houston or Fort Worth or Abilene and shoot it out with Wild Bill Hickok, Wyatt Earp, Billy the Kid, and any other famous gunfighter that we could think of. Normally, he who shouted the loudest won. My early childhood recollection of Texas was about the Alamo. I remember Col. Travis, Daniel Boone and Davy Crockett. But I didn't think much about it until later in life when Sister Rennie invited me to Texas and I actually visited the Alamo. As I looked at the remains of the Alamo, I thought back to my childhood recollection in my western heroes. How they all perished in the Alamo and I wondered, is there a message here? Am I safe? Well, your friendliness and hospitality has certainly relieved any concern that I may have had. I was doing a little research on Texas and I noted that your State Bird is the Mockingbird and actually the Mockingbird might be the mascot for Eastern Star. As they are normally a little very noisy bird (laughter) especially if they know there is food around. That is somewhat similar to OES members when they know there is food around. I guess that is why we are referred to as the "Order of Overeating Stars". Yes men, you are also included. Since assuming my unexpected roll as Acting Most Worthy Grand Patron in December, I have been pretty busy. So far, I have visited four countries and attended many Grand Chapter Sessions. I am particularly involved with restoration of the Yato Chapter, our only Chapter left in Japan. I am trying to help them rebuild their chapter. I will visit them again in early September for another consultation and training. And they have expressed desire to visit the states and observe the proper way to open and close Chapter and conduct an initiation ceremony. It is things like that that remind me why I belong to this wonderful organization. As our Most Worthy Grand Matron likes to say (Says to MWGM - I'm not stealing any of your thunder, am I?), we are good people, doing good things, for a good cause and having fun doing it. Back earlier, or actually late last year, I was deeply saddened by the passing of our Most Worthy Grand Patron, Brother Fred Clark. Brother Fred's project was to establish an Order of the Eastern Star display at the George Washington Masonic National Memorial in Washington, D.C. This exhibit will serve as a window for the world to see what Eastern Star is all about and in fact will be the only one of its kind and we still need additional funds to complete the display and to actually maintain it over the years. So in keeping with Brother Fred's plan, I am continuing his plan to raise funds for the display. So at each Grand Chapter I am planting an emblematic seed with a monetary gift to the display fund in the name of the Worthy Grand Patron. Worthy Grand Patron Art, please accept this gift and I urge you to pass the word to the members of your

jurisdiction about this very worthy cause. When I was Worthy Grand Patron in Washington, my emblem was the Bull and I was bullish on Eastern Star wherever I travelled. So in keeping with this theme, I am again going to use the Bull as part of my theme for the 48th Triennium. The Bull is the symbol of strength and continuity. A continuity of purpose and I believe exhibits qualities that we might well emulate in our in Eastern Star. Bulls are normally thought of as serious and somewhat overly aggressive. Sometimes they are fun though and actually laugh at the world. In my shopping, I actually found a bull that likes to laugh at the world. (Showed a bull that when he wound him up, laughed uncontrollably) You can turn him on but it's hard to turn him off. Anyway, this is a Texas bull (bull begins to laugh again) Oh, I didn't turn him off after all... (Laughter) This is a Texas Longhorn and I'm pretty sure it is a bull. (More Laughter) I'm bullish on Eastern Star and I'm bullish on Texas. On behalf of my wife, Barbara, and myself, I thank you for the hospitality and warm friendship you have extended to us during our visit here in Texas. Thank you for your attention and thank you for all you do for Eastern Star. Thank you. (Applause)

Sister Alma Lynn Bane: Before you sit down Brother John, I think I need to share with you why there might have been a few guffaws. There are two main Universities in this State. One of them is Texas A&M (Whoop). The other is the University of Texas who uses the Longhorns and they are in the West. (Laughter) But the Aggies are in the East today. (Laughter) Thank you.

AMWGP Grobler: Just one parting word. Many years ago in my other working life, I used to recruit in Texas and I recruited engineers from the University of Texas and at Prairie View, so I covered them both. (Applause)

Sister Alma Lynn Bane: It's an honor and a unique privilege that I introduce to you, Mrs. Rennie Ofton, Most Worthy Grand Matron of the General Grand Chapter and a Past Grand Matron of Texas. We are very pleased to have our own Redbird bring us greetings. (Applause)

MWGM Rennie Ofton: Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Acting Most Worthy Grand Patron, Most Worshipful Grand Master, Distinguished Guests, and beloved Sisters and Brothers all. It is truly a pleasure to be with all of you again. I seemed to have been gone too far, too long and I missed you. And you know, it's good to get home. I can talk Texan. I go some places and I know I say, y'all or all y'all and they say, what's she saying? But I know you understand and I thank you so much. You've honored me with a special welcome home and I'm most grateful for each kind courtesy. Now wasn't that good news that Marianne gave us? Let's go again (Applause). I guess they already ran off together. Are they going to elope? (Laughter) I was worried about that. She can't take him home. He has some things to be done. Can't have her. You know, during this time that we've talked about 2009-2012, some of them said, I'm going to be too old. I won't be able to be there. I'll probably be in a wheel chair. I said, you know what, we'll probably have a wheel chair brigade. Don't worry about it. But little did I know that I may be leading it at the rate I'm going! (Laughter) And I am sorry that I have caused so much trouble but you gave me a wonderful scooter that's getting me around and I don't know, my knee and I just don't get along right now but I'm going to take care of it the best way I can. It's good to be here with my Tri-Line Officers. Bess and Bill, Mary Ruth and Art, and Vi and David. They are my Tri-Lines and I'm very proud of them. And you know, the work they are doing, have done, and will be doing will set the history of this Triennium. And I thank each of you. Will y'all all stand up? I don't know where all y'all are. Here are two, I don't know where Bess and Bill. I can't see. Oh, okay. I thank you so much and I'm so proud of all of you. Thank you. (Applause) The General Grand Chapter Appointments in Texas are many but we had to have that many to put forth our best foot. We have Texas pride, we have Texas hospitality and I feel like I have picked the ones

to work the hardest to see that the world will know who we are. So I thank you for all that you're doing. I may be the leader of this organization but a leader without dedicated members does not go very far. General Grand Chapter is composed of approximately 500,000 members, in about 5,000 plus chapters throughout the world. Each one uses the same ritual and the same red book for instruction to educate our members. You can go in any part of Eastern Starland and walk in, the language may be different, but you know what they are doing because they are doing exactly what we are doing. And each chapter is also given the opportunity to achieve service to humanity in its own area. There have been times when there have been like tsunamis, earthquakes and floods, hurricanes, in areas where we do not have chapters. But do you know that the Eastern Stars have come through to help those because that's our goal in life. Now we've set up a relief fund at General Grand Chapter and so many of you have said, "How can we help them"? So we set up a relief fund at General Grand Chapter. It is for any of these disasters that are going on. You write the check to General Grand Chapter and send it to our Right Worthy Grand Secretary with a note that this goes to Japan...this goes to Haiti...this goes to wherever you want your money to go so that people know Eastern Star is trying to help the world, whether they are our members or just a human person that needs help. So, we are proud of that, because not everybody takes care of other people unless there's some reason or something, you know. Now, during 2009 Triennium which just finished, we gave over \$20 million to all charities. Much of them were mentioned, the Fraternal Charities, Cancer, Heart, all of those. And we are proud of that. We've gotten most of the reports in on the first year of our Triennium now and we gave well over \$6 million. So we are on schedule. We've lost members but we haven't lost the members that care about other people and about the things that important to reach out and help those in need. So, I'm very proud of that and that's what Eastern Star needs to be known for. And of course, to me there is a very important matter that sometimes people are not really aware of where do we come from. We come from the Masonic Laws. We are under their auspices. It's through the charitable work of our chapters that we are able to receive and maintain the respect of our Masonic Brothers. We know how important the recognition of our Brother Masons is and we strive to work with them and their principles for the good of mankind. I hold our Texas Masons in highest esteem. And I'm honored by their many courtesies to the office I hold and me personally. It was very good to have – Oh he stayed – I didn't lose my speech, I'm sorry, you've got to listen (Laughter). Brother Gene and I and Gay go back a long way and I'm just thrilled to be serving at the time that he serves in Grand Lodge. I told him there is only one thing wrong, we only have one Gay. We're about to wear her out. But that's okay. Throughout the realm of Eastern Star, we have dedicated members who faithfully work with our youth groups. I was glad to see their representation and to hear them. We've just opened a Rainbow in Romania. We're just now getting Romania back on its feet in Eastern Star. We had a bad start but we are pulling out of it. They already now have the Rainbow people working with them because the girls, the leaders over there, knew what Rainbow could do and had seen things that they wanted for their young ladies. So when you start reaching out, and again they will be under the protection of the Masons and Eastern Stars, think of the wonderful things that they can do for those young ladies. My special project, of course, is the Service Dog Program. I'm proud of its success and the Grand Chapter of Texas has proven its support through the Pennies from Heaven Program. How wonderful it is that one of God's most loved animal, the dog, has become an instrument to help many persons who need love, acceptance and a companion to live a better and regular life. Thank you, Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron for having this wonderful program. All of the others that we have here in Texas, we had three of them working and you know what, we had enough money to spread around. Jack Guy is in charge of the Patriot Paws and has done much to help

with our veterans up in Rockwall area. And he is working very hard for that and you're helping him. We are giving to those veterans who come back in very, very sad shape and this is something that is important, and of course the Guide Dogs of Texas are for those who need seeing dogs. And you know we should feel great about this because you have put yourself in each one of those person's positions and see what you could do for yourself. Not much. Who would you go to for comfort when everybody else was busy and we hear stories about the dogs when they hear a veteran having a problem, they go up and put their face right up in his face. They talk to each other some way. It calms them down and I think it is wonderful. We now have the autism dog, which is helping many parents who have autistic children. There was a film out that showed this little boy playing with his toys and all the sudden he started having a little seizure. The dog went over and laid down on him and started licking his chin and licking his chin. The little boy was kicking him and hitting him and everything else. Well, finally he calmed down, the dog backed off, the little boy sat up. And he looked at the dog and he looked over there at his pile of toys. Reached over there and got a book, looked at the dog and started reading to him. That pulled him out of his seizure and he was again a person in just a matter of minutes when a mother that would have had to run in and have a lot of problems probably. So, thank you for all you are doing for the Pennies from Heaven, for the Guide Dogs of Texas, and for the Patriot Paws. And I think Texas will come out proud of everything it has been doing. And again, you know, I do extend my sincere thanks for the wonderful homecoming to my Grand Chapter and the Sisters and Brothers who have shown such depths of love to me always. I've been gone so much I didn't know you could run Grand Chapter without me around. (Laughter) But that's what you find out sometime. They are very kind, they always let me come back and if I want to say something, they let me say it. They may not pay any attention anymore, but that's alright. We have a chance to serve humanity in so many ways; our church teaches us we must love one another; we must help the indigent; we must (and that's not indignant, that's indigent) we must help people. In the Order of the Eastern Star, we expand that in so many ways that it makes us truly proud to know that we have done something. And we are known for doing all the things like that. And that's alright Gene if you, I'm sorry – got all my boyfriends over there, John- that's okay, I've been trying to help them remember the verse so will y'all help me say that verse one more time? We are good members, doing good things, for good people, and having fun doing it. Hallelujah! And thank you so much for every courtesy. You've touched my heart deeply and I love each of you. And may God bless us, our Order and most of all, his presence be known in our world today. Thank you so much Brothers and Sisters. (Applause – standing ovation)

Sister Alma Lynn Bane: At this time, I invite the Worthy Grand Patron to bring response to our welcome and greetings. Worthy Grand Patron, I invite you to preside.

WGP: Thank you Sister Alma. Sister Betty Benham, Master of Ceremonies, thank you for the beautiful job you have done this morning and the love and support you and Ferris have given to us this past year. To Sister Karen, Assisting Grand Marshal, thank you for taking part in our Opening and always being available for counsel this past year. And Sister Betty Friend for your Thought for the Day. Thank you for the focus you bring to us as we begin this Session. Your friendship is special and I appreciate all you do for me and for the membership. To Sister Sharon, thank you for sharing from the heart by asking God's blessing upon our Session today. And to Sister Alma Lynn and Brother Henry, I'd like to thank you for opening our Session today. Our friendship has grown over the years and I appreciate your wise counsel and support as I have made this fantastic journey for the past two years. To Brother John, we are pleased that your schedule allowed you to visit Texas and attend our Grand Chapter. And to Sister Rennie, it is a distinguished honor for me to welcome you to this Grand Chapter Session. I am thrilled to be the middle son of your Tri-Line as you serve

as Most Worthy Grand Matron. Brother Gene Carnes, thank you – he did leave! (Laughter) Okay, I'd like to thank him anyway for making time out of his very busy schedule to be with us this year at Grand Chapter. We appreciate you and Gay and the hours that you have given to the entire Masonic family.

Sister Alma Lynn Bane: It is with pleasure that I invite our Worthy Grand Matron to bring response to our welcome and greetings.

WGM: It is an honor to be able to serve in the Grand East with these wonderful people you have heard bring greetings this morning and this afternoon. These designees and the organizations and areas of service which they represent are worthy of our attention and definitely our respect. It has been a pleasure and the words we have heard this morning will serve as a unique memory for many years to come. The warm welcomes, the responses and the greetings that started off our 129th Session in a particularly grand way and we sincerely thank each of you for your presence here today. (Applause)

Sister Alma Lynn Bane: Are there any presentations at this time? Please know how very much we've appreciated all of you being with us for our ceremonial opening. We thank you so very much for sharing your time with us but as we are about to prepare for the business of this Grand Chapter we would request that all who are not members of the Order would retire at this time. Again, thank you for your attention and interest in our Order.

WGM: We will now have the preliminary credentials report by Sister Linda Roy, Chairman of the Credentials Committee.

Sister Linda Roy: The Credentials Committee is pleased to report that we have present Chapter Representatives of 296 of the Subordinate Chapters of this Grand Jurisdiction. This constitutes more than the required 25 percent of the Chapters and a quorum to open this Grand Chapter Session and to transact its business.

WGM: Thank you, Sister Linda, for this report. I now recognize the Grand Secretary.

GS: Worthy Grand Matron, there being no late Annual Reports from any of the 296 Chapters represented, I move that this partial Report be accepted.

WGP: I second the motion.

WGM: There is a motion and a second that we accept this partial report. All in favor, would you signify by the purple cards – the pink cards. All opposed. Thank you. I believe that we have had some people that have taken a little break to leave the Grand Chapter Room. And I would ask those on the doors if you would make an announcement just outside your door that we are about to go into Ritualistic Opening and I'm going to give five minutes for people to return to their seats in the Grand Chapter Room so that we can start our opening.

WGP: Sisters and Brothers, while we are waiting a couple of announcements. We are going to do Ritualistic Opening next, then we'll be doing all of our introductions. We do hope to have all our introductions, we will have all our introductions done today. We have two programs to follow. One is the Grand Representatives, the Fraternal Correspondent will be doing her program, and we will have a Humanitarian Program. We are going to ask that the Worthy Matrons and Worthy Patrons for last year and this year who will be participating in the Humanitarian Program, sometime today to move to the North. We have it sectioned off by Districts which will help the Humanitarian Program go a little bit faster this evening. Our goal is that when we finish with the Humanitarian Program to go over straight into our dinner, or banquet, this evening. If you have any question, check with Brother Mark, the Executive Director, he's got all the answers.

WGM: Worthy Grand Patron it is my pleasure at this time to hand you the gavel so that we will begin the ceremonial opening of this Grand Chapter.

WGP - All who are not members of the Order will retire.

[Ritualistic Opening]

WGM: Let us unite in singing our Opening Ode “How Great Thou Art”. (Singing) I now declare the 129th Session of the Grand Chapter of Texas Order of the Eastern Star duly opened for the transaction of business. (One Rap) Sister Grand Warder, you will so inform the Sentinel.

Sister Grand Warder: Brother Grand Sentinel, the 129th Session of the Grand Chapter of Texas Order of the Eastern Star is now open for the transaction of business. Worthy Grand Matron, your order has been obeyed.

WGM: Sister Grand Marshal, you will present the flag of our beloved United States of America.

Brother Harold Trammell: Sisters and Brothers, you will join me in Pledging Allegiance to the Flag of our Country. (Everyone says the Pledge then sings the National Anthem.)

WGP: We will now sing “O Canada”. You will find the words in the back of the program.

WGM: (one rap) We will now hear from our General Grand Chapter Pin Distribution Chairman and Past Grand Matron of Texas who will bring us the Thought for the Day.

Sister Nancy Brown: Thank you, Worthy Grand Matron. Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Most Worthy Grand Matron, Acting Most Worthy Grand Patron, Distinguished East, my Sisters and Brothers. Albert Einstein is quoted as saying “it would be possible to describe everything scientifically, but it would make no sense.” It would be without meaning as if you described Beethoven’s Symphony as a variation of wave pressure. It would also make no sense to try to describe friendship in scientific terms. The many definitions I have read of friendship all seem inadequate also. But each of us knows the feeling of friendship. Is there any place where more hugging goes on than at Grand Chapter? We are certainly blessed to be able to share this time each year with our Sisters and Brothers. Not only those from across our State but those from around the world. It has been said that friends are the family that we choose for ourselves in addition to those with whom we are born. For us, our Eastern Star friends often are closer than our own relationships. They are the ones that we call on when we have a joy or sorrow. They are there with us to laugh or to cry. They are the ones who fill the scrapbooks of our lives. In Proverbs 17:17 *A friend loves at all times.* Along with our old friends, we will have the wonderful opportunity during this Grand Chapter Session to make many more friends while we are here. This beautiful scene of the garden in front of me reminds me of a poem:

One day I planted a seedling entrusted by God to me.
He made me call it friendship and tend it most carefully.
I added something else named love
And with each day I found
that my little flower grew more
and touched all those around.

Thank you Worthy Grand Matron for allowing me the privilege of sharing with our Sisters and Brothers today. (Applause)

WGM: This Grand Chapter is a fulfillment of a dream that I have had for a very long time. It is a treasure that will be stored in my memory and taken out to be examined many, many times. Each of you here on this stage, and on this floor, and in this audience is a part of that treasure. Your contributions of time, your generous efforts, and all the ways that you

have supported our Order, have made this year possible and successful. The Worthy Patron and I have worked hard during this year to make our Schools of Instruction and our Grand Chapter informative, fun and filled mostly with warmth and love of fellowship. We welcome you to this 129th *Garden of Friendship Session* and hope that it will be filled with all the things that will make it a beautiful treasure for you and that you will have many wonderful memories of it too that you will want to revisit over the years to come. Before I allow my Worthy Grand Patron to bring his greetings to each of you, I would like to introduce some of my family that are with me this afternoon. Is Joe White in the room? Joe? Well, that's my husband. (Laughter) Most of you know Joe White but if you haven't met him, I hope that you will before the week is over, my daughter, Sherry Dieckmann, her husband and my son-in-law, Mark Dieckmann. Mark is my Executive Chairman and he must be out with my husband. (Laughter) Sheila Lum was here for the opening. She works downtown but she took a little time off during the Opening but I understand that she is kind of holding down her office this week, very short handed. So about an hour ago she had to leave and go back to the office. But she was with me this morning. And Brother Carl Sontag? I know it has taken quite a bit of effort for you to make it here this morning Carl. And our beloved one, Sister Rosemary Sontag that we lost Christmas two years ago, but saw me start on this journey, I know is with me today and I thank you for your presence. And would the members of my Chapter Houston Ransford Chapter #135, would they please rise. They're all up there in the row, a few are down here on the floor, a few are up there by the exit – they must be going to find Mark and my husband. (Laughter) I have been a member of this Chapter for 51 years. It's the Mother Chapter of Houston, Texas. I love my Chapter and all of its members and I do thank my Chapter for undergirding me this year in my year of service to Grand Chapter. I thank you very much. I will be back home next month and ready to go back to work in the kitchen or wherever y'all need my help. Love you all and thank you very much. (Applause) And one time I told my Worthy Grand Patron when he made a comment that he had a certain amount of members present at a meeting, I said; "well, Worthy Grand Patron, I can beat that because the State of Texas and it's wonderful subordinate chapters have seen fit to honor me, and you too, at our Schools of Instruction by giving us Honorary Memberships to their Chapters". So Sisters and Brothers, you are all members of my Chapters and I do thank you one and all for being with us this morning at the 129th Session of Grand Chapter. Thank you and I love you very much. (Applause) Worthy Grand Patron, I know that you now want to express your appreciation to the membership for their attendance here today.

WGP: Thank you, Worthy Grand Matron. I join the Worthy Grand Matron in extending each of you a very cordial welcome to the *129th Garden of Friendship Session* of the Grand Chapter of Texas. Your presence is a testimony of your devotion to the principles of our beautiful Order. I wish for you many pleasant experiences here in Houston. I hope I have the pleasure of greeting each of you personally. To Sister Nancy Brown, I do want to say, thank you for your Thought of the Day. Your love and devotion to our Order can serve as the center of our wreath of love as we gather in the Garden of Friendship. To Sister Mary Ruth, it's been an exciting two, two and a half years and I want to thank you for inviting Marty and I to travel this road with you and Joe. I also at this time would like to acknowledge some of my family that is here. First my wife, Marty, Martha Louise, but I'm not supposed to say that. She's got her mother's finger! Okay, my Mother and Dad are here this afternoon, Karl Sr. and Joann Drescher, Grand Chapter Mom and Dad, my brother, Gary, and his wife, Kay. They're the two in matching skirts. (Laughter) I had to get back at him after this morning. Okay, and also Kay's mother, Evelyn Tolbert's here and as I've said earlier most of you know I grew up in an Eastern Star Temple basically. The Tolbert family and many, many other families, all of us kids kind of grew up together. So Evelyn, even though she is Kay's mother, she was

like another mother to us. Also, would the members of Dal-Cliff #93 – that’s not right - #574 would y’all please stand. There’s a few of you here. That’s you too David. Nope, David’s not here either. This is my Parent Chapter in Dallas. I was initiated about 1988, give or take a year or two there. Also, I’d like the members of Lewisville Chapter, that’s #935 right, to please stand. That is my Dual Chapter. The support that both of these chapters have given me the past five years as I’ve served on the Board and as Worthy Grand Patron, there are just no words to thank them for everything and yes, as Sister Mary Ruth said, give me a couple of weeks to rest and relax and we’ll be back down, actually won’t be that because my wife is Worthy Matron of Lewisville so we’ll have a meeting Tuesday night. So I’ll be back in the fold Tuesday night. So thank y’all for coming and I appreciate all your support. Please help me show how much I appreciate their support. (Applause) And for you that are from Louisiana and I was at your Grand Chapter, I acknowledged my wife, you can tell the Grand Master over there, she doesn’t get another dress yet. I only had to do it once this year when I forgot. Thank you, Worthy Grand Matron.

WGM: We are honored with the presence of the Most Worthy Grand Matron and the Acting Most Worthy Grand Patron. Sisters Grand Conductress and Associate Grand Conductress, you will present our most distinguished leaders at the Altar. Our Most Worthy Grand Matron has asked that we allow her to be introduced from the East. And you know we have decided that this year that we will accommodate the physical needs or wishes of those loved ones so deserving of our recognition. It is indeed an honor and a pleasure to have both of you at this Grand Chapter Session. Most Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Rennie Ofton, your service to Grand Chapter of Texas and to the General Grand Chapter has endeared you to the members of Texas as well as the hearts of Eastern Star worldwide. Thank you for bringing the dignity of your office, your warmth and generosity to the membership. Acting Most Worthy Grand Patron, we extend to you a big Texas welcome and salute you and the many accomplishments in your dedication to our Order. We pledge the support of Texas in you upcoming General Grand Chapter Session in 2012. Worthy Grand Patron, I know that you want to greet our Most Worthy Grand Matron and Acting Worthy Grand Patron.

WGP: Thank you, Worthy Grand Matron. Howdy!! Welcome home Sister Rennie and welcome to Texas Brother John. Thank you.

WGM: Sisters Grand Conductress and Associate Grand Conductress, you will escort our Acting Most Worthy Grand Patron to the East. (Three raps and applause) Sisters and Brothers, I present our Most Worthy Grand Matron and Acting Most Worthy Grand Patron, General Grand Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star. You will salute them with Grand Honors. Sisters Grand Conductress and Associate Grand Conductress, they will remain in the East. (One rap) We are honored with the presence of our Past Most Worthy Grand Matrons and Past Most Worthy Grand Patrons. Sisters Grand Conductress and Associate Grand Conductress – we don’t have any? Okay. Then we are honored with the presence of our General Grand Chapter Elected Officers. Sisters Grand Conductress and Associate Grand Conductress you will present our General Grand Chapter Elected Officers at the Altar.

GC: Worthy Grand Matron, I have the pleasure of introducing the Elected General Grand Chapter Officers: Sisters: Barbara “Bobbi” Browning White, Right Worthy Associate Grand Matron and a Past Grand Matron of West Virginia; Alma Lynn Bane, Right Worthy Grand Secretary and Past Grand Matron of Texas; Helen J. Westmoreland, Right Worthy Grand Conductress and Past Grand Matron of Florida; Marianne Shenefeld, Right Worthy Associate Grand Conductress and Past Grand Matron of Wyoming; Brother Michael “Mike” Berry, Right Worthy Grand Trustee Chairman and Past Grand Patron of Kentucky; Sisters: Paula Argus, Right Worthy Grand Trustee and Past Grand Matron of Utah; Betty J. Briggs, Right Worthy Grand Trustee, Secretary, Right Worthy Grand Secretary Emeritus and Past

Grand Matron of Iowa; Brother Robert C. Penoyer, Right Worthy Grand Sentinel and Past Grand Patron of Pennsylvania. Order of the Eastern Star

WGM: We sincerely appreciate the efforts that you have made to give joy and strength to our Grand Chapter Session. You have each given us a beautiful example to follow in your service to our Order. We extend to you the best wishes as you continue to serve our beautiful Order. Worthy Grand Patron, I know that you would like to greet this group also.

WGP: Thank you, Worthy Grand Matron. How pleased we are that you've come to Houston to help us celebrate the Homecoming and Official Visit of our Most Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Rennie. We are so proud of our Right Worthy Grand Matron, excuse me, we are so proud of our Right Worthy Grand Secretary, Sister Alma Lynn Bane. A little trivia (laughter) Sister Alma Lynn grew up just down the road in Galveston and attended Galveston Ball High School, where she was a lieutenant in the Ball High School Tornets precision drill team. Now I'm not going to ask her to show any of that precision drill today...I thought y'all would like that little trivia. Thank all of you for being here today. (Applause)

WGM: Sisters Grand Conductress and Associate Grand Conductress, you will escort our General Grand Chapter Elected Officers to the East. (Three raps and applause) Sisters and Brothers, I present the General Grand Chapter Officers. You will salute them with Grand Honors. Sisters Grand Conductress and Associate Grand Conductress, they will remain in the East. (One rap) We are honored with the presence of General Grand Chapter Appointed Officers. Sisters Grand Conductress and Associate Grand Conductress you will present our General Grand Chapter Appointed Officers at the Altar.

GC: Worthy Grand Matron, I have the pleasure of introducing the Appointed General Grand Chapter Officers: Sisters: Mary F. Lockridge, Worthy Grand Marshal and Past Grand Matron of Michigan; Rosemary T. Swetland, Worthy Grand Organist and Past Grand Matron of Texas; Marilyn L. Woods, Worthy Grand Adah and Past Grand Matron of Missouri; Connie Woodward, Worthy Grand Ruth and Past Grand Matron of Ontario; Margaret A. Clarke, Worthy Grand Esther and Past Grand Matron of Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island; Elizabeth Roach, Worthy Grand Electa and Past Grand Matron of Louisiana; Vivian Chrisopolos, Worthy Grand Warder and Past Grand Matron of Ohio. Order of the Eastern Star

WGM: We extend a most cordial and warm welcome to you for the special pleasure you have added to our Session with your presence. We lovingly wish the best for you in your every endeavor. Worthy Grand Patron, I invite you to greet this group.

WGP: Thank you, Worthy Grand Matron. We are so pleased you've come to Houston to help honor one of your ranks, Sister Rosemary T. Swetland. I hope you enjoy your time here and look forward to visiting with you in the next few days.

WGM: Sisters Grand Conductress and Associate Grand Conductress, you will escort our General Grand Chapter Appointed Officers to the Grand East. (Three raps and applause) Sisters and Brothers, I present the General Grand Chapter Appointed Officers. You will salute them with Grand Honors. Sisters Grand Conductress and Associate Grand Conductress they will remain in the East. (One rap) We are honored with the presence of General Grand Chapter Executive Committee Members. Sisters Grand Conductress and Associate Grand Conductress you will present our General Grand Chapter Executive Committee Members at the Altar.

GC: Worthy Grand Matron, I have the pleasure of introducing the General Grand Chapter Executive Committee Members: Brothers: Henry S. Martin, General Chairman, Texas and Past Grand Patron of Texas; H. Lee Stallings, Finance Chairman, Texas and Past Grand Patron of Texas; Jerry Trees, Housing Chairman, Texas and Past Grand Patron of Texas; Sisters: Sharon Fentress, Housing Co-Chairman, Texas and Past Grand Matron of

Texas; Betty Y. Friend, Social Chairman, Texas and Past Grand Matron of Texas. Order of the Eastern Star

WGM: My friends, thank you for all that you do for General Grand Chapter as an Executive Committee Member. Through your continued service to the Order of your Committee, you are creating an image of devotion to duty for the entire world to see. They will know that the quality of our Order, the work being done for the benefit of our fellow man and in general the service to humanity in general by your efforts. Worthy Grand Patron, I know that you want to greet our General Grand Chapter Executive Committee Members.

WGP: Thank you, Worthy Grand Matron. The Most Worthy Grand Matron has placed in your hands her General Grand Chapter Session. Brother Henry, you've got a great looking Committee and I know you are working hard as the host Grand Chapter. We want to assure you we will do what is needed to show the world how proud we are of Sister Rennie.

WGM: Sisters Grand Conductress and Associate Grand Conductress, you will escort our General Grand Chapter Executive Committee Members to the East. (Three raps and applause) Sisters and Brothers, I present the General Grand Chapter Executive Committee Members. You will salute them with Grand Honors. Sisters Grand Conductress and Associate Grand Conductress they will remain in the East. (One rap)

We are honored with the presence of General Grand Chapter Committee Members and Ambassadors of the Most Worthy Grand Matron and the Most Worthy Grand Patron. Sisters Grand Conductress and Associate Grand Conductress you will present these General Grand Chapter Committee Members and Ambassadors of the Most Worthy Grand Matron and the Most Worthy Grand Patron at the Altar.

GC: Worthy Grand Matron, I have the pleasure of introducing the General Grand Chapter Committee Members: Ambassador Committee: Brother Jerry Martin, Hawaii, Past Grand Patron of Texas and Grand Junior Warden of the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of Texas, Ancient Free and Accepted Masons and Sister Marylyn C. Swinamer, New York and Past Grand Matron of Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island; Appeals and Grievances Committee: Brother Harry W. Fisher, Chairman and Past Grand Patron of Pennsylvania; Sister Elsie Paladino and Past Grand Matron of Texas; Cancer Committee: Sister Karen Morgenthaler and Past Grand Matron of Texas; Chapter Restoration Committee: Brother Duane "Buddy" Baker and Past Grand Patron of Texas; Sister Carol Featherstone and Past Grand Matron of Ontario; Brother Edward A. Lamkin and Past Grand Patron of Louisiana; Credentials Committee: Brothers: Robert P Brown and Past Grand Patron of Maine; David J. Flaxington and Past Grand Patron of Rhode Island; Eastern Star Journal: Sister Billie Kraemer and Past Grand Matron of Missouri; ESTARL Committee: Sister Mary L. Sisemore and Past Grand Patron of Missouri; Brother Ed Warner, and Past Grand Patron of Texas; International Headquarters Committee: Sister Bertha M. Cadigan and Past Grand Matron of Maine; Membership Committee: Sister Wanda Fairchild, United States Chairman and Past Grand Matron of Texas; Brother William C. "Bill" Barnes and Past Grand Patron of Oklahoma; Sister Susan A. Gaines and Past Grand Patron of Maine; Brother Eldon W. Howell and Past Grand Patron of Louisiana; Sister Rhonda B. King and Past Grand Matron of Virginia; Necrology Committee: Sisters: Betty Robertson, United States Chairman and Past Grand Matron of New Mexico; Frankie Little, and Past Grand Matron of Iowa; Pin Committee: Sister Nancy Brown, Pin Distribution Chairman and Past Grand Matron of Texas; Registration Committee: Sister Alma Carter, United States Chairman and Past Grand Matron of Texas; Service Dog Committee: Brother Jack W. Guy and Past Grand Patron of Texas; Youth Committee: Sister Joyce Gilbert, United States Chairman and Past Grand Matron of Texas. Order of the Eastern Star

WGM: We welcome you and wish to express our love, pride and appreciation on having
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ing you serve General Grand Chapter. You represent several Grand Jurisdictions in various, valuable positions. We thank you for your attendance and your dedication to our Order. Worthy Grand Patron, I know that you would like to greet our General Grand Chapter Committee Members and the Ambassadors for the Most Worthy Grand Matron and Most Worthy Grand Patron.

WGP: Thank you, Worthy Grand Matron. Your work and dedication to the Eastern Star is above reproach, evidenced by the trust placed in each of you by our Most Worthy Grand Matron. I know each of you is serving the General Grand Chapter in the same manner and dignity that you did in your own Grand Chapter. Thank you for being here this afternoon.

WGM: Sisters Grand Conductress and Associate Grand Conductress, you will escort the General Grand Chapter Committee Members and Ambassadors of the Most Worthy Grand Matron and the Most Worthy Grand Patron to the East. (Three raps and applause) Sisters and Brothers, I present the General Grand Chapter Committee Members and Ambassadors of the Most Worthy Grand Matron and Most Worthy Grand Patron. You will salute them with Grand Honors. Sisters Grand Conductress and Associate Grand Conductress, they will remain in the East. (One rap) We are honored with Worthy Grand Matrons and Worthy Grand Patrons of Other Grand Jurisdictions. Sisters Grand Conductress and Associate Grand Conductress, you will present our Worthy Grand Matrons and Worthy Grand Patrons of Other Grand Jurisdictions at the Altar.

GC: Worthy Grand Matron, I have the pleasure of introducing the Worthy Grand Matrons and Worthy Grand Patrons of Other Grand Jurisdictions: Sisters: Joy Beth Williams, Louisiana; Roberta Nielsen, Mississippi; Beverly Boyett, Oklahoma; Worthy Grand Matrons and Brothers: Rohn Hall, Oklahoma; Lewis Patterson, Oklahoma; Worthy Grand Patrons. Order of the Eastern Star.

WGM: Many of you have recently started your term of office and have a wonderful year ahead of you to look forward to. Others, like myself, are close to seeing the fulfillment of our dreams for our Grand Chapters. We welcome you and sincerely thank you for including our Grand Chapter Session in your Grand Chapter schedule. Worthy Grand Patron, I know that you want to welcome our Worthy Grand Matrons and Worthy Grand Patrons of Other Grand Jurisdictions.

WGP: Thank you, Worthy Grand Matron. Welcome my friends. It is great to see so many of you that I visited with at various functions the past few years. How delighted we are that you have taken the time out of your busy schedule to visit our Grand Chapter. Thank you very much.

WGM: Sisters Grand Conductress and Associate Grand Conductress, you will escort our Worthy Grand Matrons and Worthy Grand Patrons of Other Grand Jurisdictions to the East. (Three raps and applause) Sisters and Brothers, I present the Worthy Grand Matrons and Worthy Grand Patrons of Other Grand Jurisdictions. You will salute them with Grand Honors. Sisters Grand Conductress and Associate Grand Conductress, they will be seated in the Chapter room. (One rap) We are honored with the Past Grand Matrons and Past Grand Patrons of other Grand Jurisdictions. Sisters Grand Conductress and Associate Grand Conductress, you will present our Past Grand Matrons and Past Grand Patrons of Other Grand Jurisdictions at the Altar.

GC: Worthy Grand Matron, I have the pleasure of introducing these Past Grand Matrons and Past Grand Patrons of Other Grand Jurisdictions: Sisters: Sue Peterson, Arizona; Jean Lockard, District of Columbus; Patricia J. Williams, Florida; Annelle W. Hammond, Georgia; Terrie C. Castay, Louisiana and Grand Secretary; Mary L. Howell, Louisiana; Linda Lamkin, Louisiana; Janet S. Shook, Louisiana; Juanita Wilkinson, Louisiana; Dawn Robinson, Maine; Frances Sumrall, Mississippi; Marion Buchan, Nova Scotia and Prince

Edward Island; Deborah Beard, Oklahoma; Margie McConnell, Oklahoma; Brenda B. Jones, Virginia; Nadine Raffelson, Wyoming; Past Grand Matrons and Brothers: Dale Robinson, Iowa; James Premeaux, Louisiana; Owen Major, Oklahoma; James L. McAlister, Oklahoma, Past Grand Patrons. Order of the Eastern Star.

WGM: As you stand before the Altar, there comes to each of us a memory of years of love and dedication you have given to each of your Grand Jurisdictions. Please accept our warm welcome and our thanks for all that you have done and continue to do. Worthy Grand Patron, I know that you will want to greet our Past Grand Matrons and Past Grand Patrons of other Grand Jurisdictions.

WGP: Thank you, Worthy Grand Matron. Wow! Look at the Eastern Star knowledge standing out there. It is amazing! But the knowledge that y'all just have that you can help those of us that are in that position right now. It is an honor to have you attend our Grand Chapter Session and we do hope you enjoy your time here in Houston. Thank you very much.

WGM: Sisters Grand Conductress and Associate Grand Conductress, you will escort our Past Grand Matrons and Past Grand Patrons of Other Grand Jurisdictions to the East. (Three raps and applause) Sisters and Brothers, I have the privilege to present these Past Grand Matrons and Past Grand Patrons of other Grand Jurisdictions and you will salute them with Grand Honors. Sisters Grand Conductress and Associate Grand Conductress, they will be seated in the Chapter room. (One rap) We are honored with the presence of Past Grand Matrons and Past Grand Patrons of Texas. Sisters Grand Conductress and Associate Grand Conductress, you will present the Past Grand Matrons and Past Grand Patrons of Texas at the Altar.

GC: Worthy Grand Matron, I have the pleasure of introducing these Past Grand Matrons and Past Grand Patrons of Texas: Sisters Elise B. Hammack; Betty Phillips Benham; Dr. Effie Mae Davis; Jane Gregory; Yvonne Brownfield; Naomi Wolfe; Jimmie Lee McMahan; Joyce Nicklas; Bess Caldwell, Past Grand Matrons, and Brothers: Richard Ochs; Harold Trammell; Nelson Campbell; John Creel; Ray Hertenberger; Bill Wyatt, Past Grand Patrons. Grand Chapter of Texas, Order of the Eastern Star. (Applause)

WGM: Because of your experience, we often seek your advice and your guidance. You have provided continuity for our State with beauty, dignity and dedication. So we welcome you and wish to express our appreciation and pride in having you as our very own Past Grand Matrons and Past Grand Patrons. Worthy Grand Patron, I know that you want to greet the Past Grand Matrons and Past Grand Patrons of Texas.

WGP: Thank you, Worthy Grand Matron. This is a very humbling experience seeing all of you lined up at the Altar. Growing up in a Masonic family with my parents heavily involved in the Eastern Star, I've always had a deep respect for our Past Grand Matrons and Past Grand Patrons. I'm looking forward, although it's still hard for me to believe, to joining your ranks in a few days, even if it is at the end of the line. Thank y'all.

WGM: Sisters Grand Conductress and Associate Grand Conductress, you will escort our Past Grand Matrons and Past Grand Patrons of Texas to the East. (Three raps and applause) Sisters and Brothers, I present the Past Grand Matrons and Past Grand Patrons of Texas. You will salute them with Grand Honors. Sisters Grand Conductress and Associate Grand Conductress, they will be seated in the Chapter room. (One rap) We are honored with the presence of the Most Worshipful Grand Master of the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of Texas, Ancient Fee and Accepted Masons. Sisters Grand Conductress and Associate Grand Conductress, you will present the Most Worshipful Grand Master of the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of Texas, Ancient Free and Accepted Masons at the Altar.

GC: Worthy Grand Matron, I have the pleasure of introducing Most Worshipful T.E.

“Gene” Carnes, Most Worshipful Grand Master of the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of Texas, Ancient Free and Accepted Masons.

WGM: Hand in hand, our Orders should go, along life’s toilsome road. Each lending aid to weary travelers who falter beneath their loads, both giving help to pilgrims weak when traveling near and far, one by the Compasses led straight, the other following the Star. It is an honor to have our Brother here and to introduce him as the Most Worshipful Grand Master of Texas. Worthy Grand Patron, I know that you want to greet the Most Worshipful Grand Master.

WGP: Thank you, Worthy Grand Matron. Most Worshipful Sir, we thank you for your efforts and support of the Grand Chapter of Texas this year. Our fraternities are working together for the benefit of both Masons and Eastern Star. I also would like to thank you for taking a few minutes of your time at Grand Lodge last year to sign one of your ball caps. As I told you yesterday, I did give it this to my son who wears it proudly in Afghanistan today. We are also looking forward to your Grand Lodge Session. Again, we thank you for your dedication to the Masons of Texas and the Grand Chapter of Texas.

WGM: Sisters Grand Conductress and Associate Grand Conductress, you will escort our Most Worshipful Grand Master to the Grand East. (Three raps and applause) Sister and Brothers, I present the Most Worshipful Grand Master of the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of Texas, Ancient Free and Accepted Masons. You will extend to him a very warm welcome. (Applause) Sisters Grand Conductress and Associate Grand Conductress, he will be seated in the Grand Chapter Room. (One rap and applause)

We are honored with the presence of Installed Grand Officers and Elected Board Members of Other Grand Jurisdictions. Sisters Grand Conductress and Associate Grand Conductress, you will present the Installed Grand Officers and Elected Board Members of Other Grand Jurisdictions in back of Esther’s station.

GC: Worthy Grand Matron, I have the pleasure of introducing the Installed Grand Officers and Elected Board Members of Other Grand Jurisdictions: Sisters: Vicki Starr, Associate Grand Matron, District of Columbia; Shirley Boone, Associate Grand Matron, Louisiana; Melissa Griffin, Associate Grand Matron, Oklahoma; Brothers: Sam Beard, Associate Grand Patron, Oklahoma; Ralph Swinamer, Associate Grand Patron, Kingston, Nova Scotia; Gene Cagle, Associate Grand Patron, Louisiana; Sisters: Shirley Neihoff, Grand Secretary, Oklahoma; Bonnie Varnell, Grand Conductress, New Mexico, Kathy Stegall, Grand Conductress, Oklahoma; Irene Stadick, Grand Conductress, Virginia; Pamela Gill, Associate Grand Conductress, Louisiana; Irma Maxwell, Associate Grand Conductress, Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island and member of the Cardinal Crew; Christine J. Steyerman, Grand Chaplain, Louisiana; Brother Larry McVey, Grand Chaplain, Mississippi; Sisters: Myjha Riem, Grand Chaplain, Oklahoma; Marquette Poe, Grand Lecturer, Oklahoma; Nancy Hickman, Grand Marshal, Louisiana; Jeanie Norman, Grand Marshal, Oklahoma; Betty Summitt, Grand Organist, Louisiana, Judy Hall, Grand Organist, Oklahoma; Lynn Palmer, Grand Adah, Louisiana; Fayce Bacle, Grand Ruth, Louisiana; Janette McCarstle, Grand Ruth, Mississippi; Rose Patterson, Grand Esther, Mississippi; Kay McAlister, Grand Esther, Oklahoma; Cynthia M. Rogers, Grand Martha, New Hampshire; Donna Major, Grand Martha, Oklahoma; Joyce Boyt, Grand Electa, Louisiana; Betty Boyett, Grand Electa, Oklahoma; Ann Kinsler, Grand Warder, Oklahoma; Brothers: Dr. Charles W. “Bill” Bane, Grand Sentinel, District of Columbia, and International Headquarters Administrator; Harold “Hal” Guyer, Grand Sentinel, Oklahoma; Elected Board Members: Sisters: Margaret Krasso, ESTARL, Louisiana; Betty Nichols, Fraternal Assistance, Louisiana; Martha Jo Schexneider, Fraternal Assistance, Louisiana. Order of the Eastern Star

WGM: Life’s a lot brighter and happier, because of thoughtful people like you and we

are so happy that you have chosen to be with us today. May you live each day to its fullest measure, experience the beauty of every moment and realize all your dreams come true. Worthy Grand Patron, I know that you want to greet the Installed Grand Officers and Elected Board Members of Other Grand Jurisdictions.

WGP: Thank you, Worthy Grand Matron. Thank you for joining us today and I hope that you enjoy your stay in Houston. I hope before you leave that you have the opportunity to visit some of the various sights in the Houston area.

WGM: Sisters Grand Conductress and Associate Grand Conductress, you will escort the Installed Grand Officers and Elected Board Members of Other Grand Jurisdictions to the Grand East. (Applause) Sisters and Brothers, I present the Installed Grand Officers and Elected Board Members of Other Grand Jurisdictions. You will extend them a very warm welcome. (Applause) Sisters Grand Conductress and Associate Grand Conductress, they will be seated in the Grand Chapter Room.

We are honored with the presence of Special Appointees of the Most Worthy Grand Matron and Most Worthy Grand Patron and Elected Officers of the International Grand Representatives Association. Sisters Grand Conductress and Associate Grand Conductress, you will present the Special Appointees of the Most Worthy Grand Matron and Most Worthy Grand Patron and the Elected Officers of the International Grand Representatives Association in back of Esther's station.

GC: Worthy Matron, I have the pleasure of introducing the Special Appointments of the Most Worthy Grand Matron and Most Worthy Grand Patron: Sister Sylvia Garcia, Deputy to the Most Worthy Grand Matron, Mexico; Brother Raul Garcia, Deputy to the Acting Most Worthy Grand Patron, Mexico and Central America; Sisters Phyllis Macon, International Grand Representatives Association, President; Gay Carnes, Tri-Line Book, Calendar and Souvenir Book and Cardinal Crew Committee. Order of the Eastern Star

WGM: Each of you has special duties assigned to you by the Most Worthy Grand Matron and Most Worthy Grand Patron. They have placed their trust in you because of your experience and dedication to our beautiful Order. We thank you for your years of dedication and welcome you to this Grand Chapter Session. Worthy Grand Patron, I know that you want to greet the Special Appointments of the Most Worthy Grand Matron and Most Worthy Grand Patron and Elected Officers of the International Grand Representatives Association.

WGP: Thank you, Worthy Grand Matron. My friends, you represent endless hours of hard work and dedication to our Order. Thank you for sharing your time with us.

WGM: Sisters Grand Conductress and Associate Grand Conductress, you will escort the Special Appointees of the Most Worthy Grand Matron and Most Worthy Grand Patron and Elected Officers of the International Grand Representatives Association to the East. (Applause) Sisters and Brothers, I present the Special Appointees of the Most Worthy Grand Matron and Most Worthy Grand Patron and the Elected Officers of the International Grand Representatives Association. You will extend them a very warm welcome. (Applause) Sisters Grand Conductress and Associate Grand Conductress, they will be returned to their seats in the Grand Chapter Room.

We are honored with the presence of Grand Representatives of Texas in Other Grand Jurisdictions. Sisters Grand Conductress and Associate Grand Conductress, you will present these Grand Representatives of Texas in Other Grand Jurisdiction at the Altar.

GC: Worthy Grand Matron, I have the pleasure of introducing the Grand Representatives of Texas in Other Jurisdictions: Sisters Joanne Corris, British Columbia; Joyce Honerlah, California; Frances E. Pate, District of Columbia; Jane Mercer Elkins, Florida; Carol Howard, Georgia; Rose Leeman, Illinois; Lois McNeil, Iowa; Gay Topper, Maryland; Julie Littell, Michigan; Lovis Hicks, Mississippi; Margaret McLeod, New York;

Brenda Clarke, Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island; Brother Eugene (Gene) Garriss, Oklahoma; Sisters Mary Kingsbury, Washington; Dixie Mathisen, Wyoming. Order of the Eastern Star

WGM: Your presence here represents one of the most beautiful aspects of our Order – that of fellowship and we appreciate your presence. It is my pleasure to welcome you to Texas. We hope that you enjoy a very rewarding stay in our State. As you leave this Grand Jurisdiction may you take with you the memory of fraternal friendship and love. Worthy Grand Patron, would you like to greet our Grand Representatives of Texas in Other Grand Jurisdictions?

WGP: Thank you, Worthy Grand Matron. The Worthy Grand Matron of Texas, through the recommendation of your Worthy Grand Matron, has appointed you the Representative of Texas in your respective Grand Jurisdictions. You are our fraternal liaisons in your Jurisdiction and we are so pleased that you have come to Texas to visit. Now, there are two of you out there that are very special to my family. One is Representative of Texas in Nova Scotia, who is my brother's counterpart and the other is the Grand Representative, who I think put this ad in our yearbook, honoring my son. Thank you very much.

WGM: Sisters Grand Conductress and Associate Grand Conductress, you will escort these Grand Representatives of Texas in Other Grand Jurisdictions to the East. (Three raps and applause) Sisters and Brothers, it is with much pride and joy that I present the Grand Representatives of Texas in Other Grand Jurisdictions. You will salute them with the Grand Honors. Sisters Grand Conductress and Associate Grand Conductress, they we be returned to their seats in the Grand Chapter Room. (One rap)

We are honored with the presence of Grand Representatives of Other Grand Jurisdictions in Other Grand Jurisdictions. Sisters Grand Conductress and Associate Grand Conductress, you will present the Grand Representatives of Other Grand Jurisdictions in Other Grand Jurisdictions at the Altar.

GC: Worthy Grand Matron, I have the pleasure of introducing the Grand Representatives of Other Grand Jurisdictions in Other Grand Jurisdictions: Sister Mary Jane Delozier, California in Oklahoma; Brother: Paul Niehoff, Connecticut in Oklahoma; Sisters: Melanie Boss, Mississippi in Washington, Lynette McVey, New Brunswick in Mississippi; Wanda Hosmer, Sao Paulo, Brazil in New Mexico. Order of the Eastern Star.

WGM: Welcome and we hope that you feel our sincere and heartfelt appreciation for the time that you have shared and know that we shall cherish the memory that you made the effort to be with us at this our 129th Session of the Grand Chapter of Texas. Worthy Grand Patron, I know you would like to greet the Grand Representatives of Other Jurisdictions in Other Grand Jurisdictions.

WGP: Thank you, Worthy Grand Matron. Likewise, each of you represents the Grand Jurisdiction to another. You are an ambassador to help extend the hands of friendship from one Grand Jurisdiction to another. We appreciate your attendance and hope you enjoy wherever your travels may take you. We are so pleased to host you here in Texas and look forward to those special friendships that are part of your appointment.

WGM: Sisters Grand Conductress and Associate Grand Conductress, you will escort these Grand Representatives of Other Grand Jurisdictions in Other Grand Jurisdictions to the East. (Three raps and applause) Sisters and Brothers, it is with much pride and joy that I present the Grand Representatives of Other Grand Jurisdictions in Other Grand Jurisdictions. You will salute them with Grand Honors. (Applause) Sisters Grand Conductress and Associate Grand Conductress, they will be returned to their seats in the Grand Chapter Room. (One rap)

We are honored with the presence of Grand Representatives of Other Grand Jurisdictions in Texas. Sisters Grand Conductress and Associate Grand Conductress, you will

present the Grand Representatives of Other Grand Jurisdictions in Texas at the Altar.

GC: Worthy Grand Matron, I have the pleasure of Introducing the Grand Representatives of Other Jurisdictions in Texas: Sisters: Sandra Power, Alabama, Mary Bond, Arizona; Brother Joe White, Arkansas and Cardinal Crew Member; Sisters: Vicki Matthews, Bolivia, South America; Lynnda Wilkins, British Columbia and Yukon; Chris Puckett, Colorado; Betty J. Lynn, District of Columbia; Doris Wagner, Florida; Virginia Akins, Georgia; Wanelle Mikeworth, Idaho; Millie Sikes, Indiana; Patsy Hewlett, Iowa; Edna Marsh, Kansas; Joyce Ball, Manitoba; Linda Jackson, Maryland; Diane Davidson, Mississippi; Linda Hargis, Missouri; Patsy Duke, Nevada; Barbara Grant Scott, New Jersey; Brothers: Paul Zappe, New Mexico; Richard Hancock, North Carolina; Gary Drescher, Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island; Sisters: Martha Atkerson, Ontario; Linda Hugo, Oregon; Cathi Cannon, Quebec; Kitty Welch Thompson, Sao Paulo, Brazil; Sharon London, Rhode Island; Brother Carl Unlaub, South Carolina; Sisters: Carol Jackson, South Dakota; Evelyn Huddleston, Tennessee; Brother Boyd Kramer, Utah; Sister Linda Carney, Vermont; Brother Trey Smith, West Virginia; Sister Helen Milner, Wisconsin; Brother Jack Beall, Wyoming. Order of the Eastern Star

WGM: You each will have the unique experience of traveling many miles to represent our Grand Chapter in other Grand Jurisdictions. It is because of your many years of service and dedication that you were selected to represent Texas in Other Grand Jurisdictions. As you travel, may you take with you the knowledge and support of our State's fraternal friendship and love. Worthy Grand Patron, would like to greet the Grand Representatives of Other Grand Jurisdictions in Texas.

WGP: Thank you, Worthy Grand Matron. You have been selected to represent another Grand Jurisdiction here in Texas. You are also our Ambassadors and you represent our magnificent State as you attend the Grand Chapter of the Grand Jurisdiction you represent. We know that each of you has done this both eloquently and gracefully. Thank you. I have been asked to make this announcement too, those of you that are Representatives of Other Jurisdictions in Texas and Texas in Other Jurisdictions, as you leave the stage would you please go back behind the stage here to get your flag for our Representatives Drill in a few minutes.

WGM: Sisters Grand Conductress and Associate Grand Conductress, you will escort the Grand Representatives to the East. (Three raps and applause) Sisters and Brothers, it is with much pride and joy that I present the Grand Representatives of Other Grand Jurisdictions in Texas. You will salute them with Grand Honors. Sisters Grand Conductress and Associate Grand Conductress, they will be seated in the Grand Chapter Room. (One rap)

We are honored with the presence of the Special Appointments of the Most Worthy Grand Matron and Most Worthy Grand Patron. Sisters Grand Conductress and Associate Grand Conductress, you will present the Special Appointments of the Most Worthy Grand Matron in back of Esther's station.

GC: Worthy Grand Matron, I have the pleasure of introducing Special Appointments of the Most Worthy Grand Matron: Sisters Lea Legg, Secretary to the Most Worthy Grand Matron; Barbara Grobler, Secretary to the Acting Most Worthy Grand Patron; Cardinal Crew Committee: Willie Mae Shaw, Chairman; Georgia Campbell; Karl Drescher; Betty Martin; Betty Morris; Patricia Stallings; Nanette Gwaltney, General Grand Chapter Travel Coordinator. Order of the Eastern Star.

WGM: To you is assigned a variety of tasks by the Most Worthy Grand Matron. She has selected each of you because of your special knowledge and your history of love of our Order. As you fulfill your duties, may you experience the beauty of every moment of service. Worthy Grand Patron, I invite you to bring greetings to the Special Appointments of the Most Worthy Grand Matron.

WGP: Thank you Worthy Grand Matron. Your appointments are ones of special recognition due to your love and service to the Order. Thank you all for attending our Grand Chapter Session. We sincerely appreciate your hard work.

WGM: Sister Grand Conductress and Associate Grand Conductress, you will escort the Special Appointments of the Most Worthy Grand Matron to the East. (Applause) Sisters and Brothers, I present the Special Appointments of the Most Worthy Grand Matron. You will extend to them a very warm welcome (Applause) Sisters Grand Conductress and Associate Grand Conductress, they will be returned to their seats in the Grand Chapter Room.

We are honored with the presence of Grand Chapter Committee Members and Appointments of Other Grand Jurisdictions. Sisters Grand Conductress and Associate Grand Conductress, you will present the Grand Chapter Committee Members and Special Appointments of Other Grand Jurisdictions in back of Esther's station.

GC: Worthy Grand Matron, I have the pleasure of introducing the Grand Chapter Committee Members and Appointments of Other Grand Jurisdictions: Joy Carter, District 9 Chairman, Cancer Research, Louisiana; Wanda Hagemeyer, Personal Page, Louisiana; John McDonald, General Arrangements, Louisiana; Dennie Boyt, District 8 Chairman, Disaster Assistance, Louisiana; Rovenia McDonald, Sessions, General Banquet, Louisiana; Danneda Perkins, Cancer Research, Louisiana; Rynd Barnes, Co-Chairman, Courtesy, Oklahoma; Shirley Dunn, Co-Chairman, Reception, Oklahoma; Dee Guyer, Miniature Golf and Grand Escort, Oklahoma; James Kinser, Banquet Committee, Oklahoma; Nancy Parker, Chairman, Oklahoma. Order of the Eastern Star.

WGM: Each of you has important and assigned duties as defined for your Committee. May you always have confidence in yourself, to do the things you must do and may your life be filled with the love and happiness you always give to others. Worthy Grand Patron, would you like to greet the Grand Chapter Committee Members and Appointments of Other Grand Jurisdictions.

WGP: Thank you, Worthy Grand Matron. Thanks to you for attending our Session and for your hard work and dedication within your Grand Chapter. Thank you and welcome!

WGM: Sisters Grand Conductress and Associate Grand Conductress, you will escort the Grand Chapter Committee Members and Appointments of Other Grand Jurisdictions to the East. (Applause) Sisters and Brothers, I have the pleasure to present the Grand Chapter Committee Members and Appointments of Other Grand Jurisdictions. You will extend them a very warm welcome. (Applause) Sister Grand Conductress and Associate Grand Conductress, they will return to their seats in the Grand Chapter Room.

WGP: Sisters and Brothers, while they are returned to their seats, we have a couple of items in Lost and Found that we may have a couple of people nervous over. There are keys for a Chevrolet, so if you have lost the key to your car, it's in Lost and Found. Lori Maywalt, your credentials are in Lost and Found. And we just found a jewel from Pittsburg Chapter on the floor up here, it is not in Lost and Found, it's up here at the Grand Secretary's desk. So if you have lost any of those items, that's where they are.

WGM: We are honored with the presence of Presiding Officers of Appendant Bodies. Sisters Grand Conductress and Associate Grand Conductress, you will present the Presiding Officers of Appendant Bodies in back of Esther's station.

GC: Worthy Grand Matron, I have the pleasure of introducing the Presiding Officers of Appendant Bodies: Sister Judy Hall, Grand Royal Matron, Order of the Amaranth, Oklahoma; Brother Bill Barnes, Grand Royal Patron, Order of the Amaranth, Oklahoma; Sister Rachel Jackson, Royal Matron, Order of the Amaranth, Texas. Order of the Eastern Star

WGM: Your participation in these organizations confirms your commitment to the precepts of benevolent aid and fellowship that we all prize. We thank you for your service to

these organizations and for being here and sharing this Grand Chapter with us. Worthy Grand Patron, would you like to greet the Presiding Officers of Appendant Bodies.

WGP: Yes ma'am, I would. Your dedication and service to your respective appendant bodies assures us of your belief in the principles of brotherly love and service, a tenant in which we share. Thank you for being with us at our Grand Chapter Session.

WGM: Sisters Grand Conductress and Associate Grand Conductress, you will escort the Presiding Officers of Appendant Bodies to the Grand East. (Applause) Sisters and Brothers, it is with much pride and joy that I present the Presiding Officers of Appendant Bodies. You will extend them a very warm welcome. (Applause) Sisters Grand Conductress and Associate Grand Conductress, they will be returned to their seats in the Grand Chapter Room.

We are honored with the presence of Youth and Adult Leaders of Fraternal Youth Organizations. Sisters Grand Conductress and Associate Grand Conductress, you will present the Youth and Adult Leaders of Fraternal Youth Organizations in back of Esther's station.

GC: Worthy Grand Matron, I have the pleasure of introducing the Adult Leaders of Fraternal Youth Organizations: Marlene Dibrell, Supreme Fidelity, Supreme Liaison with Mexico, International Order of the Rainbow for Girls; JoAnn Weaver, Supreme Deputy in Texas, International Order of the Rainbow for Girls.

WGM: It is a time-honored concept that the youth of our country are the future of our Eastern Star and Masonic Orders. But just as important is the training and experience that our young people receive in our organizations that make them responsible and contributing members in the world of the future. We honor you and commend your youth leaders to their commitment to these organizations. Worthy Grand Patron, I would like you to greet the Youth and Adult Leaders of Fraternal Youth Organizations.

WGP: Thank you, Worthy Grand Matron. Yes, I agree with those thoughts of the Worthy Grand Matron for the youth of today is definitely the future for Eastern Star and Masonry. We love to see you, the adult leaders and young people, participating not only in their respective organizations, but in ours as well as they bring fresh ideas. Thank you for attending.

WGM: Sisters Grand Conductress and Associate Grand Conductress, you will escort the Youth and Adult Leaders of Fraternal Youth Organizations to the East. (Applause) Sisters and Brothers, it is with much pride and joy that I present the Youth and Adult Leaders of Fraternal Youth Organizations. You will extend to them a very warm welcome. (Applause) Sisters Grand Conductress and Associate Grand Conductress, they will be returned to their seats in the Grand Chapter Room. (Applause)

Sisters Grand Conductress and Associate Grand Conductress, you have completed your duties (Applause). Sisters and Brothers, let us please show our appreciation to these two very special Sisters for a beautiful and outstanding performance (Applause and standing ovation). And to the members present in this Grand Chapter Room, we have completed our formal introductions today. (Applause)

To everyone who came to join us at this *Garden of Friendship Grand Chapter Session*, we extend to each of you our warmest welcome. Thank you very much.

To welcome and bring Greetings is one who is well known for his knowledge and dedication to our Order. He is a Past Grand Patron of Texas but whom we now share with Missouri because of his residence in his home state. I have the pleasure of introducing Brother H. Lee Stallings, Executive Committee Member, Financial Chairman – Texas, General Grand Chapter and a Past Grand Patron of Texas.

Brother Stallings: Thank you, Worthy Grand Matron. Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Most Worthy Grand Matron, Acting Most Worthy Grand Patron, Distinguished Members, my Sisters and Brothers. It is a distinct pleasure for me to welcome

you to Texas and 129th *Garden of Friendship Session* Grand Chapter of Texas. Most Worthy Grand Matron, Acting Most Worthy Grand Patron, we are so pleased to have you and your officers with us today. Sister Rennie, it's always good to have you amongst your flock. You know, if you're not from Texas, there's a few things you should know so I'm going to share six of those with you. First of all, never ask a person if they're from Texas. If they are, they'll tell you; if they're not, no need to embarrass them. (Laughter) You can always tell a Texan, you just can't tell them much. (Laughter) If you done it, it ain't bragging. Never slap a Texan with tobacco in his mouth. (Laughter) Never kick a cow chip on a hot day. (Laughter) And always drink upstream from the herd. (Laughter) Think about it. Seriously, Sisters and Brothers, there are a few things you should know about Texas. First of all, it's about our name. Our name is based on the Caddo Indian word "Tejas", which means "friend or allies". And that's exactly what we want to be to you. If there's anything that we can do while you are here in Texas to make your stay more memorable or enjoyable, just let us know. The State of Texas is a mini world into itself. Head north for snow, south for the Gulf of Mexico, west for the desert and Big Bend, east for the Piney Woods. But even with all these marvels, the one thing that the Lone Star State is most known for is its great people. Get to know us and find that out for yourself. And lastly, Sisters and Brothers, the Stars, or should I say Eastern Stars, over Texas tonight will shine brighter because of your presence here today. So on behalf of the Worthy Grand Matron and the Worthy Grand Patron, and all the members of the Grand Chapter of Texas, welcome to Texas. (Applause)

WGM: Thank you, Brother Lee Stallings for that very warm welcome. It is my honor to introduce to you Sister Barbara "Bobbi" White, Right Worthy Associate Grand Matron, General Grand Chapter and Past Grand Matron of West Virginia who will bring the Response to the Welcome.

Sister Bobbi White: Howdy Texas!! (Howdy!) You're awake! That's what I was wanting to find out. Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Most Worthy Grand Matron, Acting Most Worthy Grand Patron, General Grand Chapter Officers, Distinguished Guests, Sisters and Brothers. Sister Mary Ruth, thank you for the privilege of responding to the tremendous welcome we have received since we arrived in Texas. And it is Texxxxxsaaas, not just Texas. I learned that a long time ago. How honored we are to be with you once again and share this special time with you. As you present the record of your year of service to this Grand Jurisdiction of Texas each of us hope you have a wonderful Session and all your dreams and plans are fulfilled. Your seeds of friendship have certainly flourished through the years and have blossomed into this beautiful *Garden of Friendship Session* we are enjoying with you this year. Sister Rennie, Most Worthy Grand Matron, we have come to help you celebrate your Homecoming to your Grand Chapter, as well as, almost being released from near home confinement. You are loved in Texas as was evidenced by the beautiful tribute given to you last night, my dear friend. Now I know, like Lee said, you gotta learn a few things about Texas. I've learned quite a few things over the years I've been coming here. But I think there's one thing that you should know and it's about your shampoo. I have a warning about your shampoo here in Texas. Washing my hair with your shampoo and you better read the label because it says, now I don't know why I didn't figure this out earlier, but it's the shampoo you use in the shower and the shampoo runs down your body and duh, printed very clearly on it, the shampoo label is this message "for extra volume and body". No wonder I've been gaining weight! (Laughter) Well, I fixed the problem. I threw that shampoo out and started using Dawn dish soap instead. Now their label reads "dissolves fat that is otherwise difficult to remove". (Laughter) So problem solved. Now if y'all call me on the phone and I don't answer, I'm probably in the shower. Thank you once again.

WGM: Thank you, Right Worthy Associate Grand Matron, Sister Bobbi White, for your

very kind response to the welcome. To bring greetings from Other Grand Jurisdictions, I have the honor to introduce to you a special friend of mine, Sister Beverly Boyett, Worthy Grand Matron, Grand Chapter of Oklahoma. Sister Beverly, I invite you to bring greetings from Other Grand Jurisdictions.

Sister Beverly Boyett: Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Most Worthy Grand Matron, Acting Most Worthy Grand Patron, General Grand Chapter Officers and Committee Members, Distinguished East, Sisters and Brothers. Sister Mary Ruth and Brother Art, your trail to the East has been a long and winding road as you have gathered memories along the trail and planted your garden with new and old friendships. Friends are flowers in the Garden of Life. Faith, Family and Friends are the keys to true happiness and there is so much happiness in Houston today. We appreciate all the courtesies, friendships and love that your membership has shown to each of us at your 129th *Garden of Friendship Session*. I would like to invite everyone to the Scottish Rite Temple in the historic town of Guthrie, to attend Oklahoma's Memories of a Dream Come True Grand Session on October 16-19th. Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron, it was an honor for me to bring greetings on behalf of your Distinguished Guests at this Grand Session and on behalf of your Guests, I would like to present you with this token of our love and friendship. (Applause)

WGM: Thank you, Worthy Grand Matron for a lovely greeting. Our program says we will now have some special music from the Grand Choir but if we look at our watches and we realize the two programs that we need to complete before we go to dinner this evening, we are going to have to put this off until tomorrow. So I hope that the Grand Choir will save that special number for us because we do want to hear your program. It's just not going to be possible today. I now call on Sister Rita Lytle, our Fraternal Correspondent for her report and program.

Sister Rita Lytle: I invite Sister Phyllis Macon to join me please. Sister Grand Marshal, please prepare the Grand Representatives for their presentation.

WGM: Sister Grand Conductress, you will close the Holy Bible on our Altar. (Three raps) (After Bible was closed, one rap)

Sister Rita Lytle: Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, all of our Distinguished Members and Guests and all of my wonderful Sisters and Brothers. The commission as a Grand Representative is one of the most honored gifts a Worthy Grand Matron can bestow upon a member of our Order. What a joy has been mine this year to receive the reports from the Grand Representatives who visited their appointed States. I felt that I was there also. It's always fun to read about the different interpretations from state to state. Thank you Worthy Grand Matron for your confidence in me. I hope that I have fulfilled your expectations even though I could not travel with you due to family illnesses. Worthy Grand Patron, thank you also for agreeing with her choice. Sister Phyllis Macon, you are a special friend of mine and I appreciate your help. Sister Tava Smith, thank you for always responding so quickly to my emails. Thank you Sister Grand Marshal for your help also. To my parent Chapter, Spring 1105 and my dual Chapter, Klein 1141, you are so special to me and I thank you for loving and supporting me in all of my endeavors. All of Eastern Star is bound together by a strong tie, our Obligation. And as each Grand Representative is presented, please remember that we are all special members with the hope that one day you will be in this presentation. Grand Representatives, we salute you who have represented Texas so well all over the world. Your visits have strengthened the ties that bind. Sister Grand Marshal please present the Grand Representatives with their flags and their escorts. Some of the names are not in attendance but we do want to recognize them. Alabama, the Cotton State, Sandra Power; Alberta, the Western Most of Canada's three Provinces, Arizona, the Land of Opportunity, Mary Bond – escorted by her counterpart, Mrs. Bell; Arkansas, the Natural State, Joseph White; Australia,

the World's leading producer in Wool, Gary Mosmeyer; Bolivia, 28th largest country has about 1 ½ times the area of Texas, Vickie Mathews; British Columbia and Yukon, Canada's only Pacific Coast Providence, Lynnda Wilkins, escorted by her counterpart; California, the Golden State, Kathryn Whaley; Colorado, the Centennial State, Christina Puckett; Connecticut, the Constitution State, A. L. Casparis; Delaware, our First State, Charles Fischer; District of Columbia, the Capital of the United States, Betty Lynn, escorted by her counterpart, Frances Pate; Florida, the Sunshine State, Vickie Hertenberger; Georgia, the Peach State, Virginia Aiken escorted by her counterpart, Carol Howard; Idaho, the Gem State, Wanelle Mikeworth; Illinois, the Land of Lincoln, Bobbye Straach; Indiana, the Home of Indy 500, Millie Sikes escorted by her counterpart, Jane Feitz; Iowa, the Hawkeye State, Patsy Hewlett escorted by her counterpart, Lois McNeil; Kansas, the Sunflower State, Edna Marsh; Kentucky, the Bluegrass State, Al Caldwell; Louisiana, the Pelican State, Janice Ann Kelley; Maine, the Pine Tree State, Hilda Franklin; Manitoba, famous for the development of Northern Heart Wheat, Joyce Ball; Maryland, the Old Lime State, Linda Jackson; Massachusetts, the Bay State, Oleta Cornelius; Michigan, the Wolverine State, Bonnell Wilson; Minnesota, the North Star State, Marcia Benton; Mississippi, Magnolia State, Diane Davidson escorted by her counterpart, Louis Hicks; Missouri, the Show Me State, Linda Hargis; Montana, the Treasure State, Kris Miller; Nebraska, the Cornhusker State, Hazel Wright; Nevada, the Silver State, Patsy Duke; New Brunswick, surrounded on three sides by the Atlantic Ocean, Donna Pope; New Hampshire, the Granite State, Ramona Nance; New Jersey, the Garden State, Barbara Grant Scott, New Mexico, the Land of Enchantment, Paul Zappe; New York, the Empire State, Dr. Leslie Keilberg escorted by her counterpart, Margaret McLeod; North Carolina, the Tarheel State, Richard Hancock; North Dakota, the Peace Garden State, Nettie Carpenter; Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island, one of the four original Canadian Providences, Brenda Clark, the daughter-in-law of our late Most Worthy Grand Patron Brother Fred Clark, is the Grand Representative to Nova Scotia in Texas and is escorted by her husband Dave carrying the Nova Scotia flag and Brother Gary Drescher is carrying the Prince Edward Island flag; Ohio, the Buckeye State, Russell Harper; Oklahoma, the Sooner State, Erma Brookshire; Ontario, established by British Loyalist, who left the United States to escape persecution, Marti Atkerson; Oregon, the Sunset State, Linda Hugo, Pennsylvania, the Keystone State, Rex Parkison; Puerto Rico, became a Commonwealth in 1952, Andrew Scott; Quebec, the oldest and largest Canadian Province, Cathi Cannon; Rhode Island, the Ocean State, Sharon London; San Paulo, Brazil, Kitty Welch Thompson; Saskatchewan, producer of more than half of Canada's wheat crop, Frances Hood; Scotland, the northern part of the Island of Great Britain, Sharon Adams; South Carolina, the Charleston Museum is the oldest in the USA, Carl Unlaub, South Dakota, the Coyote State, Carol Jackson, Tennessee, the Volunteer State, Evelyn Huddleston; Utah, the Beehive State, Boyd Kramer; Vermont, the Green Mountain State, Linda Carney; Virginia, the Mother of Presidents, Robert Coursey escorted by his counterpart Gene Garriss; Washington, the Evergreen State, Connie Beth Henson escorted by her counterpart Mary Kingsburg; West Virginia, the Mountain State, Trey Smith, Wisconsin, the Badger State, Helen Milner; Wyoming, the Equality State, Jack Beall, escorted by his counterpart, Dixie Matheson.

Sisters and Brothers, these members have worked hard for our Order and are happy to be in this position. Thanks to all of them for being present tonight. Please join me in showing our appreciation. (Applause) Sister Grand Marshal, you will retire the Grand Representatives and their escorts from the Grand Chapter Room. Thank you to everyone for being here to share this presentation. Worthy Grand Matron, thank you again for this wonderful appointment.

WGM: Sister Rita Lytle, our Fraternal Correspondent, I want to thank you and all these

Grand Representatives from both Texas and their counterparts for participating in this beautiful cavalcade of our states flags. It was beautiful, you put a lot of thought into it, Sister Rita, as I knew you would. We have been receiving beautiful reports in our Grand Chapter bulletin this year on visits to the various Grand Jurisdictions. We thank you for those too. Let's show her how much we appreciated this program. Thank you. (Applause) I now invite our General Chairman of the Humanitarian Committee, Sister Laura Sharp. I would like to introduce the Humanitarian Chairmen for the five Districts: Sister Kenlyn Lawrence, Humanitarian Committee, District I; Sister Christeen Ledbetter, District II; Sister Loretta Booth, District III; Sister Mae Bruce, District IV; Sister Sudie Pool, District V. Sister Laura, I invite you to present your Humanitarian Program.

Sister Laura Sharp: Thank you, Worthy Grand Matron. Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Most Worthy Grand Matron, Distinguished Members, Sister, Brothers and Friends. This year the theme was "If you Dream it, you can do it". The theme seemed simple enough in the beginning. However, this idea sparked our imagination of the image of completing the goal we had dreamed of. To realize your dream takes planning, implementation of those plans, and then completion with success. Our very existence as members of this fine Order, this Fraternal Organization, known as the Order of the Eastern Star, is built on a dream by one gentleman by the name of Rob Morris. He had a dream to create an Organization for the ladies of Master Masons. With this dream Rob Morris laid out a splendid blueprint for this Order. Our Worthy Grand Matron had a dream and I'm so thankful that she included all of us in her dream. She gave us inspiration to dream with this opportunity of service to our Order. I had the privilege to serve with five outstanding dreamers who knew just what to do in planning and completing those plans and their dreams for the success of the Humanitarian Committee. The five letters that make up the word DREAM reflect a particular fund designated by our Worthy Grand Matron. The DREAM Team collected donations from their districts for these funds. D is for dreams, Education Fund to assist with scholarship of recent high school graduates but also include older applicants who wish to further their education or training. R is revenue, for our General Fund to assist with the funds of Grand Chapter. E for Education for ESTARL, Eastern Star Training Awards for Religious Leadership and Financial Assistance to students who are continuing their education to do our Master's work. A – Aid for Benevolent Aid to assist our members who may need temporary help or permanent assistance. M is for Members, TMRC to assist members who reside in the Texas Masonic Center to be used for the personal and social needs of those members. This team feels that we have truly contributed in making dreams come true in the Garden of Friendship through this effort of Humanitarian Committee. What a delight it has been to work with each of these capable District Chairman. Each one contacted every Chapter in her District and each Chapter responded with generosity and love. We will hear from each District Chairman who will give some information for the totals of the Humanitarian donations as of July 31st. A supplemental report, I'm glad to say, will be made to the Grand Secretary and probably later in this Grand Chapter for any additional donations for the year 2010-2011. Each letter of DREAM represents each District since there are five, that was real convenient for me to figure out. Ms. Kenlyn Lawrence is for District I, it was handled very nicely for our Dependable and Darling, Ms. Kenlyn Lawrence. You will bring your report.

Sister Kenlyn Lawrence: Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron, it has been an honor and pleasure to serve as the District I Humanitarian Chairman. I appreciate the confidence you placed in me when you appointed me to this rewarding position. Thank you for giving me the opportunity to serve our order in such a special way. I will cherish the memories of the Schools of Instruction and the wonderful new friends I have made, as well as, having an even higher regard for the wonderful members. I am pleased to make the following report:

District One-Mrs. Kenlyn Lawrence:

District One had a total of 8,510 members with 102 Chapters.

61 Chapters	100%
20 Chapters	200%
7 Chapters	300%
7 Chapters	400%
4 Chapters	500%
1 Chapter	600%
2 Chapters	700%

Amount given to Education Fund	\$4,088.14	D
Amount given to General Fund	\$ 954.64	R
Amount given to ESTARL	\$3,667.67	E
Amount given to Benevolent Aid	\$7,327.87	A
Amount given to TMRC	\$1,370.55	M

District One contributed \$17,408.87 to our “If We Can Dream It, We Can Do It” Humanitarian Program.

Sister Laura Sharp: R for District II, It was handled very well by the Reliable and Radiant, Ms. Christeen Ledbetter. We’ll have her report.

Sister Christeen Ledbetter: Thank you, Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron for selecting me to serve as Humanitarian Chairman of District II. It was a busy but fun year. To my co-workers, I have greatly enjoyed working with you and I cherish the friendships we have developed. I would like to thank the Chapters of District II for all their donations this year. Will the Worthy Matrons and Worthy Patrons of District II please stand and also the Junior Past Matrons and Patrons. (Applause)

Chapters in District	37
Chapters Participating In Program	36
Chapters 100% or More	36

100%	25
200%	5
300%	2
400%	1
500%	2
600%	1

Number of Members in District 3,404

Amount given to Education Fund	\$1,829.40	D
Amount given to General Fund	\$ 225.40	R
Amount given to ESTARL Fund	\$2,217.40	E
Amount given to Benevolent Aid	\$ 787.40	A
Amount given to TMRC	<u>\$ 958.40</u>	M
Total Amount given in District	\$6,018.00	

- 200% Chapters: Clarendon #6
Canyon City, #105
Burkburnett #655
Woodbine #738
Freedom #898
- 300% Chapters: Big Springs #67
Amarillo #787
- 400% Chapter: Levelland #797
- 500% Chapters: Cora Posey #1072
Midland #253
- 600% Chapters Seminole #855

It is my pleasure to introduce Mrs. Loretta Booth, District III Chairman.

Sister Laura Sharp: E is for District 3 and it was handled very well by the Efficient and Effervescent, Ms. Loretta Booth.

Sister Loretta Booth: Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron, thank you for allowing me to serve in this very rewarding position this year. To my co-workers, it has been a pleasure working with each of you and I am honored to call you my friends. I challenged the Chapters in District 3 to remember the Humanitarian Program this year as Honorariums or Memorials and they accepted my challenge wholeheartedly. Because of their hard work and dedication to our Order, the Chapters in District 3 have given me the privilege of presenting this Humanitarian Report for District 3.

Number of Chapters in District 3	79
Number of Participating Chapters	79
Number of Chapters 100% or better	
100%	52
200%	18
	Weatherford #21, Brownwood #116, San Saba #191, Santo #270, Eastland #280, Polytechnic #420, Burnet #425, Springtown #498, Taylor #578, Belton #589, Lott #594, Alvarado #656, Graham #668, Hillsboro #769, Mansfield #876, Blum #931, Castleberry #1028, Copperas Cover #1070
300%	3
	Marble Falls #435, Crescent #820, Crowley #1125
400%	3
	Coleman #360, Granbury #530, Riverside #834
500%	3
	Vashti #32, Hadassah #188, Santa Anna #247
Number of Members in District 3	6,060
Amount given to Education Fund	\$ 4,082.72
Amount given to General Fund	\$ 279.20
Amount given to ESTARL Fund	\$ 2,377.70
Amount given to Benevolent Aid	\$ 2,365.87
Amount given to TMRC	<u>\$ 1,017.53</u>
Total Amount given in District III	\$10,123.02

Of the total amount donated to Benevolent Aid, the chapters in District 3 have contributed the sum of \$336.00 to the Alabama OES Benevolent Aid Project.

It is now my pleasure to introduce my co-worker and friend, Sister Mae Bruce from District 4.

Sister Laura Sharp: A is for District 4. It was handled very well by our Manager, no, our Achiever and our Angelic, Mae Bruce.

Sister Mae Bruce: Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron, it's been an honor to represent District 4 on this Humanitarian Committee. These Chapters and their members have demonstrated great generosity in their gifts. And at this time I would like ask all the Chapter representatives from District 4 to please stand so we can recognize all of you. Look at this! You have been terrific and Grand Chapter certainly appreciates all of your gifts. Thank you. You may be seated. (Applause)

District 4 has 106 chapters with 10,512 members. District 4 gave a total of \$20,734.42 to the Humanitarian Fund. All 106 chapters became 100% participation.

We had 40 chapters who reached higher levels, and I do want to give special recognition to a few chapters.

Four chapters reached 500%: Lexington 996, Huffman 1112, Shepherd 1003 and Bluebell 856.

Reaching 600% was Archives 1095.

And our Grand Achiever was Mont Belvieu who reached 1000%.

It has been a pleasure to meet with the members at the ten Schools of Instruction and to see their love of our Order.

Sister Laura Sharp: Now the letter we've been looking for is M for District V and it's for the Manager and Magical, Ms. Sudie Pool, to bring her report.

Sister Sudie Pool: Thank you Sister Laura for that introduction. Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron, my dear Sisters and Brothers, it has been my honor, as well as, pleasure to serve as Humanitarian Chairman for District 5. It is with pride that I present the following report.

Chapters in District	67
Chapters Participating in Program	67
Chapters 100% or more	67

Would all the Chapter Representatives for District 5 please stand. Please give these representatives and the members of District 5 a warm round of applause for a job well done. Thank you, you may be seated.

100%	47
200%	13
300%	5
	Leaky #18
	Kingsville #325
	Jourdanton #581
	Cuero #618
	Bandera #643
400%	1
	Somerset #730
500%	1
	Mathis #874

600%	1	Edinburg #473
900%	1	Floresville #271
1000%	1	Amistad #1115

Number of Members in District 5	5,356
Amount given to Education Fund	\$2,164.30
Amount given to General Fund	\$ 577.80
Amount given to ESTARL Fund	\$3,559.30
Amount given to Benevolent Aid	\$1,586.80
Amount given to TMRC	<u>\$1,325.80</u>
Total Amount Given in District	\$9,214.00

This has been a year of learning, traveling and getting to know the members of District 5. Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron, I cannot thank you enough for giving me this opportunity to bloom in your Garden of Service. Chapters of District 5, I am so proud of all of you and it has been my privilege to work with each of you. Thank you for every courtesy, but most especially for your friendship. Sister Laura, you have been a great support and help and have become a dear friend, I could not possibly have successfully completed this very responsible job without your guidance and support. Thank you for your patience with the "Nut Grass" from District 5 in your Garden of Service. It has been my pleasure to serve with you and the other four Humanitarian District Chairmen.

It has been my honor to present the Humanitarian General Chairman, Laura Sharp. (Applause)

Sister Laura Sharp: As of July 31st we have:

Education Fund	\$16,163.55
General Fund	\$ 3,492.63
ESTARL	\$18,704.66
Benevolent Aid	\$18,922.59
TMRC	<u>\$ 6,214.88</u>
For a total of	\$63,498.31

We have gone over \$64,000, I think of the game show, the \$64,000 Question. I think you won the money. I'm not going to admit I even saw that show. But anyway, we are looking forward an additional report. Throughout this year remember in every Chapter, in every Section, in every District has been loyal to the beautiful principles of our Order. Each one has embraced our Worthy Grand Matron's DREAM challenge "If we can DREAM it, we can do it". As you listened to the results from each of your District Chairman, the total donations reflect the generosity of our membership. As we should continue to exemplify in our lives the obedience and fidelity of Adah, the attachment and constancy of Ruth, the purity and loyalty of Esther and the faith and trust of Martha and the hospitality and love of Electa. If you don't have a dream, how can you make it come true? Remember, without dreams there is no reality. Our challenge to you is to continue to dream "If you can DREAM it, you can do it". Thank you Worthy Grand Matron from your Humanitarian Chairman for the honor to have

served our Grand Chapter this year on the Humanitarian Committee. I challenge you to always have a dream. That concludes our program Worthy Grand Matron. (Applause)

WGM: Thank you, Sister Laura and all five of my District Chairmen. Those were beautiful reports. The membership has responded beautifully to our Humanitarian Program this year and I thank each and every one of you and your Chapters for their participation. Worthy Grand Patron, do you have any other Lost and Found items or announcements to make?

WGP: Not at this time, well, I will say this, we are 30 minutes ahead of our schedule. (Applause)

WGM: This is a good bar to set for our business that we have at hand for Friday and Saturday. We have had the Humanitarian Programs, the Grand Representatives Drill and we have completed all of our formal introductions. And I do thank each and every one of you that stayed with us through this long Session. We appreciate it from the bottom of our hearts. We are going to have a delicious dinner I'm sure at 7:00 at the General Banquet and I hope that I see many of you all there. I invite Dr. Effie Mae Davis, Past Grand Matron of Texas to bring our Benediction. (Three raps)

Dr. Effie Mae Davis: Our Heavenly Father, as we come to the close of the Opening Session of this Grand Chapter, we stand with bowed heads and grateful hearts, counting the many blessings that we have had this day. We thank thee, Father. We count a blessing these Grand Officers and Elected Members of our Boards who traveled the State in the performance of their duties. We count a blessing for their leadership, their faithfulness, and their endurance. May they be remembered this year for their service. We count a blessing for the Officers of General Grand Chapter, who have come to be honored and to affect the purposes of our General Grand Chapter. We count a blessing for the Members of Other Grand Jurisdictions, who have come with joy and happiness in their hearts for the dedication that they feel for our Order. We count a blessing for each Mason that has come, a walking reminder of the Masonic Trust that they have in thee, and in you and me. We count a blessing, the youth groups, their leaders bringing signs of new growth in the future. We count a blessing, the reports we have heard of our Charities, of our Scholarships, the Auctions, and the Silent Auctions. May the sum total of all of our Benevolences equal the needs that we discover. We count a blessing, each member that came to view the business of Grand Chapter this year. May they reach understanding for the days ahead. We count a blessing too for the members that are home, God only knows why. Be it illness or lack of funds, due to drought or fires or floods. But we count a blessing that God is sending them new strength and hope. We count a blessing that we've had reverence and music here to remind us of our faith in Thee and to remind us of thy great gift of saving Grace. We count it a blessing that we have lived to this day to be with our friends and to say to thee, thank you God for these blessings. Count these blessings for us. We count thee and praise thee God. For now and forevermore, for now and forevermore. Amen and Amen and Amen. (One rap)

WGM: Thank you, Sister. Sister Grand Conductress, will you attend at the Altar. (Three raps, Bible Opened) (One rap) Sister Grand Warder, you will inform the Sentinel that we are about to engage in the ceremony of calling the *Garden of Friendship Session* Grand Chapter of Texas from Labor to Rest and direct him to permit no interruptions while we are thus engaged.

GW: (with raps) Brother Grand Sentinel, by order of the Worthy Grand Matron we are calling this Thursday afternoon *Garden of Friendship Grand Chapter Session* from Labor to Rest and you are directed to permit no interruptions while we are thus engaged.

GS: Sister Grand Warder, there will be no interruptions.

GW: Worthy Grand Matron, your order has been obeyed.

WGM: Sister Grand Conductress, you will attend at the Altar.

(GC closes the Bible.)

I now call this Thursday afternoon *Garden of Friendship Session* called from Labor to Rest until 8:00 a.m. Friday morning. Brother Grand Warder, you will so inform the Grand Sentinel.

GW: (no raps) Brother Grand Sentinel, this Thursday afternoon *Garden of Friendship Session* has been called from Labor to Rest until 8:00 a.m. Friday.

WGM: It is well. (One rap)



Deep Purple Banquet



Deep Purple Night

Honoring
Mrs. Mary Ruth White
Worthy Grand Matron
Mr. Arthur Drescher
Worthy Grand Patron



August 11, 2011

Master of Ceremonies

Mr. Ray Hertenberger
Past Grand Patron of Texas

Welcome

Mrs. Naomi Wolfe
Past Grand Matron of Texas

Response to Welcome

Mrs. Joyce Nicklas
Past Grand Matron of Texas

Invocation

Mr. Nelson Campbell
Past Grand Patron of Texas

Dinner

Introductions

Mrs. Patricia Stallings
Cardinal Crew Committee, GGC

Special Entertainment

Mrs. Patricia Falteseck
Associate Matron, Texas City #626
Mrs. Lisa Austin
Past Matron, Texas City #626

Special Presentations

Mr. Ray Hertenberger
Past Grand Patron of Texas

Greetings from the Grand Lodge
Of Texas

Mr. T. E. "Gene" Carnes
Most Worshipful Grand Master
Of the Most Worshipful Grand
Lodge of Texas A.F. & A.M.

Tribute to the Installed Grand Floor
Officers and Elected Board Members

Mrs. Elise Hammack
Past Grand Matron of Texas

Greetings from the Installed Grand
Floor Officers and Elected Board
Members

Mrs. Vi Griffin
Associate Grand Matron of Texas

Tribute to the Past Grand Matrons
And Past Grand Patrons

Mr. Ray Hertenberger
Past Grand Patron of Texas

Greetings from the Past Grand
Matrons and Past Grand Patrons

Mrs. Bess Caldwell
Past Grand Matron of Texas

Greetings from General Grand Chapter

Mr. John Grobler
Acting Most Worthy Grand Patron
And A Past Grand Patron of Washington

Greetings from General Grand Chapter

Mrs. Rennie Ofton
Most Worthy Grand Matron
And A Past Grand Matron of Texas

Tribute to the Worthy Grand Patron

Mr. Henry Martin
General Chairman - Texas, GGC and
A Past Grand Patron of Texas

Greetings from the
Worthy Grand Patron

Mr. K. Arthur Drescher
Worthy Grand Patron of Texas

Tribute to the Worthy Grand Matron

Mrs. Karen Morgenthaler
Cancer Committee, GGC and
A Past Grand Matron of Texas

Special Music

Greetings from the
Worthy Grand Matron

Mrs. Mary Ruth White
Worthy Grand Matron of Texas

Benediction

Mr. William "Bill" Wyatt
Past Grand Patron of Texas

“Deep Purple”

When the deep purple falls over sleepy garden walls,
and the stars begin to flicker in the sky. Thru the
mist of a memory you wonder back to me, breathing
my name with a sigh.

In the still of the night once again I hold you tight,
tho’ you’re gone, your love lives on when moonlight
beams, and as long as my heart will beat, Lover,
we’ll always meet here in my Deep Purple dreams,
Here in my Deep Purple dreams.

**My sincere appreciation to each one who participated
in preparing for this Banquet.**

Mrs. Patricia Stallings – Introductions and Place Cards

Mrs. Marcia Owens and her family – Decorations

Mrs. Sharon Willingham – Printing of the Programs

Mrs. Debby Pruitt, Mrs. Annette Clark, Mrs. Sharon Willingham – Ticket
Committee

Members of District 4, Section 10 – For helping with the Set-up

Mrs. Patricia Faltesek and Mrs. Lisa Austin – For the Special Music

Mrs. Rosemary Swetland, Most Worthy Grand Organist & a Past Grand Matron of
Texas and Ms. Margie Schenkir for the Special Music



GRAND CHAPTER BANQUET
Garden of Friendship, "Deep Purple Night"
Thursday Evening
7:00 p.m., August 11, 2011

Master of Ceremonies

Mr. Ray Hertenberger
Past Grand Patron of Texas

Special Music:

Ms. Patricia Faltesek
Mrs. Lisa Austin
Mrs. Rosemary Swetland
Ms. Margie Schenkir

Brother Ray Hertenberger: Our Worthy Grand Matron has a song which she enjoys quite a lot. The title of this song is "Deep Purple". The theme of this song is that in love we will meet in our "Deep Purple" Dreams. We sincerely hope that you will enjoy this evening in the memories that will bring you pleasant and "Deep Purple" Dreams. It is my honor to invite these Distinguished Members into the banquet hall. Brother John Grobler, Acting Most Worthy Grand Patron and a Past Grand Patron of Washington, escorted by his wife, Barbara Grobler, Escort and Secretary to the Acting Most Worthy Grand Patron. (Applause) Brother John is new to us Texans down here. We're glad to have him with us and in case he hasn't figured it out by now, you do not acclimate to the heat and humidity that we have here on the Gulf Coast. Sister Rennie Ofton is here with us this evening and she has requested that she be introduced here at the head table. She still has some problems with her knee and we are going to give her every opportunity we can to help her to where she'll be able to be more mobile the rest of the Session and through her General Grand Chapter Session. And you will see her mobile on a little cart through the rest of the Grand Chapter so we're just going to call her "Hotrod" for short. (Applause) Next is Brother Art Drescher, Worthy Grand Patron of Texas, escorted by his wife, Marty Drescher, Grand Esther. (Applause) It is indeed my honor and pleasure to introduce Sister Mary Ruth White, Worthy Grand Matron of Texas escorted by her husband, Brother Joseph White, Grand Representative of Arkansas and a member of the Cardinal Crew. (Applause) Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Most Worthy Grand Matron, Acting Most Worthy Grand Patron, General Grand Chapter Officers, Trustees and Committee Members, Worthy Grand Matrons and Worthy Grand Patrons of Other Grand Jurisdictions, Past Grand Matrons and Past Grand Patrons of Other Grand Jurisdictions, Past Grand Matrons and Past Grand Patrons of Texas, Installed Grand Officers of Other Grand Jurisdictions, Installed Grand Officers and Board Members of Texas, Grand Lodge Officers, my very special Sisters and Brothers. Protocol has been established. Our Welcome this evening will be brought by Sister Naomi Wolfe, Past Grand Matron of Texas.

Sister Naomi Wolfe: Howdy y'all! (Howdy) I'm from Texas. Brother Ray, thank you for letting me say Welcome to all these folks that have come here today. I think what you call protocol has been done so I don't have to do that. I want to let you know that I am a real Texan. Born and reared in Houston. So I'm here this evening to extend a hearty welcome to the Houstonians, Non-Houston, and Non-Texas visitors. I'm overwhelmed by the excitement in the air. Thrilled to see everyone here and honored that I was asked to bring the Welcome

this evening. So to open up I want to say “Welcome to Houston”! I have a bit of information about Texas and Houston that I’d like to share with y’all tonight. Did you know Texas has four seasons? Drought, Floods, Blizzards and Twisters (Laughter) and the old saying isn’t far from wrong. Because of its sheer size, Texas experiences all kinds of weather, sometimes all at once. Or when you ask somebody how they are today, you’re apt to hear, “I’m as fine as a frog’s hair”. Well, I understand that frogs do not have hair but you wouldn’t be getting me to hold one long enough to confirm or dispute the fact. Now if you’re driving around Houston, you don’t have to wait for the exits to get off the Freeway, just follow the ruts in the grass to the Frontage Road just like everybody else does. Now, that’s how Houstonians know how to find the Texas Department of Transportation. That’s where the exits should have been built in the first place. Or on occasion, you might be in the Municipal Courts, and the courtroom is full of defenders with speeding tickets all beginning 10 miles over the limit, that was the way of telling the Government what the speed should be in Texas. (Laughter) But if you are in a hurry and want a drive of your life, take the Sam Houston Toll Road. It’s Houston’s version of NASCAR. Or when you see a neighbor dancing around the front yard yelping, we know she or he has stepped in a bed of fire ants. And please note that Spring is not a season, Katy is not the lady, and 1960 is not the year. Now I tried to make this short and sweet and I’m about to be seated but not before I again welcome you to Houston and share with you the old saying – “Once you drink Houston’s muddy water, you’ll be back” – so I’ll be looking forward to seeing you. Have a good evening now y’all! (Laughter and applause)

Sister Joyce Nichols: Well, Sister Naomi, I’d kind of like to respond to that. Can I do that Brother Ray?

Brother Ray Hertenberger: Be my guest. (Laughter)

Sister Joyce Nicklas: Well, I want to really thank Sister Naomi for this wonderful Welcome. Isn’t Sister Naomi Wolfe, our Past Grand Matron, just as cute as a bug’s ear? (Laughter) Now I want you to know my Granny used to say that to me when I was little. She’d tell us we’re cute as a bug’s ear and I said “Granny, what’s a bug’s ear look like”? She said “Well, I don’t know but I always heard they were cute”. So anyway, that’s kind of what I think about ya. And you know, I know about these Seasons but I didn’t know, I mean, David and Tommy Griffin always said the Seasons was Dove Season, Deer Season, Turkey Season, and Duck Season. (Laughter) And then you know my kids always thought it was baseball, basketball, hockey and whatever other one it was. Fooootballllll.....okay. Sister Naomi, I know what you mean about driving in Houston. The first time I ever drove through Houston by myself, I cried. And I prayed all the way ‘til I got where I was going and when I got there, I think God was even glad to get out of the car. (Laughter) On behalf of all the visitors here tonight we want to thank you for all the kindnesses that’s been shown to us. And you know, we thought that on the way into town, that the flashing lights was really a nice touch and they tried to get us to pull over but we just told them to go on because our GPS knew where it was going and we was going to get here just fine. Anyways Sisters and Brothers, we thank you for this great welcome and we are looking forward to a good meal and we, Naomi and I, both love ya bunches and bunches. (Laughter and Applause)

Brother Ray Hertenberger: Thank you ladies. I don’t know that I would take that act on the road. (Laughter) Without the Grace of God, nothing is possible. With the aid of God’s loving grace, everything is possible. Our invocation will be brought by Brother Nelson Campbell, Past Grand Patron of Texas.

Brother Nelson Campbell: Brother Ray, you think maybe they better keep their day job? Would you all bow your head and take the hand of the one next to you? We’ll go the Lord in prayer. Our Most Gracious Heavenly Father, we pause before you tonight with hum-

ble hearts. Grateful for the many blessings we have received from you and asking that you continue to watch over us in the days ahead. We thank you for our Fraternity and for the fellowship that we've enjoyed together here today and that we know we will enjoy in the days ahead. Lord, we just pray that you'd just be with our Worthy Grand Matron and our Worthy Grand Patron as they complete their tenure this week. Guide and direct them and may all that we have to say and do be pleasing in your sight. And now, Lord, we just thank you for the food that's been prepared for us and we just pray that you bless it for the nourishment of our bodies, and our bodies to your service. In Christ's name we pray. Amen (Amen)

Brother Ray Hertenberger: Thank you, Brother Nelson. Sisters and Brothers, please enjoy your dinner.

[Dinner]

Brother Ray Hertenberger: Sisters and Brothers, we still have a lot of program left. If you have not completed your meal, please continue eating and we're going to move on. Can we have the wait staff come out please. Sisters and Brothers, if you will please help me welcome them for the service that they have provided for us this evening. They have done a wonderful job. (Applause) Some of you may be wondering about the names that go along with some of the lovely and some of the handsome faces up here. Our introductions will help clear this up for you. Introductions is not an easy task at all even in your wildest "Deep Purple" Dreams. Our introductions this evening will be brought by Sister Patricia Stallings, Cardinal Crew Committee of the General Grand Chapter.

Sister Patricia Stallings: Good evening, Sisters and Brothers. I would like to thank our Master of Ceremonies, Brother Ray Hertenberger, for asking me to bring the introductions of those members who have attained a distinguished status in the Order of the Eastern Star. But before I begin, I would like to add the following No Fault Disclaimer – If you bought your tickets to this banquet on EBay, Amazon, Ticket Master, Priceline, Cheap Tickets, Expedia, or a scalper on the street, you are not on my list. You can see me later for her room number. So without further ado that I introduce our own Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron, Sister Mary Ruth White, Worthy Grand Matron, and her husband, Brother Joseph White, Grand Representative of Arkansas in Texas and a member of the Cardinal Crew Committee, and Brother K. Arthur Drescher, Jr., Worthy Grand Patron, and his wife, Sister Marty Drescher, Grand Esther. Join me in welcoming our special honorees, our own Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron. (Applause)

I am honored to introduce Special Friends, Sister Rennie Ofton, Most Worthy Grand Matron of General Grand Chapter and a Past Grand Matron of Texas, and Brother John Grobler, Acting Most Worthy Grand Patron of General Grand Chapter and a Past Grand Patron of Washington, and his wife, Sister Barbara Grobler, Escort and Secretary to the Acting Most Worthy Grand Patron. And Sister Margaret Clarke, Worthy Grand Esther and Past Grand Matron of Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island and the widow of our beloved Most Worthy Grand Patron of General Grand Chapter, Brother Fred W. Clarke. Help me show them how proud we are in Texas (Applause).

Texas is honored to have in attendance Elected General Grand Chapter Officers. It is my pleasure to introduce Sister Barbara "Bobbi" White, Right Worthy Associate Grand Matron and Past Grand Matron of West Virginia; Alma Lynn Bane, Right Worthy Grand Secretary and Past Grand Matron of Texas and her husband, Dr. Charles William "Bill" Bane, International Headquarters Administrator and Grand Sentinel of the District of Columbia; Sister Helen J. Westmoreland, Right Worthy Grand Conductress and a Past Grand Matron of Florida; Brother Michael Barry, Chairman, Right Worthy Grand Trustee and Past Grand Patron of Kentucky; Sister Paula Argus, Vice-Chairman, Right Worthy Grand Trustee and a Past Grand Matron of Utah; Sister Betty J. Briggs, Secretary, Right Worthy Trustee, Right

Worthy Grand Secretary Emeritus and a Past Grand Matron of Iowa; and Brother Robert C. Penoyer, Right Worthy Grand Sentinel and a Past Grand Patron of Pennsylvania and his wife, Sister Mariel A. Penoyer, Escort. Let's thank them for their presence here tonight. (Applause)

I am pleased to present the Appointed General Grand Chapter Officers: Sisters Mary F. Lockridge, Worthy Grand Marshal and Past Grand Matron of Michigan and her husband, Brother Gary Lockridge, Grand Escort; Rosemary T. Swetland, Right Worthy Grand Organist and Past Grand Matron of Texas and her fiancé, Brother John Berry, Past Patron; Marilyn L. Woods, Worthy Grand Adah and Past Grand Matron of Missouri; Connie Woodward, Worthy Grand Ruth and Past Grand Matron of Ontario and her husband, Brother Roger Woodward, Grand Escort; Elizabeth Roach, Worthy Grand Electa and Past Grand Matron of Louisiana; Vivian Chrisopulos, Worthy Grand Warder and Past Grand Matron of Ohio. Help me welcome these very Distinguished Guests. (Applause)

It's an honor to introduce the General Grand Chapter Committee Members.

From the Executive Committee: Brother Henry S. Martin, General Chairman, Texas and Past Grand Patron of Texas and his wife, Sister Opal Martin, Cardinal Crew Committee and Grand Escort; Brother H. Lee Stallings, Finance Chairman Texas and a Past Grand Patron of Texas and his adorable wife, Sister Patricia Stallings (Laughter) Cardinal Crew Committee and Grand Escort; Brother Jerry Trees, Housing Chairman and Past Grand Patron of Texas and his wife, Sister Janell Trees, Grand Organist of Texas and Cardinal Crew Committee; Sister Sharon Fentress, Housing Co-Chairman (and I emphasize Co-Chairman) and a Past Grand Matron of Texas; Brother Jerry L. Martin, Ambassador to Hawaii, Past Grand Patron of Texas and Grand Junior Warden of the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of Texas, Ancient Free and Accepted Masons and his wife, Sister Betty Martin, Cardinal Crew Committee and Grand Escort; Sister Marylyn Swinamer, Ambassador to New York and Past Grand Matron of Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island and her husband, Brother Ralph Swinamer, Associate Grand Patron of Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island; Brother Harry W. Fisher, Chairman, Appeals and Grievances and a Past Grand Patron of Pennsylvania and his wife, Sister Delores Fisher, Grand Escort; Sister Karen Morgenthaler, Cancer Committee and a Past Grand Matron of Texas; Brother Duane "Buddy" Baker, Chapter Restoration and Past Grand Patron of Texas and his wife, Sister Judy Baker, Grand Escort; Brother Edward Lamkin, Chapter Restoration and Past Grand Patron of Louisiana and his wife, Sister Linda Lamkin, Past Grand Matron of Louisiana; Brother Robert P. Brown, Credentials and Past Grand Patron of Maine and his wife, Sister Elizabeth J. Brown, Past Matron; Brother David Flaxington, Credentials and Past Grand Patron of Rhode Island and his wife, Sister Sandra Flaxington, Conductress; Sister Doris Hester, Credentials and Past Grand Matron of Texas; Sister Billie Kraemer, Eastern Star Journal and Past Grand Matron of Missouri and her husband, Brother Bob Kraemer, Grand Escort; Brother Ed Warner, ESTARL and a Past Patron of Texas and his wife, Sister Beulah Warner, Cardinal Crew Committee and Grand Escort; Sister Bertha Cadigan, International Headquarters and a Past Grand Matron of Maine; Sister Wanda Fairchild, Membership U.S. Chairman and a Past Grand Matron of Texas; Brother Eldon Howell, Membership and a Past Grand Patron of Louisiana and his wife, Sister Mary Howell, Past Grand Matron of Louisiana; Sister Betty Robinson, Necrology, U.S. Chairman and a Past Grand Matron of New Mexico; Sister Gail Cook, Necrology, Canadian Chairman and a Past Grand Matron of Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island; Sister Frankie Little, Necrology, and a Past Grand Matron of Iowa and her husband, Brother George Little, Grand Escort and Past Potentate of El Kahir Shrine in Cedar Rapids, Iowa; Sister Nancy Brown, Pin Distribution Chairman and Past Grand Matron of Texas and her husband, Brother Gayle Brown, Grand Escort; Sister Alma Carter, Registration, U.S. Chairman and Past Grand Matron of Texas; Sister Joyce Gilbert, Youth, U.S. Chairman and a Past Grand Matron of

Texas. Sisters and Brothers, let's show them how much we appreciate their labors for General Grand Chapter. (Applause)

It is a pleasure to introduce the Worthy Grand Matrons of Other Grand Jurisdictions: Sisters Joy Beth Williams, Louisiana; Roberta Nelson, Mississippi; Beverly Boyett, Oklahoma and her husband, Brother John Boyett, Grand Representative of Louisiana in Oklahoma; and the Worthy Grand Patrons of Other Grand Jurisdictions: Brothers Louis Patterson, Mississippi and his wife, Sister Rose Patterson, Grand Esther of Mississippi; Brother Ron Hall, Oklahoma and his wife, Sister Judy Hall, Grand Organist of Oklahoma. Let's thank them. (Applause)

I have the honor of introducing the Past Grand Matrons of Other Grand Jurisdictions: Sisters Sue Peterson, Past Grand Matron of Arizona; M. Jean Lockhart, Past Grand Matron of District of Columbia; Patricia Williams, Past Grand Matron of Florida; Annelle Hammond, Past Grand Matron of Georgia; Terri Castay, Past Grand Matron and Grand Secretary of Louisiana and her husband, Willis Castay, Past Patron; Dawn Robinson, Past Grand Matron of Maine; Frances Sumrall, Past Grand Matron of Mississippi; and Marianne Buchan, Past Grand Matron of Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island. Please welcome them. (Applause)

We also have the Past Grand Patrons of Other Grand Jurisdictions: Brothers Dale Robinson, Past Grand Patron of Iowa and his wife, Sister Martha Robinson, Grand Escort; James Primo, Past Grand Patron of Louisiana and his wife, Sister Lois Primo, Past Matron; and Owen Major, Past Grand Patron of Oklahoma and his wife, Sister Donna Major, Grand Martha of Oklahoma. Let's welcome our guests. (Applause)

I have the honor of introducing the Yellow Roses of this fine Grand Jurisdiction, the Past Grand Matrons of Texas: Sisters Elise Hammack; Betty Benham; Dr. Effie Mae Davis; Jane Gregory; Naomi Wolfe; Joyce Nicklas; Bess Caldwell; and the fine gentlemen of the Lone Star State, the Past Grand Patrons of Texas: Brothers Nelson Campbell and his wife, Sister Georgia Campbell, Cardinal Crew Committee and General Chairman Arrangements, Distinguished Guests; Ray Hertenberger and his wife, Sister Vickie Hertenberger, Co-Chairman, Arrangements, Distinguished Guests; and Bill Wyatt and his wife, Ann Wyatt, Grand Escort. Let's show them how much they are loved. (Applause)

We are honored by the presence of the Grand Master of the Masons in Texas. I am pleased to introduce T. E. "Gene" Carnes, the Most Worshipful Master of the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of Texas, Ancient Free and Accepted Masons and his wife, Gay Carnes, First Lady of Masons in Texas, Who's Who Tri-Line Book, Calendar, Souvenir Book and Cardinal Crew Committee. Join me in welcoming these very busy and distinguished members. (Applause)

We are pleased in Texas to have with us the Installed Grand Officers of Other Grand Jurisdictions: From the Jurisdiction of the District of Columbia, Sister Vickie Starr and her husband, Brother Robert H. Starr, Past Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of District of Columbia; Sister Irene Stadick, Grand Conductress; from the Grand Jurisdiction of Louisiana: Sister Shirley Boone, Associate Grand Matron; Brother Gene Cagle, Associate Grand Patron and his wife, Norma Cagle, Past and Present Worthy Matron; Sisters Pamela Gill, Associate Grand Conductress; Nancy Hickman, Grand Marshal; Betty Summitt, Grand Organist; Lynn Palmer, Grand Adah and her husband, Brother Eddie Palmer, Past Patron; Faye Bacle, Grand Ruth; Joyce Boyt, Grand Electa and her husband, Brother Dennie Boyt, Grand Chapter Committee Member; Betty Nichols, Elected Board Member; from the Jurisdiction of Mississippi: Sister Janet McCarstle, Grand Ruth; Brother Larry McVey, Grand Chaplain and his wife, Sister Lynette McVey, Grand Representative of New Brunswick in Mississippi; from the Grand Jurisdiction of New Hampshire; Sister Cynthia M.

Rogers, Grand Martha; from the Grand Jurisdiction of Oklahoma: Sister Melissa Griffin, Associate Grand Matron; Brother Sam Beard, Associate Grand Patron and his wife, Sister Debbie Beard, Past Grand Matron of Oklahoma and Escort; Sister Shirley Niehoff, Grand Secretary and her husband, Brother Paul R. Niehoff, Grand Representative of Connecticut in Oklahoma and Grand Escort: Sisters Kathy Stegall, Grand Conductress; Myjha Reim, Grand Chaplain; Jennie Norman, Grand Marshal; Betty Boyett, Grand Electa; Ann Kinser, Grand Warder and her husband, Brother James Kinser, Escort; Brother Harold Guyer, Grand Sentinel and his wife, Edith Guyer, Grand Escort; and Sister Margarita Pogue, Grand Lecturer. Let's tell them how much we appreciate their travelling to Texas to be with us. (Applause)

I am proud to introduce the Installed Grand Officers and Elected Board Members in Texas: Sister Vi Griffin, Associate Grand Matron and her husband, Brother Thomas Griffin, Past Grand Master of the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of Texas, Ancient Free and Accepted Masons and Grand Escort; Brother David B. Dibrell, Associate Grand Patron and Past Grand Master of the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of Texas, Ancient Free and Accepted Masons and Grand Escort and his wife, Sister Marlene Dibrell, Supreme Fidelity of the International Order of Rainbow for Girls; Sister Marlene Scholari, Grand Secretary and her husband, Brother Joseph Scholari, Grand Escort; Sister Lorrie Faith Owens, Grand Treasurer and her husband, Brother Jerry Owens, Grand Escort; Sister Annette Curry, Grand Conductress; Sister Jayne Yenger, Associate Grand Conductress and her son, Brother Joey Yenger, Grand Escort; Sister Marceline Crenshaw, Grand Chaplain; Sister Sherry Dieckmann, Grand Marshal and her husband, Brother Mark Dieckmann, Executive Chairman; Sister Martha Heffington, Grand Adah; Sister Fran Johnson, Grand Ruth; Sister Susan Smith, Grand Martha and her husband, Brother Richard Smith, Grand Escort; Sister Doris Davis, Grand Electa; Sister Donna Jean Wert, Grand Warder and her husband, Brother Harold Wert, Grand Escort; Brother Ray Hargis, Grand Sentinel and his wife, Sister Linda Hargis, Grand Representative of Missouri in Texas; Brother Keith Mikeworth, Chairman, and his wife, Sister Wanelle Mikeworth, Grand Representative of Idaho in Texas; Brother Ron Zipp, Vice-Chairman and his wife, Sister Sandra Zipp, Board of Grand Examiners, District 5; Sister Elizabeth Wise, Secretary/Treasurer and her husband, Brother Sonny Wise, Arrangements, Labyrinth; Sister Tonya Foster, District I and her husband, Brother Charles Foster, Member; Sister Gerry Sturtz, District IV; and from the Board of Grand Examiners: Sister Melissa Hudman, District I and her husband, Brother Richard Hudman, Worthy Patron; Sister Carla Stringer, District II and her husband, Brother Bobby Stringer, Arrangements Sound; Sister Cheryl Albrecht, District III and her husband, Brother Darryl Albrecht, Grand Page to Associate Grand Patron; and Sister Susan Bigham, Grand Examiner at Large and her husband, Brother Larry Bigham, Young Americans. Join me in thanking these devoted members for their service to the Grand Chapter of Texas. (Applause)

The following introductions are for two very special people to Texas. They continually give of their time and talent for the betterment of General Grand Chapter and I'm pleased to introduce the Deputies of General Grand Chapter: Sister Sylvia Garcia, Deputy to the Most Worthy Grand Matron in Mexico and her husband, Brother Raul Garcia, Deputy to the Acting Most Worthy Grand Patron in Mexico and Central America. Join me in thanking them for their continual devotion to our Order. (Applause)

It is always a pleasure to introduce the Ambassadors of Grand Chapter who travel many miles from their respective Jurisdictions to be with us. The Grand Representatives of Other Grand Jurisdictions to Texas: Sisters Frances Pate, Grand Representative of Texas in the District of Columbia; Jane Mercer Elkins, Grand Representative of Texas in Florida; Carol Howard, Grand Representative of Texas in Georgia; Lois McNeil, Grand Representative of

Texas in Iowa; Gay Topper, Grand Representative of Texas in Maryland; Julie Little, Grand Representative of Texas in Michigan; Louise Hicks, Grand Representative of Texas in Mississippi and her husband, Brother C. W. Hicks, Past Patron; Brother Jim Lunsford, Grand Representative of Texas in Oklahoma and his wife, Sister Linda Lunsford, Grand Page to the Worthy Grand Matron; and Sister Dixie Mathison, Grand Representative of Texas in Wyoming. We are so pleased by your presence here tonight and we sincerely hope you enjoy our Texas hospitality. Let's thank them. (Applause)

We also have a Grand Representative of Other Grand Jurisdictions in Other Grand Jurisdictions: Sister Mary Jane Delozier, Grand Representative of California in Oklahoma. Let's thank her for being here with us tonight. (Applause)

The Lone Star State is proud of the Grand Representatives of Texas and I am pleased to introduce: Sisters Linda K. Wilkins, Grand Representative of British Columbia and Yukon; Betty Lynn, Grand Representative of the District of Columbia; Virginia Akins, Grand Representative of Georgia in Texas and her husband, Ray Akins, Member; Edna Marsh, Grand Representative of Kansas in Texas; Ramona Nance, Grand Representative of New Hampshire in Texas; Dr. Leslie Keilberg, Grand Representative of New York in Texas; Brother Rex Parkinson, Grand Representative of Pennsylvania in Texas and his wife, Sister Nancy Parkinson, Yearbook; Sister Sharon London, Grand Representative of Rhode Island in Texas; Kitty Welch Thompson, Grand Representative of San Paulo, Brazil and Worthy Matron and her husband, Ron Thompson, Worthy Patron; Evelyn Huddleston, Grand Representative of Tennessee in Texas and her husband, Brother Wayne Huddleston, Past Patron; Linda Carney, Grand Representative of Vermont in Texas, Secretary to the Worthy Grand Patron and Secretary/Treasurer to the International Grand Representatives Association 2009-2012;

Brother Trey Smith, Grand Representative of West Virginia in Texas and his wife, Sister Lesa Smith, District Deputy Grand Matron District III; and Brother Jack Beall, Grand Representative of Wyoming in Texas and his wife, Sister Charlotte Beall, Credentials.

Let's tell them how much we appreciate their time and efforts. (Applause)

The following Stars are very special members who assisted Sister Rennie on her adventure to the General Grand East. It's a pleasure to introduce members of the Cardinal Crew, a Special Committee of the Most Worthy Grand Matron: Sister Willie Mae Shaw, Chairman and IGRA Parliamentarian and Grand Chapter Parliamentarian; Brother Karl A. Drescher, Sr. and Grand Chapter Dad and his wife, Sister Joann Drescher, Grand Chapter Mom; and Sister Erma Maxwell. Please join me in thanking them for their labors. (Applause)

And Sisters and Brothers if you will indulge me, this next group of members serve as the right arm of the Worthy Grand Matron and have worked very hard in their respective Districts. It's an honor to present the District Deputy Grand Matrons: Sister Shelly Walker, District I and her husband, Brother James Walker, Member; Sister Susan Dormady, District II; Sister Cindy Newbury, District IV; and Sister Linda Winn Christenson, District V. Please welcome them. (Applause)

And the following members have worked and continue to work diligently to assist the Worthy Grand Matron and the District Deputy Grand Matrons in their Sections. I am proud to introduce the Deputy Grand Matrons of Grand Chapter: Sisters Connie Bilby, District I, Section I; Dee Reynolds, District I, Section 2; Jean Harrison, District II, Section 4; and Audrey Voigt, District II, Section 6 and her husband, Mike Voigt, Past Patron. Sister Lorea Kays, District III, Section 4 and her husband, Brother Marvin Kays, Multi-State Alabama/Mississippi; Cynthia Araiza, District IV, Section 3 and her husband, Pete Araiza, Arrangements Co-Chairman; Patricia Callahan, District IV, Section 4; Leslie D. Lowry, District IV, Section 5; Diane Flanagan, District IV, Section 7 and her husband, Brother

Herman Flanagan, Arrangements Special Needs; Melynda Giesenschlag, District IV, Section 8; Elaine Rowland, District IV, Section 9; Joy Shanks, District IV, Section 10; and Delia Whitfield, District V, Section 10 and her husband, Brother Charles Whitfield, Member. Please join me in thanking them for their service to this Grand Chapter. (Applause)

I am pleased to introduce a very special friend of the Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Edna Goettee, Treasured Sister and widow of our Dr. James Goettee, Past Grand Patron. Please tell her how much she's loved and treasured. (Applause)

We are honored by the presence of the Supreme Deputy, International Order of Rainbow for Girls, Sister JoAnn Weaver and her husband, Brother Bruce Weaver, Member. Let's thank them for being with us here tonight. (Applause)

Will the Grand Chapter Committees and Special Committees of the Worthy Grand Matron who have not been introduced please stand or wave your whatever (Laughter)...napkin! That's the word. Worthy Grand Matron, behold your foot soldiers. The members who work to make your plans and dreams come true. Let's tell them how much we appreciate their efforts. (Applause)

Sisters and Brothers, we have worked very hard to ensure that all have been introduced properly. If we have missed your name, please know that we are glad you are here and we hope that your time with the Texas Grand Chapter is enjoyable. And finally Sisters and Brothers, when the "Deep Purple" falls over sleepy garden walls and the stars begin to flicker in the sky, through the mist of a memory you will realize that you have survived and this concludes introductions. (Applause) Thank you.

Brother Ray Hertenberger: Introductions is one of the toughest assignments that can be given at any banquet or any function and Sister Pat Stallings does it better than anybody. Thank you very much, Sister Pat. (Applause) Sisters and Brothers, we are very blessed and honored to have in our Chapter, two ladies who don't mind sharing their musical talents with us. Sit back and enjoy our entertainment because I know you will fall in love with them, just as we have. It is my honor to present Sisters Patricia Faltesek and Lisa Austin. The first song that they will perform is dedicated to the spouses of our Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron. Brother Joe and Sister Marty, the position that you hold to the two top Officers of our Order in the State of Texas is one of love, dedication, and personal sacrifice. You know that Sister Mary Ruth and Brother Art appreciate all the love and support that you have given them. And this first song is for you.

[Special music by Mrs. Patricia Faltesek]

The song "I Won't Let Go" was played, sung and signed. (Applause) The next song was "On Holy Ground" which was also sung and signed. (Applause)

Brother Ray Hertenberger: Wow! That'll leave you breathless! Sisters and Brothers there is no way that we can express our gratitude again for the talents of these two ladies. Sister Mary Ruth, would you please come forward? Sister Mary Ruth, would you please accept this token of love and gratitude from the membership of Texas and the "Deep Purple" Banquet? (Applause) Brother K. Arthur Drescher, please. Brother Art, will you please accept this token of gratitude from the membership of Texas and the "Deep Purple" banquet. Thank you. (Applause) Installed Grand Floor Officers, you will find at your places an envelope in which you will also find a love gift from the membership of Texas and the "Deep Purple" banquet. Past Grand Matrons and Past Grand Patrons, in lieu of table favors and through consultation with the Worthy Grand Matron, the Worthy Grand Patron, the membership of Texas and the "Deep Purple" banquet is presenting you with an Honor Tree as part of the Order of the Eastern Star and TMRC garden project. The tree purchased is a Bur Oak. There will be

a plaque at the site stating that this tree has been planted in honor of the Past Grand Matrons and Past Grand Patrons of Texas. In Texas, the Order of the Eastern Star and the Masonic Lodges have a close working and supportive relationship and we are honored this evening to have the Most Worshipful Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Texas. I invite the Most Worshipful T. E. "Gene" Carnes to bring greetings from the Grand Lodge of Texas.

Brother Gene Carnes: Thank you, Brother Ray. You've already heard greetings from me twice, but I'll be glad to bring them again. And I'll tell you, the Order of the Eastern Star is very special to the Masonic Lodges here in Texas. I don't know very many Masonic Lodges that do not have the Order of the Eastern Star involved with their fellowship. And every one of them that do, have an outstanding relationship with the Chapters throughout the State of Texas. We really appreciate you so much. You know, when Masonry started in this country, we met in Taverns. Uh, no, we're not having wine here tonight. But it was a great time of fellowship whenever they had a Masonic Lodge meeting. Twice a year there were celebrations, big festive celebrations, and these celebrations that we have with the Order of the Eastern Star at their Grand Annual Session reminds me of that. It's kind of a time for families to get together and that's what we are, is one big family. So we bring you greetings from the Grand Lodge of Texas and the Masons of Texas and we congratulate you in carrying out that tradition of being a close knit family. It's really special to us and we hope you continue it and we hope we can continue to share it with you. It's a great time. One other thing that I'd like to point out to you is, during those times of great festivals and celebrations, they had toasts and those toasts involved mostly the Brotherhood of Masonry. But there was always one to the ladies and that was because you give us birth, you love us, you bear our children, and you support us. Thank you. (Applause)

Brother Ray Hertenberger: Thank you, Brother Gene. I invite Sister Elise Hammack, Past Grand Matron of Texas to bring tribute to the Installed Grand Floor Officers 2010-2011.

Sister Elise Hammack: Thank you, Master of Ceremonies. Thank you, Brother Ray for asking me to bring a few words of tribute to our Installed and Elected Grand Floor Officers. Would you all stand with me? You Grand Officers have spread lessons of honor and good will all year. Each of you has been a special gift to this membership as you have served us at home and away. You each accepted the challenges by our Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron and went to work. You have represented us well by influencing others in our world by promoting Brotherly and Sisterly love. Your year has been one of dedicated service to our Grand Chapter and to our Order. You have each already given a large portion of your life to the Order of the Eastern Star. It was been rewarding to you and I know it is appreciated by your peers. We thank you for the memories, the diligent work and your willingness to serve our Grand Chapter. You are a real phenomenal group and what a delightful and caring crew you are. I borrowed words from Edgar Guest who said "Life is sweet because of the friends you have made and the things you have shared." We are glad you have shared with us this special time. Thank you our wonderful Elected and Installed Floor Officers. (Applause)

Brother Ray Hertenberger: Greeting from the Installed Grand Floor Officers will be by Mrs. Vi Griffin, our Associate Grand Matron.

Sister Vi Griffin: Thank you, Master of Ceremonies. Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Distinguished Head Tables, Sisters and Brothers, Friends all. Thank you Brother Ray for the opportunity to respond to the kind words of Sister Elise as she brought the tribute to the Installed Grand Officers. We've heard the words of the old song "When the Deep Purple Falls, Over the Sleepy Garden Walls" and as the shadow falls on this Grand Chapter year, we, the Installed Grand Officers, want to thank this Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron for their dedicated service and their leadership. I invite the Installed

Grand Officers to stand with me (we need the exercise). Whether we were Elected or Selected, it has been our happy privilege to serve you the membership of this Grand Chapter. Thank you for all that you do. Every smile, every hug, every word of encouragement makes the job that we have to do an easy duty. Always remember that for a shadow to fall, you have to be standing in the sunlight. And if you face the sun, the shadows will always fall behind you. Thank you. (Applause)

Brother Ray Hertenberger: I would like to bring a little tribute to the Past Grand Matrons and Past Grand Patrons of Texas. The Past Grand Matrons and Past Grand Patrons of Texas are a family within a family. They are the Sisters and Brothers who rely on strengths of each other in order to be able to give good counsel to the membership of Texas. The dedication and commitment of these Sisters and Brothers have been exhibited by their service beyond their terms as the top Officers of this great state. Their hearts will forever remain grateful for the love, the respect and the honors accorded them by this loving membership. These dedicated members and their spouses have travelled countless miles around this great state to spread the ideas and precepts that help us to survive and helped us to prosper as a loving Fraternity. I want to thank them for all their dedicated service and I am very proud to be among you. Thank you. (Applause) Greetings from the Past Grand Matrons and Past Grand Patrons of Texas will be brought this evening by Bess Caldwell, Past Grand Matron of Texas.

Sister Bess Caldwell: Thank you, Master of Ceremonies. Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Distinguished Head Table, my Special Sisters and Brothers all. It is my honor and privilege to bring greetings on behalf of the Past Grand Matrons and Patrons of Texas. Will you please stand with me. What a beautiful evening this has been. The decorations, the food, and most of all Sisters and Brothers, the fellowship that we have shared. This year as we have travelled the great State of Texas, we have heard many times that “If we can DREAM it, we can believe it, and we can achieve it.” How true those three words are; dream, believe, and achieve. We have heard lots about friends. Do you realize that friendship is the world’s most precious gift that we might receive. Friends always are there for you to share in your sorrow, to share in your success, to care about you, to share everything with you. When you are happy, when you are sad, when you are up or when you are down, a true friend will always stand beside you. Thank you my Sisters and Brothers. (Applause)

Brother Ray Hertenberger: We are very honored this evening to have with us a new person to us here in the State of Texas. And we want to really show our appreciation for his agreeing to walk by the side of Sister Rennie as they complete this Triennium for the General Grand Chapter and we’re really looking forward to working with him the rest of this time. Brother John Grobler, would you please bring us greetings.

AMWGP: Thank you, Master of Ceremonies, Ray. How many of you own stock? Oh, come on, there’s got to be more than that. Well, I don’t know if you’ve been watching the stock market this week but Monday we were down 600 and Tuesday we were up 400, then Wednesday we were down another 400 and today we were up 400. I used to be a Stock Broker, many, many years ago. And I thought about that tonight because if you took it literally you would say well one day I was rich and the next day I was poor, the next day I was rich, and the next day I was poor. And today, I felt rich again, the market was up today. You know, being a member of the Eastern Star, the market really doesn’t matter a whole lot because being here with all of you, I feel rich – no matter what the stock market does. So thank you for all the wonderful hospitality and friendship you have shown to my wife, Barbara, and me the short time we have been here with you. We unfortunately have to leave you in the morning but we wish you the best in the rest of your meetings and the rest of your session. Thank you very much (Applause)

Brother Ray Hertenberger: Now we are honored to have greetings for our Number One Redbird, Sister Rennie Ofton, Most Worthy Grand Matron. Will you please bring us greetings?

MWGM: Thank you, Master of Ceremonies. Beloved Sisters and Brothers all, it's great to be here. I want to tell you one thing. You know the whole time I've been here, I'm like any other school teacher there is. I've been grading y'all because this is an Official Visit. (Laughter) And I'm just going to give you your grade tonight. But first I want to thank you for all the courtesies that you have extended to me. And I too have to leave tomorrow. I think I'm going to have to go home. I will not get to stay any longer here. But thank you for every courtesy and especially for the little cart. That helped me get around, it did help, but I think I better go home and get this thing checked out. As a teacher, you know, I got to thinking about things that are going on right here. If it's the members here, and everything you've done, that would be an A+. If it's the courtesies and the love shown, just in the hugs and the greetings, I think that's an A+ also. If it's the Executive Committee who knows what's going on and you say, I have a problem, and they fix it, and I heard that a couple of times, so I guess that's an A++, I'm not sure. And if it's just the fact that you have shown Eastern Star in its very best light, in its very strong light for the good of each other as we are together for the same purposes and the same fun, that's an A+. And anyhow, if it's a Texas Grand Chapter, it's an A+ to me. So, I'm going to give you an A+ and tell you that you're the best A+ in Texas chapter right now. And I thank you for everything, God Bless you. It's been a great time to be with you. (Applause and Standing Ovation)

Brother Ray Hertenberger: Okay, we are honored this evening to have Brother Henry Martin, one of our Past Grand Patrons, who will bring us a tribute to our Worthy Grand Patron, Brother K. Arthur Drescher. Brother Henry.

Brother Henry Martin: Thank you, Brother Ray. I appreciate this honor. You know when I was asked to do this tribute for our Worthy Grand Patron, I tried to get permission for a roast but all to no avail, and when I said that a minute ago, Brother Arthur visibly relaxed. Our Worthy Grand Patron was born at a very young age, (Laughter) numerous years ago and to a Masonic, San Antonio family. In fact, he started bringing the Square and Compasses into Eastern Star Installations while still very young. As a boy he became an active member of Albert Pike DeMolay Chapter #58 in San Antonio and Albert Pike Pryor #38 Order of Knighthood. And because of his distinguished service, he was honored with the degree of Chevalier, which is the highest honor for distinguished DeMolay service. Our Worthy Grand Patron graduated from Jefferson High School and travelled to Aggie Land which is Texas A&M University (Whoop, Whoop) where he received a Bachelor of Science Degree and was a member of the Corp of Cadets and the Fighting Texas Aggie Marching Band (Whoop, Whoop). It is said that Brother Arthur actually bleeds maroon. So I thought I'd tell you just a few things about this institution to which he is so devoted. Texas A&M is known all over the nation as the Fighting Texas Aggies but what's the origin of that name? Well this is just a rumor but the story is told that years ago when Governor Lawrence Sullivan Ross became President of the Agriculture and Mechanical College, it was under the threat of being shut down and luckily Governor Ross would not have any of this and he travelled down to the Legislature and fought to keep his school open. It is said that he got so angry that he punched one of the Senators over the issue and from then on the students were known as the Fighting Farmers and then that became the Fighting Aggies. Brother Art's beloved Texas A&M University Fighting Aggie Band marked its Centennial year during 1994. It has grown from a mere 13 members in 1894 to more than 400 musicians today. It's the largest precision Military Marching Band in the country. It is said that the musicians are all members of the Texas A&M Corp of Cadets and the Band is led by the Senior members who wear their dis-

tinctive Senior boots. The group prepares its drills with seven to ten hours of practice each week and it is said that some of the band's maneuvers are so complex that a computer says they can't be done because they require two people to be in the same place at the same time. Now Brother Art assured me that he is not one of those two people. After his time at A&M, our Worthy Grand Patron significantly improved his status when in January of 1972, he married Martha "Marty" Louise Rogers and they have two children, Jimmy and Lori, who have both followed their parents in to the Masonic Fraternity. They have three grandchildren. And it's important to learn that despite his love for A&M, he did later earn a Master's of Science Degree from the University of North Texas. Our Brother has two hobbies. One is growing Orchids which was inspired by his grandfather and the other is playing the trumpet, clarinet and flugelhorn. So music has been and continues to be a major influence in the life of our Worthy Grand Patron. Brother Arthur's Masonic credentials include being a Past Master of Richardson Lodge #1214 and a Past Patron of Dal-Cliff Chapter #574, and Lewisville Chapter #935. As a token of his service, Brother Arthur was awarded the Legion of Honor from DeMolay International. Sisters and Brothers in this tribute I have tried to give you a brief outline of the man who has served this Grand Chapter as our Worthy Grand Patron this year. However, let me say that these few words of mine cannot do justice to this man who is my friend and has committed his time and effort in every way possible to this membership during this past two years of service. He has served us with dedication and with distinction and for that I will ask you at this time to rise and give him a well-deserved round of applause. (Applause)

Brother Ray Hertenberger: Thank you, Brother Henry. We will now have greetings from our Worthy Grand Patron.

WGP: Thank you, Brother Ray. I've got to do one thing first. An apple for the teacher. Wow! What an evening! I don't know what to say after Henry got through with all of that. Thank you Brother Henry. I would like to thank all who worked so hard to make this evening possible. The special Music was just really touching and we really do appreciate that. And Brother Ray, Galveston, Texas a couple of years back, well, quite a few years back, he and I were on the stage, he was Executive Chairman and I was a lowly Page to some Worthy Grand Patron, I think Jerry Martin or something like that. He's around here someplace. Would you have ever thought that the kibitzing that you and I did back then and the fun we had that we would be standing here where we are today (RH – Still having fun) Still having fun. That's right. So we have been doing this for quite a few years together. Okay. To our Grand Chapter Family and when I talk about our Grand Chapter Family, our members, this year you have just blown us away with your generosity, participation and everything that we wanted to do, we exceeded our goals, our dreams truly came true. I also want to address several parts of that family and I'd like to start with our Past Grand Matrons and Past Grand Patrons. Now you heard tonight that we're going to plant a tree in the garden that we're designing at TMRC and this is to symbolize the strength and support that we get from our Past Grand Matrons. They do share their wisdom with us and like a good Oak tree, they keep growing and spreading and there's always nice shade and good advice under that tree. Now, Brother Carnes forgot to mention something awhile ago and he gave me a little note and I do have permission to do this, right? On October 8th, out at TMRC all day there are going to be celebrating the 100th year of the Retirement Center. Now with what we have raised and if I can get the landscape companies working, just maybe we'll have a bunch of those trees planted and most of that garden in by then. I'll have to get those workers going and we'll do what we can to get that in. So y'all come out to see the garden and Past Grand Matrons and Patrons, come see your tree. To our Installed Floor Officers, this is the General Banquet for our Grand Chapter this year and in the past it's honored the Worthy Grand Matron and myself, but truly it's the

Officers who see that our programs are done. And it's only fitting this evening that we ask that you be here and give a tribute to y'all. Y'all have been the ones that have helped the membership achieve all the goals that we dreamed of. To our Worthy Grand Matron, thank you for this ride. It has been a ride. It's has been kind of like the stock market, there's some ups and downs, but believe it or not, and I believe Brother John will agree with me on this, last October the stock market was about 500 points below what it is today so with all the ups and downs we're still pretty high. And that is the way this year has gone, a few ups and downs but way ahead. Brother Henry, thank you for that tribute. I wasn't quite sure and I was wondering where you were getting the information but you're pretty accurate, especially on the Fighting....I thought you were going to tell them about the little trip down to Baylor. You see, there was a time when there was a little problem between Baylor and A&M and it seems the Corp Cadets went back and broke into the gun room, that's when they had real guns on the campus, and hijacked the train that ran along Highway 6 between College Station and Baylor. It didn't get there. They were stopped, it was an effort. So we do fight, pretty much. For what I hear today, we may have an Aggie running for President come this weekend. So, that's the rumor at least. To those leaving early tomorrow morning, thank you for coming and sharing your time with us. I know you're going to have to get up early, catch early flights and get to the Peace Garden but please think about us while you are up there in that nice cool weather. To the rest of the membership and those who are not leaving early in the morning, I hope you get a good night's rest and you're all bright eyed and bushy tailed and ready to go to work tomorrow morning. Thank y'all very much and may God Bless. (Applause)

Brother Ray Hertenberger: Thank you, Brother Art. You know, Brother Art made mention of Grand Chapter we had here in Galveston several years back. And that was Karen Morgenthaler and Jerry Martin's Grand Chapter and at this time we would like to have Karen Morgenthaler come forward and pay tribute to our Worthy Grand Matron.

Sister Karen Morgenthaler: Thank you, Brother Ray. Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Distinguished Members, my Sisters and Brothers. It has been said that love is the rose-strewn path and friendship is like a sheltering tree. Indeed this describes the friendship with our honoree. Our Worthy Grand Matron is just like the sheltering tree, for she has such devotion and love for this membership. She embraces us and soothes us when we are distraught. And she comforts us in our hours of distress. However, there is another characteristic that perhaps we admire even more, that being her humility. She has worn the mantle of leadership with dignity yet there has been nothing pompous in her actions. Soon that mantle will pass to another but the friendship that she has cemented by her humility will live on. Sister Mary Ruth, your year of service is about to come to a close. May the dawn of a new tomorrow break for you with the promise of all things hoped for and their fulfillment. May God's richest blessings rest upon you. May His everlasting hand guide and sustain you. Not only for the remainder of this term of office but in all the days that are yet to come. Thank you. (Applause)

Brother Ray Hertenberger: As I noted in the beginning that "Deep Purple" is a very special song for our Worthy Grand Matron. As a special tribute to her, I have asked Sister Margie Schenkir to sing the song "Deep Purple" as she will be accompanied by our own Sister Rosemary Swetland, Worthy Grand Organist.

[Song is played by Rosemary Swetland and sung by Margie Schenkir] (Applause)

Thank you, ladies. That was beautiful. Before I ask our Worthy Grand Matron to bring greetings, I would like for everybody who had anything to do with tonight's banquet, the tickets, the decorations, my wife for being the Chairman and got most of this done while I was in Louisiana, please stand so you can be recognized by this membership. Everybody that worked, I know there was a bunch of you. I saw a bunch of you in here today. Thank you

very much for making this night a success and enjoyable for this membership. Sister Mary Ruth, your membership awaits.

WGM: Thank you, Brother Ray. Thank you, membership for a wonderful evening. Sister Marjorie and Sister Rosemary, thank you for singing and playing that song for me. A mixed chorus director that I had a number of years ago in high school, that was one of her favorite songs and we always had that song every year in school and it became one of my favorites too because it speaks of dreams and memories and love of one special person but I kind of think of all the special people that have crossed my paths through the Order of the Eastern Star in the many long years that I have been a member. I want to thank all of our visitors from out-of-state. Our General Grand Chapter and our members from our various Grand Jurisdictions, Worthy Grand Matrons and their chorus of Officers that have joined us today and yesterday evening in making the beginning of this 129th Session of Grand Chapter such a special one. I was thrilled with the performance of my Conductresses today in the execution of our introductions. We are through with our formal introductions and that was two pages of titles of introductions that we were to do. I am so happy that we may go on to the business of Grand Chapter tomorrow. But yet, I will miss those that will be leaving us tomorrow to go to Other Grand Jurisdictions that are having Grand Chapter right now, and also to the Peace Garden, I wish we could go there too but like I say, we have business to take care of here at home. A Dream is seldom accomplished overnight. It is something generally thought of for a long time and my little slogan about "Dream it, Believe it, and Achieve it". Those things seldom come to fruition overnight. They are only accomplished by hard work and believing in what you are doing. And this membership, this year, has believed in some of the new programs that we have presented. Some that even I will now admit were a little bit skeptical about just how successful they might be. But I am just awaiting the reports that we will be hearing for the next two days. Cause you see, I have seen the numbers and I have seen some of the reports and I am thrilled and delighted and humbled by the accomplishments of our members in this Grand Jurisdiction. You are some of the most wonderful people that anyone would have the opportunity to meet, associate with, and work together with. And I will say, we've worked together. I thank you for your attendance at this banquet tonight. I have enjoyed it immensely. I want to thank everyone that had the littlest part to the greatest part in putting the decorations, the programs, the plans of making this enjoyable for all of us. Because, you know what? There's no such thing as just a small part because to the person next door to you, that small part may be just exactly what they wanted to hear and what inspired them to go on and achieve the accomplishments that they dreamed of, believed in, and now hopefully will achieve also. Thank you the membership of Texas for this year and what all you have accomplished. Sister Karen, I want to thank you for the tribute you gave me. You were quite flattering in a lot of ways and I wonder if I really truly deserved the nice things you said. But one thing that you said that I will agree with 100%, that is that I do love this membership and I will do anything on earth for any of you if you would just ask me. And now I'm going to ask you something. I'm going to ask you to join me tomorrow when we open our Friday Session. Thank you for this evening and I hope you have a good night's sleep. Each and every one of you will be in my dreams and you will always come back to me in the midst of a memory because of the love that I have received from this membership, not just this year but all of the time that I have been a member of the Order of the Eastern Star. I thank you my Sisters and Brothers. (Applause and Standing Ovation)

Brother Ray Hertenberger: The perfect close to a perfect evening is going to our Heavenly Father for grace and protection until we meet again. I ask that Brother Bill Wyatt, Past Grand Patron, deliver our Benediction.

Brother Bill Wyatt: My Sisters and Brothers, if you would take the hand next to you

before we go to prayer. Heavenly Father, we want to thank you for the many blessings of our lives. Father, we thank you for everything we do, for everything we accomplish, and for this beautiful Order. We know without your guidance and leadership that we could accomplish nothing. Father, we ask you to be with us through this Session tomorrow and Saturday. Lead and guide us, our Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron in everything they do, the decisions they make come from You. Father, we ask you to be with our General Grand Chapter members as they travel and leave tomorrow. We ask you to guide them and give them the wisdom to lead this great world. All these things we ask in your most precious name. Amen (Amen)

Brother Ray Hertenberger: This concludes our program. We look forward to seeing each and every one of you in the Grand Chapter Room tomorrow. Have a good evening.



Grand Chapter of Texas
Garden of Friendship
Friday Morning Session
8:00 a.m. August 12, 2011

8:30 a.m. Call to Order

Mrs. Naomi Wolfe
Past Grand Matron of Texas

Mr. Duane “Buddy” Baker
Chapter Restoration Committee
General Grand Chapter
Past Grand Patron of Texas

Sister Naomi Wolfe: Its 8:30 Sisters and Brothers and it’s time for us to start our morning session. My Sisters and Brothers, how wonderful it is to be here this morning. It is my distinct honor and pleasure to welcome you to the *Garden of Friendship Session* of the 129th Grand Chapter of Texas this fine Friday morning here in Houston, Texas. I am confident since your arrival you have begun to plant seeds of friendship, nurture existing friendships and prayed like the dickens for cooler weather. Maybe some showers to go along with them. We are gathered each year for our Grand Chapter Session. We should appreciate the preparations and the efforts extended by the Committee Members who made this Grand Chapter possible. Their hard work and your attendance make the event a success for the Worthy Grand Matron, pleasurable for the membership and memorable for all. Unless I forget, we have had no music this morning. Worthy Grand Matron, thank you for the opportunity of welcoming our membership to this morning’s Session with Brother “Buddy” Duane Baker who not too long ago shared the Grand East with me as my Worthy Grand Patron. And as it goes without saying, being back here again with Brother Buddy, brings back some special memories. However, we need to move along and in so doing, Brother Buddy, I invite you to greet our wonderful membership.

Brother Buddy Baker: Thank you, Sister Naomi, my Worthy Grand Matron. Wow! Here we are in Houston again, standing in the Grand East just 10 short years later. Wow again I have to say. I too want to welcome all to this Friday morning, *Garden of Friendship Session* of the 129th Grand Chapter. I also want to thank the Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron for extending this privilege and honor to me, to open this Session with my Worthy Grand Matron. Sister Mary Ruth, Brother Art, your year has been beautiful and appreciated by all. We hope today and tomorrow’s session will continue just as beautiful. We know it will be with your leadership skills. As I mentioned above, it having been just 10 short years, I want to remind you of an old Brazos River philosophy saying “Two days from now, tomorrow will be yesterday”.

Sister Naomi Wolfe: Thank you, Brother Buddy Baker for being so special, not only to me but to our membership. Sister Grand Marshal, you will present the *Garden of Friendship Drill* by the Grand Officers and their personal Pages. I invite the Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron to come stand by the podium so that you might see.

Sister Grand Marshal Sherry Dieckmann: Ladies and Gentlemen, I am being assisted by Sister Edna Goettee, who is going to be known as the oldest Assisting Grand Marshal.

[Drill lead by Mrs. Sherry Dieckmann, Grand Marshal]

Sister Naomi Wolfe: Sisters and Brothers, how beautiful. (Applause) Sisters and Brothers, doesn't that remind you just a little bit about Rainbow? How beautiful. (Applause) Thank you Sister Grand Marshal. The Drill was just beautiful. (Applause) I have a little note to pass on to you. If someone is missing their cell phone, it is at the desk at the Hilton. Thank you Brother Buddy. Sisters and Brothers, I'm so excited to present to you the team that will be doing the Precision Drill this morning. What a beautiful job guys, really good. Thank you, thank you, thank you. (Applause)

I invite the Grand Officers to enter the Grand Chapter Room.

This morning for something very different and special, our Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron have decided that they were going to stay in the East so they would have the opportunity to see the drills this morning. So Sister Conductress and Associate Conductress, you will not have to bring them to the Grand East. Sisters and Brothers, I have the pleasure to introduce Sister Mary Ruth White, Worthy Grand Matron and Brother Art Drescher, Worthy Grand Patron, Grand Chapter of Texas, Order of the Eastern Star. (Three raps) You will join me in according them Grand Honors. Worthy Grand Matron it is my pleasure to present to you this gavel this morning. The time is now and I wish for you a wonderful day. Grand Officers, you will assume your stations. If Sister Rosemary Swetland is in the building, you are needed in Jurisprudence. Thank you.

WGM: Thank you, Sister Naomi and Brother Buddy, for giving us the honor of opening our Session this morning. Worthy Grand Patron, I'm sure that you have some words for Sister Naomi and Brother Buddy.

WGP: Thank you, Worthy Grand Matron. Sister Naomi, Brother Buddy, thank you for opening our Session this morning. It is a pleasure to have you with us and we sincerely appreciate your friendship and your support. (Three raps)

[Ritualistic Opening]

WGM: Our invocation will be given by Sister Alma Carter, Registration Committee, US Chairman, General Grand Chapter and Past Grand Matron of Texas.

Sister Alma Carter: Good Morning, Lord. Our Father and our God, we come to you with love and hope in our hearts. Thank you for green pastures and still waters in our lives. For your love, for all of your children. Thank you for the blessings you bestow. For being there when we ask. For giving peace when we call Your name in prayer. As we go forth in this Session, may we walk by the Spirit. May we receive Your tender mercies and sow peace where conflict divides. May we each enhance our lives by faith, love and hope and may the words of our faith, hope and charity be our watch words. Dear Lord, grant us peace and a peaceful world. Amen

WGM: (One rap) I now declare the *Garden of Friendship Session* called from Rest to Labor. Sister Grand Warder, you will so inform the Grand Sentinel.

GW: (With raps) Brother Grand Sentinel, this *Garden of Friendship Session* has been called from Rest to Labor. Worthy Matron, your order has been obeyed.

WGM: The Thought for Today will be given by Sister Doris Jean Hester, Credentials Committee of General Grand Chapter and Past Grand Matron of Texas. Sister Doris.

Sister Doris Hester: Thank you, Worthy Grand Matron. Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, General Grand Chapter Family, Past Grand Matrons and Past Grand Patrons of Other Jurisdiction and Texas, Installed Grand Officers, Elected Boards, my special Sisters and Brothers all. Thank you, Worthy Grand Matron for this special honor of bringing the

Thought for Today to this Grand Chapter Session. Do you know what day it is? Well, you may say it's this day, it may be your birthday, but I'd like to think of it as the first day of the rest of our lives. My life and yours has changed some this past year but as we think of it, this is the day that the Lord has made, let us be glad and rejoice in it. As you think of the things of this past year, things in my life have changed drastically and in several of yours also. But I would like to think too of the saying of Norman Vincent Peale "Trust God and live one day at a time". We know we are older and I hope we're much wiser. In a recent visit to my doctor, he used the word and this phrase, and I really like it better than most of them. He says "as you progress in years" now that sounds better than saying you're old or you're a Senior Citizen. So I want you to think about this right now.

Old age is golden I've heard it said,
but sometimes I wonder as I get to bed.
With my ears in a drawer, my teeth in a cup,
my glasses on a shelf, until I get up.
And when sleep dims my eyes, I say to myself
"Is there anything else, I shall lay on the shelf"?

Let's remember in I Corinthians, Chapter 10:31: Do all to the Glory of God. May the business of this Session end for the good of our Order with peace and harmony prevailing. As we end this Session, let's hope that's what happens. So my wish for you, God bless each of you until we meet again. Thank you so much. (Applause)

WGM: Thank you, Sister Alma Carter for our Invocation and Sister Doris Hester for our meaningful Thought for the Day. Worthy Grand Patron.

WGP: Thank you, Sister Doris for opening our Friday morning Session. Your friendships are a treasure for me and I thank you for your words of wisdom.

WGM: I would like to invite those who are scheduled to bring Reports this morning to be seated in the Grand East. All those presenting reports please remember to give copies of your report to the Grand Secretary or her Pages before leaving the Grand East. Your pictures will be taken after you present your report. Thank you and I invite you to come to the Grand East if you're not already up here.

At this time I would normally be filling vacancies on Credential, By Laws, Chapter Under Dispensation, Jurisprudence and Grievances and Appeals, but we are very fortunate, I have no vacancies to fill. Our Parliamentarian is Sister Willie Mae Shaw. This is your Grand Chapter and your business. We want to conduct it in the way that would be better and easier for all of us.

Sister Willie Mae Shaw: Thank you, Worthy Grand Matron. Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, my Sisters and Brothers, I call your attention to the Grand Chapter Session Book, pages 61, 62 and 63 that contain the Parliamentary Rules for this Grand Chapter. You will probably be pleased to know that I'm not going to read all of them for you. But I would like to point out number 9 which states, "debate shall be limited to three minutes for each speaker, for each question. No member may speak more than one time on a question unless permission to speak again is given by the Presiding Officer. The three minute time limit can be extended by a 2/3rds vote of the delegates present and voting or can be extended by the Presiding Officer if there is no objection. We have a timekeeper and time will be called if your debate lasts longer than three minutes". Number 12e – relating to the asterisk previous question. It states "A member wishing to close debate shall proceed to a microphone, wait to be recognized, address the Presiding Officer, state your name, title, Chapter name and number and then make the following motion: I move the previous ques-

tion". Simply calling out the word Question from the audience will not be recognized by the Presiding Officer. And Number 22 "No food or drinks are permitted on the Grand Chapter floor but box lunches are allowed in the seating area". Worthy Grand Matron, I move the adoption of the Parliamentary Rules of Procedure for this Grand Chapter.

WGP: I second it.

WGM: It has been moved and seconded that we accept the Parliamentary Report as presented by our Parliamentary Chairman, Sister Willie Mae Shaw. All in favor, raise your pink cards. All opposed. Motion carried. (One rap)

I now invite the Committee on Chapters UD Chairman, Sister Sandra Adams, to come and give her Report.

Sister Sandra Adams: Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron, thank you for the honor and privilege to serve as Chairman of the Committee on Chapters Under Dispensation during this Grand Chapter year. The Chapters Under Dispensation for the 2010-2011 Grand Chapter year included Lindale Chapter U.D. Instituted on April 10, 2010 and the Kurten Chapter UD, instituted on Friday, April 9, 2010. During the year, the Grand Chapter UD Committee Members, Sandra Adams, Chairman, Dr. Anna Huckabee and Dr. Paul Goodson visited from time to time during the year and observed the Ritualistic Work in Lindale and Kurten. Both Chapters have initiated three (3) new members in their respective Chapters. They have held fundraisers, silver drills, etc. in support of benevolent purposes within the communities, contributed to Humanitarian Programs of Grand Chapter and donated to their area Masonic Lodges. Also, in an effort to become more knowledgeable with the Constitution, Rules and Regulations and the Ritualistic Work of our beautiful Order of the Eastern Star, several of their members attended scheduled Schools of Instruction within their Districts and earned their "A" Certificates. The Chapters are enthusiastic, eager to learn and are dedicated to the continued service in the Grand Chapter of Texas, Order of the Eastern Star. It is therefore the recommendation of this Committee that the Lindale and Kurten Chapters UD be granted their Charter within this Grand Jurisdiction of Texas, Order of the Eastern Star. Respectfully submitted, Sandra M. Adams, Chairman, Dr. Anna Huckabee, Dr. Paul Goodson, Chapters Under Dispensation, Grand Chapter of Texas, Order of the Eastern Star. Worthy Grand Matron, I move the adoption of this Report.

WGP: I second

WGM: Our Worthy Grand Patron seconded that motion. It has been moved and seconded that we accept the Report of Chapters UD. All in favor raise your pink cards. All opposed same card. Motion carried. Madam Chairman, I want to thank you for a beautiful Report and I want to thank your Committee. I know firsthand that you all three have paid great attention to the duties and responsibilities of your committee and have been very helpful to our two UD Chapters and I thank you very, very much.

WGP: Sisters and Brothers, we have two announcements. The first is from our Parliamentarian. All Committees that comprise two or more members, when they make a motion for their Report, it does not need to be a second because of two or more members. If it's a Committee of one then it needs a second. As these Reports are given for the multiple member Committees, there will not be a second. Would the members of Purposes and Policies Committee, your one member is up here and she's wanting the rest of you to please come up and Brother Henry Martin specifically because you've got to read the Report. Thank you.

WGM: The next Report that we will be calling for will be the Partial Report of the Credentials Committee. Is Sister Linda Roy in the Grand Chapter Room? Would someone notify her that we are ready for her to bring her Partial Report.

The Report of the Worthy Grand Matron is printed in your Advanced Annual Reports

and begins on page 1 and continues on through 18. So you have this in your registration package so there will be no need to reiterate on anything in this Advanced Report. At the time of the printing of our Advanced Report, our Grand Chapter had been fortunate in having been spared the loss of any Past Grand Matron or Past Grand Patron or Installed Grand Officer, but on July 4th a very beloved Past Grand Matron, Sister Mary Brown, passed away at approximately 12:30 in a very restful and easy passing. She was a very devoted member to Grand Chapter, to her Chapter, to her Section, to her District. There was an Eastern Star service held at Forest Grove, Texas on Thursday, July 7th, 2011. The following served in the service: Mary Ruth White served as Worthy Matron; Brother Nelson Campbell served as Worthy Patron; Brother Kenneth Gregory as Chaplain; filling the Star Points were: Sisters Dr. Effie Mae Davis as Adah; Annette Curry, Ruth; Vi Griffin, Esther; Betty Y. Friend, Martha; and Doris Davis, Electa. After the service we accompanied the family and our beloved Mary to a graveside service there in her community. I invited our Past Grand Matron, Betty Y. Friend, who had served as one of Sister Mary's Deputies and who had a very close friendship with Sister Mary to write the Memoriam which was printed in the August, 2011 Eastern Star Bulletin.

There have been eight Grand Representativeships given since the Advanced Report: Sister Mary Bond to the State of Arizona; Patsy Hewlett, Iowa; Linda Hargis, Missouri; Sharon London, Rhode Island; Sharon Adams, Scotland; Evelyn Huddleston, Tennessee; Trey Smith, West Virginia; and Jack Beall, Wyoming.

Grand Representatives of Texas in Other Grand Jurisdictions in the Advanced Report indicated that I had signed 25. Two more were signed after this printing. All of the Schools of Instructions were completed and reported in your Advanced Report. Fraternal visits for the year totaled 58. Anniversaries attended: 7-100 year anniversaries and 1 – 50 year anniversary. Seven of those are reported in your Advanced Report. Houston Heights #258 celebrated their 100th year anniversary and it was celebrated on July 7th. I attended on June 23 – 26th Grand Assembly of Texas, International Order of the Rainbow for Girls. One honor night, three meetings, one initiation, the Board of Directors Banquet honoring their retiring member, the Past Matrons and Past Patrons Annual Picnic in Houston, the District IV Banquet held in Houston at the Shrine Temple, Out of State Meetings attended after the Advanced Report, One. That was to the Multi-State Exchange Visit held in Vicksburg, Mississippi, July 22-23. Special dispensations issued after the printing totaled 6. They were for late elections and late installations. There were two more By-Law changes signed by myself after the printing of the Advanced Report which will, I believe bring the total to 33. I thanked the Grand Chapter in my Advanced Report for the use of the Credit Card and the Van that we used to make our official visits and our Schools of Instruction. Mileage put on the Van during the year was approximately 36,000 miles. I used my own personal vehicle and gasoline to try to keep down the mileage on the vehicle that Vi would have more life left in the Van on those set of tires. So my personal car was used for a total of exceeding 7,000 miles during the year. I also had over 15,000 miles of air travel for the Hawaiian trip and also Other Grand Jurisdictions. In conclusion, I want to thank again my Executive Committee and Arrangements Committee for the many hours they have spent in putting this 129th Session of Grand Chapter together and the success that we are experiencing from it. To my precious Sisters and Brothers, I thank you for everything you have done for me, for Grand Chapter, and for your Chapters this year. I know that we have made a difference for our beautiful Order. Thank you for every flower you have planted in our *Garden of Friendship* and our every dream that you have helped me make come true. Fraternally, Mrs. Mary Ruth White, Worthy Grand Matron, 2010-2011. I move the acceptance of this Supplemental Report of the Worthy Grand Matron.

WGP: I second

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WGM: All in favor of accepting this Supplemental Report raise your pink card. All opposed same sign. Motion carried. (One rap) Thank you very much. Worthy Grand Patron, I invite you to bring your report.

WGP: Thank you, Worthy Grand Matron. My Preliminary Report was submitted as of June 1st to the Grand Secretary for the printing in the Advanced Annual Report. It can be found on pages 19-28. I now submit this additional information. The months of June and July were very busy. I participated in four installations of Officers. These Chapters were: Farmers Branch, Lewisville, Princeton and Loyal. I also attended Rainbow Grand Assembly in Waco, Texas where I received my Grand Cross of Color. I attended with others the Grand Chapter of Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Islands, the Associate Grand Matron's Roundup in Mesquite, the Board of Directors Retirement Banquet and their July meeting, and along with the Worthy Grand Matron and several Texas members the Multi-State Gathering in Vicksburg, Mississippi. I was also able to attend two District Banquets, District I held in Dallas and District 5 held in San Antonio. And I squeezed in four Stated Meetings for Lewisville. I am presenting this Report at the 129th *Garden of Friendship* Session in Houston. It is impossible for me to put into words my appreciation to the Executive Committee and the Arrangements Committee for the hard work and long hours in making this a very special time for the Grand Chapter of Texas. I would like to thank the membership of Texas for all their support of our special projects this past year. Through your efforts we exceeded all our expectations and we were able to give more than our original projections to our charities. Finally, I'd like to thank the membership for their support for General Grand Chapter Service Dog Project. Through your donations, we have donated more than \$22,000 to help purchase and train therapy dogs to aid our Texas Veterans who are suffering from Post Traumatic Stress Disorder. One of our members is making these blankets. She's making 22 of them to go on the 22 dogs that we will be supporting. (Applause) You know these senior moments, Sister June Bell is our member that is making those 22 blankets for the dogs and we do want to thank her for that. Would y'all show her how much we appreciate her? (Applause) Worthy Grand Matron, I move the adoption of this Report.

WGM: It has been moved that we accept the Supplemental Report of the Worthy Grand Patron. All in favor raise your pink cards. All opposed, same card. Motion carried. (One rap) I now recognize the Grand Secretary, Sister Marlene Scholari and I invite her to bring her report.

GS: Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, General Grand Chapter Officers and Committee Members, Past Grand Matrons and Past Grand Patrons, Distinguished Members, my Sisters and Brothers all. My Report is located on page 29. I will read it to you.

Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, General Grand Chapter Officers and Committee Members, Past Grand Matrons, Past Grand Patrons, Distinguished Members, my Sisters and Brothers all.

It is with much pleasure I introduce to you My Administrative Assistants in the Grand Chapter Office: Tava Smith, Receptionist, Bulletin Ads & Setup, Fifty Year Memberships, Donna Kirkpatrick, Supplies, Bulletin Subscriptions and Printing, Charlotte Beall, Membership, Annual Reports and Debara Perry, Special Projects. I wish to thank each of you for your dedication to this Membership.

As you can see, we no longer have a Bookkeeper or Computer Tech, for I was the Bookkeeper and Computer Tech before becoming Grand Secretary. All of this has created more work on the Grand Secretary and her staff, but has been graciously accepted.

The biggest challenge this year has been to handle the necessary requirements for our Eastern Star Ladies in TMRC. In regard to this, I will tell you a little about my first week as Grand Secretary. When we returned from the Grand Chapter Session in Amarillo, the very

first thing that I had to do was to put Edna Cowsert on Hospice Care. She passed away on November 10, 2010. From there, it was necessary to take care of all funeral arrangements and plan her memorial service. Carrying out all of her wishes, was for me very important and that it was done well. Months following this, it was necessary to put Edith Hutchinson on Hospice Care. This was done after a hospital stay that did not have good results. Edith Hutchinson after being on Hospice care for 7 months and 5 days went to be with our Lord on July 5, 2011. On June 25, I received a call that Mildred Pointer was taken to the Emergency Room. It was determined that she had pneumonia and other issues. The following Wednesday, July 6th, it was decided to put Mildred on Hospice and she passed on Saturday, July 9th. With this being said, I did learn a lot. The other side of the coin was that I have gotten to know all of our ladies in the home. As a result of these situations that I had to handle, I decided to start monthly meetings with our Eastern Star Ladies in the home. We now meet every third Tuesday, at 1:30 p.m. During these monthly meetings, we celebrate Birthdays, Holidays and just have good fellowship. My goal is to be sure that all of the Ladies know how important they are to me, my staff and the members of the Order. We enjoy having this time with them.

One of the duties and pleasures of the Grand Secretary is to have a close relationship with our Ladies at TMRC. Care Plan meetings are scheduled regularly with the staff at TMRC to discuss the progress of all ladies in the clinic. As Registered Legal Agent for the Grand Chapter of Texas, the Grand Secretary is responsible for taking care of not only the business affairs but the medical needs when needed for the ladies. The Grand Secretary has the Durable Power of Attorney and also the Medical Power of Attorney of all the ladies. As Medical Power of Attorney, I am responsible for making sometimes hard decisions concerning the health of the ladies. I am also responsible for seeing that their wishes are carried out upon their death. Most of our ladies do not have a family and, even if they do, it is our responsibility to respect their wishes. Therefore, it is imperative that the office of the Grand Secretary be in a close proximity of TMRC as there are many times I have been and will be called upon to see to their needs. Above all else, our ladies must be our first priority and must feel safe and secure in knowing we are there for them

All reports on the IRS form 990 for Subordinate Chapters were electronically filed by the Grand Chapter office as required and will be filed in the same manner this year. It will not be necessary for the Chapter to send any paper work to the office as it can be done without it.

The Membership Data Base is complete, with all the membership information entered from the Annual Reports. I must commend Charlotte Beall for getting this accomplished this year. All Annual Reports through 2009 are scanned and formatted for research. I would like to thank Debara Perry for completing this project.

In compliance with Article 68: Printed Reports

The following Legal Actions for 2010-2011 pertaining to Assets are as follows:

July 14, 2011

Henderson Property Lien Debt

Borrowers: Bernard Hall and wife, Sharon Hall

The Board of Directors negotiated a settlement of \$10,000.

The Fourth Annual Workshop was held in the Chapel at TMRC with 142 registered. I want to thank each of you who attended.

It has been my pleasure to attend the following for the year: Purposes and Policy Committee Meeting; eight Board of Directors Meetings, four Corporate Board Meetings; Spring Fling at TMRC; as many Schools as possible; Roundups; Installations; Board of Directors Retirement Banquet; and many chapter meetings.

To the Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Mary Ruth White, and Worthy Grand Patron, Brother Karl Arthur Drescher, Jr., it has been a joy serving with you this past year and I could not have wished for a more wonderful Worthy Grand Matron to serve with for my first year as Grand Secretary. I sincerely hope all your dreams have come true. Worthy Grand Patron, you and I had worked together before in a different capacity and it has been just as rewarding as it was then. May God's blessings always be with both of you.

To Sister Lorrie Owens, Grand Treasurer. This was our 1st year to work together! You as Grand Treasurer have met the challenges that have come your way. We made some changes this year, but you have persevered. I look forward to another good year.

To the Board of Directors: To those of you who are moving on: God Speed! As I know you will not be retiring but taking on other challenges. Thanks to all.

A very special thank you to Lynn Kearney for all her volunteer help and dedication to our membership. You will never know how much I appreciate you.

Heartfelt thanks to those of you who have served as pages for me this year: Addie Taylor, Donna Kirkpatrick and Tina Stevens. Please know how much I appreciate all of you.

To my husband Joe: Thank you for all your support, love and patience. I love you dearly.

To the membership: Thank you for all the encouraging words and most of all for your prayers.

If you will turn to page 32 in your Advanced Report, I will go over the information. We do have some corrections. I would like for you to look at the section that shows our member increase and remove the 715 that says Consolidated. I put that on the report because I have to give that information to General Grand and I should have not included it there. That will change that total to 1,290. I also need to add in the dual memberships that were lost in consolidations. If you'll look at Dual Withdrawn, you're going to add that 32 that I have listed below which will make that 122 which will give a total decrease in membership of 3,026. Changing our total membership to 31,363. And I apologize for that but that is due to the way I was listing the Report. As you can see, we do have 138 members at TMRC that are exempt from per capita and 50 year members, we have 186, giving us a total of 324 that are exempt members. After May 31st, we've had 8 Consolidations and 1 Demised. Making our total chapters instead of 380, will be 379. We were not made aware of these situations until after the Report was done. So I wanted to let y'all know that those numbers did change. These are given of the Consolidation and Demise that took effect as of June 1 and thereafter. I will read to you, we have: Demised Chapters: Higgins Chapter #300; Portland #1108; Wichita Falls #237; Justin Chapter #1128. We have Consolidated Chapters: Concho #826 with San Angelo #10; Lone Star #1083 with Daingerfield #906; Richland Springs #264 with San Saba #191; Bellville #611 with Brookshire #652; Love Field #875 with Dallas #1; John Gillespie #257 with Center #348; Ysleta #991 with Woodbine #738; Cora Posey #1072 with Abilene #30; Bardwell #560 with Winnie #160; and Fidelis #963 with Austin #304. Those are our Consolidated Chapters this year. Worthy Grand Matron, I move for the Report of the Grand Secretary as Amended to Grand Chapter be referred to proper Committee. Marlene Scholari, Grand Secretary

WGP: I second.

WGM: It has been moved and seconded that we accept the Report of the Grand Secretary as Amended. All in favor, your pink cards. All opposed, same card. Motion carried. Sister Grand Secretary, I want to thank you for a very concise and complete Report and I

want to tell you that it has been my pleasure and my joy to serve with you this year. You in no way gave the appearance of a first year Grand Secretary. I enjoyed every conversation that we had concerning the business of Grand Chapter and I wish you much success in your years to come. Thank you for making my year a little easier by your splendid job that you gave to Grand Chapter. Thank you. (Applause)

This is going to be a happy event. Worthy Grand Patron.

WGP: Sisters and Brothers, one of the duties of the Worthy Grand Patron is keeping an eye on the Chapters that are Under Dispensation. Now this morning you voted to allow two new Chapters. They should have gone out and got their credentials so I would like to ask the members of Curtain #32 and Lindale #50 if they will please stand if they are here today. There were a bunch of them here yesterday. There they are! Congratulations! (Applause) And I know Sister Vi and Brother David are looking forward, they've got you on their calendar and we will be there for them. Thank y'all very much for being here today.

WGM: I just had a Report sent to me by Sister Roy, our Credentials Chairman. And her answer to my Partial Report of the Credentials Committee was that the Chapters represented have not changed. That is 296 as reported yesterday. I now recognize and invite Sister Lorrie Owens, our Grand Treasurer to bring her Report.

Sister Lorrie Owens: Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Most Worthy Grand Matron, Acting Most Worthy Grand Patron, General Grand Chapter Officers and Committee Members, Past Grand Matrons, Past Grand Patrons, other Distinguished Members, my loving Sisters and Brothers. My heartfelt thanks to the membership of Texas for the trust you placed in me by electing me to serve the Grand Chapter of Texas in this responsible position. I have done my best to fulfill your expectations and the duties of this office. Although this year has seen many changes in the Grand Chapter office with the election of a new Grand Secretary, it has been a busy, interesting and rewarding year for me. We have worked together as a team and for the good of our Order. My sincere thanks go to our Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron for their faith in and support for me. I appreciate those members on the Board of Directors who worked and cooperated with me on various projects. I extend a special thanks to Marlene Scholari, Grand Secretary, and her skilled office staff of Charlotte Beall, Tava Smith, Donna Kirkpatrick and part-time helper, Debara Perry. Their sunny and humorous attitudes, knowledge and willingness to assist me made it easier to perform my duties. My gratitude to my Grand Pages, Kay Ballentine, Mary Brunet, Ethel Dammann and Linda Rea Mason who have helped me whenever asked to do so. If you look in the East now you only see three of those and there's one male up there, and he wouldn't fit in a dress, but he helped me at the last minute for this Grand Chapter Session which is David Ouellette. I certainly appreciate it. I have received positive feedback from the membership that has led to some changes and improvements. Please continue to communicate your comments and suggestions.

In addition to performing the Constitutional duties of the Grand Treasurer, I have continued to travel to the various Districts to get to know the members and their problems or suggestions dealing with my elected position. I have attended or participated in the following activities: all meetings including the Budget Meeting of the Board of Directors; all meetings of the Corporate Board; a Purposes and Policy Committee meeting; the Secretary/Treasurer workshop in Arlington; Spring Fling and Texas Masonic Day; 16 Schools of Instruction; 13 Fraternal Visits; 45 Chapter meetings; 8 fun nights; 18 practices and miscellaneous meetings; 33 social functions (banquets, luncheons, breakfasts, fundraisers, Masonic activities), 2 Funerals; 2 Rainbow functions; and 13 installations. There is one installation which has added to my duties is that I am currently Worthy Matron of my Chapter.

For your information and consideration, I have prepared a summary of Grand Chapter's

financial status for September 1, 2010 through February 28, 2011. Since the Board of Directors held the Budget Meeting earlier than prior years, information for April 30, 2011 was not available. The exception is to the Report for Endowed Memberships that is from the beginning November 1, 1987 through May 31, 2011. Detailed Account of all Funds are on file in the Grand Secretary's Office for use in the annual audit of the books and records of the Grand Chapter of Texas.

On one duty that I didn't mention in the Advanced Report is Endowed Memberships. If you want Endowed Memberships send them to my attention to avoid any delay in processing, and if you need them for a special time, please let us know and give us at least two weeks advance notice so that we can get them to you for that special moment.

The Reports that I have made for your financial assistance are located on pages 38-44.

Worthy Grand Matron, I move that the Report of the Grand Treasurer, as printed in the Advanced Annual Report and presented to this Grand Chapter, be referred to the proper Committee. Lorrie Owens, Grand Treasurer

WGP: I second.

WGM: It has been moved and seconded that we accept the Report of the Grand Treasurer. All in favor, signify by raising your pink cards. All opposed, same card. Motion carried. (One rap) Sister Grand Treasurer, I want to thank you for an outstanding job this year. Grand Chapter is very fortunate to have someone of your talent and also of your dedication to serve as our Grand Treasurer. Your records are perfect and your dedication to your job is outstanding and we, as the Grand Chapter of Texas, thank you for your services this year. (Applause) I now call upon the Board of Directors to bring their Committee Reports this morning and I introduce our Chairman, Brother Keith Mikeworth.

Brother Keith Mikeworth: Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Distinguished Members, my Sisters and Brothers. It is my honor and pleasure to introduce the Members of the Board of Directors: Ronald Zipp, Vice Chairman from District 5; Elizabeth Wise, Secretary from District 4; from District 1, Betty Scott and Tonya Foster; District 2, Karen Kidd; District 3, Lorraine Williams and Darla Dunaway, District 4, Gerry Sturtz; and from District 5, Kathy Teele.

It has been a pleasure for me to work with all the Board Members this year. They have been diligent and have worked very hard in all of the challenges that have come up this Grand Chapter year. They have been strong and steadfast in all of these challenges. To all of the Board Members you have done everything asked of you. I appreciate each one of you.

At Grand Chapter in Amarillo last year, we had our first executive meeting where the newly elected Board Members, Tonya Foster and Darla Dunaway were welcomed. During this short meeting a Chairman, Vice Chairman and Secretary were elected by the Board Members. We had nine scheduled meetings and one workshop. Four of the meetings were held at the various Schools with the other five meetings and workshop being held at the Grand Chapter Office in Arlington. I had the privilege, as a guest, to attend the Corporate Board meetings this Grand Chapter year.

As we know, we started out this Grand Chapter year with a new Grand Secretary and a second year Grand Treasurer. To you, we extend our thanks for being at our meetings and furnishing us with the necessary information whenever we requested it. Without this information we would not be able to make the good decisions that are very important.

The Board members reviewed benevolent aid requests, processed new residents to Texas Masonic Retirement Center, assisted in the scholarship program, approved finances for the Associate Grand Matron's Special Projects, approved contracts for future Grand Chapter Sessions and provided supervision of the financial affairs of Grand Chapter. Other Board members will be bringing detailed Reports of Board duties.

Our Bankers at JP Morgan Chase presented in depth records to the Board and our Auditors at Ratliff & Sommerville made their report on the Grand Chapter year 2009-2010 to the Board.

Grand Chapter currently has 13 of our ladies residing at the Texas Masonic Retirement Center which we are responsible for at an average cost of \$55,000.00 per month. We thank TMRC for allowing our members to reside in their beautiful retirement center and we are grateful for all the care that they provide to all our members in residence.

To all the Past Grand Matrons, Past Grand Patrons, Installed Grand Chapter Officers and all of the members that have attended the Board Meetings this year a big THANK YOU goes out to you for being there. It is nice to know that you have an interest in the affairs of the Grand Chapter of Texas. All of the membership is welcome to attend the board meetings on the third Saturday of each month, except in December and June. The Worthy Grand Matron's calendar will list when the meetings are as well as all other events.

To the Board of Directors, I appreciate your confidence in electing me to serve as your Chairman for the 2010-2011 Grand Chapter year. Each of you has become a very special part of my life and I love each one of you. Without the Supreme Being above and all of your help this year would not have been possible.

A special thank you to my wife for without her acceptance of my decision to seek a place on the Board of Directors and without her support, I would not be speaking with you today.

As always the goal of your Board of Directors is to be good stewards of the membership resources so that there will always be a Grand Chapter of Texas. It is a very big responsibility but also rewarding. The Board of Directors needs your prayers as we go about Grand Chapter's business.

Finally, thank you to the membership of this great Order for electing me to the Board of Directors. It has been a very rewarding and learning experience which nothing can take its place. This has been a fast three years and I feel that in the next two years there are still many more rewarding experiences to come.

God Bless each of you. Fraternally, Keith Mikeworth, Chairman, Board of Directors 2010-2011. Worthy Grand Matron, I move the adoption of the printed Report, pages 45-46.

WGM: It has been moved that we accept the Report of the Board of Directors. All in favor signify by raising your pink cards. Opposed same card. Motion carried. (One rap)

Brother Keith Mikeworth: It is my pleasure to introduce Mrs. Karen Kidd who will bring Board of Directors Report Number 2.

Sister Karen Kidd: Report Number 2, Board of Directors. Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Distinguished Guests, my Sisters and Brothers. The Board of Directors presents for your consideration and approval, the proposed budget for the General Fund for the year 2011-2012. The details of the budget can be found in the Advanced Report on page 47 and 48. To give you a little background information, we the Board, meet for a work day to do the budget annually. Usually in May before our monthly meeting, however, this year we met in April and finalized the budget at the May meeting. We look at profit and loss sheets on a monthly basis, but we do the budget on the one day per year. The budget process is to look at the last three years to determine if we need to increase or decrease a line item. If you will look on page 47 and 48, the figures in your Advanced Annual Report, some of the figures are wrong. And if you will look carefully, I will tell you which lines need to be changed. Under General Fund Income, all of those figures remain the same and the total income is estimated and that is \$584,663. If you will look under the expenses, I will give you a number and give you the changed or different figures. At the end, I'll tell you why they are changed. If you'll look on the line between 25 and 26, under computer contract services, that number should be \$7,000. On line number 32, vehicle fuel maintenance, we have changed

that to \$15,000. Line 34, under vehicle repairs, change that to \$4,000. Line 42, Grand Treasurer expense, change that to \$600. Line 47, Advanced Reports, change that to \$3,500. Line 48, Ballots and voting cards, change that to \$400. Line 57, Auto Insurance, change that to \$4,500. Line 71, Postage meter lease, change that to \$5,500. Line 75, Printing –Other, change that to \$10,000. Line 77, Office and Printing supplies, change that to \$2,000. Line 78, Cost of Supplies – General and Grand Chapter, change that to \$43,853. Line 79, Computer Maintenance, change that to \$6,000. Then your total expense will be \$584,663., with a net income of zero. Sisters and Brothers, we've done that, we've adjusted the expenses so our expenses and our income balance. So we have a purposed balanced budget with zero net income. If you will look under the Benevolent Aid Budget, the total income in \$93,633. The only line that we changed was under line 96, Emergency Aid, and that should be changed to \$28,633. Which makes our total expense \$93,633. So there again our Benevolent Aid Budget balances and there is zero income. As a summary of this Report we anticipate a revenue of \$584,663. Please remember Sisters and Brothers that this is estimated, with the expenditures of \$584,663. This will give us our proposed budget for 2011-2012. Worthy Grand Matron, I move the adoption of this Report.

WGM: It has been moved that we accept the Report for the Budget by the Board of Directors, all in favor signify by raising your pink card. Opposed same sign. Motion carried. Thank you, Sister Karen. (One rap)

Sister Karen Kidd: Thank you. It is my pleasure to present Betty Scott who will give the Board of Directors Report Number 3.

Sister Betty Scott: Report Number 3 – Ladies Residing at Texas Masonic Retirement Center. The Report of the ladies residing at the Retirement Center is from September 1, 2010 through June 30, 2011. The Grand Chapter year started with 16 residents at the Texas Masonic Retirement Center. Eight in the independent living area and eight in the Clinic. During the year, we have had three Sisters join our Heavenly Father's Grand Chapter: Sisters Edna Cowsart; Edith Hutchinson; and Mildred Pointer. We currently have 13 ladies that reside at TMRC. Eight who reside in the independent living center and 5 who reside in the Clinic. The current cost of maintaining each lady in the independent living center is \$49.48 per day or \$18,060.20 per year. The current cost of maintaining each lady in the clinic is \$101.28 per day or \$73,467.20 per year. Each year in June, TMRC audits their actual cost per resident in the living center and the Clinic. The above cost may be increased or decreased based on the TMRC audit. From September 1, 2010 through June 30, 2011 we have paid \$687,643.96 to the Texas Masonic Retirement Center. The Board projects the total cost through August 31, 2011 to be approximately \$739,244.32. In addition each resident is given an allowance of \$70.00 per month. Report Number 3 of the Board of Directors. Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron, Distinguished Members, my Sisters and Brothers, Report Number 3 consists of two parts: OES Ladies Retirement Fund 501(c)3 and Ladies Retirement Center at Texas Masonic Center. The OES Retirement Fund is a 501(c)3 fund, a designated fund which can only be used for the ladies residing at the Texas Masonic Retirement Center. The income of this fund is derived from several sources, which can be found on page 42 of the Advanced Annual Report. The three main sources of income continue to be the per-capita which is \$5.00 per member, the Endowment Pension, and the Ladies Pensions. Their care and happiness will continue to be the main concern of our Board of Directors. Ladies Retirement Fund 501(c)3 beginning balance 9/1/10 \$1,221,122.93, the balance as of June 30, 2011 \$1,179,244.48. The breakdown of the revenue and disbursements 9/1/10 to 6/30/11 can be found on page 32 of the Advanced Report. The Board extends its appreciation to the membership for its continued support of our ladies and invites the members to visit them as much as possible. Worthy Grand Matron, I move the adoption of Report

Number 3.

WGM: It been moved that we accept the Report of the Board of Directors on TMRC expenses. Is there any discussion? All in favor raise your pink card. Opposed same sign. Motion carried. (One rap)

Sister Betty Scott: It is now my pleasure to introduce Sister Elizabeth Wise who will present Report Number 4.

Sister Elizabeth Wise: Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Distinguished Members, my Sisters and Brothers. In compliance with Article F, page 72 of the Code of Laws, we, your Board of Directors, present the Report on the Benevolent Aid Fund for the period of September 1, 2010 – August 1, 2011. Income beginning balance \$36,961.74; 2010 per capita \$34,507.00; Humanitarian Fund \$16,811.71; CD interest \$24.30; Total Income \$88,304.75. Disbursements: \$32,300; Temporary Benevolent Aid, which was (1) - \$1,500; Emergency Benevolent Aid, which was (8) \$10,000; Total Disbursements: \$43,800. Balance in Fund \$44,504.75. At this time, we have 5 members of 4 Chapters that are receiving long term Benevolent Aid. Benevolent Aid Budget 2011- 2012, Estimated Income: 2011 per capita - \$33,333; Interest \$300; Humanitarian Fund \$25,000; Rollover \$35,000; Proposed budget \$93,633. Estimated Expenses; Long Term Benevolent Aid \$50,000; Temporary Benevolent Aid \$15,000; and Emergency Benevolent Aid \$20,000; Total Benevolent Aid Budget \$85,000. Expected income - \$8,633.00. Worthy Grand Matron I move the adoption of this Report.

WGM: It has been moved to accept the Report from the Board of Directors on Benevolent Aid. Is there any discussion? All in favor signify by raising the pink cards. Opposed same sign. Motion carried. (One rap)

Sister Elizabeth Wise: Thank you. It is my pleasure to introduce Darla Dunaway to present Report Number 5.

Sister Darla Dunaway: Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Distinguished East, my Sisters and Brothers. The independent accounting firm of Ratliff and Associates, P.C. completed their audit of the books and financial position of Grand Chapter and the Eastern Star Home of Texas on January 4, 2011 for the Grand Chapter physical year ending August 31, 2010 and August 31, 2009 and the related statement of functional expenses and cash flows for the years then ended. This CPA firm conducted the audit in accordance with the auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. These standards require that they plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. In their written opinion as of January 4th, 2011, the financial statements referred to the above, present fairly and in all material respects the financial position of the Grand Chapter of Texas, Order of the Eastern Star. The Eastern Star Home of Texas as of August 31, 2010 and 2009 and the changes in its net assets and cash flows for the years then ended in conformity with the accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. The audit report will be printed in its entirety in the proceedings in the August 2011, 129th Annual Session of the Grand Chapter of Texas. Fraternaly, Darla Dunaway, Board of Directors, District 3. Worthy Grand Patron (Worthy Matron not available at this time), I move the adoption of this Report.

WGP: You've heard the Report of the Board of Directors, Report Number 5. All those in favor of accepting this Report, please raise your pink card voting cards. Those opposed. Motion carried. (One rap)

Sister Darla Dunaway: It is now my pleasure to present Sister Kathy Teele with Report Number 6.

Sister Kathy Teele: Thank you, Sister Darla. Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Distinguished Members, my Sisters and Brothers all. In compliance with Code of "Garden of Friendship"

Laws, Article 204(b) page 149, we, your Board of Directors present the following Report on the Endowed Membership for the period of September 1, 2010 through May 31, 2011. 117 Memberships were issued for a principal amount of \$58,500. As of May 31, 2011 total Endowed Membership 5,376 with a total principal \$2,688,000. In accordance to Article 204 page 149, distribution of earnings cannot be made until May 31st of the first year after purchase of the Endowed Membership. The distribution of earnings to Chapter for the Endowed Memberships this past year were \$13.55. Worthy Grand Patron, I move the adoption of Report Number 6. (Worthy Grand Matron not available)

WGP: You have heard the Report Number 6 of the Board of Directors. All those in favor of accepting this Report, please raise your pink voting cards. Those opposed. Carries.

(One rap)

Sister Kathy Teele: Thank you. It is my pleasure to introduce Sister Lorraine Williams who will give Report #7.

Sister Lorraine Williams: Good Morning. Thank you. Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Distinguished Members, my Sisters and Brothers. In compliance with our Article 12(g), page 99 of the Code of Laws, we, your Board of Directors, present the report of the Educational Funds from the period of September 1, 2010 through July 16, 2011. Four members of the Education Fund Committee, composed of Treaca Huston, Chairman, Members Bonnie Varnell; Bobbye Ann Dyer; and Genevieve Orr, met on Friday, March 18, 2011 in the Grand Chapter Board Room to review the applications for Educational Scholarships. Lorraine Williams and Tonya Foster were representatives from the Board to offer their guidance and assistance. A total of 58 applications were received. After scoring all applications received and based on funds available, a total of 29 scholarships in the amount of \$750 were awarded based on student need and criteria defined by the Constitution and Code of Laws. The Grand Treasurer informed the Chairman of the Committee later that additional scholarship funds in the amount of \$3,750 had been received. It had been agreed by the Committee that if additional funds were received to award them to the applicants on the alternate list with the highest scores. Therefore, the Chairman mailed letters to five more applicants advising them that they had been awarded also a \$750 scholarship. This made a total of 34 scholarships in the amount of \$750 each awarded giving a total of \$25,500 in Educational Scholarships awarded in this Grand Chapter year. As a separate attachment there is a list of all awarded students. I commend the Committee for their time and their conscientious effort to give equal consideration of all applications.

SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENTS

- Jennifer Marie SheanerSpring
- Maria Elizabeth MongtemayorBarlverdo
- Michael Wayne Fincher, Jr.Wheelock
- Charles Gordon HarrellSilsbee
- Lauren Elizabeth GoodmanBirmingham
- Marleah Erin McGrathJustin
- Jamy Lyn ScottHereford
- Emily Layne TalleySan Angelo
- Shayla R. ConnKountze
- Kasey Danielle MontgomeryCranfills Gap
- July Christine HaynesFriendswood
- Kara Lynn LewisDeer Park
- Hayden Keith HernandezLaPorte
- Rachel Abigail Hansen GoodingPittsburg

Kelsy Carpenter	San Antonio
Kelsey M. Clark	Brownwood
Veronica Christine Royall	Deer Park
Kristen Elizabeth Melcher	Pearland
Kelsey Ann Evans	Sulphur Springs
Ashley Lauren Dennis	Saint Jo
Haley Lanette Grimes	Lake Jackson
James Blake Heweitt	Robert Lee
Katherine Margaret Coleman	San Antonio
Joshua Charles Vick	Denison
Kaitlyn Bohlken	Mt. Vernon
Sean Patrick Williams	Denison
Lindsey Elizabeth Strubhart	Borne
Victoria Ann Schwartz	Lufkin
Heather Nicole Gary	Tomball
Tiffany Ann Brock	Omaha
Kellyn Renee Smith	Flint
Chandler Paige Tabor	Wills Point
Amber Nicoll Royall	Houston
Ashley Nicole Green	Pittsburg

I move the adoption of this Report.

WGP: Sisters and Brothers, you have heard the reading of Report Number 7, is there any discussion? Hearing none, all those in favor please vote by raising your pink voting cards. Those opposed same. Motion passed. (One rap)

Sister Lorraine Williams: It is now my pleasure to present Gerry Sturtz to present Report Number 8.

Sister Gerry Sturtz: Good Morning. It is with pleasure that I present this Report of the Special Committees of the Worthy Grand Matron's Special Projects. The Report outlines how much the Special Committees made from the sale of numerous items this year. As of July 29, 2011, the sales of these projects came to \$136,363.54, less expenses of \$46,327.80 for a total net profit of \$90,035.74. The final figures will be published in the proceedings after Grand Chapter. The Board of Directors wishes to congratulate this Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron on a very successful year. Worthy Grand Patron, I move for the adoption of this Report.

WGP: Sisters and Brothers, you've heard the reading of Report Number 8 of the Board of Directors, is there any discussion? Hearing none all those in favor vote by raising your pink voting card. All opposed same. Motion passed. (One rap)

Sister Gerry Sturtz: It is my pleasure to introduce Sister Tonya Foster who will bring Report Number 9.

Sister Tonya Foster: Thank you, Sister Gerry for that Report. Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Distinguished Members, my Sisters and Brothers. It is my pleasure to provide the following Report on the Contingency Funds of the Grand Chapter referencing Article Number 11 Section 3(b). As of August 1, 2011 the Contingency Fund has a balance of \$10,000. No funds or expenditures were allocated from this fund. Respectfully submitted, Tonya Foster, Board of Directors, District 1. Worthy Grand Patron, I move the adoption of this Report.

WGP: Sisters and Brothers, you've heard the reading of Report Number 9 of the Board
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of Directors. Is there any discussion? Hearing none all those in favor please vote by raising your pink cards. Those opposed. Motion carried

Sister Tonya Foster: It is my pleasure to introduce Brother Ron Zipp who will give Report Number 10.

Brother Ron Zipp: Thank you very much, Sister Tonya. Report Number 10 is the Board of Directors relating to Facilities. Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Distinguished Members, my Sisters and Brothers. I would like to present the Report of from the Facilities Committee. The Chairman of the Board of Directors appointed a Committee to work on facilities to finalize in written form the lease and/or location for Grand Chapter Headquarters. The Committee met and discussed the terms needed for a contract with TMRC. However, due to possible changes on the TMRC Board, it was felt by all concerned to wait until all Board changes have been made. After a series of discussions, a variety of proposals were presented. These included terms, options and other needed items for the contract. After much discussion, it was thought to do a draft of the letter agreement reaffirming our present location until future ramifications could be resolved. As there is presently legislation affecting the decision at the upcoming Grand Chapter Session, it was decided to await the results of the proposed legislation. Respectfully submitted, Ron D. Zipp, Vice-Chair Board of Directors. Worthy Patron, I move the adoption of this Report.

WGP: Sisters and Brothers, you've heard the reading of Report Number 10. Is there any discussion? Hearing none, all those in favor please vote by raising your pink card. Those opposed. Motion passed. (One rap) Thank you. This concludes our Reports. Sisters and Brothers, if you will bear with us for just a second, there's going to be some re-consideration, then we will vote. Can y'all bless us with a little music while we get this done? (WGP asked the choir).

WGM: Sister Grand Choir Director, could you give us one song? We have a little discussion that needs to be brought before this Grand Chapter?

[Choir singing "I'd Like to Teach the World to Sing"]

Sister Joyce Nicklas: Worthy Grand Matron

WGM: Past Grand Matron Sister Joyce Nicklas

Sister Joyce Nicklas: After reviewing the Expense Report, we noticed that there might have been a printing error. I object. My husband's now a judge, so I'm learning. I object to something I saw. Betty do you second my objection?

WGM: There has been a motion and a second to reconsider the Budget as presented and voted on a few minutes ago. This will require a majority vote of this Grand Chapter Room in order to reconsider this Budget. An error seems to be occurred and it appears to have been a printing error. But we must have the vote of this Grand Chapter to allow this to be brought back up as discussion so that we might clarify this and vote upon this Budget again. I ask the membership to vote by the pink cards. All in favor of allowing this to be reconsidered? All opposed. I do have a majority vote. Thank you. I call on Sister Joyce Nicklas, Past Grand Matron for discussion.

Sister Joyce Nicklas: Thank you, Worthy Grand Matron. I'm Joyce Nicklas. I'm a Past Matron of Mineral Wells Chapter #44. We can't hear very well on the stage Sisters and Brothers. All the sound is going that way and back here, we just hear muffled noises. We try to follow along on the program and we noticed that on page 48, where it shows the expenses, we're sort of helping out on the cost of living expense, we noticed that, but we noticed that the Grand Conductress is getting \$500 and the Associate Grand Conductress was getting \$750. Well, the Board explained that that was a printing error. I'm just stating my objection

because I thought that that was sort of messed up. Sisters and Brothers am I clear at all? Okay, that was my question to the Board.

WGM: We're going to let the Board of Directors fix this and explain this. I now call upon Sister Karen Kidd from the Board of Directors to explain the Budget as questioned on the original presentation.

Sister Karen Kidd: Thank you, Worthy Grand Matron. If you will look on page 48 of your Advanced Annual Report under Expenses, Line 39, it says Associate Grand Conductress, well you know that when we list the Line Officers we always list the Conductress first and then the Associate Grand Conductress. So, Line 39 should be the Grand Conductress expense which would be \$750. Then line 41 which is \$500 should be the Associate Grand Conductress. It is a printing error and there was no intention of having the Associate Grand Conductress have more money than the Grand Conductress. Sisters and Brothers, do you understand the change in the printing? Page 48, Line 39 and 41, just change the position on the line.

WGM: This was a Budget which had been previously approved and has been brought back up for discussion and re-consideration by a vote of this Chapter and the explanation by the Board of Directors was that the wrong names of the office were on Line 39 and 41. It listed the Associate Grand Conductress expenses being increased from \$400 to \$750 and on Line 41, the Grand Conductress allowance being increased from \$400 to \$500. That just needs to be a flip. \$500 is the proposed amount for the Associate Grand Conductress and \$750 for the Grand Conductress. Is there any discussion? Did anyone else have a problem with hearing the presentation of the Budget? Are there any other areas that need clarification? We were having trouble hearing on the stage and I was just told that the speakers have just been turned on and now the people sitting on the stage can hear. Did anyone in the audience on any of these Reports, the Board of Directors Reports or even any of the previous Reports, were there any areas where there might have been speaker problems that you did not hear the Report clearly? Please raise your cards and let me know if there is any area that has a sound problem. It looks like the only place that we had a problem that we had was on the stage and I think we now have it corrected.

[Piano Music]

WGM: I recognize the member in the North.

Sister Pricilla Lott: Worthy Grand Matron, I'm Pricilla Lock from Glenrose Chapter #171. I had a question when they read the Benevolent Aid Budget. It was different than the one that we had previously voted on the changes from the – one of the Reports they wrote down changes they wanted us to make on the Benevolent Aid Budget and when the Benevolent Aid Budget was given by the individual what was written that we marked out and we were wondering....

WGM: Yes ma'am. That's been brought to my attention and that's part of the discussion that is going on right now. We do have a motion on the floor and at this time, is there any discussion on the correcting of the verbiage of the Budget for the Associate Grand Conductress and the Grand Conductress. It's been moved and seconded that we accept the Amendment to the Budget concerning the expenses for the Grand Conductress and the Associate Grand Conductress as the verbiage being corrected, not the dollar amount. All in favor signify by raising your pink card, on this Amendment. All opposed same sign. (One rap) Now we are going to vote on the entire section as amended. Is there any discussion? Brother Richard did you wish to come to a microphone for some discussion? Now you can only speak on this one section concerning the expenses of the Associate Grand Conductress and Grand Conductress

because that is what we are voting on right now. We voted on the amendment but now we have to vote to make this on the Report as a whole as amended.

Brother Richard Ochs: Worthy Matron, I was going to just suggest that we table this and ask them to go and review the whole darn thing rather than us just delay so long. That way it will just be taken care of because your membership is getting discouraged with the delay and some of them are leaving and that was what I suggested to the Worthy Grand Patron. The dollar for each is really the immaterial part, it's the whole dad gum Budget. Thank you.

WGM: Thank you. Brother Richard did you make a motion to amend? Are you going to allow me to take a vote to merely change the terminology, no dollar amount on Number 2 and this would conclude what is necessary for this section. No more discussion.

Brother Richard: That's right, and because Worthy Matron I was just trying to see if we could talk to the Worthy Grand Patron. If you're satisfied and they're satisfied that it's correct, then good.

WGM: Thank you so very much. All in favor of accepting the verbiage of the Number 2 Amendment as Amended raise your pink cards. Opposed same card. Motion carried. (One rap)

WGP: Sisters and Brothers, there's been a motion to table the Benevolent Aid, there seems to be a couple of questions on that, now Brother Richard we are getting there. We are going to table this Report at this point so they can go back and check some of those figures. They will come back and we will discuss the Benevolent Aid once that, any corrections are made, if any, then we will vote on the Board of Directors Report as a whole at that time. We will need to vote in just a second to table this at this point. The motion has been made and now we have to take the vote.

WGM: Because there is an objection to the Benevolent Aid Budget, I have a motion that we reopen the Benevolent Aid Budget which had been previously approved and it has been seconded. I need a majority vote of this Grand Chapter in order to do that. Is there any discussion? We do have discussion.

Sister Darla Dunaway: Worthy Grand Matron, I'm Darla Dunaway, Past Matron of Mansfield Chapter #876 and I'm a member of the Board of Directors from District 3. The confusion is because the Report that Sister Elizabeth gave on Benevolent Aid is for what was done this year. It's a Report of the Boards' activities for this Grand Chapter year. The report that Sister Karen Kidd gave is a report of our Budget for the year 2012-2013. It is not the same figures. I'm sorry, 2011-2012, excuse me.

WGM: The maker of the objection to the Benevolent Aid Budget, do you wish to withdraw...will this explanation satisfy you or do you still wish for the Budget to be reopened?

Sister Pricilla Lott: Worthy Grand Matron, Pricilla Lott Past Matron of Glenrose Chapter #171. I was asking for a point of clarification, not to reopen it. I just wanted to know why she did talk about proposed and those numbers didn't match. We were following in our books and that was the only thing...I was only asking why it didn't read the way we had just voted for it to happen. If that's clarified, fine.

WGM: If there are no more questions, I recognize Brother Keith Mikeworth, Chairman of the Board of Directors.

Brother Keith Mikeworth: Worthy Grand Matron, I move we accept our Budget as a whole as amended.

WGM: I have a motion that we accept the Board of Directors Budgets as amended. Discussion? We did have a second. Is there any discussion? This is the Budget as amended. All in favor raise your pink cards. All opposed same sign. Motion carried. (One rap) Thank you very much and I do thank the Board of Directors for their clarification. I have always

found them very willing to supply us with the answers to our questions that we have and their explanations have always been very well presented and I thank the tolerance of this Grand Chapter but we do want to see that our business is handled legally and correctly and I do thank you for your indulgence in this. Thank you.

[Piano music]

WGM: I recognize Sister Rosemary Swetland. We have some Emergency Legislation and it is my feeling and the feeling of your Jurisprudence Committee that this membership needs to have this Emergency Legislation, I think it's just one page, in your hands so you may read it. We will more than likely take the vote on this issue after lunch because the hour is getting close and we do want to give each of you a chance to have it in your possession and to read it. So I now turn the microphone over to the Chairman of the Jurisprudence Committee who will bring her Report and will probably address this issue with you also. Sister Rosemary.

Sister Rosemary Swetland: Thank you, Worthy Grand Matron. Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Distinguished Members, my Sisters and Brothers all. Good Morning! (Good Morning). Boy, y'all are a super group this morning staying right with us. I want to introduce to you my wonderful team of Jurisprudence Members who have joined me this year in serving our Worthy Grand Matron, our Worthy Grand Patron and you the membership. Representing District 1 is Brother John Creel, Past Grand Patron; District 2 is Sister Betty Benham, Past Grand Matron; District 3, Sister Elise Hammack, Past Grand Matron; I am Rosemary Swetland, Past Grand Matron and Chairman from District 4; and District 5, Sister Betty Y. Friend, Past Grand Matron. I wish to personally thank these sweet friends for their support and encouragement and our Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron for this opportunity of service. Now we wish to submit the following Preliminary Report. In conformity with the provisions of the Code of Laws Article 152(e) governing the Grand Chapter of Texas relating to duties of the Jurisprudence Committee, we find no unfinished business from the previous Grand Chapter Session of 2010. Worthy Grand Matron, we recommend that the matters contained in your Advanced Annual Report including the supplemental reports of the Grand Chapter be distributed to the following Committees for their consideration: to the Board of Directors, the Report of the Grand Secretary and Grand Treasurer; to the By-Laws Committee, Amendments contained in the Worthy Grand Matron's Report; to the Grievances and Appeals Committee, and disciplinary matters that might be contained in the Worthy Grand Matron's Report; to the Committee on Chapters UD and to the Jurisprudence Committee all matters assigned to this Grand Chapter and/or contained within the prescribed duties of these Committees. Worthy Grand Matron, this completes the Preliminary Report of your Jurisprudence Committee and I move the adoption of this Report.

WGM: It has been moved and seconded that we adopt the preliminary report of the Jurisprudence Committee. Discussion? All in favor signify by using your pink cards. Opposed same sign. Motion carried. (One rap)

Sister Rosemary Swetland: Worthy Grand Matron, now with your permission I'd like to address this membership about the legislation that will be coming before them. Alright, Sisters and Brothers, your Jurisprudence Committee is quite confident that you are prepared to participate in the business of this Grand Chapter in an informed and courteous manner. If any member wishes to amend an amendment printed in the Advanced Annual Report, we ask that you please present three copies in writing for us to review before the presentation. Now by following this simple request there will be no questions as to what you the governing body will be voting upon. In addition this will allow us to conduct our business this morning in a

timely and professional manner. We are located to the right of this Grand Chapter stage and any member that has questions or concerns we're right up yonder in the birds nest. So please come and ask us...if you have something you would like to discuss with us, please come. Now, as the Worthy Grand Matron addressed a moment ago, we arrived at Grand Chapter, we were presented emergency legislation. I understand from our Parliamentarian that we will need to vote to hear this emergency legislation and it will be presented last after all of your printed Advanced Annual Report legislation has been conducted. So we will not be bringing the emergency legislation to you until after the formal amendments and resolutions that were pre-printed will be presented. So Worthy Grand Matron, we need to know if this governing body will allow us to present Emergency Legislation after the regular has been presented. Worthy Grand Matron, I move that any emergency legislation that has been brought before this Committee be allowed to be presented in a timely fashion at the end of all the regular.

WGM: It has been moved and seconded that we allow the Emergency Legislation presented to the Jurisprudence Committee to be presented after all other timely presented legislation has been voted upon. Is there discussion? This takes a majority vote in order to allow this to be presented I now ask you to use your pink cards, all in favor. All opposed by the same sign. Motion carried.

Sister Rosemary Swetland: Thank you Worthy Grand Matron. Now, as a courtesy to you the membership, the Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron and your Jurisprudence Committee believed that you should have a copy of the Emergency Legislation so that you might prepare yourselves to be intelligent voters later. So we're not going to present this sight unseen to you. We will be presenting it later. We have the copies to the left of the stage here, Worthy Grand Matron, will you direct as to how you wish to handle this so that our membership will have in hand emergency legislation to study before we present it.

WGM: Would my Grand Ushers, any members of the Arrangements Committee and my Deputy Grand Matrons, will you please come over here and pick up some of these and distribute these very quickly to the membership. And while these are being distributed we are going to go ahead with the business of Grand Chapter. So if you will move about as quietly as possible so as not to disturb.

Sister Rosemary Swetland: Thank you so much Worthy Grand Matron, my Sisters and Brothers. We are now prepared to perform our duties whenever the Worthy Grand Matron calls on us.

The Worthy Grand Matron has asked us to move on to the printed Legislation that you have in the Advanced Annual Reports. So we are moving forward. We will be presenting to you today nine Amendments, three Resolutions, two Emergency Legislation items. Please take notice that your Jurisprudence members have not signed any of these Amendments nor will we as a Committee be speaking on any of these amendments because we are your neutral representatives who simply present the Amendments and Resolutions for your consideration and action. These Amendments will be presented in the order of which they are shown in the Advance Annual Report. And this order is the same as in your Constitution and Code of Laws. So those of you who that would like to use two things, you'll use your Advanced Annual Report and then you can open up your Constitution and Code of Laws. We're going to be telling you where they are and we are going to be staying right with you. Each amendment will be considered separately and the membership will have an opportunity to address any concerns that they may have. It is the sincere desire of your Jurisprudence Committee that you thoroughly understand every item of legislation and exactly what you are voting upon. You are the governing body of this Grand Chapter and you have the right and the duty to act in the best interest of our Order. These Amendments and Resolutions will be provided to you in advance in the July Bulletin, then the Annual Report. So you should be ready now

to act in the best interest of our Grand Chapter. What we usually try to do each year rather than read the Amendment or Resolution in its entirety, we ask you the governing body to allow us to present a brief synopsis, a rationale of each of the items that makes it go a little quicker but we are still telling you basically what we will be doing with your vote. So, Worthy Grand Matron, I move we be allowed to present a brief synopsis of our legislation.

WGM: It has been moved and seconded that our Jurisprudence Chairman, Sister Rosemary Swetland, be allowed to bring a brief synopsis of the legislation that is being presented for a vote. Is there any discussion? I call for the vote. All in favor raise your pink card. Opposed same sign. Motion carried. (One rap)

Sister Rosemary Swetland: Thank you, Worthy Grand Matron. Sister and Brothers, please listen closely now as we move along and hopefully we're going to be able to complete all our legislation in an expedient manner. I invite Brother John Creel to present Amendment Number 1.

Brother John Creel: Amendment Number 1. You'll find this on page 50 of your Advanced Report. It's Article 13 on page 46 of your Constitution. We find it in proper form for consideration. The rationale is what it will do or affect if passed. Due for the second reading and would allow a Subordinate Chapter to engage in entertainment such as fundraisers for the purpose of Charitable Works. The specified Amendment addresses the guidelines for raffles. Worthy Grand Matron, your Jurisprudence finds the Amendment in proper form and is ready to present to the membership for voting. I make a motion that we accept Amendment Number 1.

WGM: This is the second reading on this Amendment Number 1. A motion has been made that we accept this Amendment as stated in your Advanced Report. Is there any discussion? All in favor raise your pink cards. All opposed. Motion carried. (One rap) This amendment will take effect this year and this Amendment shall be updated automatically if the Law of the Land should change.

Brother John Creel: I now invite Sister Betty Benham to present Amendment Number 2.

Sister Betty Benham: Thank you, Brother John. I am presenting Amendment Number 2. It's on page 51 of your Advanced Annual Report. In your Constitution, it's Article 3 Section 3, page 32. And if this passes this will require a second vote in 2012. The rationalization of Amendment Number 2 is due for the first reading and will allow the Grand Chapter office to be up to 40 miles from Texas Masonic Retirement Center in Arlington. And Worthy Grand Matron, your Jurisprudence Committee finds this amendment in proper form and ready to present to the membership for consideration. I so move that we present Amendment Number 2.

WGM: It has been moved and seconded that we vote on Amendment Number 2. Is there any discussion? Anyone wishing to have any discussion on this, raise your hand so I'll know that you are coming down to the microphones before I take any votes on any of this legislation. I recognize the member in the South.

Sister Kay Johnson: Worthy Grand Matron, I'm Kay Johnson. I'm Worthy Matron of Alameda Chapter #1081 and my question is if we did move this office within 40 miles what would we do about getting a building? Where would that money come from if we moved this office?

WGM: Your budget, we have a budget for rent for the Grand Chapter facility. And we are currently paying and have a line item budget for rent. If we were to ever move the Grand Secretary's Office, rent would apply to that new location.

Sister Kay Johnson: And rent would be pretty much the same?

WGM: Well, that would be up to where — it could be more or it could be less. But you

do have a budget that has been approved for the year and you would be looking for property that would allow you to live within your budget.

Sister Kay Johnson: Okay, that's what I needed to know just to get verification on where the money would come from. Thank you.

WGM: I recognize the member in the South.

Sister Annette Curry: Worthy Grand Matron, I'm Annette Curry, Past Matron of North Fort Worth Chapter #684. I speak in favor of this Amendment. In 2004, Resolution Number 8, page 189 in the Code of Laws adopted by this Grand Chapter at the 122nd Session states that "No more than 15% of the proceeds to be utilized for relocation expenses" at that time we put \$478,775.83 in a 501(c)8 Sub-Account. The balance as of July 15, 2011 is \$371,908.84. In six years, we have used \$108,000 over for relocation expenses but we have not relocated. That money went for three storage buildings for which we pay \$397.41 a month. In this 6 years we have spent over \$54,000 of our relocation money for storage. We have \$371,000 to find a location and possibly build a building. This simply is to allow this money to be used and let the membership know of our storage expenses and what we have spent for relocation. This money was meant for relocation and in 6 years we have actually used it for a building simply for storage. Thank you.

WGM: I recognize the member in the South.

Sister Alma Carter: Worthy Grand Matron, in the Articles of Association by the State of Texas, when this Grand Chapter of Texas was organized and signed by the Governor of Texas and the organizing members of the Eastern Star, it says on that Proclamation, it should be in the Grand Secretary's Office that this Headquarters at the Grand Chapter of Texas lies in Arlington, Texas. Now I don't know what that could do to us but it does say in the Articles of Association and signed by the Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron and the Officers at that time and we do have it. I don't know what this could do to us. I don't know if the State cares or what but this should have some legal attention before we do something that we might be sorry for. Thank you.

WGM: Sister Alma Carter, are you wishing to make a motion that this amendment be tabled until such time as we determine the legality of our Charter?

Sister Alma Carter: Yes ma'am. I move that we postpone this until something more legal than just somebody wanting to move the office from Arlington. Thank you.

WGM: This has been presented and must be addressed in this Grand Chapter Session. We can postpone the vote until we are able to contact legal counsel and see if our Charter stating the location of our Grand Secretary's Office would be affected if this Amendment passed because, Sisters and Brothers, this 40 miles, our Grand Secretary's Office is physically located near one of the boundaries of Arlington. In accepting this amendment, you would be allowing, if we ever move the Grand Secretary's Office, for it to be moved out of the legal City of Arlington. We can call our attorneys and bring this back to question this afternoon or tomorrow, whenever we're able to obtain legal advice on this issue. I have a motion and it has been seconded by Brother Henry Martin that we postpone taking the vote on this Amendment until we can seek legal advice on one of the issues. Is there any discussion? I call for the question. All in favor of postponing the vote until such time as this question has been answered, raise your pink card. Opposed same sign. Motion carried. We will tell you when we are able to readdress this Amendment. Thank you.

WGM: I failed to get one vote on this Amendment Number 1. We need a vote from the membership to accept Amendment Number 1 but I also need the Chapter Representatives to give me a vote on this Amendment. So at this time, I am asking for the vote and that would be your other card, the purple card. I am asking the Chapter Representatives to vote to accept Amendment Number 1. Chapter Representatives opposed. Motion carried. Now Amendment

Number 1 is totally legal. I thank you very much.

Sister Betty Benham: And now, it is my pleasure to present Sister Elise Hammack who will present Amendment Number 3. I have asked that Elise Hammack come to present Amendment Number 3.

Sister Elise Hammack. Sisters and Brothers, this is Amendment Number 3 to your Code of Laws. It is found in Division IV Chapter 4, Article 37 page 62 of your Constitution and Code of Laws. This is under the duties of the Worthy Grand Matron. This Amendment addresses whether a new vehicle is needed for the incoming Worthy Grand Matron. It also stipulates that the Worthy Grand Matron have updated maintenance performed on the vehicle at the expense of Grand Chapter before releasing it back to the Grand Chapter. Your Jurisprudence Committee, Worthy Grand Matron, finds this Amendment in proper form and ready to present to this membership for their consideration.

WGM: I am calling for discussion on Amendment Number 3. I recognize Toby Lytle in the South.

Brother Toby Lytle: Worthy Grand Matron, I'm Toby Lytle, Worthy Patron of Spring Chapter #1105. If we pass this amendment, we leave it to the Board of Directors to decide whether we're going to put our Worthy Grand Matron and other female Officers on the road in a vehicle that they decide. They are not riding in it. We're putting our Worthy Grand Matron and a Deputy and the Secretaries out on the road at night on a lot of cases and it's their decision. This is not right. I don't put my family's safety in jeopardy. And I do not believe we should ever do anything that is close to putting our Worthy Grand Matron in jeopardy. I think that we should vote this down and come back with an amendment that says we'll buy a new vehicle every two years. Let's don't do our people wrong.

WGM: I recognize the member in the South.

Sister Nancy Brown: Worthy Grand Matron, I am Nancy Brown, Past Matron of Castleberry #1028. To my knowledge, I think I was the first Worthy Grand Matron to drive a van on the third year of our ownership. I wanted to tell the membership that I felt very confident in doing so. We had no problems with the van. If you consider the fact that these vehicles are used almost exclusively for highway driving and that they are well maintained, I think we need to be very saving with our money. We need to watch every penny and I think if the Board has a vehicle maintained and they see that there is nothing wrong with it, I don't see why we couldn't drive it a third year. We've done so twice now. I believe now, isn't that correct? Joyce Nicklas also drove a van for the third year. I would feel very confident again in taking our van out on the road. Thank you very much.

WGM: Thank you. (Applause) I recognize the member in the North.

Sister Jan Clabaugh: I am Jan Clabaugh, Past Matron of Carthage Chapter #747, and I call for the question.

WGM: A motion has been made that we call the question. All in favor raise the pink card. All opposed same sign. In favor for calling for the question has passed. So I will now ask the membership to signify by the pink cards all in favor of Amendment #3. Raise your pink cards. Please keep them up because we're trying to make sure we have a fair vote. All opposed. The Amendment has passed. (One rap)

Sister Rosemary Swetland: Thank you Elise. Sisters and Brothers we're on Amendment #4. Everybody okay now? You're staying with us I see. Amendment #4 addresses the revenues for consideration of the Associate Grand Matron and Article 74 is an addition to the duties of the Grand Secretary with regard to the residents of the TMRC. After this Advanced Report was printed, we received an Amendment to the Amendment of #4. So it is, I would like to present the Amendment to the Amendment first. The signers wish to amend this Amendment by deleting references to Article 63. So in other words, those that present-

ed this Amendment, the signers that presented the original Amendment chose later to remove any reference to Article 63 but leaving Article 74 alone. Worthy Grand Matron, I call for the question in the form of a motion.

WGM: We have a motion that we accept the amendment to Amendment #4. Do I have any discussion? I call for the question. All in favor of accepting the Amendment to Amendment #4 please signify by raising your pink card. Opposed same sign.

Sister Rosemary Swetland: Now Worthy Matron we need to vote on the Amendment as Amended. In other words, any reference to Article 63 will be omitted.

WGM: Is there any discussion? It has been moved and seconded that we accept Amendment #4 as amended. Do I have discussion?

Brother Bill Bane: I'm Bill Bane, Past Patron of Waco #7. The original has a date of June 15th in it on when things are to be done. The proposed Amendment does not. I'm the kind that won't do something unless I really have a date set or a time for it. Now I suggest that we've put in a time period, whether it's a set date or so many days before Grand Chapter would be – I don't know which would be best.

Sister Rosemary Swetland: Dr. Bill, if I might address your concern. The signers of this Amendment, the original signers in the Advanced Annual Report reconsidered that there needed to be more time to evaluate all the aspects of Article 63 so they wanted to take that out so they would have another year to go over everything and have it presented.

Brother Bill Bain: Is that what we just voted on?

Sister Rosemary Swetland: Yes Sir.

Brother Bill Bain: I didn't quite understand what all that had to do. I appreciate your clarification.

Sister Rosemary Swetland: Does that answer your question, Dr. Bill?

Brother Bill Bain: Yes, it does.

Sister Jerri Young: Worthy Grand Matron, I'm Jerri Young, Past Matron of Norman Read Chapter #1010 and Klein Chapter #1141. In Article 74, it says that the Grand Secretary will have the members under the care of the Grand Chapter of Texas will have their Durable and Medical Power of Attorney. She will make their funeral arrangements, etc. If someone has family members who have these powers and prerogatives, it doesn't allow them to practice those prerogatives. It says the Grand Secretary shall have that power. Is that what the signers intended?

WGP: The ladies that are in our TMRC home, when they go in they sign their Power of Attorney to the Grand Secretary's Office. The family members do not...when they go in we take total control over them. So we have the Powers of Attorney for all medical, legal, their wills, the whole bit. So this is correct, they do work with the family members but once they go in, the family members have no legal responsibility there. Does that answer your question?

Sister Jerri Young: Yes, thank you.

WGM: Is there any further discussion? I call for the question on the Amendment #4 as Amended. All in favor signify by raising your pink card. All opposed same sign. Motion carried. (One rap)

Sister Rosemary Swetland: Amendment #5, Sister Betty Friend.

Sister Betty Friend: If you are looking at your Advanced Annual Report, Amendment #5 it's found on page 55. If you are looking in the Code of Laws it's on page 71 Article 81. This Amendment is in addition to Article 81 and states that unless circumstances warrant all Board meetings will be held on the third Saturday at the Grand Chapter State Office and that a quorum will consist of seven members of the Board. The two exceptions for the meetings on those dates will be June when we have Installations and December when we have

Christmas. Worthy Grand Matron your Jurisprudence Committee finds this Amendment in proper order and it is ready to be presented to the membership for consideration.

WGM: We are about to vote on Amendment #5 to our Code of Laws. Is there any discussion?

Sister Lorrie Owens: I'd like a little clarification on that with those two exceptions. I know that they have a meeting and our Grand Chapter Session changes so after the election, they have a short meeting to elect officers but does this mean we have to hold a Board Meeting in August at the regular Saturday time for the third Saturday?

Sister Betty Friend: That was not addressed in this Amendment and that is a good question. Is there any discussion? The Grand Treasurer has just stated normally right after the Grand Chapter Session they have a meeting and have elections. There is a provision in this that "under circumstances that warrant" all the Board of Directors may have a meeting so this would be under that type of circumstances. Otherwise their meetings will be on third Saturdays.

WGM: Is there any further discussion? When you move around the room, if you'll wave your card in the air if you are coming to speak at the microphone because I do not want to omit anyone's right to have clarification or to ask a question or to speak for or against an Amendment. So please assist me because I do not want to call the question if someone is trying to come down for discussion.

WGM: All in favor signify by raising the pink card. All opposed same sign. Motion carried. (One rap) I believe at this time we are nearing the hour for lunch and I don't want you to have to hurry to get to your luncheons, so we are going to stop our voting and business. Please stay with me for the few minutes it will take to call this Chapter from Labor to Rest.

Sister Wanda Fairchild, Membership Committee US Chairman of General Grand Chapter and Past Grand Matron of Texas, we would ask you to bring our benediction.

(Three raps)

Sister Wanda Fairchild: Thank you, Worthy Grand Matron. Let us pray. Our Heavenly Father we come to you today asking you for your kindness and thanking you for your many blessings. We pray for our Worthy Grand Matron and our Worthy Grand Patron and God Bless America, Amen. (Amen)

(Session called from Labor to Rest until 1:30 p.m.)



Grand Chapter of Texas
Garden of Friendship
Friday Afternoon Session
2:00 p.m. August 12, 2011

1:30 P.M.

Mrs. Susan Smith
Grand Martha

2:00 P.M.

Mrs. Joyce Nicklas
Past Grand Matron of Texas

Mr. Ray Hertenberger
Past Grand Patron of Texas

Sister Joyce Nicklas: Would you please join me in telling Sister Susie Smith, our Grand Martha, how much we enjoyed that beautiful music prelude? (Applause) You know it is a real joy and pleasure to share the Grand East with Brother Ray Hertenberger, Past Grand Patron, with whom I served in 2008-2009. Brother Ray, would you like to greet this membership?

Brother Ray Hertenberger: I sure would. Sister Mary Ruth White, Worthy Grand Matron, and Brother K. Arthur Drescher, Worthy Grand Patron, I, too thank you for this opportunity for me to work side by side with my Worthy Grand Matron and long term friend, Past Grand Matron, Sister Joyce Nicklas. All Past Grand Matrons and all Past Grand Patrons will tell you that their year of service in the Grand East was the best ever. Soon both of you will be saying this same thing. Sister Mary Ruth and Brother Art, you will be the best Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron of this great State for the year 2010-2011 and don't let anybody tell you any different. (Laughter and Applause) Sister Joyce and myself have known and worked with the both of you for many years and this week is just one stepping stone toward a lifetime of commitment together in serving this great Order. In our Garden through your travels this year you have sown the seeds of love, compassion and truth. This week you are reaping the benefits of the labors of your love for this membership. Our wish for you is that you will have the same great memories for this year of service that Sister Joyce and I share with ours. Please know that we love you bunches and bunches.

Sister Joyce Nicklas: Thank you, Brother Ray. I now have the privilege of calling this Friday afternoon *Garden of Friendship* Grand Chapter Session to order. Sister Grand Marshall you will invite those Installed Grand Officers and their Personal Pages to enter for the *Garden of Friendship* Drill.

[Drill and applause]

Sisters and Brothers, we will now have our Processional Drill led by Brother Darrell Albrecht. (Applause)

I invite the Grand Officers to enter the Grand Chapter Room and to assume their stations.

Worthy Grand Patron, Ray and I told you at the beginning of this year that this was going to fly by and before you know it, your Grand Chapter Session would be here. You can be proud of your accomplishments, stay true to your convictions and strong in your faith. You and Marty have done well. Worthy Grand Matron, thank you so much for the privilege of

opening this afternoon's Session. You have a special place in my heart as well as everyone in the room. You and I have shared many dreams over the years. We've sat and we've talked about cars, we've talked about irises, we've talked about how to make chicken salad. By the way, I lost my recipe, I need it. We have been so fortunate that so many of your and my dreams have come true. We will have a longtime relationship and friendship and I love you so very, very much. (Three raps)

Sisters and Brothers, please join me in saluting our Worthy Grand Matron and the Worthy Grand Patron with the Grand Honors. Worthy Grand Matron, I invite you to preside.

WGM: Brother Ray and Sister Joyce, we're glad to see you here in the East this afternoon and I want to thank you for those very kind words. I will enjoy very much having you come down to my home or I go up to yours and we'll just make a great big bowl of chicken salad and have friends over. We appreciate you and thank you for your efforts on behalf of our Grand Chapter. Worthy Grand Patron.

WGP: Thank you, Worthy Grand Matron. Sister Joyce, I remember a conversation we had a few years ago with Brother Ray when he asked Marty to do y'all's yearbook and another memory when we sat in your kitchen going over that yearbook. Then we went out to the lake and looked at planes and did other things. What a great day that was and I'll always treasure that year working with you on that yearbook and getting it out. Brother Ray, you made the phone call, I got the job, Marty got the Grand Representativeship. Does that sound normal for Eastern Star? Thank you very much for that call. We enjoyed doing it and the last 5 or 6 years working with you has been a pleasure and I treasure your friendship. (Applause)

WGM: Sister Grand Warder, you will inform the Grand Sentinel that we are about to call this *Garden of Friendship Session* from Rest to Labor and advise him to permit no interruptions while we are thus engaged.

[Ritualistic Opening]

Our invocation will be given by Sister Elise Hammack, Past Grand Matron of Texas.

Sister Elise Hammack: Let us pray. Dear Lord and Father of mankind it is with reverence that we come to this quiet moment to invite you into our presence. We thank Thee for Thy watchful care over our Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron and this entire assembly and ask for your continued loving care for us all. Lord, bestow wisdom on our members so we may make prudent decisions in all matters. May we always make good choices and may we reach peaceful conclusions as we legislate for the benefit of our beloved Order. We ask for your mercies and care for our precious Rennie Ofton, Most Worthy Grand Matron, and all who are making Texas dreams come to fruition. We lovingly ask for watchful care over our country, our world and our state and local leaders. And we especially always pray that our armed services people are safe and secure wherever they are engaged and can be brought home to their families soon. Lord, we know the greatest use of life is to spread it for something that will last, life itself, and we wholly rely on your promises. Lord, we thank Thee for all that is and that You are the beginning and the end. It is in Your Holy Name that we pray. Amen. (Amen)

WGM: I now declare this Garden of Friendship Session called from Rest to Labor. Sister Grand Warder, you will so inform the Grand Sentinel.

The "Thought for the Day" this afternoon will be given by Brother John Creel, Past Grand Patron of Texas.

Brother John Creel: Thank you, Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron. I'm going to ask all those who have served in our Military to please stand for one moment please

if you can, if you can't please raise your arm. My Sisters and Brothers, these people at one time in their life wrote a check to the United States of America for up to and including my life to support our country. Please give them a hand. (Applause) Thank you. You can be seated now. When you go back to your rooms tonight or your homes, we ask that you say a prayer. Not for the ones that are no longer with us because their souls are in God's hand, but for those who remain behind. The family, the ones who are never thought about in the paper or the news but they are there. They will always be there. Say a prayer for them. And remember, it's always a great day when you wake up in the morning. (Applause)

WGM: Again, I would like to ask those who are scheduled to bring Reports this afternoon to be seated in the Grand East. I have a couple of announcements that I would like to make before we start back into our Reports. I'm sure that several of you arrived at Grand Chapter early enough that you were able to go out and visit with our vendors. We have 3 rooms of vendors. If you have not had an opportunity to go by, maybe scoot in there before we go to the Rob Morris celebration this evening. They have some very good merchandise. We have some new vendors here this year that we have not had in the past and the fees that they pay to have their booths also are very beneficial to your Grand Chapters. So if you need something that they have for sale, let's buy it from these people who come here for our convenience and are supporting some of our expenses. When we go to the Rob Morris Dinner this evening, the last count I had was that we had sold 1,002 tickets. That's going to be a lot of tickets to try to collect at the various tables so we are going to do something a little bit different tonight. So if you forgot your ticket in your room, you're going to need to go up there and pick it up. The waiters will be serving the plates and they will place a plate in front of you and they will expect you to hand them a ticket for a dinner. This is one time that we are going to have to have our tickets on us. We thought this was the easiest way to get a good count of how many people were served this evening. Do we have any Lost and Found items that we haven't announced? I heard they had been rather busy out there but I didn't hear what they had.

WGP: Brother David, you have a Lost and Found item, I believe.

Brother David Dibrell: I do, Worthy Grand Patron. Lost and Found told me that Sue Hand McCarty, Richardson #921, left her black purse in the ladies restroom near Registration. If you would like to retrieve your purse, go to Lost and Found and they may or may not give it to you. (Laughter) The money has already been removed.

WGM: A pair of glasses – they have already been claimed. Sister Rita Lytle, I do not see you on the stage. Would you come to the East please? We are going to go back to our voting on our Amendments and I ask Sister Rosemary Swetland, the Chairman of our Jurisprudence Committee, to come to the microphone.

Sister Rosemary Swetland: Good afternoon, Sisters and Brothers. Did you have a good lunch? I might have wished I hadn't of....

WGP: Sisters and Brothers, there has been a question and we think we have an answer. The question was, are the microphones where y'all are speaking from outside the Chapter Room and the answer is "no". They are off the floor of the Chapter but this whole area up to the very top exit sign is the Chapter Room. So you are just off the floor area and that's what Jurisprudence is saying. That's a good question, but we are kind of limited, so y'all are going to have a little flexibility with us at this point. Anywhere anyone is seated is considered the Grand Chapter Room. So that's their ruling.

Sister Rosemary Swetland: Sisters and Brothers, I appreciate your patience and alertness and attendance to all we're doing because you are this governing body. And I want to make sure that you're pleased with everything we do. Now this morning our Worthy Grand Matron said we would postpone Amendment #2 for the first reading until counsel was sought

to give us an answer to the questions of some concerned members. During the lunch hour, our Worthy Grand Patron sought that counsel and I invite him now to speak so we might go ahead and handle that legislation.

WGP: Thank you, Sister Rosemary. Please understand that we have several different issues that were brought up. First is the amendment itself; second was the question by our Past Grand Matron, Sister Alma; and third, I'm going to clarify a little bit on the money. First, the Amendment simply is saying if at any time in the future that Grand Chapter was to decide to move its location for whatever reason, it may be that the Committee that was in charge of doing that would have a little more flexibility. Arlington, as we all know, is growing and the land is getting expensive. We may need to look a little bit farther away from there in the future. This is not going to happen tomorrow, next week, next year. This simply is giving future Committees the ability to look some place. Now, if at any time in the future, we were to decide we were going to move for whatever reason, that would be a Constitutional change that would have to be brought before y'all, voted on and then voted on again the next year. This just allows them move options to present to you if it ever happens. Sister Alma, after checking with counsel, the amendment that we are voting on simply to allow more flexibility has no bearing whatsoever on our Charter because we're not changing anything, we're just allowing a little more flexibility. Third, on the money, when we did sell the home there was a percentage put in and I don't know the exact pennies, that's not really the point, the \$450,000 and whatever was set aside by you the members when you voted for moving expenses, for storage, for taking care of all the needs for us to move. It is not designated to purchase land, to purchase a building or anything like that. That's not even money we are using for lease or rent right now. That money comes out of the General Fund. If any time in the future, you the membership want to change that designation, you can, but it needs to be made as an Amendment and brought before Grand Chapter and done. Therefore, next year, if whatever you wanted to bring an Amendment up to move some place, and you wanted to change that money to do that, you have to do it under two different Amendments. So, right now this Amendment as written has no effect on our Charter, has no effect on our money. It's simply allowing if a Committee ever decides to make that recommendation, flexibility in the areas they can look at. Does that somewhat clear it up? Worthy Grand Matron, if there is no questions/discussions, I believe at this time, if our Parliamentarian is in agreement, you can vote on that particular Amendment.

WGM: We did have this previously open for discussion and I believe I recognized all that came forward so now we're ready for the question. All in favor of acceptance of Amendment #2 please vote by raising your pink cards. All opposed same sign. This is an Amendment to the Constitution so I need to see a vote by the Chapter Representatives. All in favor Chapter Representatives. Opposed same sign. Motion carried. This is the first reading.

Sister Rosemary Swetland: Thank you, Sisters and Brothers for being so alert and so attentive. Now to move on to Amendment #6, I invite John Creel to present it.

Brother John Creel: This is Amendment #6, it will be on page 152 of the Code of Laws, paragraphs "A" through "U" Pages 114-115. This is an Amendment to Article 152 by adding "V" for a Choir Director. An Amendment to this Amendment has been prepared and been allowed for the four notifications of postings in the Bulletin prior to Grand Chapter at no expense. The Choir Director shall select an accompanist for the Grand Choir. Worthy Grand Matron, I so move.

WGM: I have a motion that has been moved and seconded. Amendment #6. Is there discussion? We are voting on the Amendment to Amendment #6, is there any discussion? We will vote on Amendment to Amendment #6. All in favor raise your pink cards. Opposed same

sign. Motion carried. (One rap) Now we will vote on the Amendment #6 as Amended. Is there any discussion? Here again, I see movement around the Chapter, raise your hand if you are coming down to speak. I will take the vote on the Amendment #6 as Amended. All in favor vote by your pink cards. Opposed same sign. Amended #6 has passed (One rap)

Brother John Creel: I now invite Sister Betty Benham to bring Amendment #7.

Sister Betty Benham: Thank you, Brother John. We are looking at Amendment #7. It's on page 57 of your Advanced Annual Report, that's Article 163 on page 122 in your Code of Laws if you want to follow along. And the rationale and what it will do or affect if this passes on Amendment #7. This Amendment adds to Article 163, Item 7 regarding registration fees to General Fund. And Worthy Grand Matron, your Jurisprudence Committee finds this Amendment in proper form and ready to present to the membership for consideration.

WGM: We will be voting on Amendment #7 to our Code of Laws. Is there any discussion?

Sister Betty Benham: Can everyone in our auditorium hear? We are having a problem hearing in the Grand East. No one can hear what has been read and they were questioning what I had just stated. If I turn my head, does that help? (Laughter) Can you hear me back here? Alright, I will restate this so I am sure you have heard it.

Brother Henry Martin: Worthy Grand Matron, I'm Henry Martin, Past Patron of Edwin J. Kiest Chapter #959. In this Amendment #7 there's a question here up in the "Whereas" section that says "Whereas there have been questions as to whether or not the Registration Fee is part of the Session income". Now we allow \$20,000 for the Session to be held and the way this Amendment is worded, I don't see anything that answers the question about whether the Registration Fee should be considered part of the Session income. I have always considered Registration Fee as not part of the Session income. It's not part of that \$20,000, but I don't see anything here that addresses that question and I'm puzzled as to why that's not included.

Sister Betty Benham: Did you understand Brother Henry's question? The Worthy Grand Matron has \$20,000 given to her to organize where we have Grand Chapter. The Registration Fee is not a part, the Registration Fee is separate. And I think the question is it's alright wherever you wish the money to go, it just doesn't answer the part of why it should be in with that \$20,000. Is that correct?

WGM: I recognize the member on the North.

Sister Alma York: I am Alma York, Past Matron of Levelland Chapter #787. And I believe the Registration Fee is already addressed in the budget because we adopted a budget earlier today that said Registration Fees were part of revenue of the General Fund Budget.

WGM: I recognize the member in the North.

Sister Elizabeth Wise: Worthy Grand Matron, I am Elizabeth Wise, Past Matron of Buna #968. Clarification, we are not saying that this Registration money goes in to the \$20,000 it is sole and separate from the \$20,000. It just helps to pay expenses for Grand Chapter.

Sister Betty Benham: That's not what it states though and I think that is the question.

WGM: I recognize the member in the North.

Sister Darla Dunaway: Worthy Grand Matron I'm Darla Dunaway, Past Matron of Mansfield Chapter #876. The question has arisen from past Executive Committees as to whether or not the Registration Funds collected at Grand Chapter became part of the revenues of this Session. This is just to clarify that Registration money is just that not Session revenue but Registration money that is solely separate from the Executive Committees boundary of money they have to account for.

WGM: I recognize the member in the North

Sister Vi Griffin: Worthy Grand Matron, I am Vi Griffin, Past Matron of Anahuac Chapter #649. I believe that the Registration Fees are addressed in Number 5 in Article 163(a) "All other funds of every kind and character received by the Grand Chapter not otherwise designated".

WGM: Is there any other discussion? We will vote on the Amendment #7 to our Code of Laws. All in favor signify by raising your pink card. All opposed same sign. Pretty close. Sister Rosemary will you come join me and Sister Betty. This is too close of a vote for me to tell on that vote. Will all of those voting in favor of accepting this Amendment #7 to this Code of Laws, please stand with your cards and remain standing until we get a pretty good idea of how many are out there. Thank you very much. Now would all those opposing this Amendment please stand? Thank you very much. It is our decision from several eyes in the East that that motion was defeated. (One rap)

Sister Betty Benham: Thank you membership now I present Sister Elise Hammack, Past Grand Matron, again to present Amendment #8.

Sister Elise Hammack: Worthy Grand Matron this is Amendment #8 to the Code of Laws. It is on page 58 of your Advanced Annual Report. It is in the Code of Laws, Chapter 14, Article 172 and its on page 127. I hope you've read this. This Amendment clarifies that all Emergency Legislation will become law immediately following the close of the Grand Chapter Session at which it was approved. It's just a clarification. Your Jurisprudence Committee finds this Amendment in proper form and ready to present to this membership for your consideration.

WGM: We will be voting on Amendment #8. I recognize the member on the South.

Sister Alma Lynn Bane: Worthy Grand Matron, I am Alma Bane, Past Matron of Waco Chapter #7 and Stephenville Chapter #801. I have a question, if the Emergency Legislation affects our Constitution which requires two readings and two approvals, does this mean we negate that part of our law and put something into effect in our Constitution with only one reading?

Sister Rosemary Swetland: Sister Alma Lynn you are absolutely correct. I recognize that. Perhaps you would like to do an Amendment to this Amendment very quickly so that we say it will become effective at the end of the Session for Code of Laws and will be voting again on the other one....is that what you are addressing dear?

Sister Alma Lynn Bane: Basically, yes. I understand that sometimes conditions come up and because our Constitution requires two years, we want to get the first year out of the way as soon as possible and then vote on it the very next year. I do not have the Amendment in writing, but I would like to work with the Jurisprudence Committee on writing that Amendment so that the wording would be correct and clear for our membership.

Sister Rosemary Swetland: Alright, and I wish to ask Terri Rozell, the head signer of this Amendment. I believe your thought to the Jurisprudence Committee was to help the membership understand that any Emergency Legislation would not become effective until the close of Grand Chapter. Was that your intention? Now, Sister Alma Lynn is offering to make an Amendment to that so that we specify that it's either at the close of that Session or, if it is Constitutional, will be done again the next year or would you prefer to withdraw your Amendment? You have the right to say that. Do you want it amended or withdrawn? I do this Sister and Brothers in honor of your signers. I want to make sure that everybody is happy, if that's a possibility. (Laughter)

Brother Leonard Pierce: Worthy Grand Matron, before we finish writing that Amendment, I might suggest that what we're reading here is just...oh, I'm Leonard Pierce, Past Patron of Houston Heights #258. We might consider not just a majority but a 2/3rds majority or a larger majority because if it is such an emergency, we should be able to swing

everybody we want to, but it should not be just a simple majority, and when you are making your Amendment, somebody might want to include that in it because other than that just calling for a majority is just too questionable.

WGM: I recognize the member in the East.

Brother Henry Martin: Worthy Grand Matron, I'm Henry Martin, Past Patron of Edwin J. Kiest Chapter #959. I would be opposed to this even with a 2/3rds because to change our Constitution it says we must vote on an Amendment twice, two years, it lays over a year and then we vote on it. Anyone could get around that requirement by just proposing Emergency Legislation and suddenly we're changing the Constitution with a one year vote. I would oppose that. I think the Constitutional Amendments should remain with the requirements that it be submitted two years, passed by a vote of this Grand Chapter two consecutive years. I have no problem with this if it is dealing with the Code of Laws but I would oppose the Constitution.

WGP: We need Sister Jean Crimpton to go to the First Aid Room immediately please.

WGM: I recognize the member in the North.

Sister Terri Rozell: Worthy Grand Matron, I am Terri Rozell, Past Matron of New Caney Chapter #1093. When I put this legislation in, my concern was that at times we get confused on what is Emergency Legislation. I probably did not put this legislation in as clearly as it should have been written. I wanted to make sure that we understood that Emergency Legislation is that which comes up between the deadline of submitting your legislation to the Jurisprudence Committee and Grand Chapter and there are times things do arise and they do need to be addressed. What I meant here was strictly the fact that if it affects our Code of Laws then that Emergency Legislation does not go into effect until the close of that Grand Chapter Session. I wanted that clarified. I did not intend that if it affected our Constitution that it would not remain the need for a second reading and a second vote.

Sister Rosemary Swetland: Alright Sister Terri, you stand there with Sister Alma.

WGM: I recognize the member in the North.

Sister Alma Lynn Bane: I'm Alma Bane, Past Matron of Waco #7 and I wish to amend Amendment #8 after the three words in bold "**Such Emergency Legislation**" that you insert the words "affecting the Code of Laws" will become law immediately following the close of the Session at which it's approved". The amendment is just to add five words – "affecting the Code of Laws".

Sister Rosemary Swetland: Okay, Sisters and Brothers, we can have these ladies go and write three copies of these five words, sign them and get them up here to us or you as the governing body of this assembly can allow us to put in – are you with me now? Such Emergency Legislation "affecting the Code of Laws" will become law immediately following the close of the Session at which it is approved.

Sister Alma Lynn Bane: Sister Rosemary, I know that there is another question in everybody's mind. With the assistance of our Associate Grand Matron and her Constitution and her Code of Laws two paragraphs down, there is a statement that protects our Constitution in this case. So we want to make it in black and white, no interpretation needed. This is for the Code of Laws only.

Sister Rosemary Swetland: Sisters and Brothers, you're on page 127 of the Code of Laws and it's going to be Article 170(e) that protects the Constitution. So that means our Constitution is not in any way in jeopardy. It is not in any way going to be changed without the proper two years. So, your speakers are wanting to add five words "affecting the Code of Laws". Worthy Grand Matron, I ask you to preside and make sure our body understands what we're doing. I know my mind doesn't (Laughter). Yeah, I do. I just wanted somebody to laugh.

WGM: Correct me, I believe I'm right on this, we have a choice of postponing this Amendment and asking our member, Sister Alma Bane, to retire and type this five word change in triplicate and to present it to the Grand Secretary, at which time, we can address this Amendment or, if this Grand Chapter should so favorably vote to accept this verbal addition to allow this Amendment to be voted upon now without a written copy, we may do so. Do I have discussion? I recognize the member in the North.

Brother Richard Hancock: Worthy Grand Matron, Richard Hancock, Worthy Patron, McLennan #639. I have a question for you, please for clarification. Earlier in this Grand Chapter, we were given this Emergency Legislation that will be brought up after the rest of that. Will this Emergency Legislation by our current Laws take effect right after this Grand Chapter? If that is the case, why do we need to amend anything if it's Emergency Legislation anyway? That's all. (Laughter)

WGP: May I address why she is trying to clarify this? Last year at Grand Chapter, we had Emergency Legislation presented which, if, it had been voted on favorably, they wanted it to be effective immediately to allow something to be done at that Grand Chapter. There was a gray area on when, because it doesn't actually say in here, and Sister Terri was just attempting to put it in black and white that when we vote on something it goes into effect at the end of the Grand Chapter. There was question on when we vote on something, when does it go into effect, because it really doesn't say and last year this one item brought that up, so we are seeking to clarify that. As a side note, in Nova Scotia this past year, they voted in the meeting to no longer use colored cards because they spent \$50 a year. At that point in time, when they voted to quit using the colored cards, they quit using it right then and there, and it was a little confusing. So, this will clarify ours. When we're doing something, we do it until the end of Grand Chapter. Anything we vote on goes into effect at the next Session or at the next Grand Chapter.

WGM: So has that answered your question?

Brother Richard Hancock: No, Worthy Matron, no Worthy Grand Matron. My question is this, when we were told about this Emergency Legislation earlier today, does that mean that if we do not pass this Amendment, that this Emergency Regulation that the Jurisprudence is suggesting, would not be in effect after this Session?

WGP: The Emergency Legislation that we will be addressing later today will go into effect when we vote on it at the end of this Session.

Brother Richard Hancock: If that is the case, why do we need this Amendment? Any Emergency Legislation except for our Constitutional would go into effect anyway.

WGM: I'm having people say that the microphone that you were using is not coming across very clear. Would you mind coming over to the Associate Grand Conductress's microphone and make some short statement? Otherwise I'm going to ask that all of the discussion be over here.

Brother Richard Hancock: My question was Worthy Grand Matron, earlier in this Session, we were told at the end of these Amendments, that we would vote on an Emergency Legislation. My question is this, in this Emergency Legislation is a change of our Code of Laws, my question is, if we do not approve this Amendment that Sister Alma is submitting, would this not be in effect after this Session? And if it would be in effect after this Session, if we pass this Emergency Legislation, why do we need to make a change?

WGP: Brother Richard, the reason why this is brought in is, you see it that way, others members saw it as effective immediately. You see it and I have to agree that it's at the end of the Session. That's how I see it but because it does not specifically say, it's a gray area and depending on how you individually interpret it right now, it could go either way. So all they sought was to put it in black and white to make it clear to everyone. That's it. I can't answer

your question because I have my idea and somebody else is going to have something else on how it's read.

Brother Richard Hancock: Okay, my question is then, if we do not pass this Amendment, will this go into effect? Apparently it will not go into effect.

Sister Rosemary Swetland: Hi, Brother Richard. Let me try to help you. Thank you Brother Richard, I believe you were one of my Caretakers, so let me see if I can take care of you now. Okay? The Amendment that is up here now to pass is clarifying that any Emergency Legislation pertaining to the Code of Laws will become effective at the close of that Grand Chapter Session. Now, are you with me thus far?

Brother Richard Hancock: Yes, ma'am, I understand that.

Sister Rosemary Swetland: Now the next question you're asking is this Emergency Legislation that you have in your hand, you are wanting to know if we pass that will it become effective at the close of this Session. Yes sir, it will automatically be effective because it pertains to the Code of Laws. This Emergency Legislation that you have in your hand is affecting our Code of Laws. So, if this body decides that they want to accept that Emergency Legislation at this Grand Chapter Session, it will become law at the close of this Session, now have I helped you at all?

Brother Richard Hancock: No, not exactly but close. My question is if we do not pass this Amendment clarifying that a Code of Laws would take effect immediately, if this fails, and it passes for our Emergency Legislation does it become effective and, if so, we don't need to make an Amendment.

Sister Rosemary Swetland: Sister Terri, would you consider withdrawing this Amendment? (Laughter)

Sister Terri Rozell: Worthy Grand Matron and Sister Rosemary, I would consider withdrawing this Amendment but I would like to though bring back an Amendment next year that clearly states what the intent of making this Amendment. I strictly wanted to get Emergency Legislation explained that it doesn't mean it goes into effect immediately. It does not go into effect until the close of that Grand Chapter Session.

Sister Rosemary Swetland: Where did Brother Richard go? Well get up here. I want your question answered. I want you to be happy. Now your question to me again was? Give it to me again. I've already forgotten it. (Laughter)

Brother Richard Hancock: My question was if we do not pass this Amendment and we do pass the Emergency Legislation, would this Emergency Legislation become effective right after Grand Chapter anyway?

Sister Rosemary Swetland: Yes it will, sir.

Brother Richard Hancock: If that is the case, why do we need an Amendment? All Emergency Legislation would become effective except for our Constitution.

Sister Rosemary Swetland: Brother Richard, Sister Terri said that all she was trying to do was to clarify that any Emergency Legislation that affects our Code of Laws will become effective immediately at the close of the Grand Chapter Session. And our Constitution clearly states that it will take two. So yes Sir, whether we pass this one or not, that one is still going to pass if it passes.

Brother Richard Hancock: I do thank you, I just couldn't see the use of passing something if it's not necessary and apparently, it is not necessary.

Sister Rosemary Swetland: Well, I think she wanted it to be for clarification Brother Richard. Apparently you don't want it for clarification, is that right? (Laughter)

Brother Richard Hancock: I guess some of us are just more muddled than others, thank you.

Sister Rosemary Swetland: Pardon us, Sisters and Brothers. Okay, oh wow...it takes

five brains up here. Brother Richard, where are you? I've got your answer, come here. Get to the mike. (Laughter)

Brother Richard Hancock: I would expect no less.

Sister Rosemary Swetland: That's right, I was your Worthy Grand Matron. So now you listen to me. (Laughter) Okay Brother Richard, when the Jurisprudence Committee presents each item of legislation, if you're listening to us, we say, if passed, will take effect at the close of this Session. Now that's what we say each time that we give, so if that Emergency Legislation is presented today, or maybe next week at this rate, (Laughter) it will not become law until the close of the Session and so that's why we state that. Now in Terri's, she wanted to make sure that everybody understood that, surely by now we've all understood that that it will not take effect until the close of the Session. Thank you Brother John Creel, that's what I pay you for. Okay, dear ones, we are back on page 127 Amendments will become law immediately following the close of the Session at which it was proved. Now sweet Terri, it's in here.

Sister Terri Rozell: Yes ma'am it is and the intent of this Amendment was to draw attention to the fact that Emergency Legislation absolutely does not go into effect until the end of the Grand Chapter Session.

Sister Rosemary Swetland: Brother Richard, do you appreciate her clarification?

Brother Richard Hancock: My understanding that the real question was whether or not it becomes immediately or at the end of the Grand Session and that's what they want to clarify – at the end of the Grand Session, not immediately.

Sister Terri Rozell: Do I need to table this Amendment and come back again?

WGM: I recognize the member on the North. Are you wishing to speak again?

Sister Rosemary Swetland: No, we are going back to the original suggestion of adding five words, let this body let us add five words and we're okay. Worthy Grand Matron, will you handle this? (Laughter)

WGM: Has it been seconded?

Sister Rosemary Swetland: It was seconded, yes ma'am.

WGM: Brother, I believe I have a motion on the floor that should stop discussion. Did we not have a motion on the floor? I recognize the member on the North.

Sister Vi Griffin: Worthy Grand Matron, I'm Vi Griffin, Past Matron of Anahuac Chapter #649. I thought that we were talking about whether the body wanted the Amendment to be presented without being typed.

WGM: That's what I'm going to take a vote on once I have a motion and a second. We will take a vote on this Amendment to the Amendment without it being in writing.

Sister Vi Griffin: Worthy Grand Matron, what I wanted to say was this morning we adopted the Parliamentary Rules of Procedure and Number 4 says there will be 3 written copies. So if we adopted the rules, we need to go by the rules. (Applause)

Sister Rosemary Swetland: Sister Alma Lynn Bane, will you get that Amendment to us please? Okay, Sisters and Brothers, I had no idea that this Amendment would create this much confusion. Sister Alma Lynn, did you so move to amend it by not putting it in writing and letting this body say that you could do that?

Sister Alma Bane: No ma'am. I tried to make an Amendment because I thought y'all were going let me without a vote. I'm headed outside to the secretarial pool to type up the Amendment to the Amendment.

Sister Rosemary Swetland: Thank you, Sweetheart. Worthy Grand Matron, I believe we will table that one.

WGM: I thought Sister Terri Rozell made that Amendment to do that but that's fine. We will... the secretarial pool is working on that for the moment so we will suspend/postpone...I

recognize the member on the North.

Sister Naomi Wolfe: Thank you, my name is Naomi Wolfe and I'm a Past Matron of Andral Vann Chapter and dual with Spring Chapter. I think there's been enough discussion and we need to call for the question and move this thing out. If we have it in our Constitution then why are we voting on it again, but I move for the question.

Sister Rosemary Swetland: Sisters and Brothers, we can do this. You can do this! You're the boss. We work for you. Do you want to allow us to suspend the rule and accept those five words so that we can vote on this? (Yes, Applause)

WGM: Sister Rosemary, did you make a motion?

Sister Rosemary Swetland: Yes

WGM: Do I have a second?

WGP: Second!

WGM: I have a motion and I have a second that we suspend the requirement to have these five words added without having written copies submitted to the Grand Secretary. Is there any discussion? I call the vote. All in favor, signify by raising your pink cards. We are voting on allowing us to verbally add five words saying Such Emergency Legislation will "affect the Code of Laws". Alright we've had the yes votes, now I'm asking for all opposed to this. To suspend only requires a majority vote, one more than 50% and it is our opinion that we did have a majority vote in favor. So this be allowed to be voted on without this Amendment being submitted in writing. All those in favor of the acceptance of Amendment #8 to the Code of Laws as Amended by a show of your pink cards. Opposed same sign. Motion carried. Now we are going to vote on Amendment #8 as Amended. Is there any discussion? Sister Elise Hammack will you read now how this Amended Amendment should read. If you will, look on page 58 the bold print. She is going to read this to you with the five words added.

Sister Elise Hammack: It's simply the only thing added are those that are in bold print at the end of that be amended to read there we have added "Such Emergency Legislation will become law immediately following the close of the Session at which it is approved." We now are going to say, you have just approved saying without in writing, Such Emergency Legislation "affecting the Code of Laws" will become law immediately following the close of the Session at which it is approved."

WGM: I call for the vote. I believe I said discussion and we had quite a few people that have come down and discussed this as the proposed Amendment. I am now taking the vote on the Amended Amendment #8. All in favor signify by raising your pink cards. All opposed same sign. Motion is carried. (One rap)

Sister Elise Hammack: Thank you Worthy Grand Matron, I now recognize Sister Rosemary Swetland for the next Amendment #9.

Sister Rosemary Swetland: Wow you're a great group. We're on Amendment #9 which can be found on page 59 of your Advanced Annual Report. It will effect Article 268-1(b), page 183 of your Code of Laws. This Amendment notifies the Grand Secretary of any District and Section changes and the fee of \$3.00 has been omitted.

WGM: We must move a couple of items forward. We were going to begin with our Memorial and ESTARL right at 4:00 and it is already 20 minutes til. At this time I'm going to re-address the Amendments to the Code of Laws and the Resolutions until tomorrow. We will have to move quickly tomorrow when we get in to Session. If any of these Amendments you want discussion on, I suggest you sit down in the lower levels close to the microphones so they may be addressed rapidly because we will have quite a bit of business to transact, as well as the elections. At this time, I'd like to allow my District Deputy Grand Matrons and their Deputies to bring their reports. I invite Sister Shelly Walker, District Deputy Grand

Matron of District 1, to bring her report.

Sister Shelly Walker: Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, General Grand Chapter Family, Installed Grand Officers, Elected Board Members, Sisters and Brothers, it is my pleasure to present the following 2010-2011 Deputy Report for District 1. Our Worthy Grand Matron selected ten precious ladies to serve her and Grand Chapter.

It is my honor to introduce the Deputy Grand Matrons of District 1:

Sister Connie Bilby, Section One, Field of Dreams Garden School, held on January 12th and 13th, in Gainesville with 151 in attendance;

Sister Dee Reynolds, Section Two, The Gardner's Dream of Blooms to be Blessed School, held on January 7th and 8th in Sherman with 201 in attendance;

Sister Anita Bowling, Section Three, Buckets of Blessings in Mother's Garden School, held on December 6th and 7th in Paris with 139 in attendance;

Sister Mary Ann Davis, Section Four, a Winter Garden Gathering School held on January 14th and 15th in Garland with 419 in attendance;

Sister Jean Vestal, Section Five, A Winder Garden Gathering School held on January 14th and 15th in Gardland with 419 in attendance;

Sister Joyce Hagens, Section Six, Dreaming of the Spring Garden held on January 5th and 6th in Corsicana with 128 in attendance;

Sister Marsha Talton, Section Seven, Cultivating the Garden Within School, held on December 8th and 9th in Bullard with 134 in attendance;

Sister Elinor Humphreys, Section Eight, Serenity Garden School, held on December 17th and 18th in Beckville with 188 in attendance;

Sister Laura Brooks, Section Nine, Irises in the Piney Woods School, held on December 10th and 11th in Texarkana with 174 in attendance; and

Sister Marji Hatley, Section 10, School of Friendship and Wisdom, held on December 15th and 16th in Wills Point with 134 in attendance.

These ladies call themselves the Dreamers. But, they should have called themselves the "workers". They not only worked vigilantly within their own Sections, but they also worked together. Supporting each other in preparing for their Schools, attending each other's Official Visits, attending fun nights, banquets, Schools and Fraternal Visits. At every School and Fraternal Visit in District 1, we had an average of six Deputy Grand Matrons in attendance. They each personified what being a Deputy is – working together to help our Chapters, our Sections, our District and our Grand Chapter. Many have served as Deputy Grand Matron, but few have served like this group. I hope each of them know how proud we are of all of their accomplishments and congratulate them on a job very well done.

Thank you, Worthy Grand Matron, for allowing me the opportunity to serve you, Grand Chapter and District 1 with this special appointment. Your advice, encouragement, kindness

but most of all your friendship will continue to enrich my life forever. Thank you from the bottom of my heart for everything, and remember for you my heart has no bottom.

Worthy Grand Patron, as I have said many times, you and Marty are very special friends to me and my family. This year was made even more special because we were able to share many extraordinary times together. Thank you for all that you do for Eastern Star and for me personally.

Sister Melissa Hudman, Grand Examiner – District 1, thank you for an unforgettable time as we traveled on the School Schedule in District 1. On behalf of District 1, we thank you for your service as our Grand Examiner, your many hours of hard work and the kind and loving way you work with the members in our district to ensure that everyone who wishes to receive an A certificate can do so. From me personally, thank you for your advice and friendship I wish for you and your family God's richest blessings.

Sister Kenlyn Lawrence, Humanitarian Chairman – District 1, thank you for all of your hard work as our Humanitarian Chairman. Your programs were both informative and fun. I know what a difficult job you had, however, you still made time in your schedule to attend all of the Schools in District 1 to support our Deputies and their Sections. For all that you do and all that you are, I am happiest to be able to call you my friend. Thank you for all that you have done to contribute to a very successful year.

Sister Cathi Cannon, Secretary to the Worthy Grand Matron – thank you for putting up with us! What a fun time I have had this year getting to work with you. Thank you for all that you do for the Worthy Grand Matron and Grand Chapter and the Deputies.

Sister Linda Carney, Secretary to the Worthy Grand Patron – thank you for your unwavering support, advice and most of all your friendship. Also thank you for the dedicated assistance that you give to the Worthy Grand Patron and me personally.

Finally, thank you to the membership of District 1. What an unbelievable experience we have had serving as your Deputies. It is because of each of you that our Schools were a success. Thank you for your kindness and all of the many courtesies shown to each of us. We hope that we have served in a manner that has made each of you proud.

Statistical Report of District 1:

Chapters Assigned:	102
Chapters Consolidated	2
Chapters Demised	1
Chapters Instituted	0
Chapters Constituted	0
Chapters Inspected	102
Schools Conducted	9
Schools Attend DDGM	26
Schools Attended DGM	76
Letters Written	2,052
Miles traveled	91,644

Respectfully submitted, Shelley Walker, District Deputy Grand Matron, District 1.

It is now my pleasure to present my co-worker and my friend, Sister Susan Dormady, Deputy Grand Matron, District 2. (Applause)

Sister Susan Dormady: Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Distinguished East and my Sisters and Brothers. I am pleased to present the District Two Report for this year:

Section 1 – Linda Palmer – Day of Sunshine School held in Pampa, Sept. 9. Sister Linda could not be with us today;

Section 2 and 3 – Barbara Trayler had the honor with 2 sections this year. She held the Ding Dong Dolly School in Dumas on August 28;

Section 4 – Jean Harrison had the opportunity to work with Cindy Newbury from District 4 for her West Texas Field of Dreams on August 31 in Brownfield;

Section 5 – Betty Morgan who is on vacation with her Grandchildren held the Gleanings from the Garden School in Clarendon on September 16;

Section 6 - Audrey Voigt took time out of her Rainbow for Girls duties to hold the Treasures of the Heart School in Wichita Falls on September 14;

Section 7 – Pat Wicker showed us a little “boot scootin’ at her Dream It, Believe It, Achieve It School held on September 11 in Abilene;

Section 8 and 9 – Deborah Land also got to work with two sections this year and prepared two schools. Her first School was in Fort Stockton on August 26 and was known simply as Desert Bloom, and her second school was Fertile Fields of Knowledge held in Midland on September 16; and

Section 10 – Christel Fisher got to kick off our District 2 Schools in El Paso on August 24 with a school she aptly named “Stars of the Mountain”.

I would like to say how honored I am to have traveled with our new Grand Examiner of District 2, Sister Carla Stringer. Though I knew her before this year, I must tell you what a joy it was to get to know her better and wish her all good things in her future. Sister Christeen Ledbetter was our Humanitarian Chairman and I can tell you that she brought the Worthy Grand Matron’s projects to life with kindness and gratitude shining through her program.

The District 2 Deputies worked hard this year to stay in contact with and help their 37 respective chapters with any problems that arose or instructions that were needed. They attended 63 schools to learn all they could. The visitation to schools and chapters took them 47,403 miles. They stayed in contact with their chapters and others by sending 1,614 letters and cards. We did, however, have 2 chapters demise. We also have the title of the first District in this State to have a sectional consolidation. The 2 remaining chapters in Section 9 decided it was in their best interest to move to Section 8. That way they would have more chapters to join with to have better participation during the school schedules.

Worthy Grand Matron, we are so pleased that you chose us to represent you in this year. I have watched these ladies get to know each other and then become good friends. I know these friendships will last a lifetime and we have you to thank for it. Your love of this Order and joy in meeting the membership shines through your eyes. I always say its 5 hours to anywhere in District 2, and now that you have traveled the highways and byways, you now know it’s true. Yet you never lost the joy in meeting the next chapter and getting to know the members.

Worthy Grand Patron, we were honored when you were able to attend our schools. I know it’s a long way out there and we appreciate the effort you put forth to visit us for 3 of our schools.

I would like to thank the membership for all the cards, calls and prayers during a very difficult time during the school schedule. I appreciate it more than I can say. But I can assure you that you lifted me up and kept me going. Again, I thank you. Fraternally submitted, Susan Dormady, District Deputy Grand Matron, Dist. 2

It is now my pleasure to present Sister Lesa Smith, District Deputy Grand Matron, District 3.

Sister Lesa Smith: Thank you, Sister Susan Dormady, District Deputy of District 2.

Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, General Grand Chapter Family, my Sisters and Brothers. It is my pleasure to present the following Report for District 3. Our Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron selected 10 wonderful ladies to serve as their representatives and Grand Chapter. It is my honor to introduce the Deputy Grand Matrons of District 3:

Sister Rose Ann Lowry, who is unable to be with us during this Grand Chapter Session, due to illness, along with the 19 Chapters of Section 1, held the With Dreams We Will Succeed School, on November 20, 2010 in Ft. Worth with 286 in attendance;

Sister Joyce Followill, along with the 8 Chapters of Section 2, held the Fulfilling Life's Dream of Wisdom School, on November 6, 2010 in Weatherford, with 155 in attendance;

Sister Priscilla Armstrong, along with the 4 Chapters of Section 3, held the Dreams Are What Make Stars Shine School, on November 9, 2010 in Jacksboro, with 54 in attendance;

Sister Lorea Kays, along with the 6 Chapters of Section 4, held the My Garden Gate School, on November 11, 2010 in Cisco, with 47 in attendance;

Sister Carmoleta Smith, along with the 4 Chapters of Section 5, held the Sweet Sweet Spirit School, on November 2, 2010 in Brownwood, with 46 in attendance;

Sister Penny Myrick who is unable to be here with us today, along with the 7 Chapters of Section 6, held the You Are the Iris of My Eye School, on November 4, 2010 in Llano, with 68 in attendance;

Sister Dorothy Kinsinger, along with the 5 Chapters of Section 7, held the Garden of Irises School, on November 16, 2010 in Copperas Cove, with 58 in attendance;

Sister Shirley Melton, along with the 8 Chapters of Section 8, held the Garden of Iris School, on October 30, 2010 in Temple, with 166 in attendance;

Sister Sandy Imes, along with the 10 Chapters of Section 9, held the Friendship Garden School, on November 13, 2010 in Waco, with 162 in attendance; and

Sister Juanita Sharp, along with the 8 Chapters of Section 10, held the Purple Flags of Friendship School, on November 18, 2010 in Cleburne, with 76 in attendance.

Total Attendance at the District III Schools was 1,071

Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, thank you for this wonderful experience. I have enjoyed the travel, the teaching and especially all of the friendships rekindled and made new. I sincerely appreciate your confidence in me and I hope I did not disappoint either of you. I will always remember each mile we traveled, stops we made, horse apples we gathered, antique shops where we made purchases and don't forget the momma goats and llama. Maybe someday you can have your own goat to raise. District 3 was proud to host you and we sincerely hope your memories are as great as ours.

Sister Cheryl Albrecht, our Grand Examiner of District 3, I have known you for a long time, but you never really know someone until you room together for a while. I truly enjoyed our time shared and the memories of our travels. I wish all your dreams come true.

Sister Loretta Booth, Humanitarian Chairman for District 3. You did a great job with your presentation. I was always happy to hear it every time. I appreciate all of your hard work and dedication to the program and to Eastern Star.

Sister Cathi, Secretary to the Worthy Grand Matron, you are a true gem. I sincerely hope our friendship will continue to grow over the years to come. Your advice and genuine support is appreciated and will never be forgotten. I thank you for everything you did for me and each of us in our travels.

To the members of your District 3. It was my honor to serve you as District Deputy Grand Matron. I was always made to feel welcome and treated just like family. Your love and generosity will never be forgotten. It was my wish to serve you and teach about the Order

that we love. I am very proud of my District and the support and love shown to the office I held this past year. District 3, you did us proud.

Statistical Report of District III:

Chapters Assigned:	79
Chapters Consolidated	0
Chapters Demised	0
Chapters Instituted	0
Chapters Constituted	0
Chapters Inspected	79
Schools Conducted	11
Schools Attend DDGM	30
Schools Attended DGM	29
Letters Written	1,214
Miles traveled	49,331

Respectfully submitted, Lesa Smith, District Deputy Grand Matron, District 3. It is my pleasure to present my co-worker, Cindy Newberry, District Deputy Grand Matron, District 4 for her Report.

Sister Cindy Newberry: Thank you, Sister Lesa. Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, General Grand Chapter Family Members, other Distinguished Members, my Sisters and Brothers.

It is a genuine pleasure to present the District Four Report resulting from the dedicated work of the outstanding Deputy Grand Matrons you chose to represent you I the ten sections of your home district. Each one represented you well in her home section, and it is with appreciation and admiration, I present to you:

Section 1 – Jane Clabaugh – “Blossoms of Friendship’ School held in Center, Texas, January 29, 2011;

Section 2 – Sandy McMillan – “Friends Forever” School held in Orange, February 5;

Section 3 – Cynthia Araiza – “The Iris Treasures” School held in Livingston, on February 3;

Section 4 – Mrs. Pat Callahan – “Spirit of Life and Learning” School held in New Caney, on January 22;

Section 5 – Leslie Lowry – “Winding Down the Iris Trail” School held in Houston, February 12;

Section 6 – Martha Jones – “In the Garden of Friends” School held in Buffalo on January 27th;

Section 7 – Diane Flanagan – “Iris’ in Bloom” School held in Waller on Jan. 25;

Section 8 – Melynda Giesenschlag – “Blooms Gather Knowledge” School held in Brenham on February 1st;

Section 9 – Elaine Rowland – “Our Friendship Garden” School held in El Campo on February 10th; and

Section 10 – Joyce Shanks – “Schooling a Love of Nature” School held in Texas City on February 8th.

I am equally pleased to mention three other outstanding members of our District Four Schools’ staff – Mrs. Sharon Mosmeyer, Grand Examiner of District Four and Mrs. Mae

Bruce, Humanitarian of District Four and we have the Secretary to the Worthy Grand Matron, Mrs. Cathi Cannon.

The following Statistical Report shows how hard District Four Deputies worked:

Statistical Report for District Four:

Chapters Assigned	106
Chapters Consolidated	2
Chapters Inspected	106
Chapters Not Inspected	0
Schools Conducted	10
Schools attended in own section	19
Schools attended in other sections	97
Letters, cards	3,226
Miles Traveled	141,705

Worthy Grand Matron, the honor you gave each of us, your Deputies in District Four, will be forever an experience which enriched our lives, and we express to you our love and appreciation for allowing us to serve in these very special places of service. Your quick wit, unbelievable energy, and dedication to our Order have endeared you to the membership across our State. And your husband, Brother Jose Blanco (Joe White) is a very special person to each of us.

Worthy Grand Patron, we were glad when you could attend our schools, but sometimes work and sometime ice kept you and Marty from making it to District Four.

Our Grand Examiner, Sharon Mosmeyer, and our Worthy Grand Matron's Secretary, Cathi Cannon, performed their duties with outstanding efficiency.

We shall always strive to be worthy of the Honorary Memberships accorded us in the District Four chapters. And to the wonderful membership of District Four, we express our humble gratitude for the many courtesies, for your attendance at the Schools, and for your Constancy and Love. Fraternaly submitted, Cindy A Newbury, District Deputy Grand Matron, District 4. I'm pleased to present Sister Linda Winn-Christenson, District Deputy Grand Matron, District 5.

Sister Linda Winn Christenson: Thank you my co-worker and my sweet friend, Sister Cindy Newberry, District Deputy Grand Matron District IV. Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, General Grand Chapter Family, Distinguished Members, my Sisters and Brothers. Sister Mary Ruth White, Worthy Grand Matron, I offer you my most sincere appreciation for the honor you afforded my chapters, Waelder No. 1023 and Gonzales No. 403 and me in appointing me as your District Deputy Grand Matron in District V.

It is my privilege to present the Report from District 5, home District of our Most Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Rennie Ofton and Brother T. E. "Gene" Carnes, Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Texas; and introduce the ten Deputy Grand Matrons, Linda's Lady Bugs:

Janie Barnes of Section 1, who could not be with us due to family commitments, hosted the "Garden of Learning" School of Instruction in San Angelo, September 30, 2010;

Donna Eason of Section 2, hosted the "Faith, Hope and Love" School of Instruction in historic Fort McKavett Lodge, September 28, 2010;

Debbie Holman of Section 3, hosted the "Celebrate Friends" School of Instruction, "Garden of Friendship"

October 7, 2010 in Boerne;

Kay McMains of Section 4, hosted the “Cultured Gardens” School of Instruction in Uvalde, October 21, 2010;

Thelma Shaw of Section 5 hosted the “Sowing Seeds of Friendship” School of Instruction in Pleasanton, October 5, 2010;

Shari Daffern of Section 6, hosted the “Friends are Hidden Treasures” School of Instruction, October 23, 2010 in Lockhart;

Debbie Harris of Section 7, hosted the “Friends Helping Friends” School of Instruction in San Antonio, October 2, 2010;

Earlene Angell of Section 8, hosted the “A Walk in the Garden” School of Instruction, October 16, 2010 in Victoria;

Annette Gardner of Section 9, hosted the “Stars of the Sea” School of Instruction in Rockport, October 14, 2010; and

Delia Whitfield of Section 10 hosted the “Treasures of the Valley” School of Instruction October 19, 2010 in Zapata.

A total of 1,054 attended the ten District 5 Schools of Instruction. The Deputies and I attended 66 Schools of Instruction and traveled in excess of 71,000 miles in our year of service.

District 5 began the year with a total of 68 chapters; I regrettably report, at the conclusion of this Grand Chapter Session, District 5 will have a total of 65 chapters.

Statistical Report of District 5:

Chapters Assigned	68 *
Chapters Consolidated	02 **
Chapters Demised	1
Chapters Instituted	0
Chapters Inspected	67*
Chapters Not Inspected	01*
Schools Conducted	10
Schools Attend Officially	20
Schools Attended Unofficially	46
Letters Written	1,532
Miles Traveled	71,778

* Concho Chapter #826 consolidated with San Angelo Chapter #10 on August 9, 2010. As this was prior to the Deputy’s Official Visit, the Chapter could not be inspected, however, the books of Concho Chapter #10 were inspected.

Portland Chapter #1108 demised April 19, 2011

** Fidelis Chapter #963 consolidated with Austin Chapter #304 on June 1, 2011

Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Mary Ruth White, your knowledge and love of our Order has been an inspiration; you have taught me that to be a leader one must possess patience and understanding in addition to knowledge. I will always “treasure” your friendship and the time we have spent together. It has been a privilege to represent you, and an honor to serve Grand Chapter this year. My special thanks to Brother Joe for sharing you with the membership. May you now have time to be together and enjoy your gardens.

Worthy Grand Patron, Brother K. Arthur Drescher, Jr., you are a super “Star Gardener”. Your guidance and encouragement to the Divas from the very beginning boosted our confidence. Working with you throughout the year has proven, a “Good Aggie is a Great Leader”.

Your attendance and assistance at the Schools in District V was always one delight for the members present.

Sister Marty, you have been a wonderful Queen Esther, thank you for sharing Brother Art with the membership, and tending the home "Garden" in his absence.

Sister Sandra Zipp, Grand Examiner, your rendition of the Secret Work, and kindness in the exam room demonstrated your knowledge of the Order and endeared you to the membership. It was a joy to have you as a roommate, thank you for your counsel, friendship, and especially our morning prayers.

Sister Sudie Pool, Humanitarian Chairman, District V, each of your lovely programs reminded us to follow a "DREAM", trust in the Lord and make the world a better place. I treasure you for being a good Christian, Sweet Sister and my cherished friend.

Sister Cathi Cannon, Secretary to the Worthy Grand Matron, I enjoyed traveling with you and getting to know you. Thank you for your many hours of service, and always being there to help each of us when needed.

Sister Evelyn Huddleston, you are a dear Sister, thank you for filling in for Sister Cathi at the final three Schools in District V.

Sister Linda Carney, thank you for your dedication to our Order and assistance to the Worthy Grand Patron as his Secretary.

To the members of District V, your support, friendship, smiles and hugs are wonderful. Your efforts made the year memorable in each of the ten sections. For the Honorary Membership and every courtesy extended to each of the School Officers, we thank you.

To my husband, Brother Victor Christenson, I offer my deepest gratitude and love, through you I became a member of the Order of the Eastern Star, and from you I have received encouragement, support, and love. You believe in me even when I doubt myself.

Let us remember friendship is one of the sweetest joys of life. Many might have failed in life had they not found a friend. Respectfully submitted, Linda Winn-Christenson, District Deputy Grand Matron, District V. Worthy Grand Matron, I move the adoption of the five District Deputy Grand Matron Reports. (Applause)

WGM: Sisters and Brothers was that not a wonderful Report from our District Deputy Grand Matrons on our Deputies Schools, the 48 Schools that we held this year. It has been moved and seconded that we adopt the Reports of the District Deputies. All in favor signify by raising your pink cards. All opposed same sign. Motion carried that we adopt the Reports. (One rap) Sister Grand Warder, you will inform the Grand Sentinel that we are about to engage in the ceremony of calling this Grand Chapter *Garden of Friendship Session* from Labor to Rest and direct him to permit no interruptions while we are thus engaged.

[Session called from Labor to Rest]

Sister Edna Goettee, my Worthy Grand Matron's Treasured Sister, to bring our Benediction. Is she in the room?

WGP: Worthy Grand Matron, while she's on her way up, may I make an announcement?

WGM: Yes.

WGP: Sisters and Brothers, as we close we are going to have about a 10 minute break while they set up for the Memorial Program then we will start our Memorial Program and go into our ESTARL Program immediately from there. Please don't leave as our Chairmen have worked very, very hard on these programs and I would like all of you to be here to see the fruits of their labors. Thank you.

WGM: And I personally want to thank this Grand Chapter for the work that we have
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accomplished. I know that some of it took a little bit longer than all of us wanted it to but you know sometimes that's just the way things work out but we had business to conduct. I do thank you for attention and your interest in the business of your Grand Chapter and I would hope that you would stay with us for our Memorial and ESTARL programs and then join us for our very festive Rob Morris Celebration. Sister Edna. (Three raps)

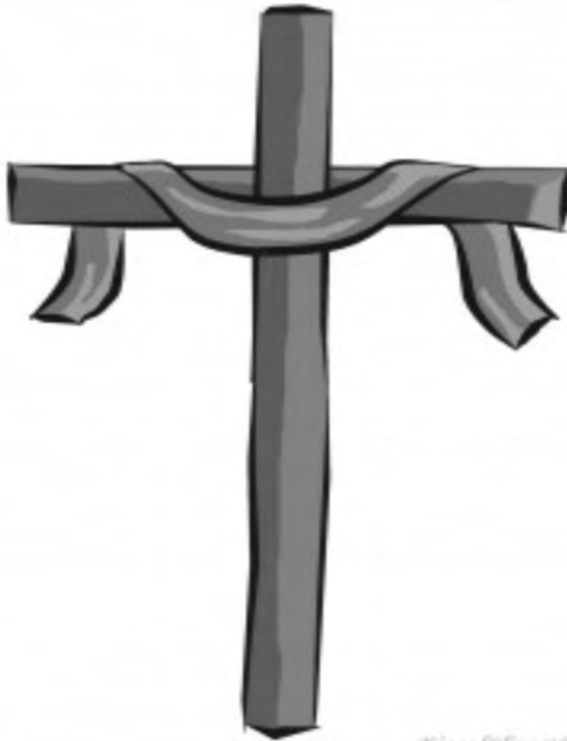
Sister Edna Goettee: Let us pray. Our Heavenly Father, we lift our hearts in gratitude to Thee for the many blessings of the day. We thank Thee that Thou has brought our Worthy Grand Matron, Mrs. Mary Ruth White, and our Worthy Grand Patron, Mr. Arthur Drescher, safely through this year of successful service. We pray that Thou will be very close to them throughout this week as they preside over the *Garden of Friendship* 129th Grand Chapter of Texas Session. Guide and bless not only our Grand Officers but also each member who is in attendance this week. May all that is said and done in our Session be pleasing in Thy sight. Now dismiss us with Thy blessings. Watch over us from day to day and keep us in Thy tender loving care. In His name we pray. (Amen)

**[Chapter called from Labor to Rest until 8:00 a.m. Saturday Morning,
August 13th, 2011]**

Memorial Program



***“Garden of Treasured Memories
and Promised Hope”***
Memorial Program



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Worthy Grand Patron

Marceline Crenshaw
Grand Chaplain

“Garden of Treasured Memories and Promised Hope”
Memorial Program

Musical Prelude	Mrs. Rosemary T. Swetland Worthy Grand Organist and Past Grand Matron of Texas
“Cross of Hope” Memorial Drill	Installed Grand Officers and Grand Pages <i>Directed by Mrs. Sherry Dieckmann</i> Grand Marshal
“Room at the Cross for You”	Grand Choir <i>Directed by Ms. Janet Clark</i> Grand Choir Director
Invocation	Mr. Kenneth R. Gregory Gen. Grand Chapter Executive Committee Co-Chairman & Past Grand Patron of Texas
Solo “In the Garden”	Mrs. Marjorie Shenkir Grand Soloist Accompanied by: Mrs. Rosemary T. Swetland Worthy Grand Organist and Past Grand Matron of Texas
Report of the Grand Chaplain	Mrs. Marceline Crenshaw Grand Chaplain
Instrumental Presentation <i>“Blessed Assurance”</i>	Mrs. Rosemary T. Swetland Worthy Grand Organist and Past Grand Matron of Texas
Tribute to General Grand Chapter	Grand Chaplain
Floral Presentation	Mrs. Rennie Often Most Worthy Grand Matron and Past Grand Matron of Texas Mr. John E. Grobler Acting Most Worthy Grand Patron and Past Grand Patron of Washington
Tribute to Past Grand Matrons and Past Grand Patrons	Grand Chaplain
Floral Presentation	Mrs. Mary Ruth White Worthy Grand Matron Mr. K. Arthur Drescher, Jr. Worthy Grand Patron
Tribute to Grand Chapters of other Grand Jurisdictions	Grand Chaplain
Floral Presentation	Mrs. Jimmie Lee McMahon Past Grand Matron of Texas Mr. Harold Trammell Past Grand Patron of Texas

Tribute to Subordinate Chapters

Grand Chaplain

Floral Presentation

Mrs. Karen Morgenthaler
General Grand Chapter Cancer Committee and
Past Grand Matron of Texas
Mr. Jerry L. Martin
General Grand Chapter Ambassador to Hawaii and
Past Grand Patron of Texas

Tribute to U. S. Military

Grand Chaplain

Floral Presentation

Mrs. Elsie Paladino
General Grand Chapter
Appeals & Grievances Committee &
Past Grand Matron of Texas
Mr. John Creel
Past Grand Patron of Texas

“Battle Hymn of the Republic”

Grand Choir
Directed by Ms. Janet Clark
Grand Choir Director

“Taps”

Mrs. Rosemary T. Swetland
Worthy Grand Organist and Past Grand Matron of Texas

Opening of the Holy Bible

Mrs. Annette Curry
Grand Conductress

Draping of the Altar

Mrs. Annette Curry
Grand Conductress

Mrs. Jayne Yenger
Associate Grand Conductress

Mrs. Marceline Crenshaw
Grand Chaplain

Solo

“Until Then”

Mrs. Marjorie Shenkir
Grand Soloist
Accompanied by: Mrs. Rosemary T. Swetland
Worthy Grand Organist and Past Grand Matron of Texas

Closing Narration

Grand Chaplain

Closing of the Holy Bible

Mrs. Annette Curry
Grand Conductress

“Garden of Friendship”

Benediction

“The Lord’s Prayer”

Mrs. Marjorie Shenkir

Grand Soloist

Accompanied by: Mrs. Rosemary T. Swetland

Worthy Grand Organist and Past Grand Matron of Texas

Please Retire Reverently

Memorial Program

Before the Program was presented, a Large Wooden Cross draped with deep purple crushed velvet, was added to the exquisite Garden Scene. The Cross was beautifully illuminated.

A beautiful and meditative prelude was presented by Mrs, Rosemary T. Swetland, Worthy Grand Organist and Past Matron of Texas.

Grand Chaplain Marceline Crenshaw: I invite the Installed Grand Officers and Grand Pages to enter for the “Cross of Hope” Memorial Drill, directed by Mrs. Sherry Dieckmann, Grand Marshal, to the musical accompaniment of Mrs. Rosemary T. Swetland, Worthy Grand Organist.

When the Cross is in place, the Drillers will switch on the candle lights which they are carrying, simultaneously as the Grand Chapter Room lights are dimmed.

The Grand Choir, under the direction of Ms. Janet Clark, Grand Choir Director, will sing, “Room at the Cross for You” (Chorus Only), accompanied by Mrs. Rosemary T. Swetland, Worthy Grand Organist.

When the song is finished, candles will be turned off, lights brought up, drill will retire and officers and pages will return to their places in the Grand Chapter Room.

Grand Chaplain Marceline Crenshaw: Our invocation will be brought by Mr. Jerry Trees, General Grand Chapter Executive Committee, Housing Chairman and Past Grand Patron of Texas.

Brother Jerry Trees: Would you please bow your heads. Our Dear Heavenly Father, we pray Thy blessings upon this service. We dedicate it to the memory of those you have called to life eternal. At this time, we remember them in this quiet hour. We thank you for their lives of unselfish service and dedication that built and promoted the Christian principles of our wonderful Order. Give us wisdom and courage to preserve their ideas. We ask for your compassion for their loved ones. Now Heavenly Father, guide and bless our footsteps. Watch over and guide us in Your Holy name we pray. Amen (Amen)

[Song sung by Mrs. Marjorie Schenkir “In the Garden”]

Grand Chaplain Marceline Crenshaw: Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, General Grand Chapter Officers, General Grand Chapter Committee Members, Past Grand Matrons and Past Grand Patrons, my Sisters and Brothers. It is my pleasure to present the *Garden of Treasured Memories and Promised Hope Memorial Program*. It is my sincere desire that those who have been touched by the loss of a loved one will experience hope and comfort as we recall the promises of our Lord.

In John 14:1-3 Jesus comforted his disciples with these words “Let not your hearts be troubled. You believe in God, believe also in me. In my Father’s house there are many mansions, if it were not so, I would have told you. I go to prepare a place for you and if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come again and receive you unto myself. That where I am there you may be also.”

During this year we were saddened by the loss of our Most Worthy Grand Patron, Brother Fredrick W. Clark, two passed Most Worthy Grand Matrons, three General Grand Chapter Committee Members, one Cardinal Crew Member, one Worthy Grand Matron, one Grand Warder, one Grand Sentinel, Honorary Past Grand Patron, one Past Grand Treasurer,

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one Grand Treasurer Emeritus, one Past Most Worthy Grand Patron of the Grand Chapter of New Jersey, 27 Past Grand Matrons, and 58 Past Grand Patrons, and 1,340 members of Subordinate Chapters.

Memorials were sent to Scottish Rite Hospital in memory of Paul Yenger, husband of Jayne Yenger, Associate Grand Conductress. George Washington Masonic Memorial in memory of Fredrick W. Clark Most Worthy Grand Patron. Patriot Paws, General Grand Chapter Project in memory of Johnny Hester, husband of Doris Hester, Past Grand Matron and Bobbie Chamberlain, widow of Oliver Chamberlain, Past Grand Patron, Herman and Alice Ochs Scholarship Fund, Mother of Richard Ochs Past Grand Patron, Robert Adair ESTARL Fund in memory of Florence Adair Past Most Worthy Grand Matron, Eureka United Methodist Church Building Fund in memory of Lois Newman, Past Most Worthy Grand Matron, Lexington Chapter #996 Scholarship Fund in memory of Mary M. Brown, Past Grand Matron, Humanitarian Educational Fund in memory of Joyce Rabalais, sister of Nelson Campbell, Past Grand Patron, North Fort Worth Chapter #684 in memory of Wilton Buckner, brother of Elise Hammack, Past Grand Matron. A pot plant was sent to Sister Annette Curry, Grand Conductress following her shoulder surgery. Ninety eight letters or cards of condolences were sent to 42 Grand Chapters of Other Jurisdictions and 230 cards of Sympathy, Cheer, Get Well and Thinking of You were sent to our own members as I was made aware of the need.

I attended ten Schools of Instruction, seventeen Fraternal Visits, two Round-Ups and one 100th Anniversary. I was honored to provide music for the 150th Anniversary for Homer Lodge #254, Ancient Free and Accepted Masons in Huntington. I have travelled approximately 12,000 miles and have enjoyed every mile.

Sister Mary Ruth and Brother Arthur, I am deeply grateful for the honor as serving you and your Grand Chapter as your Grand Chaplain this year. It has been an awesome and most humbling experience and will be one of my most Treasured Memories.

As I begin the dedication, Sister Rosemary will be playing Sister Lallah Mae Vollus' beautiful march, "Sharing".

This Garden of Treasured Memories and Promised Hope Memorial Program is lovingly dedicated to Sister Lallah Mae Vollus, our Senior Past Grand Matron. Sister Lallah Mae served this Grand Chapter as Worthy Grand Matron in 1945-1946 with Brother Norman Reed as her Worthy Grand Patron and together they presided over the 64th Sharing Session of Grand Chapter, which convened on Monday, October 21, 1946. Sister Lallah Mae faced and met many challenges that few of us have due to the ravages of World War II. She led this Grand Chapter with dignity, grace and a strong faith in her Lord. Her love for and her devotion to the Order of the Eastern Star has never waned. She has been a mentor to many and an inspiration to all. Sister Lallah Mae observed a birthday May 1st and she reached a milestone that few of us will reach, her 102nd birthday. God has richly blessed this lovely dedicated lady. And may he continue to do so. We love you, Sister Lallah Mae!

[Piano music played by Sister Rosemary Swetland "This Is My Story"]

General Grand Chapter was deeply saddened when our Most Worthy Grand Patron, Brother Fred, as he was lovingly known, lost his battle with cancer December 28, 2010 after serving just over a year of his three year tenure. Having spent much of his time in Texas during the past few years and his close relationship with our own Sister Rennie, had endeared him to this membership. He was a Past Grand Patron of Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island and the following was taken from the Mountains of Friendship Memorial Service in July, 1988.

And no flower in life's garden, Fairer brighter grew
Than the little flower that whispered, Always we will remember you.

We will always remember Brother Fred.

General Grand Chapter was equally saddened by the home-going of two of our beloved Past Most Worthy Grand Matrons, Sisters Florence Adair and Lois Newman. Sister Florence served as Worthy Grand Matron of the Grand Chapter of Michigan in 1971-1972 when she presided over the Fan of Faith Session. She served as Most Worthy Grand Matron of General Grand Chapter during the 1997-2000 Triennium. She loved the youth and for many years was an instructor for the Rainbow Girls in Michigan. She had a passion for antique fans of which she had a vast collection and became known as the fan lady throughout the Eastern Star World. Sister Florence passed away April 20, 2011.

Sister Lois served as the Worthy Grand Matron of the Grand Chapter of Missouri in 1961-1962 and as Most Worthy Grand Matron in 1988-1991 where she presided at the Yesterday, Today and Tomorrow, God's Scroll of Time 40th Triennial Assembly in November 1991. Her watch words were "Love For Sharing and Caring, Joy for Living and Giving, and Nature for Receiving and Believing". She was proud of her charitable work and especially the founding of the Lois Jackson Newman Youth Scholarship Fund. Sister Lois passed away May 28th, 2011.

General Grand Chapter also mourns the loss of three Committee Members, Brother William E. Boyce, Payroll, Sisters Bonnie Duncanson, ESTARL and Sisters Karen F. Larson, International Peace Garden, United States Chairman and Sister Bobbie Chamberlain, Member of the Cardinal Crew Committee. We extend our heartfelt sympathy to their families.

The floral tribute is presented by Mrs. Alma Lynn Bane, Right Worthy Grand Secretary and Past Grand Matron of Texas, escorted by Mr. Henry Martin, General Grand Chapter Executive Committee Chairman and Past Grand Patron of Texas.

[Music, "I Believe"]

Our Grand Family has been greatly saddened by the loss of our beloved Past Grand Matron, Sister Mary M. Brown, who entered her eternal home July 1, 2011. Sister Mary was installed as Worthy Grand Matron along with Brother Murray Watson, Jr. as Worthy Grand Patron at the Master Potter Installation in El Paso in October, 1977. They presided over the *Serving for Loves Sake* 96th Session in Houston in October 1978. Her inspiration came from Isaiah 64:8 "But now o Lord, thou art our Father. We are the clay and thou our potter, and we all are the work of thy hand". Her decorations of clay pots reflected the touch of the master potter. The year began and ended with this prayer:

Shape our lives into more useful vessels of service
and whatever may be accomplished:
TO GOD BE THE GLORY.

The floral tribute is presented by Mrs. Mary Ruth White, Worthy Grand Matron and escorted by K. Arthur Drescher, Jr., Worthy Grand Patron.

[Piano music]

Ninety seven members from forty two other Grand Jurisdictions have been called to their eternal home this past year and this Grand Chapter lovingly pays tribute to the memory of those whose names have been called. We extend our warmest sympathy to their families. May they find comfort in the promises found in God's word "Verily, verily I say unto you, he that believes in me hath everlasting life." John 6:47.

Their deeds will be remembered; They fought a good fight;
Now, they dwell in a land where there is no night.

The floral tribute is presented by Mrs. Jimmie Lee McMahon, Past Grand Matron and Mr. Harold Trammell, Past Grand Patron.

[Piano music]

Our hearts are heavy due to the loss of 1,340 members from our subordinate chapters this year. We will miss their smiles, their hugs, their laughter and the beautiful friendships and sweet fellowships that we have shared. We extend our loving sympathy to the families and offer our prayers for them. But we rejoice in the blessed hope that we will be united again and share those treasured memories. Our promised hope is found in John 11:25-26 "Jesus saith unto her, I am the resurrection and the life. He that believeth in me though he were dead yet shall he live and whosoever liveth and believeth in me shall never die".

We do not lose the ones we love, they only go before,
Where there is everlasting life.....and sorrow is no more.

The floral tribute is presented by Mrs. Karen Morgenthaler, General Grand Chapter Cancer Committee and Past Grand Matron of Texas, escorted by Mr. Jerry Martin, General Grand Chapter Ambassador to Hawaii and Past Grand Patron of Texas.

[Piano music]

And now we honor those young men and women of our Military who have been called upon to defend our freedom and who do so with courage and dignity. Let us be ever mindful of the debt we owe them. Were it not for their courageous sacrifices we would not have the freedom that we take for granted. Let us lift them up daily in prayers and let us NEVER forget those who have made this supreme sacrifice. We extend our most loving and heartfelt sympathy to their families and our grateful appreciation for their loved ones service to our great country. May their sacrifice not been in vain.

The floral tribute is presented by Mrs. Joyce Gilbert, General Grand Chapter Youth Committee, United States Chairman and Past Grand Matron of Texas, escorted by Mr. John Creel, Past Grand Patron.

[Piano music – Taps]

Worthy Grand Matron would you come to the East please?

WGM: Would with Grand Conductress and the Associate Grand Conductress assume your stations. Sister Grand Conductress, you will open our Holy Bible on our altar. (Three raps) Sister Grand Conductress, Associate Grand Conductress and Sister Grand Chaplain,

you will assume your positions of draping the altar.

Grand Chaplain: Our Most Gracious Heavenly Father, we come to you in loving memory of those who have passed into the joy of everlasting life and now abide in your loving care. We thank you for their lives and for the many ways in which they touched our lives and to their service to this great Order. We ask that you bless their families, comfort them with your grace and mercy and with the hope that they will be reunited with their loved ones one day. We ask you to bless the young men and women in our Military who are fighting for the freedom that we so richly enjoy. If it be your will, we ask that you bring them safely home to their families and loved ones. And for those who have made the ultimate sacrifice, we ask a special blessing upon their families. Father, we thank you for your Son, Jesus, and we ask these blessings in His Precious Name. Amen (Amen).

[Piano and song by Marjorie, “Until Then”]

“Death is just another step along life’s changing way,
 No more than just a gateway to a new and better day.
 And parting from our loved ones is much easier to bear,
 When we know that they are waiting to join us to join them “There”.
 So let our grief be softened and yield not to despair,
 We have only placed our loved ones in the loving Father’s care.

WGM: Sister Grand Conductress, you will close the Holy Bible on our altar. (Three raps)

[Piano and song by Marjorie “The Lord’s Prayer”]

(One rap) Thank you, Sister Grand Chaplain, Marceline Crenshaw for a very moving and touching tribute to those precious ones that we have lost this year. Thank you also for all who took part in this ceremony. Sisters and Brothers, remember that our Star in the East has not been dimmed by the passing by these precious ones but rather it shines brighter because of their brief measure of time we were blessed to have them pass our way.

WGP: Sister Marceline, I also would like to say how beautiful the program was and you’ve done a great job this year and we appreciate all your efforts. To Sister Marjorie, your singing is just always awesome and we appreciate all that you’ve done this evening. Thank you.

WGM: We will now be going directly into the ESTARL Ceremony and I invite the ESTARL Committee General Chairman, Sister Jacalyn DeLange, to bring our ESTARL program.



ESTARL Program



The Greatest of These Is Love

ESTARL Service And Awards



Mary Ruth White
Worthy Grand Matron

K. Arthur Drescher, Jr
Worthy Grand Patron

August 12, 2011
5:00 p.m.

Jacalyn DeLange
General Chairman

ESTARL PROGRAM
"The Greatest of These Is Love"

Welcome	Mrs. Jacalyn DeLange General Chairman
ESTARL Committee	Marion Lee Pierce D1 Jerry Pingle D2 Georgia Orr D3 Deneice Marshall D4 Dorette Smith D5
Musical Selection	Matthew Wallace Recipient
Scripture Reading & Message	Becky Love Recipient
Offertory Prayer	Mireya Martinez Recipient

ESTARL LOVE OFFERING

Musical Selections	Matthew Wallace Mireya Martinez Recipients
Presentation of Awards	Mary Ruth White Worthy Grand Matron K. Arthur Drescher, Jr Worthy Grand Patron

Assisted By ESTARL Committee

Response from Recipients	Kristopher Redus Recipient
Benediction	Justin Southall Recipient

ESTARL Program

Welcome

Jacalyn DeLange
ESTARL Committee
General Chairman

Sister Jacalyn DeLange: Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Distinguished Guests, Sisters and Brothers and Friends. It is with great pleasure that I welcome you to the 2011 *The Greatest of These is Love* ESTARL Service and Awards Ceremony. With the current political and economic environment worldwide, Christianity is faced with increasing criticism from the politically correct. It is more important than ever that we hold God's love in our hearts and spread his teachings throughout the world. These students we honor tonight who are enrolled in religious training have heard our Father's call and have dedicated their lives to God's service. Sisters and Brothers, from our donations to the ESTARL Fund, we are able to assist these people in their educational efforts. Through their areas of training, they will help others learn to live in God's love. It is a small way we can contribute to their quest to help others and serve the Lord. At this time, it is my honor to introduce the people that have served on the ESTARL Committee for the 2010-2011 Grand Chapter year. If y'all will come forward as I call your name: Sister Marion Lee Pierce, District 1; Brother Jerry Pingle, District 2 (who was unable to be with us); Sisters Georgia Orr, District 3; Deneice Marshall, District 4; and Dorette Smith, District 5. Please join me in thanking them for their hard work. (Applause) To start the program, we have a musical selection "How Great Thou Art" and it is going to be brought to us by our own very special General Grand Organist, Sister Rosemary Swetland, who stepped in at the last moment to help me out.

[Piano music by Rosemary Swetland "How Great Thou Art"] (Applause)

Thank you Sister. Becky Love, a District 4 recipient, who attends Austin Presbyterian will bring us a scripture reading followed by our message for this evening.

Ms. Becky Love: Good evening. Hear the words of scripture found in I Corinthians 13:12-13. "Now we see but a poor reflection as in a mirror, then we shall see face to face. Now I know in part, then I shall know fully even as I am fully known. And now these three remain; Faith, Hope and Love, but the greatest of these is Love." I don't know about you but when I hear the word love, I hear music. There have been many songs that have been written over the years about love. Think with me about some of those favorites and see if you remember them, like "When I Fall in Love, It Will Be Forever", do you recognize that one? Or what about the Beatles, sing it with me "All You Need Is Love". Or what about the Judd's song, "Love Can Build A Bridge". There's been a lot written about Love and this chapter in I Corinthians, this letter to the Corinthians from Paul is a Love song. It's about Love. I remember being in Wichita Falls and the children in the pre-school were right around my office all the time and I would hear this song "Love is Something if You Give it Away". Is that your experience with Love? You give it away then you have more to give. Paul tells the Corinthians that it should be the most important thing in our lives. In I John 4, the scriptures tell us that God is Love and everyone who loves is born of God because God is Love. Another place scripture says we love, why? Because God first loved us. It's that important in lives. But what is love? How do you explain love? We talk about falling in Love or being in Love with our husbands, loving our children, loving chocolate or loving football, well maybe not so much for some of us, but loving things and people, but is that really the love Paul is talking about? Well there's a story about these two friends that got together and one of the friends

said “you know, five years ago I deeply cared for a woman who wanted to have nothing to do with me. Was that not love?” and his friend says back to him “No, that was obsession.” And he said again “Well, two years ago I really fell madly and deeply in love with an attractive woman who didn’t understand me and wasn’t that love?” His friend said “No, I believe you call that lust”. And then he said “Well, I just went on a cruise and I found this beautiful woman and she was smart and funny and we had so much to talk about everywhere I followed her on the boat, I would get this strange sensation in the pit of my stomach. Isn’t that love?” And his friend said “No, I think you might call that motion sickness”. (Laughter) What is love? Well, let me tell you a little bit about myself. I grew up in the church and my idea of Christianity and following Jesus was very simple. You know, don’t do the things that God hates, don’t cuss, don’t do the things that God doesn’t love. And I was pretty good at that, but I began to receive a calling on my life and I wanted to know more and more about this Christ that the scriptures talked about, about love. About this God who is Love and I began to change and I sought out someone who might could tell me how I could serve God in some way in my life. Well, I went to my Mom after I had kind of wandered away from this for a while and I said “Mom, I think I want to go to school and I think I want to be a Christian Education Director in the church and I think that is going to require me to go to a college somewhere out of town. And my Mom said “Wait a minute” and she went to her closet and came out with a College catalog from McMurray College in Abilene and said “God told me you might need this”. That was affirmation and love. So I earned that degree and I served churches over those 15 years. Then I found myself in Lufkin, Texas and struggling with what God was really calling me to do and God was calling me to do something different. To go into the Pastoral Ministry and again, that would require me to go to school in a different town. And at this point, I had three small children but in the struggle and Deneice Marshall reminded me that she was there during that struggle, I found affirmation and love in this congregation and I moved to Wichita Falls with my three children and God’s love was present there as that church loved us. All of us. And they stepped in and helped us, when we celebrated, they celebrated with us, when we were struggling, they were on their knees in prayer for us. And it was while I was there and I was travelling 125 miles from my driveway to the parking space at TCU twice a week for 4 ½ years that I knew what sacrifice was in serving God. And then there were some that showed up in my life again from my time in Amarillo. As a youth, people who had supported me as I struggled the first time with my call, and Richard and Barbara Ochs were there encouraging and helped me to receive my first ESTARL scholarship, as I went to seminary. That was God’s Love. That was experiencing God in the affirmation there. Now I’ve found myself once again surrounded by God’s Love through those who know what that is. I serve a church in Diboll, Texas as their Pastor and together we are learning what it means to love our neighbors and to give and do in love with God. And it was there that Deneice came back into my life and Rosemary Swetland and they both encouraged me again to apply for the scholarship as I worked for my Doctor of Ministry so that I could continue to serve God in faithful ways. Affirmation, God’s Love, that’s the kind of love that Paul is talking about. Not the kind that if you have great sermons, or you sing well but you don’t do it out of love, that’s not the love he’s talking about. Or if you have a lot of education but you don’t do what you do in love. The kind of Love that Paul is talking about is this; Love never gives up, love cares more for others than for self, love doesn’t want what it doesn’t have, love doesn’t strut around, doesn’t have a swelled heart, doesn’t force itself on others, isn’t always me first, doesn’t fly off the handle, takes pleasure in the flowering of truth, love puts up with anything, trust God always, always looks for the best, never looks back but keeps going to the end. So, there’s another song “What’s Love Got to Do With It?” God is Love. It’s out of God’s Love, it’s in response to that great and amazing

extravagant love, that our lives should be lived. I really enjoyed the way the message in the Bible finishes this chapter “We don’t see things clearly yet, we’re squinting in a fog, peering through a mist, but it won’t be long before the weather clears and the sun shines bright”. We’ll see it all then. See it all as clearly as God sees us. Knowing him directly just as he knows us. But for right now, until that completeness we have three things to do to lead us towards that consummation. Trust steadily in God, Hope unswervingly and Love extravagantly. And the best of the three is love. You have shown your love in giving the gifts, in supporting and encouraging these people who are starting or in the midst of their education so that they may serve and I may serve God more completely and I thank you for that. Thank you for being a part of the experience of Love and I pray that you continue with me in love. Until we are made perfect in God’s love that all that you do and all that you say be in response to that extravagant love. “Love is Something if You Give it Away”. (Applause)

Sister Jacalyn DeLange: Thank you, Becky for that heartfelt message. I ask that each of you remember that your donation this evening will be the start of the ESTARL fund for next year’s Grand Chapter. During the collection, you will be treated to the musical talents of Mireya Martinez who will honor us with a violin medley of religious tunes. Immediately following the offertory prayer, I ask the Pages or actually the Deputies, acting as Pages, to assist the collection. Please pick up the boxes on the tables and return them to the same table after the collection. Mireya Martinez, a District 1 recipient, attending Perkins School of Theology will now lead us in prayer. Please join hands and remain seated.

Ms. Mireya Martinez: Will you please join me in a word of prayer? Most Gracious and Heavenly Lord, God we just come before you this evening and this afternoon, thanking you for this opportunity to be together in fellowship, to celebrate you, to celebrate the gifts that you have given all of us and to thank you for the opportunity to be affirmed in our calling. God, right now I pray that as these funds are collected, Lord, that you would bless those that are giving. Bless those that are continuing to give throughout the year that they may know that their gifts are going towards furthering your work here on Earth and that we, the recipients, are very thankful for them feeding into our ministries and affirming our callings. We ask these things in Your Name, Amen.

[Violin music while collections are made]

Ms. Jacalyn DeLange: Thank you for sharing your music. And thank you Sisters and Brothers for your donations. I now invite the District Chairman to call the names of the recipients from their respective Districts. Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron would you honor us by presenting certificates to the students who were able to attend? I present Sister Marion Lee Pierce, District 1 Chairman.

Sister Marion Lee Pierce: Charles Crowder, Southwest Baptist Theological Seminary and Garland Chapter 156; Matthew Wallace, Bright Divinity School TCU, Pittsburg Chapter #381; Mireya Martinez, Perkins School of Theology SMU, Beckville Chapter #273; and Kristopher Redus. You will remember Mr. Kristopher. He excited our entire congregation in chapter two years ago when he proposed on this very stage. He goes to Southwestern Baptist Seminary, Lone Star Chapter #1083.

I am pleased to recognize Sister Georgia Orr, District 3 Chairman who will announce the District 2 recipients in the absence of Brother Pingle.

Sister Georgia Orr: I’m kind of pleased to do this because even though I live in District 3 now, for five years of my life as I was growing up, I lived in District 2 in Vernon, Texas and our recipient is from there and his wife was a Lockett which was the community I grew up in and so I have a special connection. I’m pleased to give this scholarship to Hadeo

Hayworth. He goes to Truitt Theological Seminary and he's sponsored by Vernon Chapter #424. (Applause)

And now I'll recognize our District 3 recipients. Our first one is Micah James, she goes to Texas Christian University and is sponsored by Webb Chapter #1140. The second one is Justin Southall. He goes to Howard Payne University and he is sponsored by Gorman Chapter #443. Neither one of these could be here today.

I'm pleased to recognize the District 4 Chairman Sister Denise Marshall.

Sister Deneice Marshall: I'm pleased to announce these recipients from District 4. William Allred, Dallas Theological Seminary sponsored by Cypress Chapter #1102; Cary Deleon, Perkins School of Theology sponsored by Humble Chapter #415; Becky Love, Austin Presbyterian sponsored by Lufkin Chapter #382; Sara Neely, Baylor University sponsored by Klein Chapter #1141; Dale Prudhomme, New Orleans Baptist Theological Seminary sponsored by Vidor Chapter #914; and Matthew Wallace, University of St. Thomas sponsored by Crockett Chapter #509.

I recognize District 5 Chairman Sister Dorette Smith. (Applause)

Sister Dorette Smith: It is my pleasure to recognize the recipients of District 5. Donna Shaw, who attends Austin Presbyterian and she is sponsored by Bexar Chapter #616; and Travis Smith, who attends Episcopalian Seminary of the Southwest, sponsored by Austin Chapter #305. Neither of these recipients were able to attend today but we are very glad to be able to give them these scholarships. (Applause)

Sister Jacalyn DeLange: We will now have greetings for our Worthy Grand Patron.

WGP: Good Evening. I want to compliment our service this evening. The sermon Sister Becky was beautiful. Your singing accented and just added that extra touch and you described love beautifully. Sister Mireya, when I was a little bit younger, my parents gave me a violin, and I could never make it sound like that. (Laughter) Beautiful music and we do appreciate it. And Christopher, I know in a few minutes you are going to bring a rousing response. And Justin, your benediction will be great. To all our recipients, just keep that positive attitude and keep serving our Lord the way that he wants you to serve him. Thank you very much. (Applause)

Sister Jacalyn DeLange: I invite the Worthy Grand Matron to bring greetings.

WGM: Sister Jacalyn DeLange, I want to thank you and your Committee members for their hard work in selecting the recipients of our ESTARL scholarship awards this year. For many years, ESTARL has been one of the Grand Chapter of Texas best supported benevolent projects and justly so, because to have a part in starting a youth on their way to serving their God, I think is one of the best things that our Eastern Star Chapters could be participating in. The words that Becky Love brought us tonight "Now abideth Faith, Hope and Love, but the greatest of these is Love". Sister Becky that is the scripture of this year of your Worthy Grand Matron and it was very touching to me that that was your message this evening. Sometimes when words cannot touch a person's heart, music can. And I want to tell you how much I enjoyed the music that lifted our spirits to God this evening. To all 5 of the recipients that were able to be here this evening, we are so proud and honored of our ability to assist you in your service to our God. We hope that you might be able to continue your education with a little bit more ease through the efforts of these scholarships and we encourage you to reapply next year. To the recipients that were not able to be with us this evening, I wish them their continued support of their chosen professions and in the service of our almighty God. I thank you for the contributions that were collected this evening that will further other scholarships that will be given in the future. And again, I want to thank my Committee for their hard work in accepting these scholarships, reviewing them and allowing us to award them this evening. Thank you very much. (Applause)

Sister Jacalyn DeLange: Thank you so much for y'all's words. Christopher Redus, a recipient from District 1 who attends Southwest Baptist Theological Seminary, will offer the response on behalf of all the recipients.

Mr. Kristopher Redus: On behalf of all the ESTARL scholarship recipients, I would like to say thank you. To the Chapters who sponsor us, thank you for making it a priority in your organization as they go through their ministerial education. The church by itself cannot afford to support the entire education of its ministers. Because of the gracious efforts of organizations like the Order of the Eastern Star, students like me are able to receive better preparation for ministry. The benefit of this entire process is that those in ministry are better able to serve their churches because of the opportunities their education has given them. For me personally, this scholarship has been such a huge blessing. When my wife and I were first considering Seminary, we had no idea where the money would come from. We knew that we would have to take a really big step of faith and trust that God would provide a way. When we got married in June, our plan was to move to Ft. Worth and begin classes at Southwestern in August. Even at that point, we still didn't know how we would pay for school much less our first month's rent because neither of us had been able to find jobs in the area yet. But within a week from getting back from our honeymoon, both of us had secured jobs. God's timing can be a little scary sometimes but we know that he works all things together for the good of those who are called according to his purpose. One of the big ways that God provided for us was through the ESTARL scholarship. I know there are students just like me up on this stage and all over the State of Texas whose preparation for ministries is being enhanced by the order of the Eastern Star. So once more on behalf of all of us, thank you. (Applause)

Sister Jacalyn DeLange: Thank you. To close our ESTARL program with prayer, I invite Hadeo Hayworth, a District 2 recipient who attends Truitt Theological Seminary, to bring the benediction and I just want to let you know Justin was not able to be with us tonight, he lost my contact information and he looked up the Grand Secretary's office, I got a call from the Grand Secretary's office last week and I got a call from someone from one of the chapters that sponsors him letting me know that Justin was not able to come. He was so worried about letting me know and Hadeo stepped in and agreed to do this benediction for me. Thank you very much. The Lord does work in wonderful ways.

Mr. Hadeo Hayworth: Good Evening. As we gather as a body of believers, as a church, as God's people, I can think of no other better way to close this out this ceremony where we have looked at the faces of the fruits of your financial sacrifices than the words that God gave the first servants to teach and preach his word. In Numbers 6:24, God spoke to Moses and Aaron and told them these exact words to give to his people "Bless the people of God" and I can think of no better way than to close this tonight. May the Lord bless you and keep you. May the Lord make his face to shine upon you. May the Lord be gracious to you. May the Lord lift up his countenance upon you and give you peace. Amen (Amen)

Sister Jacalyn DeLange: That concludes the ESTARL program.



Grand Chapter of Texas
Garden of Friendship
Saturday Session
8:00 a.m., August 13, 2011

7:30 a.m. Musical Prelude

Mrs. Heidi Newman
Associate Conductress
Farmers Branch Chapter #687

8:00 a.m. Call to Order

Mrs. Joyce Gilbert
Youth Committee–US Chairman
General Grand Chapter
Past Grand Matron of Texas

Mr. Jerry Trees
Executive Committee
Housing Chairman – Texas
General Grand Chapter
Past Grand Patron of Texas

Mrs. Joyce Gilbert: Good Morning Sisters and Brothers. Let's try that one more time. Good Morning Sisters and Brothers. (Good Morning!) Thank you! This is the day that the Lord has made, let us rejoice and be glad in it. Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron, thank you for the honor you have extended to my Worthy Grand Patron and me to stand in the East this morning and to call to order this Saturday morning Session, *Garden of Friendship*. To our musical person this morning, Mrs. Heidi Newman, I wish to say how much we've enjoyed your beautiful music. It brought joy to our hearts. I am sure this membership would also love to express their thanks. (Applause) Brother Jerry would you like to address this membership?

Brother Jerry Trees: Thank you, Sister Joyce. I would also like to express my appreciation to Sister Mary Ruth White and Brother Arthur Drescher for the privilege of opening the *Garden of Friendship* Saturday morning Session of the 129th Grand Chapter Session. It is also a very special treat for me to be in the Grand East with my Worthy Grand Matron and if I would have thought, I would have brought my purple coat just to show her I still have that. Sister Mary Ruth and Brother Arthur, you and your officers have had a great year and we thank you for your love and commitment to our wonderful Order and for serving this Grand Chapter with honor and dignity. May the final hour of your year of service be as rewarding and satisfying as this past year has been. Thank you.

Sister Joyce Gilbert: I now invite the Grand Officers to enter the Chapter Room and present their *Garden of Friendship* Drill for their last time. Sisters and Brothers, don't these add a very elegant southern touch to our drill. Beautiful. (Applause)

I invite the Precision Drill Team to set the labyrinth up.

Worthy Grand Matron, your year is almost over but you have done an outstanding job of planting the seed of love, joy, patience and kindness all over the State of Texas. With your leadership this year, you have attained your dreams and your goals. You will go home knowing in your heart you have had a terrific year. You have left your beautiful aroma of Irises in the hearts of your membership. Thank you for your service. Worthy Grand Patron, I'll also say to you how proud we are of you in District 1 and all over this State of Texas. You have

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done your duty and supported your Worthy Grand Matron. We will welcome you home and say “job well done”. You and Marty have been an asset to your Worthy Grand Matron this year. Will the Grand Officers please enter the Chapter Room? Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron (Three raps). Sisters and Brothers you will salute them with the Grand Honors. Sisters Grand Conductress and Associate Grand Conductress you will come to the East. (Applause) Worthy Grand Matron, your record will stand, your memories will consume you, you will tend to your garden and you will get some well needed rest. Thank you for this privilege. It is my pleasure to present to you, your gavel.

WGM: Thank you very much. (Applause) The Officers will take their respective stations and prepare for the active duties of this Grand Chapter. Sister Grand Warder, you will inform the Grand Sentinel that we are about to call this *Garden of Friendship Session* from Rest to Labor and direct him to permit no interruptions while we are thus engaged.

[Ritualistic Opening and Proving the Chapter]

As we look to God for our inspiration today, let us unite in prayer. Our invocation will be given by Sister Jane Gregory, Past Grand Matron of Texas.

Sister Jane Gregory: Let us go together in prayer. Dear Heavenly Father, as we come to you this morning we know that you are in our presence. This is the last Session and business day of our 129th Session of the Grand Chapter of Texas. The final business in selection of our Order will go in the future will be decided today. Father God, let those who are willing to serve know that you choose the work that each of us are to do. I pray that there will be no hard feelings, that there will be love shown to all. The candidates that are offering their service are wonderful people all but we all cannot do the same thing at one time. Father God, you are such a graciously Heavenly Father, you protect us with your love and show us the way to go. You instill us with integrity and love one for another. Bless this country Father, our great United States of America. And Father God, we deeply, deeply feel and pray for the families of the military. Those that are serving far from home, leaving families that are lonesome. Let them feel your love and strength and may we always remember that we are the greatest nation in the world and that God will prevail. Bless us that we can continue the work that we started on Monday and at the final conclusion that it will be pleasing to you. All this we ask, Father God, in the name of our precious Savior, Jesus Christ, our Redeemer and our Savior. Amen. (Amen)

WGM: (One rap) I invite our Past Grand Matron, Sister Yvonne Brownfield, to bring us the Thought for the Day.

Sister Yvonne Brownfield: Good morning, Sisters and Brothers. Can you hear me? Do you care? (Laughter and the response of “Yes”) Annually, we make this trip to Grand Chapter where we can meet and greet friends and renew acquaintances but we also come to take care of business and there’s a lot of business to be taken care of today. We’ve already done quite a bit. And as a thought to kind of remind us each, we always have to remember that there’s difference of opinion. No two people are exactly alike, if there were, one of them would not be necessary. (Laughter) We need to strive and ask our Lord to give us the strength to practice principles above personalities. Let us be kind, forbearing and forgiving one to another. Let us return kindness for hostility. Let us sacredly preserve our lips from slander and evil speaking and whatever may be our failings. Let’s throw around each other the broad mantle of charity. Thank you, my Sisters and Brothers. (Applause)

WGM: Thank you, Sister Joyce and Brother Jerry. I can think of no one who could set the mood of our day for business on a better note than the two of you. Thank you for opening this Saturday morning Session of the *Garden of Friendship* 129th Grand Chapter

Session. Sister Jane Gregory, thank you for your prayer of invocation. You have asked God's blessing on our deliberations today and we are truly grateful for your friendship. Thank you Sister Yvonne for those Thoughts for the Day. They are so appropriate and they have really given us something to think about. I would just like to mention to this Grand Chapter Assembly the use of the Bible on our altar. I opened this Grand Chapter Session by using a Bible that my dear friend and mentor and member of my Chapter, Sister Lallah Mae Vollus, gave to our Chapter on its 75th Anniversary. She could not be with us today but I thought that that was the closest I could come to her to have her Bible on my altar. The Bible on the altar this morning belongs to my daughter, Sherry Dieckmann. It was given to her by the Grand Assembly of Texas when she served as Grand Worthy Advisor. Everyone knows of the dedication that your Worthy Grand Patron and I have for Rainbow and for DeMolay and it is my honor to have this Bible open on our altar today and I hope that it inspires us to do our business this morning in a pleasing way to our Heavenly Father. Worthy Grand Patron.

WGP: Can we turn the microphone on? Thank you, Worthy Grand Matron. That's one way to keep me quiet. To Sister Heidi Newman who provided us with some beautiful music this morning while we were coming in. That was really wonderful music you played. I thank you for that and sharing your talents with us today. And to Sister Joyce and Brother Jerry, thank you for opening this Session. As our members have anticipated this day that will help chart the course of our Grand Chapter future, we appreciate what you have done and continue to do for our Grand Chapter. Sister Jane Gregory, thank you. You have conversed with God asking his blessings on our deliberations today. We thank you for your friendship. Sister Yvonne Brownfield, your Thought of the Day, as always, was provoking and so fitting for this day which the Lord has made. And I have a couple of announcements before we get down to business. In our Lost and Found, I'll say this, I've learned two things this year. The Lost and Found and the First Aid are really used during Grand Chapter. Found and in the Lost and Found area, one pin with Eastern Star symbols in Silver, one black and gold bracelet, one black earring large hoop, one crocheted red and black doggie bag with butterfly button and one black and gold bracelet. Lot of black and gold in there. So if you've lost any of those things or think you've lost any of those things, please see our Lost and Found. Thank you, Worthy Grand Matron.

WGM: Sisters and Brothers, we still have many things of business remaining to take care of this morning. We're going to move as quickly as possible and I would thank you in advance for your attention and cooperation. Again, I would like to remind you to keep your ballots with you in the signed envelope that they were given to you in and to keep them in your possession at all times. If you leave the Grand Chapter room, be sure and have them with you. You must have these with you for re-entry into the Grand Chapter Room. We plan to have our business Session over in time that Sister Vi Griffin and Brother David Dibrell, and ourselves can get a little bit of rest before their installation. In order to do this we must have your undivided attention and assistance. We will begin the nomination progress promptly at 10:00 a.m. at which time I will nominate Sister Vi Griffin for the office of Worthy Grand Matron. Will the voting delegates please hold up your pink cards so my Deputies will be able to spot just how far up in the various sections you are going to go to get the ballots. Thank you very much. And you see that my Arrangements Committee is already setting up the tables so in less than an hour, our election will begin. Will Sister Rita and Laura Sharp please come to the Grand East for the adoption of their Reports? I invite Sister Jacalyn DeLange to come to the microphone. I recognize Sister Jacalyn DeLange, Chairman of the ESTARL Committee and her Committee for the adoption of her Report previously presented.

Sister Jacalyn DeLange: Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Sisters and Brothers all. I would like to recognize my Committee members: District 1, Marion Lee

Pierce; District 2, Jerry Pingle; District 3, Georgia Orr; District 4, Deneice Marshall; and District 5, Dorette Smith. My Committee Members and I would like to thank you for this opportunity to serve the Grand Chapter in this meaningful way. The ESTARL Fund started the year with \$2,825. Interest from the Mary C. Kennington Account totaled \$1,250 and the Humanitarian donation specified for the ESTARL Fund totaled \$18,172.27 for a grand total of \$22,247.27. The ESTARL Committee received a total of seventeen completed applications. One applicant had not reached Junior hours and was encouraged to apply for the scholarship after he had accumulated the required number of hours and one applicant in July had not decided the graduate program he wished to attend the fall semester. Fifteen scholarships were granted. Yesterday evening the offertory for the ESTARL program yielded total donations of \$2,346.33. Thank you all. Respectfully submitted, Jacalyn DeLange, ESTARL General Chairman. I move the adoption of this Report.

WGM: Sisters and Brothers, you have heard the Report of the ESTARL Committee. It has been moved and seconded that we accept this Report. All in favor of accepting the Report of the ESTARL Committee will please raise their pink cards. All opposed same sign. Motion carried. (One rap) Thank you very much Sister Jacalyn and your Committee for your hard work. Thank you. (Applause)

I recognize Sister Rita Lytle, Fraternal Correspondent, for the adoption of the Report previously submitted. Sister Rita.

Sister Rita Lytle: Thank you, Worthy Grand Matron. I move the acceptance of the Report of the Fraternal Correspondent.

WGM: Sisters and Brothers, you have heard a motion and a second that we accept the Report of the Fraternal Correspondent. Is there any discussion? All in favor of accepting the Report of the Fraternal Correspondent please raise your pink card. All opposed. Motion carried. (One rap) Thank you, Rita for a beautiful report.

I now recognize Sister Laura Sharp, General Chairman of the Humanitarian Committee, for the adoption of the Report previously submitted. Sister Laura.

Sister Laura Sharp: Thank you, Worthy Grand Matron. The donations reported during the Humanitarian Program had additions as follows: we increased by \$1,054.54 for a total of \$64,552.85. Worthy Grand Matron, I move the adoption of this Report as attached.

WGM: Sisters and Brothers you have heard a motion that we accept the Report of the Humanitarian General Grand Chairman. Is there any discussion? All in favor of accepting the Report of the Humanitarian Committee General Chairman, please raise your pink cards. All opposed. Motion carried. (One rap) Sister Laura and the five District Chairman of your Committee, we thank you for your work that you have done this year. The outstanding and meaningful programs presented at the Schools of Instruction and all of the Chapters that have contributed to the many projects. You presented a great Report and program yesterday and the recognition of the Worthy Matrons and the Worthy Patrons, Jr. Past Matrons and Jr. Past Patrons. We thank you all and I also ask that the Grand Chapter give you an appreciation for this job well done. (Applause)

WGP: Worthy Grand Matron, for the membership, in a couple of minutes you may see the lights kind of flicker a little bit. They're going to make an adjustment so that the Worthy Grand Matron and I can actually see y'all out there. We have two lights right in our eyes so they are going to be adjusting that so if the lights go dim a little bit, don't panic it's just going to be for a second or two.

WGM: I now recognize Sister Marceline Crenshaw, Grand Chaplain, for the adoption of her Report. Sister Marceline.

Sister Marceline Crenshaw: Thank you, Worthy Grand Matron. Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, General Grand Chapter Family, other Distinguished Guests, my

Sisters and Brothers, I am pleased to move the adoption of the Grand Chaplain's Report as presented during the Memorial Program Friday afternoon.

WGM: We have a motion and a second to adopt the Report of the Grand Chaplain. Is there any discussion? All in favor of adopting the Report of the Grand Chaplain please raise your pink cards. All opposed. Motion carried. (One rap) Sister Marceline, I want to thank you for a most beautiful and inspirational program yesterday afternoon. I assure you that your program will never be forgotten. Thank you. (Applause)

Sisters Conductress and Associate Grand Conductress you will present our General Grand Chapter Committee Members that have not been previously introduced at the altar.

GC: Worthy Grand Matron, I have the pleasure of introducing these General Grand Chapter Committee Members; Sister Elsie Paladino, Appeals and Grievances Committee and Brother Bill Rhyan, Registration Committee, General Grand Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star.

WGM: My Sister and Brother, your dedication to Grand Chapter and now to General Grand Chapter is outstanding. We appreciate your work in your assigned duties of the Most Worthy Grand Matron and we are so happy that you were able to be with us this morning. We missed you on Thursday and it is our pleasure to welcome you today. Sisters Conductress and Associate Grand Conductress, you will present them in the Grand East. (Three raps) Sisters and Brothers, it is with a great deal of joy that I present these Committee Members of General Grand Chapter. You will salute them with Grand Honors. (One rap) Sisters Grand Conductress and Associate Grand Conductress, they will remain in the East. (Applause)

I invite my Jurisprudence Chairman, Sister Rosemary Swetland, to come to the microphone so that we may resume our business that we did not get completed yesterday.

Sister Rosemary Swetland: Thank you, Worthy Grand Matron. Good Morning, my Sisters and Brothers. If you will turn in your Advanced Annual Report on page 59 or if you are following along in your Constitution and Code of Laws, it will be on page 183. This is Amendment #9 and the purpose of this Amendment in brief explanation is that this last year a Chapter joined another Section and it was handled by the Worthy Grand Matron with a Special Dispensation and you as the informed membership know that a Special Dispensation from the Worthy Grand Matron is only good for her year. Therefore it left the action to be done again. Now, we have an Amendment to this Amendment, it's very simple. You'll follow right along with me. It's in proper form, we have the three copies and signed and all it adds is that – in fact I'm going to read the Amendment to the Amendment since you don't have it. *"If the motion carries to change to a certain District or Section, the Secretary will send a copy of all correspondence to the Grand Secretary's Office. The Grand Secretary will notify the Worthy Grand Matron and upon her approval the change will become permanent and a notice of this change will be placed in the Bulletin."* The purpose of this entire action is to make any change of a Chapter to another Section permanent and not have to have a Special Dispensation every year. Worthy Grand Matron, we need to vote now on the Amendment to the Amendment.

WGM: I have a motion and a second that we accept the Amendment to the Amendment #9 to our Code of Laws. Is there any discussion? All in favor signify by raising your pink cards. Opposed? Motion carried. (One rap)

Sister Rosemary Swetland: Thank you, Worthy Grand Matron, now we need to vote on the Amendment as Amended please.

WGM: I have a motion that we accept the Amended Amendment #9 to the Code of Laws. Is there any discussion? All in favor raise your pink cards. Opposed? Motion carried. (One rap)

Sister Rosemary Swetland: Thank you, Worthy Grand Matron. Do you wish to continue?

WGM: Sister Rosemary, it is now 9:30 and I'm going to ask for my Credentials Report

so we might start this election timely. Brother Thomas Winger of Beaumont Chapter, I believe we have your Credentials in the East. The Worthy Grand Patron said he wanted two forms of identification and three personal references. (Laughter).

WGP: Worthy Grand Matron, if I've got his credentials, he can't get inside. Okay, he's right here, he got inside....(Laughter)

WGM: Is Linda Roy in the Grand Chapter Room? Also I need the Registration Chairman, Sister Barbara Randall. Do we have any personal pages closest to the doors that might go and ask for these two Chairmen to report to the Grand Chapter room, please? Might we have a song from our Grand Choir? We have not heard our Grand Choir enough this Grand Chapter Session and what we've heard we have thoroughly enjoyed and we would love to have a number from you. Thank you.

[Grand Choir]

WGP: Thank you, Grand Choir. We are still waiting on our Credential and Registration Reports. While we are waiting and the Worthy Grand Matron has stepped off for a second, in order to keep things going I'm going to start appointing at least the table judges. This year to save time, we have preselected, and I believe they know who they are. Table one – she didn't tell me which one table one was so I'm going to make an executive decision – on my left, y'all's right – Table one: Sister Joyce Gilbert and Sister Alma Carter. Y'all will make your way to your table. Table two: Sister Bess Caldwell and Betty Benham. Table three: Elise Hammack and Nancy Brown. Table four: Jane Gregory and Nelson Campbell. Table five, which is behind Esther's station; Effie Mae Davis and Jerry Trees. We are still having sound problems on the stage so I'm going to turn around and repeat that to them. While we are waiting, I'm going to need some help with our two Secretaries up here to keep us on track, Sister Joyce Gilbert is going to bring the Report of Grievance and Appeals.

Sister Joyce Gilbert: Thank you, Worthy Grand Patron. I would like first to introduce those who served on this Committee with me: Mrs. Doris Hester, Past Grand Matron and Mrs. Joyce Nicklas, Past Grand Matron. It is with pleasure that I give the Grievance and Appeals Report of 2010 – 2011. Sisters and Brothers I am very happy to report that no issues were brought before this Committee on this year. Worthy Grand Patron, I move the adoption of this Report.

WGP: It has been moved and seconded that we adopt the Report of the Grievance and Appeals Committee. Any discussion? Seeing none, all those in favor please raise your pink cards. Those opposed. Motion carries. (One rap) Thank you, ladies. I have been asked to reclarify the tables one, two, three, four, five. (WGP pointing from his left to right) Excuse me a second and I'll update the Worthy Grand Matron on where we are at.

WGM: Credentials and Registration are rapidly compiling their numbers so we'll go ahead and fill the tables with the tellers. On table one which is the table that Joyce Gilbert is at, would these six members serve as tellers at table one: Marion Pierce, Sandra Power, Betty Morris, Dorothy High, Martha Isabell, Sybil Yost. Table two: Sandy Alford, Lola Norton, Carol Melton, Shirley Scholl, Margie Curry, Faye Murphy, Audra Rowell. Table three: Jettie Ferren, Mary Nell Ramsey, Georgia Orr, Norma Blalack, Anna Huckaby, Loretta Booth. Table four: Glenda Klemm, Sharon London, Patsy Duke, May Bruce, Charlene Steinmetz, Debby Pruitt; and table five: Kay Searson, Susan Martin, Charles Whitfield, Art Alvarez, Sarah White, Linda Carter. Is Margie Curry in the room?

WGP: We're putting six at each table Sister Betty, so you have five? So you need one more member and table one needs one.

WGM: Is Thelma Powell in the room? Come to the table where Bess and Betty are

please. Over here on the South.

WGM: Susan Martin, go to table one. We moved her. I would like for each of the two table judges to verify that you have six tellers at your tables. We are all okay. I recognize Sister Linda Roy, Chairman of Credentials Committee, for her final Report.

Sister Linda Roy: Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, first of all I want to thank John Elkinton, Pete Araiza, Dwight Von Heeder, and Sam Cooper for all the help in getting us set up and arranged. Thank you, Jack Beall and Frank Randall for always moving tables and chairs as needed. Mark Dieckmann for being sure we had what we needed and always a phone call away. Thank you, Barbara Randle, Registration Committee Chairman, for all the help, phone calls and our working together to make this job much easier. The Registration and Credentials Committee worked together, laughed together and pulled together to have a very challenging and successful time. Thank you, Charlotte Beall, Grand Secretary's Office, for the many phone calls when needed and the hard work. Most of all, we, the Committee, would like to thank the membership for your patience, your kindness and your support. We appreciate your smiles and hugs. Most of all, I want to thank the Credential Committee who went without lunch, without breaks and did very little shopping. They were courteous and friendly and went that extra mile to do all they could to help the membership. I want to thank all the Districts that served on the Committee: District 1, Charlotte Beall and Becky Austin; District 2, Mary Bond, Leah Hayes, Delores Harris; District 3, Patsy Hewlett, Mary Jo Jaska, Margaret Wood; District 4, Joan Groth, Carolyn Black; and District 5, Nell Drenner. The total number of Chapter in Texas is 379. The number of Chapters required for a quorum is 66. The number of Chapters represented is 292. Number of votes – Number of 1 votes 1,117, Number 2 votes are 272 X 2 which would give you 544, Number 3 votes was 80 X 3 which gives you 240. The ballots issued were 1,469 – Grand total of votes came to 1,901. Respectfully submitted, Linda Roy, Credentials Chairman. Worthy Grand Matron, I move the adoption of this Report.

WGM: Do we have a second? Sisters and Brothers, we have a motion and a second that we accept the Report of the Credentials Committee. Is there any discussion? All in favor of accepting the Report of the Credentials Committee please raise your pink cards. All opposed. Motion carried. (One rap) Thank you Sister Linda for an excellent job. I knew that when you accepted this position that it would be performed with efficiency and perfection of which you do every time you perform any duty assigned to you. Thank you and your Committee for this splendid Report. (Applause) I'm pleased to recognize a Committee who has labored diligently for months to properly register those in attendance at this Grand Chapter Session. They have given their time, their energies, and stamina to serve this wonderful membership. Would you the Registration Committee, please come forward. I recognize Sister Barbara Randle, Registration Committee for her Report.

Sister Barbara Randle: Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, on behalf of the Registration Committee, I would like to thank you for the opportunity of serving our Grand Chapter this year. We hope that our endeavors have been pleasing to the membership. We had a total pre-registration of 1,744, total registered at Grand Chapter 175, for a total of 1,919. Our Out of State pre-registration 138, our Out of State registered at Grand Chapter 34, for a total of 172. The total of registered Other Grand Jurisdictions 29, we had a total registered from the TMRC as 4. Our total registration is 2,191 and our total registration fee collected was \$20,870. At this time, I would like to introduce those that assisted us this year, and who did a fantastic, outstanding and challenging job: District 1, Tava Smith; District 2, Peggy Ledinski; District 3, Patricia Hart, Neva Corbin and Nancy Jo Estill; District 4, C. J. "Johnnie" McKinney, Anita Matthews, Frank W. Randall; and District 5, Gail Fuller. I want to thank Linda Roy for being my partner in crime and especially all that served on this

Committee and a great big thank you for the Grand Secretary's Office for all their support and patience. Respectfully submitted, Barbara J. Randle, Registration Chairman. Worthy Grand Matron, I move the adoption of this Report.

WGP: Second.

WGM: I have a motion and a second to adopt the Report of the Registration Committee. Is there any discussion? All in favor of adopting the Report of the Registration Committee please raise your pink cards. All opposed. Report adopted. (One rap) Thank you, Sister Barbara and all of your Committee for an excellent job. You and your committee have worked many hours in registering all of our members and visitors. I knew when I selected each of you that I would have a team that worked well together and would perform their duties with efficiency and perfection. I was not disappointed and I again thank you and your Committee for a beautiful Report. (Applause)

We must make intelligent choices. The Sister elected to Associate Grand Conductress today will be your Worthy Grand Matron in three years, and the members elected to the Board of Directors serve five years. The Board of Grand Examiners may serve as many terms as they are elected. Again, I covet your cooperation and participation.

Sisters and Brothers, we want to be kind and courteous to each one whose name is placed in nomination for any office. I believe quite a few of those who will be nominated have come to the Grand East. If there are others that have not, come along with the person who will nominate you to the Grand East now. The candidates drew earlier for their order of nomination. As each candidate is nominated, the name is already placed on the ballot.

I am pleased to appoint those who will be operating the computers that will be scanning your electronic votes: Brother Paul Garner, Brother Jack Friend and Sister Debra Miller. Sisters and Brothers, with such experienced professional operators, we hope to expeditiously handle the returns.

It is now my pleasure to present Brother H. Lee Stallings, who will give his instructions and will proceed with the election. To all who allowed their names to be submitted for places of service to our Order, I want you to know how much we appreciated your willingness to serve this Grand Chapter. Dear Ones, please know that you have already won, because you have had the opportunity to get to know our wonderful members. Our very best to each of you. We wish it were only possible that all of you could win today, but we know that's not the case. Our love and best wishes though go to each and every one of you.

WGP: Sisters and Brothers, may I have your attention please? And we are having to add more chairs up here for our candidates and we are having to run back to the hotel to get the instructions that are to be read for the balloting machine process. However, we don't need those instructions for the first five or so offices. So we are going to go ahead and proceed so we can stay on time and before we get to the Associate Grand Conductress, we will take a break and read you the instructions that go with the scanned ballots. Is that okay with y'all so we can proceed? (Yes!) We are all good with that. Worthy Grand Matron.

WGM: Worthy Grand Patron. Worthy Grand Patron, do we have voting delegates in the First Aid Room? All of our Credential and Registration people, I believe they came in for their Report and they have remained. But do we have a non-voting delegate that would volunteer to go to the First Aid Room so that this would allow those in the First Aid Room to come in and cast their ballot. (Someone in the audience yelled "Here") I cannot see the faces of anyone but it would be helpful if the person had some knowledge of nursing, a little bit..(laughter) Could at least administer an aspirin. (Laughter)

WGP: We have a couple of volunteers and we do appreciate you doing this for us.

WGM: I do appreciate this. Sister Grand Warder.

WGW: Worthy Grand Matron.

WGM: You will inform the Grand Sentinel that we are about to begin the Election of Officers. Please invite all those outside except the Assistant Grand Sentinels to enter the Chapter Room if they want to participate in the election. You will inform the Grand Sentinel that no one may enter the Grand Chapter Room after the doors are closed.

WGW: Assisting Warders, please advise those outside they must enter the Chapter Room now if they plan to vote. Secure that door please. Brother Grand Sentinel we are about to proceed with voting. You will advise those outside they cannot enter the Chapter Room and secure the doors during the voting. Worthy Grand Matron, your order has been obeyed. Is the door secure please? Close the upper door please and keep it closed. Ann? Sister Ann? Okay, thank you.

GS: Worthy Grand Matron, may I say a word?

WGM: Yes

GS: To all of those concerned in the Grand Chapter Room, this door is closed. It only looks like it's open. Thank you.

WGM: Thank you very much, Brother Grand Sentinel. Worthy Grand Patron, I invite you to preside.

WGP: Nominations are now open for the office of Worthy Grand Matron of this Grand Chapter for the ensuing year. I recognize Sister Mary Ruth White.

WGM: Worthy Grand Patron, I am Mary Ruth White, Past Matron of Houston Ransford Chapter #135 and I would like to place in nomination the name of Sister Vi Griffin, a Past Matron of Anahuac Chapter #649, for the office of Worthy Grand Matron for the ensuing year.

WGP: Sister Vi Griffin has been nominated for the office of Worthy Grand Matron. Are there other nominations? Hearing none, we will proceed to elect by acclamation. All in favor of Sister Vi Griffin for the office of Worthy Grand Matron for the ensuing year say AYE. (Aye) Those opposed? (Silence) Sister Vi Griffin, you have been elected for Worthy Grand Matron of this Grand Chapter for the ensuing year. Do you accept?

Sister Vi Griffin: Worthy Grand Patron, I am grateful to this membership for the opportunity to serve and I do accept. (Applause and cheers)

WGP: Worthy Grand Matron, I return the gavel to you.

WGM: Nominations are now open for the office of Worthy Grand Patron of this Grand Chapter for the ensuing year. I recognize Brother K. Arthur Drescher, Jr.

WGP: Worthy Grand Matron, I am K. Arthur Drescher, Jr., Past Patron of Dal-Cliff Chapter #574 and Lewisville Chapter #935, and I would like to place the name of Brother David Dibrell, a Past Patron of Dal-Cliff Chapter #574 and Richardson Chapter #921, for the office of Worthy Grand Patron for the ensuing year.

WGM: Brother David Dibrell has been nominated for the office of Worthy Grand Patron. Are there other nominations? Hearing none, we will proceed to elect by acclamation. All in favor of Brother David Dibrell for the office of Worthy Grand Patron for the ensuing year say AYE. (Aye) Those opposed, No. (Silence) Brother David, you have been elected Worthy Grand Patron of this Grand Chapter for the ensuing year. Do you accept?

Brother David Dibrell: Worthy Grand Matron, with a happy and proud heart, I do accept. Thank you. (Applause)

WGM: Nominations are now open for the office of the Associate Grand Matron of this Grand Chapter for the ensuing year. I recognize Sister Vi Griffin.

Sister Vi Griffin: Worthy Grand Matron, I am Vi Griffin, Past Matron of Anahuac Chapter #649. It is my honor and privilege to nominate for the office of Associate Grand Matron, Sister Annette Curry, a Past Matron of North Fort Worth Chapter #684.

WGM: Sister Annette Curry has been nominated for the office of Associate Grand

Matron. Are there other nominations? Hearing none we will proceed to elect by acclamation. All in favor of Sister Annette Curry for the office of Associate Grand Matron for the ensuing year say AYE. (Aye) Those opposed, No. (Silence) Sister Annette Curry, you have been elected Associate Grand Matron of this Grand Chapter for the ensuing year. Do you accept?

Sister Annette Curry: Worthy Grand Matron, I thank this membership for this wonderful opportunity and I pledge my very best. Thanks to this membership. (Applause)

WGM: Nominations are now open for the office of Associate Grand Patron of this Grand Chapter for the ensuing year. I recognize Sister Barbara Martin.

Sister Barbara Martin: Worthy Grand Matron, I am Barbara Martin, Worthy Matron of Polytechnic Chapter #420. It gives me great pleasure to place the name of William A. "Bill" Crews, a Past Patron of Polytechnic Chapter #420, for the office of Associate Grand Patron for this Grand Chapter for the ensuing year.

WGM: Brother Bill Crews has been nominated for the office of Associate Grand Patron. Are there any other nominations? Hearing none, we will proceed to elect by acclamation. All in favor of Brother Bill Crews for the office of Associate Grand Patron for the ensuing year say YES. (Yes) Those opposed, No. (Silence) Brother Bill Crews, you have been elected Associate Grand Patron of this Grand Chapter for the ensuing year. Do you accept?

Brother Bill Crews: Worthy Grand Matron, with a very humble heart I do accept. (Applause)

WGM: Nominations are now open for the office of Grand Secretary of this Grand Chapter for the ensuing year. I recognize the Sister in the East.

Sister Esther O'Neal: I am Esther O'Neal, Worthy Matron of Ferris Chapter #508 and I place in nomination the name of Marlene Scholari for the office of Grand Secretary for the ensuing year.

WGM: Sister Marlene F. Scholari has been nominated for the office of Grand Secretary. Are there other nominations? Hearing none, we will proceed to elect by acclamation. All in favor of Sister Marlene Scholari for the office of Grand Secretary for the ensuing year say Yes. (Yes) Those opposed? Sister Marlene you have been elected Grand Secretary of this Grand Chapter for the ensuing year. Do you accept?

Sister Marlene Scholari: Worthy Grand Matron, I do with a humble heart and I'd like to thank the membership for their vote of confidence. (Applause)

WGM: Nominations are now open for the office of Grand Treasurer of this Grand Chapter for the ensuing year. I recognize the Sister in the East.

Sister Joyce Whiteside: Worthy Grand Matron, I am Joyce Whiteside, Worthy Matron of Canyon Lake Chapter #1103. It is my pleasure to place in nomination the name of Lorrie Owens, Worthy Matron and Past Matron of the Colony Chapter #1136 and a dual member of Canyon Lake Chapter #1103 for the office of Grand Treasurer of this Grand Chapter for the ensuing year.

WGM: Sister Lorrie Owens has been nominated for the office of Grand Treasurer. Are there other nominations? Hearing none, we will proceed to elect by acclamation. All in favor of Sister Lorrie Owens for the office of Grand Treasurer for the ensuing year say Yes. (Yes) Sister Lorrie Owens, you have been elected Grand Treasurer of this Grand Chapter for the ensuing year. Do you accept?

Sister Lorrie Owens: Thank you sweet membership for your confidence and support in allowing me to serve again this coming year. I do accept. (Applause)

WGM: Nominations are now open for the office of Grand Conductress of this Grand Chapter for the ensuing year.

Sister Annette Curry: Worthy Grand Matron I am Annette Curry, Past Matron of North Fort Worth Chapter #684. I place in nomination Jayne Yenger, a Past Matron of Vashti

Chapter #32 for the office of Grand Conductress for the ensuing year.

WGM: Sister Jayne Yenger has been nominated for the office of Grand Conductress. Are there other nominations? Hearing none, we will proceed to elect by acclamation. All in favor of Sister Jayne Yenger for the office of Grand Conductress for the ensuing year say Yes. (Yes) Sister Jayne Yenger, you have been elected Grand Conductress of this Grand Chapter for the ensuing year. Do you accept?

Sister Jayne Yenger: Worthy Grand Matron, it is with a grateful heart to the membership of this Grand Chapter that I do accept the nomination. Thank you. (Applause)

WGP: Brother Lee Stallings, will you come up and give us some directions on our new voting tabulations and everything.

WGM: It's my pleasure to present Brother H. Lee Stallings who will give us instructions before proceeding in the further elections.

Brother Lee Stallings: Thank you, Worthy Grand Matron. I apologize for the confusion around the election instructions but the good thing is that we have them and we're ready to go. So bear with me and I'll move through them as quickly as I can. Sisters and Brothers, our Code of Laws contain specific instructions concerning our elections. I'm going to briefly cover those instructions with you now. When making nominations, only the name of the candidate, candidate's name, number and location of the chapter to which their candidate belongs and the office for which they are nominated should be given. No member of this Grand Chapter should be nominated for more than one office at any one Session of Grand Chapter. If only one candidate is nominated, the election may be by acclamation which is a voice vote. If two or more candidates are nominated, the election may be by ballot upon the official forms provided to voting delegates during registration. A majority of all votes cast shall be necessary for a choice. If on any ballot no candidate has received a majority of the votes, the candidate receiving the lowest number of votes shall be dropped. In case there is a tie, for the lowest number of votes and there are at least two candidates receiving a higher number of votes, then all candidates tied for the lowest number of votes shall be dropped. Subject to these regulations, the election shall proceed until some candidate receives a majority of all votes cast. The result of all votes shall be declared by the Presiding Officer, which is our Worthy Grand Matron. There are some additional instructions that I need to share with you. The Assisting Grand Warders and Assisting Grand Sentinels have been instructed, according to our Law that no one is allowed to enter or leave our Grand Chapter Room while the ballot is being taken, unless it is deemed an emergency. Please be cooperative and understand that in this regard and know that if you are caught outside during the ballot and you are denied admission to the Grand Chapter Room, our people are only faithfully performing the duty for which they have been assigned. Do not leave your seat without all your credentials. This includes your signed envelope with your ballots, your badge and your current dues cards. You will need these to re-enter the Chapter Room. I would like to remind the Pages that all voting must be deposited inside the Chapter Room. Members caught out of the Grand Chapter Room after the ballot has been declared open will not be allowed to re-enter until the ballot is closed. The Assistant Grand Sentinels may step inside the room to cast their ballots. The ballot box must not leave the Grand Chapter Room. The Assistant Sentinels will be allowed to step inside the door where they are stationed. The Assisting Grand Warders in each case will open the door and when the Page has approached, the Assisting Grand Sentinel will be allowed to step inside, deposit the ballot in the teller boxes and return to their station outside the door. Sisters and Brothers, there are some exceptions to this. These are the Registration and Credentials Committees which are hard working Committees of the Grand Chapter that have given their Report but are still working outside. They will be allowed to enter the Chapter Room through the upper doors in the Southwest to cast their ballot. The

door will be opened by the Assisting Grand Warder, the Page will approach the door, always remaining inside the Chapter Room and only the members of the Registration and Credentials Committees will be allowed to step inside the door, deposit their ballots into the teller boxes, then step back outside the Grand Chapter Room. The Assisting Grand Warders and Assisting Grand Sentinels will ensure that no one else is allowed to enter or leave the Chapter Room while the ballot is open. When you received your registration, you were given an envelope which contains five ballots inside. There is a ballot A, B and C – which are candidate ballots and they have the candidates name listed on it. There are ballots D and E which are for and against ballots which will be used for other votes if required. Your vote is important to you, to your Chapter, and to the candidates and to our Order. Do not mark any ballot until you are instructed to do so by the Worthy Grand Matron. She will announce the number of the ballot to be marked and will declare the ballot open. Then mark your ballot. Remember to use the pencil that was passed out to you. To vote you must clearly and carefully blacken the rectangle to the left of the candidate's name of your choice. To write in a name, blacken the rectangle to the left and write the name of your choice in the space provided for that purpose. When voting for candidates, please vote for only one person for each position. If you vote for two candidates in that same position, your vote will be void. When the Worthy Grand Matron declares the ballot open, the Pages will pick up their ballot boxes on the Grand Chapter floor and proceed to pick up the ballots in their respective areas. Since the rows and seats are narrow, which will prevent the Pages from walking between the rows and seats our Worthy Grand Matron has agreed that the ballot boxes may be passed down the aisles. The Pages are required to watch carefully as the ballot boxes are passed. Sisters and Brothers, we trust you, we know that you want a fair and accurate election. We will release the ballot box and as it is passed down the row, simply place your ballot face down in the ballot box. Do not fold your ballots. Also our scanner does not like candy, gum, moisture, or dirt on their ballots. Your cooperation in speeding the scanning process would be appreciated. We would ask that the Pages be the only ones in the aisles during the collection of ballots as we will not open the doors until the Pages have returned to the Grand Chapter floor and dropped the ballots on the Teller tables. When the ballot has been closed by the Worthy Grand Matron, the Pages will place the contents of the ballots in front of the Tellers. There will be five tables that have been placed on the Grand Chapter floor. The Worthy Grand Matron will direct the Pages to which table the ballots will be dropped. Let me repeat - No one can cast more than one ballot. Each ballot is to be placed face down in the ballot box for security. No one can leave the room and ask another to deposit their ballot in the box. After the Presiding Officer declares the ballot open and nominations completed, then the Pages will begin to collect the ballots in the section they are assigned. When all ballots have been collected, they will proceed to the Teller table and place the ballots in front of the Tellers. The table judges, which the Worthy Grand Matron will name, will observe the processing of the ballots. The scanning system will be used to tabulate the ballots. In case a ballot is rejected, we will review that ballot and attempt to determine the intent of the voter. As an example, Sisters and Brothers, someone may mark a ballot for one candidate and then change their mind to vote for another candidate and try to erase the first mark. Please be aware that some of the pencils do not have erasers. But our Pages are going to have pencils with erasers if you need one. They might not erase the vote that you first intended enough for the machine to read, but if it is obvious to the person that the ballot is intended for one candidate, then it will be considered a valid ballot. If there is a blank line for a write in, blacken the box to the left, also the machine will not pick up a name but it will pick up the marked box, we can read the ballot and the write in name. If the machine kicks out the ballot, it will be hand counted. Do not mark more than one box for each position. If one more than one box is marked for each

position, your ballot will be void. The Worthy Grand Matron does not desire that you be separated by voting delegates and non-voting delegates, but in order to expedite this we would like for those voting delegates to be, uh, the voting delegates that are seated in the higher areas to move to a lower section. Only three people will be allowed in the area where the ballots are scanned and tabulated. This area is located in the Northeast and these three people are: Brothers Paul Garner, Jack Friend and Sister Debra Miller who will operate the scanning and computer used to tabulate the results. If you have any questions or concerns while the scanning and tabulations process is being accomplished, the Worthy Grand Matron is going to appoint a Past Grand Matron to be seated in the area. If you have any questions or concerns, please go to this Past Grand Matron. Remember you may only vote one time with your ballot which you were given in your individual registration packet is *your* ballot. It should always be in your possession and no one is allowed to vote twice. Worthy Grand Matron, I think you may have already appointed the Tellers. I'll turn it back over to you.

WGM: Thank you, Brother Lee for those splendid instructions. I have been informed that there are members outside the door that wish to come in so that they might cast their ballot. Sister Grand Warder, you will inform the Grand Sentinel to allow the doors to be opened for just the people who are standing there and then closed. It probably won't take more than two or three minutes.

WGW: (with raps) Brother Grand Sentinel, you will open the doors long enough to let those who are outside to enter the Chapter Room for voting.

WGM: Is Sister Pat Turner in the Grand Chapter Room? (Yes) Pat, we just wanted to make sure that you were here. The box lunches are being prepared. We have tried to get the word around to as many people as possible that the box lunches will be available to be picked up when we have cast our first ballot. When we announce the results of a ballot, I will wait approximately 10 – 15 minutes giving notification to those who are given ample time, and hopefully notification to those who may be in the restrooms or in the vendor areas that we will be taking another ballot after 10 – 15 minutes. I plan to take no ballots immediately after the announcement of the result of a previous ballot. If you want to go pick up your lunch and bring it here so that you don't have to leave again, as soon as we've cast this ballot and I've declared it closed, you may go and do so. There were quite a few lunches that were not picked up the other day, I don't know if it was because of the importance of the business we were transacting and you didn't want to leave, but you can give your ticket to someone and one person can pick up, with tickets, multiple box lunches. So, I do not want y'all to be sick when we get ready to go to Sister Vi's installation tonight, so I do want y'all to get a bite to eat. Sister Grand Warder, does it appear that, ask the Grand Sentinel does it appear that those wishing to enter have entered?

WGW: Brother Grand Sentinel, has everyone entered the Chapter Room?

WGS: Sister Grand Warder the doors are secure.

WGM: Sister Grand Warder, inform me when the doors are secure.

WGW: Worthy Grand Matron, the doors are secure.

WGM: Thank you. Nominations are now in order for the office of Associate Grand Conductress of this Grand Chapter for the ensuing year. We have had a drawing on the nominations, would the person nominating Sister Christine Armstrong, please come forward.

Brother H. Lee Stallings: Thank you, Worthy Grand Matron. I'm Lee Stallings a Past Patron of Friendswood Chapter #1131 and I'm pleased to place in nomination the name of Christine Armstrong, a Past Matron of Alvin Chapter #15 and Friendswood Chapter #1131, for the office of Associate Grand Conductress of this Grand Chapter for the ensuing year.

WGM: Are there other nominations? I recognize the Sister in the East.

Sister Leah Hayes: Thank you, Worthy Grand Matron. I am Leah Hayes, an Affiliated

Past Matron of Lubbock Chapter #76. It is my pleasure and honor to place in nomination the name of Cindy Echols, Past and Present Worthy Grand Matron, uh, Worthy Matron of Lubbock Chapter #76 for the office of Associate Grand Conductress of this Grand Chapter for the ensuing year.

WGM: Are there other nominations? I recognize the Sister in the East.

Sister Liz Timmons: Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, my name is Liz Timmons, Worthy Matron of Crescent Chapter #820. It is my pleasure to place in nomination the name of Cheryl Albrecht, a Past Matron of Crescent Chapter #820, for the office of Associate Grand Conductress for the ensuing year.

WGM: Are there other nominations?

Brother Harry F. Jamison: Worthy Grand Matron, I'm Harry F. Jamison, Worthy Patron of Schertz Chapter #911. It is my honor to place in nomination for Associate Grand Conductress, Jerre Lucas, a Past Matron of Schertz Chapter #911.

WGM: Are there other nominations? Hearing none, we will proceed to elect by ballot. Sisters and Brothers I would like to introduce to you in the Order of their nomination Sister Christine Armstrong, Sister Cindy Echols, Cheryl Albrecht and Jerre Lucas. Thank you, Sisters. Sisters and Brothers, we will use ballot A. Mark your ballots very clearly as instructed by Brother Lee Stallings and vote for only one candidate. While you are marking your ballots, I would ask you the courtesy of turning off your pagers or cell phones so that we wouldn't have that distraction. Put them on vibrate because I do not want you to miss any emergency calls that might come in and if you are a person that requires that your phone be left on for medical reasons or security reasons, that will be perfectly acceptable. Thank you. Sisters Deputy Grand Matrons, this ballot is closed and would the Deputy Grand Matrons please collect the ballots.

WGP: Deputy Grand Matrons, please sit back down. (Laughter)

WGM: I'm corrected! We don't have an abundance of ballots. We're going to go on and use this ballot for four elections. Nominations are now open for the Board of Directors for District 1. I recognize the Sister in the East.

Sister Elizabeth Grayson: Worthy Grand Matron, I'm Elizabeth Grayson, Worthy Matron of John L. DeGrazier Chapter #881. I wish to place in nomination the name of Mike Biddler, a Past Patron of Edwin J. Kiest #959 and John L. DeGrazier #881, for the office of Board of Directors, District 1 for the ensuing year.

WGM: Are there other nominations?

Sister Sharon Beauchamp: Worthy Grand Matron, I'm Sharon Beauchamp, Beckville Chapter #273, and it's my pleasure to place in nomination the name of Sister Becky Austin, a Past Matron of Beckville Chapter #273, for the office of Board of Directors, District 1.

WGM: Are there other nominations? Hearing none we will proceed to elect by ballot. Sisters and Brothers, I would like to introduce to you in the order of their nomination: Brother Mike Biddler and Sister Becky Austin. Sisters and Brothers, you will use ballot number A. Nominations are now open for the office of Board of Directors for District 5. I recognize the Brother in the East.

Brother Terry Littlepage: Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, I am Terry Littlepage, Worthy Patron of Texas #35. It is my pleasure to nominate Patty Littlepage Strey, Past Matron of Texas #35, for Board of Directors, District 5. Thank you.

WGM: Are there other nominations? Sisters and Brothers I would like to introduce to you in the order of their nomination....

People in the East: Wait, wait, wait, wait....

WGM: Oh, I told you I was going to get through this morning rapidly. (Laughter)

Sister Joyce Whiteside: Worthy Grand Matron, I am Joyce Whiteside, Worthy Matron

of Canyon Lake #1103. It is my pleasure to place in nomination the name of David Ouellette, Past Patron of Canyon Lake Chapter #1103 and New Braunfels Chapter #771, for the Board of Directors of District 5 for the ensuing year.

WGM: David, I beg your pardon. Are there other nominations? Sisters and Brothers, I'd like to introduce and invite them to join us in the order of their nomination: Sister Patty Littlepage Strey and Brother David Ouellette. You will vote for these candidates on Ballot A. Thank you.

Nominations are now open for the Board of Grand Examiners District 3.

Sister Cherie Knowle: Worthy Grand Matron, my name is Cherie Knowle. I am the Past Matron of Wedgewood Chapter #756. It is my pleasure to place the name of Sissy Furrie, a Past Matron of Haltom City #982 and a Past and Current Worthy Matron of Wedgewood Chapter #756, in nomination for the office of Board of Examiners, District 3 for the ensuing year.

WGM: Are there other nominations?

Sister Norma Runyon: Worthy Grand Matron, I am Norma Runyon, Worthy Matron of North Ft. Worth Chapter #684, and I wish to place in nomination Donna Pope, a Past Matron of North Ft. Worth Chapter #684, for the office of Grand Examiner of District 3 for the ensuing Grand Chapter year.

WGM: Are there other nominations? Hearing none, I declare the nominations closed for the Board of Grand Examiners District 3 and we will proceed to elect by ballot. Sisters and Brothers, I would like to introduce to you in the order of their nomination: Sisters Sissy Furrie and Donna Hill Pope. You will make your selection on Ballot A. In order to make this election more expedient, I'm going to, at this time, elect those who are unopposed for the positions of Grand Examiner. I invite District 1, 2, 4, 5 and At-Large. I recognize the member in East.

Sister Jimmie Rayburn: Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, my name is Jimmie Rayburn, Worthy Matron of Loyal Chapter #648, it is my honor to place in nomination the name of Melissa Hudman, a Past Matron of Loyal Chapter #648, for the office of Grand Examiners of District 1 for the ensuing year.

WGM: District 2.

Sister Wanelle Mikeworth: Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, I am Wanelle Mikeworth, a Past Matron of Midland Chapter #253, and I wish to place in nomination the name of Carla Stringer for Board of Grand Examiners, District 2.

Sister Betty Fogerty: Worthy Grand Matron, I am Betty Fogerty, Past Matron of Cypress Chapter #1102, and I would like to place in nomination the name of Sharon Mosmeyer, Past Matron and Present Worthy Matron of Cypress Chapter #1102, for the Board of Grand Examiners, District 4 for the ensuing year.

WGM: I recognize the member in the East.

Sister Kitty Welch Thompson: Worthy Grand Matron, I'm Kitty Welch Thompson, Worthy Matron of New Braunfels Chapter #771. It is my honor to place in nomination the name of Sandra Zipp, Past Matron of New Braunfels Chapter #771, for the office of Board of Grand Examiners, District 5 for the ensuing year.

WGM: I recognize the member in the East.

Sister Judy Chitty: Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, I am Judy Chitty, Wills Point Chapter #366, and it gives me great pleasure to place the name of Susan Bigham, Past Matron, for the office of Grand Examiner at Large.

WGM: I invite these Grand Examiners to come to the podium in the order that they were nominated. It is my pleasure to introduce Sister Melissa Hudman who has been nominated for Board of Examiners for District 1 for the ensuing year. Do I hear other nominations?

Hearing none, I declare the nominations closed and we will proceed to elect by acclamation Sister Melissa Hudman for Grand Examiner for District 1. All in favor say Yes (Yes). Opposed no. (Silence) Sister Melissa you have been elected do you accept?

Sister Melissa Hudman: Yes, Worthy Grand Matron and it is my honor to get to serve this wonderful membership one more year. Thank you. (Applause)

WGM: Sister Carla Stringer has been nominated for the office of Grand Examiner of District 2 for the ensuing year. Do I hear other nominations? Hearing none we will proceed to elect by acclamation Sister Carla Stringer for the office of Grand Examiner of District 2 for the ensuing year. All in favor say Yes. (Yes) Opposed, no. (Silence) Sister Carla you have been elected, do you accept?

Sister Carla Stringer: Worthy Grand Matron, with much love and gratitude to this wonderful membership I do accept. (Applause)

WGM: Sister Sharon Mosmeyer has been nominated for the office of Grand Examiner of District 4 for the ensuing year. Do I hear nominations? Hearing none, we will proceed to elect by acclamation Sister Sharon Mosmeyer for the office of Grand Examiner for District 4 for the ensuing year. All in favor say Yes. (Yes) All opposed, no. (Silence) Sister Sharon, you have been elected for the ensuing year. Do you accept?

Sister Sharon Mosmeyer: Thank you, Worthy Grand Matron and I thank the membership with a humble heart and a promise to do my best, I do accept. (Applause)

WGM: Sister Saundra Zipp has been nominated for the office of Board of Grand Examiner of District 5 for the ensuing year. Do I hear further nominations? Hearing none, we will proceed to elect by acclamation Sister Saundra Zipp for the office of Grand Examiner of District 5 for the ensuing year. All in favor say Yes. (Yes) Opposed, no. (Silence) Sister Saundra you have been elected for the ensuing year, do you accept?

Sister Saundra Zipp: Worthy Grand Matron, I very happily accept and I want to thank this wonderful membership for giving me the opportunity to serve this Grand Chapter for the ensuing year. (Applause)

WGM: Sister Susan Bigham has been nominated for the office of Grand Examiner at Large for the ensuing year. Do I hear other nominations? Hearing none, we will proceed to elect by acclamation Sister Susan Bigham for the office of Grand Examiner at Large for the ensuing year. All in favor say Yes. (Yes). Opposed, no. Sister Susan you have been elected, do you accept?

Sister Susan Bigham: With a humble heart, I do. Thank you, Sisters and Brothers for giving me an opportunity to serve you for another year. (Applause)

WGM: I do congratulate these fine ladies who have offered their services for another year to this Grand Chapter. They were unopposed so there was no need for them to be on this ballot but we did want to make their election very legal for them for this year and I do thank you very much. Thank you. You can return to your seats. (Applause) Sisters and Brothers, I am sure by this time, you have completed your Ballot A. Ballot A is the only ballot that will be read. Be careful that you have used the correct ballot. Sisters Deputy Grand Matrons you will collect the ballots. The ballot is closed. Well, I have closed the ballot and you cannot leave until we get these ballots collected. If anyone opens the door and goes out, your ballot has not been collected, you have lost your ballot. Please stay with me until these ballots have been collected.

WGW: Assisting Warders will you please allow the Assisting Sentinel only to cast their ballot. Worthy Grand Matron, may the membership leave the doors now? Worthy Grand Matron, do you want anyone to leave the room?

WGM: I can't understand what you are saying.

WGW: Do you want any members to leave the room at this time?

WGM: NO!

WGW: Do not allow anyone out the door please. Close the door. Thank you. Keep the door closed a few more minutes.

WGM: As soon as we see that the ballots have been collected, I will announce from the Grand East that if you wish to retire from the Grand Chapter Room with your credentials in hand, you may do so. But please stay with me until these ballots are collected. Sister Grand Warder.

WGW: Worthy Grand Matron.

WGM: Would one Deputy Grand Matron remain at each door because after all of the ballots are collected, I would like those doors opened for just a moment to allow those Assisting Grand Sentinels outside the door to cast their ballots. Don't open those doors please! I'm seeing that happening again! What's happening over here in the North? Emergency? Okay. Would the Deputies in the South bring your collected ballots to table one and two? They are the ones in front of the Grand Conductress's station. Would those in the West bring your ballots to table number three that are just behind Queen Esther's station? Those on the North....that's five okay, take them to table five which is behind Queen Esther's station. All others bring your ballots to tables four and three on the North. Please, the ones standing at the doors to leave, do not leave. Sister Grand Warder, open the doors quickly and allow your Assisting Grand Sentinels to ballot. No one is to leave at this time, please bear with me just a moment North.

WGW: Assisting Warders please allow, will there be a Deputy at the door to collect the ballots from the Assisting Grand Sentinels only please. We need a Deputy at this door to collect the ballot.

WGW: Have you already received the ballot? Go collect the ballot. Alright. How about over here? Did we get a ballot over here like we're supposed to? Okay we are clear here. Did y'all collect the ballot? Okay, perfect.

WGM: The doors cannot be opened for you all to leave until all of the Deputies have deposited their ballots on the Teller tables.

WGW: We've indicated that the ballots have been collected from the Assisting Sentinels, Worthy Grand Matron.

WGM: Sister Grand Warder, have your Assisting Grand Sentinels balloted?

WGW: They have to my knowledge.

WGM: Is there anyone in this Grand Chapter Room that has not had their ballot collected? Wave your card wildly in the air so we might see you if that is the case. Okay, Deputies please, rapidly come down to the teller tables or back where you were sitting so we can see that you are completed with your collection of the ballots. Are all ballots on the table? Does any Deputy have ballots to place on the table? Okay, I declare it closed and Sister Grand Warder you may allow the doors to be opened.

WGW: Assisting Warders please allow the members to exit the doors, calmly, no stampede.

WGP: Sisters and Brothers, we have an unusual situation that has been brought to my attention. We have two Sisters who are non-voting members who did not pre-register because of health conditions. They have been able to make it here to observe today, registration had already closed by the time they got here. They are non-voting members. They would like to come in and be with us. They are members of the Eastern Star. This would require a vote of Grand Chapter to allow them to come in. And I would like to make the motion that we allow these two Sisters who have made the effort to come with their health conditions just to be with us today to enter and observe only.

Sister Rosemary Swetland: I second that motion.

WGP: Worthy Grand Matron.

WGM: We have a motion and second. All those in favor, please raise your pink cards. All opposed same sign. Motion carried. Thank you Sisters and Brothers. Please allow them in.

WGM: Members, we are going to go on with the business of Grand Chapter. I recognize Sister Rosemary Swetland. We will continue with our Amendments and Resolutions.

Sister Rosemary Swetland: Thank you Worthy Grand Matron. I invite Sister Betty Friend to present Resolution #1.

Sister Betty Friend: This is Resolution #1 on page 60 of your Advanced Annual Report. The last Amendment that you passed relates to this. Last year our Worthy Grand Matron issued a Special Dispensation to allow Chapter Junction #497 to change Sections. This Amendment allows Junction #497 to permanently be located in District 5, Section 2. Worthy Grand Matron, your Jurisprudence Committee finds this Amendment in proper form and ready for presentation to the membership for consideration.

WGM: I have a motion that we accept Resolution #1. Is there any discussion? If you wish to discuss, please raise your pink card and wave them so that I can allow you time to get down to the microphone. I'm going to call for the question. All in favor? All in favor of accepting Resolution #1 raise your pink cards. Opposed, same sign. Motion carried. We have adopted Resolution #1. I recognize Brother John Creel who will present Resolution #2.

Brother John Creel: Resolution #2, page 60 on your Advanced Annual Report. Resolution #2, this Resolution supports the nomination of Sister Alma Lynn Bane for re-election to Right Worthy Grand Secretary of the General Grand Chapter in Ft. Worth Texas in 2012. Your Jurisprudence finds this Worthy Grand Matron Amendment in proper form and ready for the membership to vote.

WGM: I have a motion that we accept Resolution #2. Is there any discussion? Hearing none we will proceed to vote. All in favor raise your pink cards. All opposed same sign. Motion carried. We have adopted Resolution #2. (Applause) I recognize Sister Alma Bane.

Sister Alma Bane: Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, my Sisters and Brothers of Texas and our invited guests. Thank you for this vote of support as I continue to serve our Order and as to represent Texas everywhere I go. Please know that we are here at General Grand Chapter to help you in any way. So please call on us. Thank you. (Applause)

WGM: Do we have a member from Baytown? There is a lady in Credentials that needs your assistance if you will retire please.

Sister Rosemary Swetland: Sisters and Brothers, can you hear me? I apologize to this membership, Sister Betty Benham is supposed to be presenting this Resolution #3 and I've been advised that she stepped out of the room so I'm going to go ahead and present this on her behalf. This is Resolution #3, page 61 in your Advanced Annual Report. This Resolution addresses the need to downsize the School schedule of the Worthy Grand Matron by having only one School of Instruction and each Deputy Grand Matron would hold one workshop in her Section for any questions or concerns. Worthy Grand Matron, your Jurisprudence Committee finds this Amendment in proper form and ready to present to your membership for voting.

WGM: I have a motion that we accept Resolution #3. Do I have discussion? I recognize the Sister in the North.

Sister Annette Gardner: Worthy Matron I'm Annette Gardner, a Past Matron of Rockport Chapter #479, and I am opposed to this because I really believe if you do that then the Grand Chapter is going to lose contact with a lot of members in the subordinate Chapters. (Applause)

WGM: I recognize the member in the South.

Brother Carl Unlaub: Worthy Grand Matron, I am Carl Unlaub, Past Patron of Dumas Chapter #653. I applaud the objectives of my Brothers and Sisters of Palestine Chapter #395 and their proposal may be appropriate for their District. District 2 ranges from Wichita Falls to El Paso and from Abilene to TexLine. A single District School is quite impractical. I urge the defeat of this Resolution and instead appeal to future Worthy Grand Matrons to strongly encourage joint Schools of two or more Sections where appropriate. (Applause)

Sister Karen Morgenthaler: Worthy Grand Matron, I am Karen Morgenthaler, Past Matron of Pearland Chapter #1065 and I am against this Resolution. I believe we need to allow our incoming line to make the decisions that they know is right for this membership and to my understanding, Sister Vi Griffin has cut those down to about 27 – oh, 35 Schools. I believe we need to allow these future Worthy Matrons to make that decision. (Applause)

WGM: I recognize the member in the North.

Sister Katherine Daley: My name is Katherine Daley. I'm a Past Matron of Pleasanton #133. I'm opposed to this Resolution because I believe when we have the Schools of Instruction it allows the Worthy Grand Matron to get to know the membership and the contact if we just had five Schools a year, the contact would be so much less and also the future candidates to get to know the membership. But I agree with the gentlemen who said it would be a good idea to join some sections together to ease the financial burden. (Applause)

WGM: I recognize the member in the South.

Brother Henry Martin: Worthy Grand Matron, I am Henry Martin Past Patron of Edwin J. Kiest #959, and I speak in opposition to this. While I applaud the efforts of some of our recent and upcoming Worthy Grand Matrons to look at the consolidation of two or more schools in certain areas, I don't think it's fair to mandate that we have one School in each District. If we simply look at the geography of Texas, that's not practical. Brother Unlaub described District 2, I'm from District 1 and if I look at Texarkana to Dallas, that's a three hour drive. That's not practical. So I would urge this Amendment to be defeated. Thank you. (Applause)

WGM: I recognize the member in the North.

Brother Rick Harden: Thank you, Worthy Grand Matron. My name is Rick Harden. I'm a Past Patron of #849 now Dual Member with Plano #703 and McKinney #518. I rise in opposition to this bill. As a professional business planner I appreciate people looking forward and planning where things need to go but I believe this is misplaced. I believe this becomes a self-fulfilling prophesy basically planning for our own funeral as an Eastern Star as opposed to the leadership we need to bring these wonderful young people we have outside the room - DeMolay, Rainbow Girls, Job's Daughters - the life blood of our future. We should be spending our time trying to bring these people in as opposed to planning our own demise.

WGM: We have heard five members speak in opposition to this Resolution. Is there anyone waiting to speak in favor of this Resolution? In favor, is there any that wish to speak in favor? Then, I'm going to close discussion and I'm going to call for the question. All in favor of Resolution #3 signify by raising your pink cards. All opposed. Resolution #3 has been defeated. (Applause)

Sister Betty Benham: It is my pleasure at this time to present Sister Elise Hammack.

Sister Elise Hammack: Worthy Grand Matron this is Emergency Legislation as a Resolution and this is an Emergency Resolution.

The Grand Chapter of Texas, Order of the Eastern Star is a member of the General Grand Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star, and

WHEREAS: Sister Mary Ann Shenefelt is the Right Worthy Grand Conductress of the General Grand Chapter and a Past Grand Matron of Wyoming, and

WHEREAS: Mary Ann Shenefelt Right Worthy Associate Grand Conductress has selected our Henry S. Martin, a Past Grand Patron of Texas, to serve and travel with her to the General Grand Chapter East, and

WHEREAS: Brother Henry S. Martin's first step in this journey to the General Grand Chapter East is to become a candidate for the office of Right Worthy Grand Sentinel of the General Grand Chapter at the General Grand Chapter Triennial Session to be held in Ft. Worth, Texas, November 1st – 9th, 2012, and

WHEREAS: The Past Grands Association of Texas at a Called Meeting on May 21, 2011, unanimously voted to endorse and support Henry S. Martin, a Past Grand Patron of Texas, in his election to Right Worthy Grand Sentinel and his journey to the General Grand Chapter East, now

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED: that the Grand Chapter of Texas Order of the Eastern Star, hereby endorses and commits their support to Henry S. Martin, a Past Grand Patron of Texas, as he seeks election to the office of Right Worthy Grand Sentinel of the General Grand Chapter at the General Grand Chapter Triennial Session in Ft. Worth in November, 2012 and his subsequent journey with Mary Ann Shenefelt, Right Worthy Associate Grand Conductress to the General Grand Chapter East. This Resolution simply asks for the support of Henry S. Martin, Past Grand Patron of Texas, for the office of Right Worthy Grand Sentinel of General Grand Chapter to be held in Ft. Worth in 2012.

WGM: I have a motion that we accept Emergency Legislation #1. Is there any discussion?

Brother Lee Stallings: Worthy Grand Matron my name is Lee Stallings. I'm a Past Patron of Friendswood Chapter #1131 and I am the President of the Past Grands of Texas and I speak in support of this Resolution and I wanted to give you just a quick piece of information about why it's Emergency Legislation. Once Henry was chosen as MaryAnn Shenefelt's choice to go with her to the General Grand East, we need to do Emergency Legislation so he can actually be a candidate. Now, this is a great honor for the State of Texas and I think most of you know that. (Applause) But what you may not know is that we have been honored five times to this point. We've had three Most Worthy Grand Matrons. Our first being Mrs. Laura B. Hart in 1901-1904, the second was Dr. Alfred C. McDaniel, 1919-1922 – Obviously he is not a lady but the last time we had a Most Worthy Grand Patron in Texas was in 1937-1940. Then we had Mildred Haney Harris in 1961-1964. And obviously, we have Sister Rennie Ofton today. This is not only an honor for Henry as I said, but it's an honor for the Grand Chapter of Texas and I urge your support of this particular Resolution.

WGM: I have a motion that we accept Emergency Legislation, Resolution #1. All in favor signify by raising your pink cards. All opposed same sign. Emergency Legislation has been adopted. (Applause)

Brother Henry S. Martin: Thank you, Worthy Grand Matron. Sisters and Brothers of Texas, I want to thank you for your endorsement and support this morning and let me assure you that I feel that this is an honor more for Texas than it is for me. But I will do the best I can to represent this great State of Texas in the best way possible at General Grand Chapter. Thank you so much this morning. (Applause and standing ovation)

WGP: Lynn Love, we have her dues card up here.

Sister Rosemary Swetland: Sister Lynn Love, are you in the room? You may be outside and they won't let you in because you don't have your dues card. Okay, Sisters and Brothers, now I'm going to need your help big time. So I'm going to ask you to be real quiet and attentive with me. We are going to present Emergency Legislation #2 which will concern Article 83, page 83. Now as a courtesy to you the membership, your Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron authorized yesterday copies to be distributed of this legislation for

your previewing before we discussed it today. As a brief synopsis of what you're looking at, after review of the audit report in May, it became evident to the Board of Directors that our present Law needed to be updated and language added with more specific investment guidelines in order to protect the principal funds with which this Board is entrusted. The Board of Directors sought counsel from the Worthy Grand Matron's Financial Investment Committee, as well as, Brother Lee Stallings, Past Grand Patron on how best to structure the wording of this Emergency Legislation. And in addition, our Grand Chapter Financial Advisor suggested that the Board of Directors who are entrusted with the care of our finances approve and sign the Annual Management Agreement. Now we recognize that the wording is a little bit unusual to those of us who are not financial experts. But the Amendment is in proper form...the Resolution is in proper form and Worthy Grand Matron awaits the voting of this membership.

WGM: I have a motion that we accept Emergency Legislation #2. Is there any discussion? I recognize the gentleman in the South.

Brother Toby Lytle: Worthy Grand Matron, I am Toby Lytle Worthy Patron of Spring Chapter #1105. I don't know who wrote this...

WGM: Brother Lytle, will you hold up for just one moment? It is the right of the maker of the Resolution to be the first speaker. Will one of the members of the Board of Directors wish to come and speak or would you like Brother Lee Stallings to speak for you? Brother Keith Mikeworth, what is your wish? Brother Keith Mikeworth, the Chairman of the Board of Directors, I could hear what he said from where he was, he wants Lee Stallings to speak, to be the first speaker on this.

Brother Lee Stallings: Thank you, Worthy Matron, I'm going to try to keep this quick and simple because it's a complex situation when you're talking about the investment of Grand Chapter. But when the audit occurred, there were some discrepancies that needed to be corrected in our law, which required Emergency Legislation to take place. At that point the Board of Gov...excuse me I'm Chairman of the Board of Governors for the Shrine Hospital so I'll use that term, but the Board of Directors ask me if I would do some research, I'm a forty year retired banker, I have managed investment people but I am not an investment expert which I told them. I then sought the approval of the Investment Committee which is signed by the Worthy Grand Matron if they were okay with me doing some research. So what I did was reach out to two professionals in the business, one who worked for me for 25 years and managed investments where I was at and I reached out to another person that I knew who managed the investment of another bank. And sought guidance on how to structure the Grand Chapter's investment strategy as outlined in Article 83. In doing that, there are two things that are critical to any investment strategy. The first question you will be asked is what is your risk tolerance and frankly we have none. And so we want the maximum yield but we want the minimum risk. So we have a very conservative investment approach. The other question they will ask you is what is your goal? And our goal is Capital Appreciation, excuse not Capital Appreciation...Preservation. We can't afford Sisters and Brothers to lose the principal. We have nothing else to sell, or any other assets to garner money from. We have to be very protective when we set this up. What this Article does it gives the Board of Directors the opportunity to assign an annual...it's called an Investment Management Agreement with the Investment Advisors. The law is probably broader than the instructions that the Board of Governors, excuse me, the Board of Directors in concert with their Investment Committee will give a mandate to the Investment people. But in order for us to be able to ensure that we are conservative but yet we have to look to the market. Now, everything that's in this Legislation and again I'm not an expert, but what I found interesting about it was the three people that I reached out to, the first two being outside of the Order and outside of any

knowledge of what happens in our investments and our investment advisor, JP Morgan Chase, all came up with exactly the same recommendation for our Order which made me very pleased. And so the Legislation is written to allow a little bit broader investment of our investment dollars.

WGM: Brother Lee, you have reached your three minutes. Would the Grand Chapter wish that Brother Lee be given an extended time so that he might explain this to us? If so, raise your pink card. Opposed. Brother Lee, you have extra time and I apologize for interrupting you.

Brother Lee Stallings: That's alright. Thank you, Worthy Grand Matron. And so what we really are trying to do is and I kind of lost my train of thought there when that happened but I'll try to recollect it, in the Legislation there are things that we added that at first point looked like you're assuming more risk. And that is we added the Nasdaq. Sisters and Brothers I'll tell you from a personal basis and from every professional that I talked to, it's not the market or the market whether it be the American and New York Stock Exchange or the Nasdaq, it's the stocks that you buy within that. And some of the best stocks in the country are on the Nasdaq and most safe; Microsoft, Intel, Cisco – so we had to broaden just a little bit our investment opportunities but keep in mind, when you have investment opportunities the mandate is conservative and Capital Preservation. And this has been structured to give us a return that meets the limit that we need to move forward in our organization which is a range of 4%. This past year it has exceeded that, the management went up over 7% returned to the Grand Chapter on a conservative investment portfolio and with the changes here, actually the investment strategy today and the mandate that the Board will draft, after hopefully this Legislation is approved, will be more restrictive than where we're at today because of where the market is. And we can expect our yield to be in the 3 ½ to 4% range based on the modeling of our investment advisors. I will also tell you this, and I have no vested interest in it just so that everybody understands, I am a retiree of JP Morgan Chase. I have no vested interest in this other than you. I am a voting member of this Grand Chapter but when I reached out to people from other business competitors, they said you have the best person in the business in the State of Texas managing your funds. It gave me great confidence. I didn't know Randall Rhodes, Managing Director for JP Morgan Chase, but he personally manages our account and so I have a great deal of confidence in that. And so, one of the changes that they alluded to, I heard Sister Elise allude to, is the fact that, excuse me, Sister Rosemary, allude to is the fact that it's a little bit different the way the mandate would be structured. In the past it's always been signed by our Grand Secretary. But whoever signs the investment mandate or this Investment Management Agreement is the person they do call to make decisions on investments and Sisters and Brothers, that really rests with our Board of Directors in our Constitution and Code of Laws. They are in charge of the finances of the Grand Chapter. So, you know, it's complex but this gives them kind of an umbrella approach which allows them to move forward in a very conservative manner to preserve the capital, there are six funds that we have that I've seen and it's done very well. And I'm not...I'll try to give you the correct number and I'll give you ranges but I know when this started when I was talking to the Board we had about \$15 million, it's now up to \$18 million through the way this money has been managed over the last few years. So, they've taken a very conservative approach, we need to re-do that approach now to be current. There is language in our current law that no longer exists in the market today. The market is very dynamic which means it changes on a constant basis. If you heard our Acting Most Worthy Grand Patron, John Grobler, speak the other day, he was a Stock Broker at one time. It's kind of like a roller coaster ride, one day you're up, one day you're down. These investment managers manage that risk for us so that we don't get these big swings up and down. And that's about as sim-

ple as I can make it because I'm not an expert in this area but I did seek guidance from experts and I think that as long as this Legislation moves forward in its current form that we are well protected and it does support the mandate that we have and I've repeated it several times so everybody understands. It's a conservative approach with capital preservation. Thank you. (Applause)

WGM: I now recognize the member in the South.

Brother Toby Lytle: We'll start over. I'm Toby Lytle, Worthy Patron of Spring Chapter #1105. It's time we take off the gloves, Sisters and Brothers, and get down to some bare facts. If you have read this, and I hope you have, there's contradiction everywhere in this. The Board would not, if we read it correctly, they would review it annually? Gee.....the market is dynamic as we just heard and we're going to annually look at what we've contracted for? I don't think so. I don't know who wrote this but obviously it was a Stock Broker. We are going to invest our funds, or would allow them to invest our funds in mortgage backed security? What do you think might near broke the Bank of America down, largest bank in the nation, its mortgage backed securities. I don't know who invested the funds so that we'll incur substantial loss if we reposition our investments. Now, that's in here. Now that to me is another one. If you follow this strategy as your personal investment, you wouldn't have enough money to pay for your funeral. Sisters and Brothers, I urge you, I urge you please vote this Legislation down and let's start over.

WGM: I recognize the member in the South. Oh, I beg your pardon, let's go over here. I recognize the member in the North.

Brother Keith Mikeworth: Worthy Grand Matron, I'm Keith Mikeworth, Past Patron and present Worthy Patron of Midland #253. This does state that we do check our investments annually the mandate, the investment mandate. Our investors do come as often as the Board of Directors requires them to come. We are asking them to come to us quarterly. If we need to, we can ask them to come monthly. So I feel that this is just on the mandate that they bring to us annually. They are in touch with the Board of Directors every day if necessary.

WGM: I recognize the member in the South.

Sister Sharon Reynolds: Worthy Grand Matron, my name is Sharon Reynolds and I am the Worthy Matron of Velasco Chapter #220. My job in the real world is I am the Brazoria County Treasurer and the portfolio that I handle is \$150 million. I have many, many questions regarding this piece of Legislation. I went to the Board earlier this morning. They were very gracious. They answered my questions because I got down to details with them about investing. And I don't mean to be rude to anyone in this room but it's words that you probably would not understand and it's words that you really don't care about but as an investor of monies, Public Fund money, they answered my questions, they told me what they do, I am aware of this Public Fund Portfolio Management Company and our monies are safe with them. The only thing that I would like to see is that it be amended that the Board of Directors review the portfolio monthly. Put it in writing. I am very satisfied with the answers that I was given, Brother Lee was there as well, because I was getting down to detail. I do think that we would be safe in approving this because they are not going out and reaching for rate of return on speculative investments. They are investing things that you as an individual can invest in if you desire to do so. Thank you. (Applause)

WGP: Sisters and Brothers, and Brother Richard, you're next but I have asked the Worthy Grand Matron for permission to say something. Several of you may know, but I am in that business myself. I work with investments every day. I understand the concern to check it every day as I do, however, we have, and Mr. Rhodes and his staff, as Brother Stallings said, a very, very good group of people watching our investments daily. They are buying and selling daily using the different tools that we give them. In most management's accounts, you

check them yearly, you can check them quarterly but our management people, we are paying them to do that job to watch it daily to make those moves and report back to us on how well they're doing. We can't micro-manage them. If we're watching them and looking over their shoulder, we assume more of the risk. We've got to let them do the job we are paying them to do. And, when I went on the Board five years ago, we had a little less or just right at \$15 - \$15.5 million. We've been putting out over a million a year and now we're up over almost \$18 - 18 ½ million. They have done an excellent job doing their job we just have to get our wording down so they... it's legal. So let them do the micro-managing, let them look at it every day, let our Investment Committee and our Board keep an eye on it. They come in twice a year minimum with our Board and give them a report and our Investment Committee. So don't tie their hands. I know from my personal point if someone came to me and said I want you to do the funds but I'm going to check you every month and watch over everything you're doing, I won't take them as a client because I can't, I can't do the job. It ties my hands too much. Thank you. (Applause)

WGM: I recognize the member in the South, Brother Richard Ochs. Is that Richard Ochs?

Brother Richard Ochs: Yes, ma'am. Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, I'm Richard Ochs, Worthy Patron of Kingsland Chapter and Past Patron multiple times at Kingsland, Amarillo and Panhandle, and I appreciate having had the opportunity of sharing on a particular issue with our Jurisprudence this year and having received a comment relative to the Grand Secretary versus the Chairman of the Board of Directors. And that it was explained adequately and I'm very thankful for that but I would like to point out that if we're doing this this way, and I'm not going to hassle it because of some things have been said. I truly would like to see the Worthy Grand Matron ask the Chairman of the Directors to inform the Corporate Board when they have a Corporate Board meeting of what the status of what they're going through if the Worthy Grand Matron in the future would be willing to accept that. This has become confusing to a lot of people and that was part of why I had addressed Jurisprudence and I do thank you for the explanations...but we still have a lot of members with a lot of questions. Like, it really doesn't explain all of what's been being explained and if the membership is willing to accept what has been and I personally am. And I want to comment that Alma and I with several other Trustees at some...nearly twenty years ago went to doing Trusts when the banks were consolidating and all of our investments at \$100,000 were in real distress and easily could have lost some. And I appreciate what people have done to try to save money for our Grand Chapter and earnings. Thank you very kindly, Worthy Grand Matron. (Applause)

WGM: I recognize the member on the North.

Sister Marjorie Schenkir: Worthy Grand Matron, I'm Marjorie Schenkir, Past Matron of Franklin #311, I respectfully call the question. (Applause)

WGM: I have a motion that we stop discussion, all in favor, please signify by your pink cards. All opposed same sign. Now we can vote. I have a motion that we accept Emergency Legislation #2. All in favor signify by raising your pink cards. All opposed same sign. We have adopted Emergency Legislation #2. (Applause)

Sister Rosemary Swetland: Sisters and Brothers, what a wonderful membership you are. Worthy Grand Matron, my Jurisprudence Committee joins me on stage. We want to thank you for our participation in the Legislation at this Grand Chapter. You have been phenomenal. You've been respectful and supportive of us. We have been so pleased to present to you the Legislation. Here is the recap: Amendments passed Numbers 1, 2, 3, 4 as Amended, 5, 6 as Amended, 7 Defeated, 8 as Amended, 9. Resolution #1, passed. Resolution #2 passed. Resolution #3 Defeated. Emergency Legislation #1, passed. Emergency Legislation #2,

passed. Worthy Grand Matron, your Jurisprudence Committee finds no unfinished legislation to be carried over to the 2012 Grand Chapter Session and this concludes the report of your Jurisprudence Committee. I say a grateful thanks to my team and to you the wonderful membership. Congratulations! Job well done. (Applause)

WGM: If you will bear with me for just a moment, I'm getting ready to announce the results of Ballot #A

WGP: Sisters and Brothers, I need to ask your permission for something again. We have a Sister who arrived about 30 minutes ago. If she had been here on time, she would have been a voting delegate. She understands that she cannot come in and be credentialed and vote but she would like to come in and observe. Registration is closed. Is your pleasure to let her come in and just observe and not vote, or do we say no? All in favor of letting her come in. Those opposed? Okay, she can come in and observe only and our co-chairman...did you hear me sir? Okay, thank you.

WGM: You have an election in three positions. There were only two candidates in each of those positions. The total number of votes cast were 1,351 ballots. Of these ballots 1,023 were 1 vote ballots; 496 – 2 vote ballots; and 240 – 3 vote ballots. Those were the number of votes cast. In the Board of Grand Examiners District 3: Sissy Furrrie 417; Donna Hill Pope 1,329. Sister Donna Pope. I would like to introduce to you the new Grand Examiner of District 3, Sister Donna do you accept?

Sister Donna Pope: Thank you, Worthy Grand Matron. I do accept and I want to thank the membership for this opportunity to be of service. Thank you very much. (Applause)

WGM: For Board of Directors, District 5; I have Patty Littlepage Strey, 833; and David Ouelette, 916. Brother David Ouelette will you join me? To the members of this Grand Chapter, I have the pleasure to introduce Brother David Ouelette who has been elected to the Board of Directors of District 5 for the ensuing term. Brother David.

Brother David Ouelette: Worthy Grand Matron and the membership of this Grand Chapter, I do accept with a humble heart. Thank you. (Applause)

WGM: For the Board of Directors for District 1; Mike Biddler 859 votes; Becky Austin 883 votes. Sister Becky? It is my pleasure to introduce to you Sister Becky Austin who has been elected to the Board of Directors of District 1. Sister Becky. (Applause)

Sister Becky Austin: Thank you, Worthy Grand Matron and the membership of the Grand Chapter of Texas and it is with a humble and grateful heart that I accept this position and vow to do the best that I can for this Grand Chapter. Thank you. (Applause)

WGM: For the office of Associate Grand Conductress: Sister Christine Armstrong, 376 votes; Sister Cindy Echols, 93 votes; Sister Cheryl Albrecht, 629 votes, and Sister Jerre Lucas, 659 votes. We will be dropping the name of Cindy Echols and we will be taking a second ballot on the names of Christine Armstrong, Cheryl Albrecht, and Jerre Lucas. Sisters and Brothers, as I said when we started this election.....

Sister Christine Armstrong: Worthy Grand Matron, I would like to drop my name off of the ballot. Thank you. (Applause)

WGM: We will be taking a second ballot on the names of Sister Cheryl Albrecht and Jerre Lucas. Sisters and Brothers, when this election started, I said to each of you that there are no losers in these elections. These are wonderful ladies and gentlemen who have offered their time, effort and services to our Grand Chapter. We have areas that we know we will be able to use their wonderful talents in and we do want to extend to them our appreciation for their willingness to serve in this Grand Chapter. Let's show them how we appreciate their efforts. (Applause) Now I am going to take a ballot for the position of Associate Grand Conductress in 15 minutes. That will be 12:35. I have a timer behind me and in 15 minutes we will shut the doors and take this ballot so if anybody knows of someone that has gone to

the vendors, to the restrooms, or to pick up lunches, either see if you can...this is when I'm going to give you permission to use your cell phones. (Laughter) See if you can get them back in the Chapter Room, we do not want them to lose their vote but we will not take another ballot for 15 minutes. Membership, we are going to proceed on with our reports. And at this time, I invite Brother Jim Rippey, Chairman of Titles, Deeds and Properties to bring his report.

Brother Jim Rippey: Thank you, Worthy Grand Matron. Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Distinguished Guests, my Sisters and Brothers. I have asked those who have served with me this year from this Committee to stand with me. And with this short notice, I'm going to give my report first and allow two out there to have a chance to get up here so I can introduce them. There were no specific carry over responsibilities assigned to the Titles, Deeds and Properties Committee (the TD&P Committee) from the last Grand Chapter year. Beginning this year with a new Chairman of this Committee, a new Chairman of the Board of Directors and a new Grand Secretary, it became apparent that guidelines for each positions interface with the other positions needed to be reviewed. This is especially necessary in the handling of OES property management transactions. The TD&P met twice during the Spring Fling weekend and reviewed property records and associated management procedures. We also looked at ten property inquiries received in the state office. I also attended the July meeting of the Board of Directors, attended by the Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Associate Grand Matron, Associate Grand Patron and Grand Secretary. As a result of the meetings, calls and numerous emails, the TD&P Committee submit the following recommendation. It is recommended that the TD&P Committee meet in the state office at least annually to review the property records and procedures and to report their findings to the Board of Directors. It is requested that guidelines be established in regard to OES property request so that decisions may be made in a timely manner. This is absolutely necessary as oil and gas and mineral rights often require short term responses. It is suggested there is a need for a state office worker to concentrate on tracking the life insurance policies, stocks, bonds, dividends and royalties as we are tracking our mineral rights. This concludes our Report and I move its acceptance.

WGP: Sisters and Brothers you've heard the Report of the Committee on Titles, Deeds and Property, you've made a motion to accept that Report, it's been seconded. All those...is there any discussion? Hearing none, all those in fav.....I recognize the Sister in the South.

Sister Karen Morgenthaler: Worthy Grand Patron, I am Karen Morgenthaler, Past Matron of Pearland Chapter #1065. I would like to see that this Grand Chapter accepts his recommendations. This gentleman has worked very hard for the last five years to see that we have a tracking of all of our assets and if we don't do by his recommendation then we've back in the same position we were six years ago. I hope that you accept this recommendation.

WGP: Thank you, Sister Karen. Is there any other discussion? Hearing none, all those in favor of accepting the recommendations of this Committee, please indicate by raising your pink card. Cards down, those opposed? Motion passes. (One rap) As a procedural, just for the Grand Chapter's knowledge, the Board of Directors has that under their direction. These recommendations will be given to them to implement. Sister Karen and I'm sure they'll come up with the guidelines that you have recommended, we've had some discussions, and I think more than anything else from my point of view in our discussions we need to write them down and know who's got them. Thank you.

Brother Jim Rippey: I would like to introduce the members that are here that are on my Committee. First of all from District 1, Sister Pat Washington; (Applause) from District 2 who could not be here today is Brother Farris Benham; from District 3, Sister Jo Ann Snow,

had been here earlier and perhaps had to weave her way down; and from District 5, Brother Art Brunet. Thank you all. (Applause)

WGP: Sisters and Brothers, we're trying to get all the Reports in. We're trying to use every minute we can. We still have about four minutes before we take the next ballot, we're going to call for the Report of the By-Laws Committee.

Sister Betty Fogarty: Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, my Sisters and Brothers. I would like to thank the Worthy Grand Matron for appointing me as Chairman of the By-Laws Committee. The other members of this Committee were unable to attend the Grand Chapter this year. There were many contacts with the Chapters Secretaries regarding correct procedures for By-Law changes. After explanations and suggestions, we were able to have the changes in the proper order for approval. There were total of 36 Chapters that have been approved. We had two Chapters that were rejected and recommended they make the necessary corrections and present before the Chapter for approval and resubmission. We would like to express our appreciation to the Chapter Secretaries and By-Laws of the Chapters for their diligence in preparing the necessary paperwork. A complete list of Chapters submitting amendments that were approved is attached.

Abilene Chapter #30	Lancaster Chapter #943
Almeda Chapter #1081	Leander Chapter #73
Austin Chapter #304	Livingston Chapter #1139
Bastrop #64	Lonnie L. Blake Chapter #1116
Bluegrove Chapter #978	Lufkin Chapter #382
Burkburnett Chapter #655	Melrose Chapter #920
Canyon Lake Chapter #1103	New Caney #1093
Edinburg Chapter #473	Port Neches Chapter #677
Ferris Chapter #508	Ridglea Chapter #999
Frankston Chapter #1113	Riverside Chapter #834
Freedom Chapter #898	Rusk-Alto Chapter #79
Friendship Chapter #1131	Sarah Chapter #353
Goldthwaite Chapter #909	Shepherd Chapter #1003
Harlandale Chapter #750	Springtown Chapter #498
Houston Ransford Chapter #135	Sugarland Chapter #1107
Hughes Springs Chapter #349	Wallace Hughston Chapter #1100
Independence Chapter #1044	Waller Chapter #1047
Justin Chapter #1128	Wisteria Chapter #823

I move for the adoption of this Report.

WGP: Sisters and Brothers, you've heard the Report of the By-Laws Committee, is there any discussion? Hearing none, all those in favor of accepting the report of the By-Laws Committee raise your pink cards. All opposed? Motion carried. (One rap) Thank you for all your hard work. I know they kept you busy this year. (Applause) We now call for Report from the PAGO Association...presentation.

Sister JoAnn Drescher: Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, I thank you for the opportunity to let us make a presentation from the PAGO Club. For those of you who are not familiar it's the Past Appointed Grand Officers Club. I would like to present Sister Ann Kelley her Past President's jewel for serving over a decade of service. She served as Treasurer, Secretary and President for a three year term each. Sister Ann. This is your reward for all of your service to Grand Chapter. (Applause)

Sister Ann Kelley: Thank you, Sister JoAnn. Wow, that's pretty. And I urge all of you who have not joined our PAGO Club to please do so. It's kind of fun.

WGP: Thank you Mom for doing that presentation. We have a gold wedding band found in the ladies restroom by the Rainbow Girls. It will be up here at the Secretary's Desk. Grand Choir do you have a one minute, thirty second waltz back there you can sing?

[Choir sings "It's a Small World"]

WGP: Thank you Grand Choir.

WGM: We have kept our promise of waiting the 15 minutes. In fact, we've gone about a minute over. So Sister Grand Warder, you will inform the Grand Sentinel that we are about to begin election, to take a ballot for election of officers. Please invite all that are outside except the Assistant Grand Sentinels to enter the Grand Chapter Room if they want to participate in the election. You will inform the Grand Sentinel that no one may enter the Grand Chapter Room after the doors are closed.

WGW: (With raps) Brother Grand Sentinel, we are about to engage in the process of balloting and the doors will be secure and no one will enter until the ballot is closed. Please secure the doors.

WGM: Sisters and Brothers, we will be using ballot "C". "C" like Cat. Ballot "C". "C" like Cat. "C" like "Charlie". Only Ballot "C" like "Charlie" or like "Cat" will be acceptable. Sister Cheryl and Sister Jerre would you join me? Sisters and Brothers, we will be balloting on Sister Cheryl Albrecht and Sister Jerre Lucas on ballot "C" like "Charlie". Please cast your ballots and would the Deputy Grand Matrons proceed to collect the ballots. I declare the ballot open (One rap) on "C" like "Charlie".

WGW: Sister Ann, keep your door closed. Thank you. Worthy Grand Matron, may we allow the Assisting Sentinels to ballot? May we collect the ballots of the Assisting Sentinels at this time? Sister Deputies, would you please allow the Assisting Sentinels, see if you need to collect their ballot from the outside of the door please.

WGP: Sisters and Brothers, Sisters and Brothers, hello, hi. Sisters and Brothers, while they are collecting the ballots, would the following Committees please come up on to the stage so we can expedite reports once we get the ballots collected. Education, Museum, Webmaster, Financial Investment and the OES Endowment Fund and I believe the Board of Grand Examiners is already here. If y'all will make your way up here that will save some time once we get the ballots completed.

WGM: Take the ballots to the tables please. Deputies to the tables you took them to previously. Thank you. And I thank you so much for your service in collecting these ballots. Sister Grand Warder, ask the Grand Sentinel if the Assisting Grand Sentinels have cast their ballots please.

WGW: Brother Grand Sentinel, yes, Worthy Grand Matron the Assisting Sentinels have been allowed to ballot.

WGM: Is there any member in this Grand Chapter Room who has not had their ballot collected? Middle section, Sister Deputies, we have some ballots that haven't been collected. In the West, Center Section. Sister Deputies, in the Center Section are you collecting pencils or ballots? If you still have ballots bring them down to the tables so that I might close the election. Now is there anyone that still has a ballot to cast? I declare the ballot closed but will you please stay in your seats for just a moment. A very important and special opportunity that is afforded the Worthy Grand Matron during her year is the awarding of Grand Representatives to some very special people in this Grand Chapter. At this time, I would like the following people to assemble in the West: Sister Linda Wentworth; Brother Sam Cooper; Sister Judy

Tucker; Sister Norma Phillips; Brother Mark Dieckmann; Sister Debby Pruitt; Brother John Elkinton; Brother Bart Henderson; Sister Marty Drescher; and Sister Heidi Jenkins. I was just told that we have some people that just really need to leave this Grand Chapter Room. The doors are now open because the ballots are closed. But I just didn't want these people to sneak out on me and not be here when I needed them so I had to hold all of you.

The Grand Chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star brings Greetings.

Whereas, the Grand Chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star of various states and the Grand Chapter of Texas seeking to promote fraternal relations between their Grand Jurisdictions and believing that the ties of affection may be strengthened, the prosperity of our Order promoted its unity, integrity and strength be protected and its utility and honor confirmed by the appointment and reception of Grand Representatives from each of the afore-said Grand Chapters to the other.

Therefore, Be It Known that as evidence of our trust and confidence, we by these present, and I will read the names:

Sister Linda Wentworth, the State of Illinois
 Brother Sam Cooper, Maine
 Sister Judy Tucker, Michigan
 Sister Norma Phillips, Nebraska
 Brother Mark Dieckmann, New Brunswick
 Sister Debby Pruitt, New York
 Brother John Elkinton, North Dakota
 Brother Bart Henderson, Oklahoma
 Sister Marty Drescher, Puerto Rico
 And finally Sister Heidi Jenkins, Virginia.

Sister Grand Conductress and Associate Grand Conductress will you escort these Grand Representatives to the East. (Applause)

Dear Ones, it is only fitting that in my position of this Grand Chapter Session should end with special recognition to you for your service to our Order. Sisters and Brothers, it is with extreme pleasure and happiness that I introduce to you these Grand Representatives of other Grand Jurisdictions in Texas. (Three raps and applause)

Sister Linda Wentworth, Illinois
 Brother Sam Cooper, Maine
 Sister Judy Tucker, Michigan
 Sister Norma Phillips, Nebraska
 Brother Mark Dieckmann, New Brunswick
 Sister Debby Pruitt, New York
 Brother John Elkinton, North Dakota
 Brother Bart Henderson, Oklahoma
 Sister Marty Drescher, Puerto Rico
 Sister Heidi Jenkins, Virginia

Order of the Eastern Star.

You will join me in saluting them with the Grand Honors. (One rap) Now everyone of y'all still have jobs you have yet to perform, so back to work. (Laughter)

I recognize the Board of Grand Examiners and invite them to bring their reports. Could I have the mike at the Worthy Grand Patron's podium?

Sister Melissa Hudman: Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, General Grand Chapter Officers, my Sisters and Brothers.

As we come to the end of another Eastern Star Year, I am once again reminded of how truly wonderful and loving this membership is. It was once again, a pleasure to serve you as your Grand Examiner. I will never be able to express how much I appreciate all the acts of kindness and thoughtful expressions that I have been shown. The success of this year can only be made possible by the love and compassion that the membership has for our beautiful Order.

SECTION	FUN NIGHT	SCHOOL	FRATERNAL VISIT	2010-2011 TOTAL	2010-2011 FIRST TIMERS	LOCATION
1	37	17	6	60	7	Gainesville
2	47	10	2	59	6	Sherman
3	15	14	14	43	3	Paris
4	40	17	8	65	3	Garland
5	40	26	7	73	5	Garland
6	7	13	3	23	2	Corsicana
7	23	12	6	41	5	Bullard
8	24	16	5	45	6	Beckville
9	30	18	12	60	3	Texarkana
10	30	13	5	48	5	Wills Point
TOTAL	293	156	68	517	45	

A total of 517 "A" Proficiency Certificates were earned. No "B" Certificates were issued. Forty-five members their Certificates for the first time this year. Congratulations on your achievement!

A detailed report by Chapter is on file in the Grand Secretary's office. Each Chapter has been forwarded a list of their members who have earned Certificates of Proficiency.

We are pleased to have the proficiency stickers available in the Examining Room. \$360 was given as a donation.

I was pleased to present a check to the Scottish Rite Hospital in the amount of \$450. This donation is a result of the generosity of the membership of Texas and I thank all who signed by memory book.

I would like to give a very special thank you to Sister Shelley Walker, District Deputy Grand Matron, District 1 and the ten Deputy Grand Matrons of District 1. I expected great things and I was not disappointed. Thank you for all your hard work. It was truly appreciated. You all did a fantastic job!

Sisters Cathi Cannon, Secretary to the Worthy Grand Matron and Sister Linda Carney, Secretary to the Worthy Grand Patron, thank you for your encouragement and many acts of kindness, but most of all, your friendship. Sister Cathi, it was great to travel with you and I know I have a new friend for life.

Worthy Grand Patron and Sister Marty, it is indeed a great pleasure to have you in my District. Thank you both for your love and support, I truly enjoyed traveling with you during the school schedule.

Worthy Grand Matron, I enjoyed traveling with you. Thank you for the love, encourage-

ment and support that you so graciously gave me. Your thoughtfulness and kind words always made my days a little brighter. It's people like you who make a difference in this world!

To the members of District 1, it was a pleasure to serve you as your Grand Examiner. I will always hold dear all the honorary memberships I received. I know they took a vote of the Chapter and they are truly special to me. Thank you for the love gifts, special gifts, tickets and the many other courtesies extended. They were sincerely appreciated. I was truly humbled and honored to have been given the opportunity to serve you. It was such a pleasure to meet and make new friends and to renew old ones along the way. Your love, support and encouraging words have made this year one I will never ever forget. Respectfully submitted, Melissa Hudman, Board of Grand Examiners, District 1.

It is now my pleasure to introduce my co-worker and friend, Sister Carla Stringer, Grand Examiner, District 2.

Sister Carla Stringer: Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, my Sisters and Brothers, Distinguished Members all. It is my honor to present the Report of the Grand Examiner of District 2. This was my first year as Grand Examiner and I have thoroughly enjoyed being with the membership. We may be spread out in District 2 and few in numbers, but we are strong in our love for the Order of the Eastern Star and for each other. At the beginning of the 2010-2011 year, we had 3,404 members in District 2.

It is my honor and privilege to attend all nine Schools in District 2, giving renditions of the Secret Work at each School. The greatest joy in serving as Grand Examiner is the time that we can spend with the membership and encouraging them to learn and become proficient in their work.

A total of 266 "A" Certificates were earned in District 2 this year:

Section 1	14
Section 2	48
Section 3	10
Section 4	16
Section 5	11
Section 6	29
Section 7	37
Section 8	67
Section 9	10
Section 10	<u>24</u>
TOTAL	266

No "B" Certificates were earned this year. Nine members earned their first Certificate of Proficiency this year.

I am so pleased to see members becoming more proficient in their work. The excitement shown by these members is very encouraging to me.

As always, we had proficiency stickers available for purchase in the Examining Room. A total of \$211 was donated to this project.

I chose "Patriot Paws" as my project this year. A check on behalf of District 2 in the amount of \$260.25 was given to "Patriot Paws" because of your generosity.

I want to thank the Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron for their support this year. Your friendship and encouragement have meant a great deal to me. I enjoyed traveling the school schedule with you.

Sister Cathi Cannon, you were so much fun to travel with and I enjoyed getting to know you. We had a lot of fun together.

To the Deputy Grand Matrons of District 2: I enjoyed visiting in each of your Sections and getting to know the membership. All of you worked very hard in preparing for our Schools and you helped make my joy easier. To the District Deputy Grand Matrons: Susan, I enjoyed traveling and rooming with you. I think we became closer because of this road we traveled together.

To the membership of Texas, thank you so much for the opportunity you have given me to serve Grand Chapter in this office. It has been a year of wonderful memories and I have made many new friends. I look forward to being with everyone during the coming year. Respectfully submitted, Carla Stringer, Grand Examiner, District 2.

It is my pleasure to introduce my friend and co-worker, Cheryl Albrecht, Grand Examiner, District 3.

Sister Cheryl Albrecht: Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Distinguished Members, my Sisters and Brothers. It is my honor to present the Report of the Grand Examiner of District 3. It has been my distinct privilege to serve in as Grand Examiner for the past 4 years, the members of District 3 are awesome and I thank you!

There were 454 "A" Certificates earned at the Schools in District 3 this year.

Section 1	128
Section 2	56
Section 3	16
Section 4	23
Section 5	22
Section 6	31
Section 7	31
Section 8	47
Section 9	57
Section 10	26
TMRC	<u>17</u>
TOTAL	454

Congratulations to the Twenty-Nine Members who earned their Certificates for the first time this year. It is wonderful to have members becoming more proficient in their work and bring enthusiasm to our Order.

We were pleased to have the proficiency stickers available in the Examining Room. \$369 was donated to this project.

Again this year, I was honored to present a check in the amount of \$1,000 on behalf of District 3 to the Scottish Rite Hospital for Children in Dallas. This donation was made possible by your generosity and love for the work of this hospital.

Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron: Thank you, for this wonderful year. Your friendship, encouragement, and love for the Order made traveling the School Schedule a real joy, and I will cherish all our travels and adventures.

Sister Cathi Cannon: you are a special friend, and the membership has had the opportunity to get to know you as you traveled the School Schedule. Thank you for all your devotion to our Order and for being my friend.

Sister Lesa Smith, District Deputy Grand Matron, and the Deputies of District 3: I enjoyed visiting in your Sections and getting to work with the membership. Thank you for

all your hard work and preparations, which made my job easier. Each of you holds a special place in my heart.

To this fantastic membership: thank you does not seem adequate for your friendship and the sweet kindnesses extended as I served as Grand Examiner. The opportunity to serve as Grand Examiner is one of great honor, and I consider it my privilege to serve you. Thank you, and to the next Grand Examiner of District 3, I hope you have as much fun as I have. Respectfully submitted, Cheryl Albrecht, Grand Examiner-District 3.

One thing I do want to mention as Grand Examiner for District 3, I have the privilege of going to TMRC and giving exams to our ladies at TMRC and I gave 17 this year when I went.

It is my pleasure to introduce my friend and co-worker, Sharon Mosmeyer-Grand Examiner, District 4.

Sister Sharon Mosmeyer: The Worthy Grand Patron would like to make an announcement first.

WGP: Sisters and Brothers, it has come to our attention that someone has somehow or another procured the wrong wheelchair and we are looking for a black wheelchair from Gold Cross out of Wichita Falls, Texas and it should have Mike Voight's name on it some place so if you see that wheel chair or see it around, please let us know, we're trying to find it now. It would have been picked up right around the First Aid area and it's just probably, they all look alike at times, so they probably just picked up the wrong one and took off. Thank you.

Sister Sharon Mosmeyer: Thank you, Sister Cheryl Albrecht, my friend and co-worker.

Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, General Grand Chapter Family, Distinguished Members, Sisters and Brothers:

The members of District 4 did an outstanding job in their studies and accomplishments to obtain their Proficiency Certificates. It is my honor and pleasure to bring you this Report as the Grand Examiner of District 4 for the Grand Chapter year 2010-2011:

CERTIFICATES OF PROFICIENCY

Section One	66
Section Two	90
Section Three	45
Section Four	101
Section Five	79
Section Six	70
Section Seven	83
Section Eight	30
Section Nine	35
Section Ten	<u>87</u>
Total Number of "A" Certificates	685
Total Number of "B" Certificates	<u>1</u>
For a Grand Total of	686

Of these totals 67 achieved an "A" Certificate for the first time.

A detailed report has been given to the Grand Secretary, which is a listing of the name from each Chapter who has received their Proficiency Certificate this year. I have also mailed to each Chapter in District 4 a listing of the names of their members who were granted Certificates of Proficiency.

A total of \$585 was collected for the Proficiency Stickers and a check has been given to the Grand Secretary in that amount. Also, \$1,614.04 was collected for my project of signing

the scrapbook pages from each Section.

A check in that amount has also been given to the Grand Secretary. My project this year was donated to Patient Education for the Shiner's Hospital for Children. This donation will help provide continued education to the children while they are hospitalized for a long term.

I would like to thank you, Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron, for helping to make this year one that I will never forget. Worthy Grand Matron, I enjoyed traveling with you and appreciate all your encouragement and wisdom.

I would especially like to thank Sister Cindy Newbury, District Deputy Grand Matron. We managed to get our work done and had some time for fun and I enjoyed getting to know you better.

I would also like to thank the 10 Deputy Grand Matrons for all their courtesies and the special things they did to make my travels more enjoyable. All of the Schools were planned well and every little detail was taken care of. All of you ladies were the best and I really enjoyed getting to know you better.

To Sister Cathi Cannon, the Secretary to the Worthy Grand Matron, thank you for the fun and especially the fellowship we shared. I am looking forward to more travels!

I would now like to introduce my co-worker, Sister Sandra Zipp, Grand Examiner of District Five. Respectfully submitted, Sharon Mosmeyer, Grand Examiner District 4.

Sister Sandra Zipp: Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Distinguished Members, my Sisters and Brothers:

It is my honor and privilege for me to present my first Report as Grand Examiner of District 5. This year has been a wonderful year of service made possible by the love and support of the sweet membership of District 5.

There were 360 "A" Certificates and 1 "B" Certificate earned in District 5 this year.

	"A" Certificates	"B" Certificates
Section 1	23	0
Section 2	6	0
Section 3	39	0
Section 4	29	0
Section 5	22	0
Section 6	68	0
Section 7	79	1
Section 8	48	0
Section 9	29	0
Section 10	<u>17</u>	<u>0</u>
TOTAL	360	1

District 5 is very pleased to have had 18 first timers. Congratulations on your achievement!

A total of \$317 was turned in to the Grand Secretary's office through donations made for proficiency stickers. Also, a total of \$365 was donated to the Grand Examiner's special project. These funds were designated to the Shriners Burn Hospital in Galveston.

Sister Linda Winn-Christenson, District Deputy Grand Matron, your leadership was outstanding. The ten Deputy Grand Matrons under your direction did a superb job in their preparations for their Schools of Instruction. I thank you and your Deputies for all of the courtesies you showed me as Grand Examiner, but most of all, thank you for your everlasting friendship.

What a joy it was for me to get to know Sister Cathi Cannon, Secretary to the Worthy Grand Matron, as we traveled the District 5 School Schedule. The bond we formed will always be special to me.

Worthy Grand Patron, I want to thank you for all of your love, encouragement and friendship. Thank you very much and I also love you.

Worthy Grand Matron, I will cherish all of the wonderful memories we made as we traveled through District 5. Wow, what fun we had! Your dedication, love and unselfish giving to our Order is never ending.

To this sweet membership, thank you for allowing me to serve Grand Chapter in this capacity. Thank you for all of your love and dedication to this beautiful Order. I look forward to another wonderful year of service. Respectfully submitted, Sandra Zipp, Grand Examiner – District 5.

It is my pleasure to introduce my co-worker and friend, Sister Susan Bigham, Grand Examiner at Large.

Sister Susan Bigham: Thank you, Sister Sandra. Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, General Grand Chapter Officers, General Grand Chapter Committee Members, Past Grand Matrons, Past Grand Patrons, Distinguished Members, my Sisters and Brothers.

To our Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Mary Ruth White, and our Worthy Grand Patron, Brother K. Arthur Drescher, you have both traveled many miles across our beautiful State of Texas. Your love for the membership and devotion to our beloved Order has been evident in all of your actions. Your loving support of me and guidance has been greatly appreciated.

To each of the Grand Examiners, I would like to say thank you for your assistance. You are all great ladies, and it has been my pleasure for the opportunity to work with you.

To the membership of Texas, my beloved Sisters and Brothers, thank you for allowing me the privilege of serving on the Board of Grand Examiners. Thank you for the many courtesies and acts of kindness you have extended to me.

I want to express a special thank you to those who assisted me in the Examining Room. You are greatly appreciated.

Due to a prior commitment, Sister Sandra Zipp, Grand Examiner of District 5, called upon me to conduct examinations during the latter part of the San Antonio School of Instruction. I did enjoy the opportunity to serve. A list of five earning their Proficiency Certificates was forwarded to Sister Sandra following the School and was included in her Report.

This Grand Examiner had the privilege of issuing a Certificate of Proficiency to a member taking her test for the first time. Sister Megan Weeks, would you please stand? Brother John Creel was her examiner, and he reported she did a beautiful job. Sisters and Brothers, would you please join me in congratulating her.

It is my pleasure to submit the following report of Proficiency Certificates earned at this Grand Chapter Session.

CERTIFICATES OF PROFICIENCY

TOTALS BY DISTRICTS AND SECTIONS	A's	B's
District 1	5	
District 2		
District 3		
District 4	1	
District 5	<u>11</u>	
Total "A" Certificates earned were	17	
Total "B" Certificates earned were	0	
Grand Total of Certificates earned were	17	

Project	Donation	
Proficiency Stickers	\$17.00	
Memory Book Signatures	\$25.00	Proceeds will go to the Scottish Rite Childrens' Hospital in Dallas

Respectfully submitted, Susan Bigham, Board of Grand Examiners, Grand Examiner-at-Large.

Worthy Grand Matron, I move the adoption of the Reports of the Board of Grand Examiners.

WGM: I have a motion and it has been seconded that we adopt the Report to the Board of Grand Examiners. Do I have any discussion? All in favor of accepting the Grand Examiners Reports raise your pink card. All opposed same sign. Reports adopted. And Sisters Grand Examiners, I want to thank you for your dedication to this membership and in giving us your time and service to allow the membership to take their proficiency exams and to better be familiar with our Rituals and Constitution work. Thank you very much. I would now like to call upon the Education Fund Committee for their Report.

Sister Treaca Houston: Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron, on behalf of the Committee Members, I would like to thank you for giving us the privilege of serving on this important Committee. All of the Members, with the exception of one, met with Mrs. Lorraine Williams in Arlington in the Board Room, March 18, 2011. We carefully examined the fifty-eight applications submitted, and found thirty-nine qualifying. We were pleased to give thirty-four Eastern Star Scholarships in the amount of \$750 each. Mrs. Treaca Huston, Chairman, Mrs. Bonnie Varnell, Mrs. Bobbye Dyer, Mrs. Genevieve Orr, and Mrs. Kristy Mumme, Respectfully submitted, Education Committee.

Worthy Grand Matron, I move the adoption of this Report.

WGM: I have a motion and it has been seconded that we accept the Report of the Education Committee. Is there any discussion? All in favor of accepting the Education Report raise your pink cards. Opposed? We have accepted the Education Report. I want to thank the Education Committee for their hard work in selecting the recipients of these scholarships. I personally witnessed one day that they were very hard at work going through the applications. This is not an easy task and they performed their very responsible position in a very professional way. Thank you very much. I now call on the Financial Investment Committee, Sister Sharon Fentress to bring their Report.

Sister Sharon Fentress: Thank you, Worthy Grand Matron. I'm sorry that my fellow Board Member, Brother Edwin Pickett, was not able to be with us but his wife could not make the trip here. And I respectfully submit this Committee Report, with his approval.

Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, other Distinguished Members, my Sisters

and Brothers.

Members of the Financial Investment Committee have met with the Board of Directors and representatives of J.P. Morgan Private Bank during the past year to review the investments of the Grand Chapter of Texas, O.E.S. and have received the annual reports. Some discrepancies with our Code of Laws were detected and the Board of Directors voted to present Emergency Legislation to update our Law in order to maintain the current income level. The Board with the concurrence of this Committee, enlisted the aid of Brother Lee Stallings to assist in the composition of the legislation. Many phone calls, E-Mails and visits were used to include all responsible parties with information and actions made. It was truly a joint project with all encouraged to provide input.

The Board of Directors are to be complimented on their service to our Order and their efforts to obtain the optimal return and protect the Investments of Grand Chapter. Respectfully submitted, Sharon Fentress, Chairman, Edwin R. Pickett

Worthy Grand Matron, I move the adoption of this Report.

WGM: I have a motion and it has been seconded that we accept the Report of the Financial Investment Committee. Is there any discussion? All in favor of accepting this Report signify by raising your pink cards. Opposed, same sign. We have adopted the Financial Investment Committee's Report. Sister Sharon Fentress, I want to thank you and your Committee for compiling this very informative report for the membership and I thank you for your dedication to this task and your service to the Order of the Eastern Star. I call on the OES Endowment Fund Committee to bring their report.

Sister Betty Prater: Thank you, Worthy Grand Matron. On behalf of this Committee, we thank you, Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron for the privilege of serving in these positions this year.

It is my pleasure to introduce those who have served on this Committee: District 1 – Sister Barbara Zihlman, who is not able to be with us today; District 2 – Sister Donna Blocker; District 3 – Sister Sandy Trimble; District 4 – Sister Georgia Ptacek; and District – 5 Sister Bebe Poulson.

Unfortunately the Endowment Fund Committee did not receive any donations from estates this year.

The Committee Members have attempted to inform the membership about the Endowment Fund Committee through mailings to each Chapter in their District and through personal contacts.

The only donations received this year that we are aware of were in District 1: \$40 from Mesquite Chapter No. 887 and \$25 from Edwin J. Kiest Chapter No. 959.

We encourage the membership to seriously consider donations to this very worthwhile fund in the future. Fraternaly, Betty Prater, General Chairman.

Worthy Grand Matron, I move adoption of this Report.

WGM: I have a motion and a second that we accept the Report of the OES Endowment Fund Committee. Any discussion? All in favor of signify by raising your pink cards. All opposed same sign. Sister Betty, I want to thank you and your Committee for a job well done. Thank you for your continued dedication. (Applause) I call for the Chairman of the Museum Committee to bring their Report. Sister Karen Morgenthaler.

Sister Karen Morgenthaler: Worthy Grand Matron. It has been my pleasure to serve as Chairman of the Museum Committee for this current year. However, we have no report to be given – the Museum is currently on a hold. It is my understanding that all items that had been selected to go into the future Museum is still in storage. We were not able to look at any of the items due to the storage area being at capacity – and you cannot walk through the area.

To my co-workers: Ben Day, Neil Casparis, Trey Smith, Marian Von Heeder, and Marijo

King, thank you for being on this Committee – I am sorry that we were not able to work on this project.

Thank you, Worthy Grand Matron, I move for the adoption of this Report.

WGM: I have a motion and a second that we adopt the Report of the Museum Committee. Is there any discussion? All in favor signify by raising your pink cards. Opposed same sign. Sister Karen, I want to thank you and your group for your willingness to serve. I know that you would have liked to have had a report of some progress that we had made on establishing our Museum but sometimes things move just a little bit slower than we would like them to but I had some very good workers and devoted members that are serving on this Committee and I do thank you for your willingness to serve had the opportunity arisen. Thank you. (Applause) Our Webmaster has submitted his Report, so we will not have a Report from the Webmaster. I call upon Sister Jane Gregory, Purposes and Policies for her Report.

Sister Jane Gregory: Thank you, Worthy Grand Matron. Due to my vision problems, my good friend and Past Grand Patron, Brother Henry, will give the Report.

Brother Henry Martin: Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Distinguished Members, My Sisters and Brothers:

It is with pleasure that I present the Members of the Purposes and Policies Committee: District 1, Henry Martin; District 2, Beulah Speers; District 3, Wanda Fairchild; District 4, Jane Gregory; and District 5, Jerry Trees; the 8 Elective Grand Officers; and the Chairman of the Board of Directors, making a total of 14 on the Purposes and Policies Committee.

The Committee met on Saturday, October 9, 2010 at TMRC at 1:00 p.m. The meeting opened with a prayer by David Dibrell, Associate Grand Patron and was immediately turned over to Vi Griffin, Associate Grand Matron, for the presentation of the year 2011-2012. In accordance with Article 152J, the proposed Humanitarian Program for 2011-2012 was presented: Faith – Estarl; Family – Benevolent Aid; Friends – Education Fund. Committees Requiring Funding: 1. Dress Pins; 2. Faith in our Future (Youth Organizations); 3. Family Album (Yearbook); 4. Friends Helping Friends (Actively promotes activities of Texas Scottish Rite Hospital for Children in Dallas); 5. Music; 6. Proficiency; 7. Rob Morris Celebration; 8. Take time for Friends (Calendar); and 9. TMRC Delightful Days. She also discussed her Family Fun Day and Swamp Fest.

The Committee approved her proposed plan. The meeting closed at 2:35 p.m. Respectfully submitted, Jane Gregory, Chairman, District 4.

Worthy Grand Matron, we submit a motion to accept this Report.

WGM: I have a motion and a second to accept the Report from the Purposes and Policies Committee. Is there any discussion? All in favor signify by raising your pink cards. All opposed same sign. I do thank this Committee for their very hard work in reviewing and helping our Associate Grand Matron with her Purposes and Policies for her oncoming year. Thank you very much. (Applause) I ask my Worthy Grand Patron to bring you the Report of the Rob Morris Celebration Dinner last night.

WGP: Sisters and Brothers, the Rob Morris Celebration last night was a huge success. You made our dreams come true with over 1,000 in attendance and over 35 motorized scooters (laughter) we've got to start getting bigger rooms so we can park. The auctions last night brought in \$8,505.85. (Applause) The General Fund will receive \$2,127 and the remaining \$6,378.85 will be distributed to the Boy Scouts, the Houston Shrine Hospital for Cripple Children, and TMRC. We're going to give them a special gift for them to use so they can buy something they need that maybe the budget has had to cut or something our ladies could use there and we're going to start a little fund. Our Grand Secretary has been hosting parties and things for our ladies up there and there are some needs that the ladies have that are not pro-

vided by TMRC and a lot of it has been coming out of her personal pocket. So we are going to give her a little bit of this to help start a fund and hopefully this will become a tradition and so that she'll have some money to buy some of these things and our ladies can benefit by that. Thank y'all very much for all y'all have done this year for our auction and our Rob Morris. Y'all deserved that meal last night. Thank you. (Applause)

WGM: Sharon, would you stand please and any Committee people that helped you last night. Here she is, she's over by the piano. Sharon is the one that is responsible for the auction that the District 4 Banquet, the one last night which was the biggest of all and all 48 of the auctions at the School of Instruction. I can never thank you enough for your service to our Order this year. Sharon, if anyone has made a difference, you and your Committee have this year and I thank you from the depths of my heart. (Applause)

I now call upon the Arrangements Committee for their Report. Brother John. Okay, I'm going to call upon the Executive Committee to give their Report. Brother Mark Dieckmann and Bart Henderson, his Co-Chairman and I'll let him introduce his Committee.

Brother Mark Dieckmann: You know these Oklahoma people. (Laughter)

To the Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Distinguished Members and Guests, my Sisters and Brothers:

Following Sister Mary Ruth's election as Associate Grand Conductress, the Executive Committee began with a small group of people working together to determine the needs for this Grand Chapter.

Negotiations began early on with the George R. Brown Convention Center and the Hilton Americas to insure a complete package of services for this Grand Chapter that would provide convenience and comfort to all attendees.

Sister Mary Ruth was very receptive to new ideas that were presented by the Executive Committee such as online housing registration and ticket ordering, including payment methods through credit cards and PayPal. She has been supportive to us through the entire process. For this we would like to say a special thanks.

I would like to acknowledge several people who have contributed greatly to this event in the time and effort they have given to the planning and preparation of this 129th Grand Chapter Session.

To Debby Pruitt, our Ticket Chairman, and her Committee who processed the tickets for all of the banquets, using three different methods of payments, we can never say "thank you" enough. They have spent countless hours and many phone calls insuring that everyone received exactly the orders they requested.

To Terri Rozell, our Housing Chairman, we say a special thank you for all the hours working with the hotel and the membership to insure our accommodations were as requested and available at the appropriate times.

To Micki Campbell, our Vendors' Chairman, we want to congratulate her for an outstanding effort in bringing in so many vendors with such a wide variety of merchandise for your shopping pleasure.

To the Arrangements Committee, we would say a special "thank you" for the close working relationship and cooperation you have given to the Executive Committee for the last several years.

I would like to introduce the Members of the Executive Committee: Bart Henderson – Co-Chairman; Heidi Jenkins – Secretary; and Judy Tucker – Treasurer; Darlene Taylor – Auditor.

A full accounting of all the income and expenses of this Grand Chapter will be made available through the Grand Secretary's office as soon as our audit is complete.

Sister Mary Ruth and Brother Art, thank you for the confidence you placed in us and for
"Garden of Friendship"

the continued support you have given throughout this journey to the 129th *Garden of Friendship* Grand Chapter Session. Fraternally and respectfully submitted, Mark Dieckmann, Executive Committee Chairman

Worthy Grand Matron, I move adoption of this Report.

WGM: It has been moved and seconded that we accept the Report of the Executive Committee. Is there any discussion? All in favor signify by raising your pink cards. Opposed same sign. Brother Mark, your Report has been adopted. (Applause) I now call upon the Chairman, John Elkinton for his Report on the Arrangements Committee.

Brother John Elkinton: Thank you, Worthy Grand Matron. To the Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Officers and Members:

On behalf of the members of the Arrangements Committee, we welcome you to Houston and the 129th Annual Session. Our goal was to make your visit to Houston the most enjoyable experience possible. We hope we have met and exceeded your expectations. We prayed for warm, dry weather and our prayers were answered.

This Session was made possible by the hard work of many talented Sisters and Brothers. We thank each Member of the Arrangements Committee for their dedication and service. Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron, we thank you for giving us the opportunity to serve you and the Grand Chapter of Texas. Respectfully submitted, John C. Elkinton, Chairman, Dwight vonHeeder, Co-Chairman and Pete Araiza, Co-Chairman.

Worthy Matron I move the adoption of the Report of the Arrangements Committee.

WGM: I have a motion and a second that we accept the Report of the Arrangements Committee. Is there any discussion? All in favor of accepting the Report of the Arrangements Committee raise your pink cards. Opposed same sign. Brother John, your Report has been accepted. (Applause) There are not words to express my gratitude for everything you have done for the past four years in the preparation for this Grand Chapter. Every detail that has ever been hoped for, these two committees have done their best to accomplish and I don't think that there is anything that we asked them for that we did not receive tenfold over. I have enjoyed meeting with each of you at our, here lately almost bi-monthly meetings, and have enjoyed you and the love and fellowship and the excitement that accompanied those meetings. I would like to ask that the Grand Chapter Assembly to show these very special ones just how much you appreciate their work for the past four years. (Applause) Sisters and Brothers....the Worthy Grand Patron has another announcement.

WGP: Sisters and Brothers, you didn't know that the real job description of the Worthy Grand Patron at Grand Chapter is the announcer for Lost and Found, missing items and whatever else they think of. Would Donald Grubbs please return to the Happy Glass booth? And Rowan Bennett, I've got your credit card. (Ohhh.....) so, if you want it back come negotiate...uh, come see me. (laughter).

WGM: Sisters and Brothers, there are two things remaining on our agenda for today that I think are very important and I would like to have this assembly participate in and that is the recognition of our 50 year members and our ladies from TMRC that have come to be with us at this Grand Chapter. To receive your 50 year membership is a reward of many, many years of active service in the Order of the Eastern Star. These members will be presented in the Grand East and given Grand Honors after having been presented at the altar. This is a once in a lifetime experience and I know that if you have friends in this group, you would want to share this experience with you. Also, Sister Vi and David, we are looking forward to your invitation to come to, let's see where is it? Beaumont?...and we want to see that celebration and invitation so if I give you the results of the election, can I ask you to stay with us through these two short programs and the closing of this Grand Chapter? I'm not going to ask you to show your pink cards but I am going to trust that you will grant me this one wish.

I invite Sister Sharon and Jerre to join me....Cheryl...I gave you a new name Cheryl. Now remember again what I told y'all at the beginning of this election. These ladies represent many years of service to our Order and are both very dedicated members and we want to show each of them just how much we do love and appreciate them. (Applause) Total possible votes, 1,279. There were 8 spoiled ballots that could not be counted. And with the double and triple votes the total possible votes cast were 1,668 votes. Needed to elect 835 votes. Sister Cheryl Albrecht 839 votes, Sister Jerre Lucas 829 votes. (Applause) It is my honor and privilege to introduce to you your new Associate Grand Conductress Elect, Sister Cheryl Albrecht. Cheryl, do you accept.

Sister Cheryl Albrecht: If I could talk I would. Yes ma'am, I do accept and thank you so very much. (Applause)

WGM: I would ask that those that are going to be recipients of the 50 year memberships would please assemble and also the Tellers and Election Judges, I want to thank you for the service you have performed today in helping with our election. And to the Election Committee, Paul Garner and Debra Miller and Jack Beall, I thank you for running the equipment and for giving us the results very quickly and timely. (Applause) Would our 50 year recipients please come down out of the stands so we might present you in the West and escort you to the East where we will be more than pleased to afford you Grand Honors. And while they are coming down, I invite Sister Vi Griffin and David Dibrell, would you like to get your group together and give us an invitation for some place to come next year? I released my Tellers. I thanked y'all and said that y'all could go to a more comfortable seat. Arrangements can you at least get the table behind Esther's station moved and I want to thank Brother H. Lee Stallings for being our Election Judge today. It was your knowledge and experience and cooperation that effected and helped this to be a very efficient election that moved very quickly and smoothly. Thank you very much Brother Lee. Vi, Associate Grand Matron, I invite you and your Committee to do your presentation to invite us to Beaumont. Grand Officers, may I have the attention of my Floor Officers? As soon as we conclude this meeting, please meet me at the Grand Secretary's desk. She needs our badges – our jewels. Do not go anywhere until you have deposited your jewel with our Grand Secretary.

[Music has begun “Rock Around the Clock”]

WGP: Would the Executive Chairman for next year please come to the East? Brother Ben, Executive Chairman, for next year please come to the East.

Brother Ben Clegg: Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Distinguished East, my Sisters and Brothers. It was Good Morning but its Good Evening now. Texas is a great State. It covers a broad expanse of land. We have many historic sites, great entertainment opportunities, sporting events of every type, great food and warm and friendly people. Mountains, plains, coastal cities and deep East Texas woods can be found in our State. But I'm here to tell you about another part of Texas that we're proud of. It's our Worthy Grand Matron Elect's "right side of Texas or her side of the swamp." We've heard Sister Vi refer to her side of the swamp many, many times. And as a true Texan she claims there's no better place to be. Where's her side of the swamp? Well I can tell you. It covers land between the "Old and Lost River," the Louisiana state line, south to the Gulf of Mexico in Cajun Country and North to the Piney Woods of Deep East Texas. What can we do when you cross this invisible line into Vi's country? Well, there'swhere is it...music? Anahuac, Texas "the gator capital of the world", Lamar University "put your red on and join the Big Red", Spindletop, Texas modern oil industry was born January 1901 with the famous Lucas Gusher and Spindletop Oil Field. Fishing, boating, golf shopping and festivals of all kinds can be found.

All come together for family fun. All this and much more when you come to our side of the swamp for the 130th Session of the Grand Chapter of Texas. Sister Vi, Brother David, along with a great slate of Officers, a superb Arrangements team and the support of the members of District 4 and District 1, hope you will plan to attend the Grand Chapter on July 26th, 27th and 28th, 2012 at Ford Park in Beaumont, Texas. How bout it Grand Chapter? A great time to be had in Southeast Texas. (Applause) Worthy Grand Matron, y'all want to come to Beaumont in 2012?

WGM: Would the membership of the Grand Chapter of Texas like to hold their next Grand Chapter in Beaumont? (Applause) All opposed? I think that motion carried! Sister Vi, I believe we're going to join you in Beaumont. It looks like we're going to have crawfish pie and filet gumbo and from the looks of these nice fat gators up here, we might even have some fried gator. (Ewww.....laughter)

Sister Vi Griffin: Thank you, Worthy Grand Matron. I've been telling y'all that green is good and as they say on our side of the swamp, y'all come. (Applause) July 26, 27, and 28th.

WGM: Our Worthy Grand Patron is getting a little bit tired. Do you know what he just asked me to do? He said "would you please line up our 100 year members back there?" (Laughter) I wish we had some hundred year members. Sister Lallah Mae's getting pretty close to it! I would like to ask those who will be receiving their 50 year recognition to, are y'all already in the West? Sisters Grand Conductress and Associate Grand Conductress will you escort the 50 year members at the altar.

Your accomplishments of an impressive number of years in membership is a beacon of hope to those members who have just begun their Eastern Star journey. I personally know what a wonderful feeling it is to be where you are at this moment because I was in that spot one year ago. We are grateful for your accomplishments and we honor you for your commitment and devotion to our Order. Sisters Grand Conductress and Associate Grand Conductress you will escort our 50 year members to the East. Would the men follow the Associate Grand Conductress. (Applause) (Three raps) Sisters and Brothers you will join me in saluting these 50 year members with the Grand Honors. (Applause) The names of each and every one of our 50 year members was listed in your program that you received at the beginning of Grand Chapter, so when you get home if you've not already had time to take a look at it, look at it and see how many names you might know. I know quite a few of them because like I say, they're my vintage. (Laughter) Sisters Grand Conductress and Associate Grand Conductress, they will be seated in the Grand Chapter Room. (One rap) (Applause) Do we have members from TMRC present this afternoon? We would like to recognize the members, we had three that registered from TMRC, and if they are present with us we would like to acknowledge their presence this afternoon. (Applause) Worthy Grand Patron, I recognize you for your closing remarks.

WGP: Thank you, Worthy Grand Matron. Today, we have concluded our business and have written yet another Chapter in the history of the Texas Grand Chapter. We began this year by asking you to till the garden soil and prepare it for the planting of our programs and Special Projects. Because of you, the loving caring membership of Texas, we've been able to reap a bountiful harvest. All of our programs were watered with your hard work, fertilized with your generosity, both time and dollars, and harvested to provide support and benefit for many different organizations. We all had the faith to dream and the willingness to make those dreams become a reality. Thank you from the bottom of my heart for this truly remarkable year in Texas Grand Chapter history. For all the courtesies extended to the office of Worthy Grand Patron and to me personally. I say thank you and may God Bless. (Applause and whoops!)

WGM: Our motto for this year began with, “If You Can DREAM It, and BELIEVE In It, You Can ACHIEVE It”. My dream of standing here in the Grand East as Worthy Grand Matron began a long time ago. The experience of travelling to all the chapters over the years instilled in me a desire to give something back to the membership in return for all of your warm welcomes, your kind words and your caring attitudes. Your encouragement and support has been a lift to my spirit. This week has been the proverbial dream come true and I thank you the membership for this once in a lifetime opportunity. When I began this journey it was also my dream to help the subordinate chapters to dream big. To build castles in the air and then find a way to put them on a solid foundation. Our dreams for our chapters and our memberships have seemed too big at times but you have joined me in believing it could happen. You have worked alongside me to make it happen and I thank you. As this Grand Chapter comes to a close, I sincerely hope that you will join me in continuing to dream and to accomplish wonders. Together we can make a difference in our future. Thank you my sweet, Sisters and Brothers one and all. (Applause – standing ovation). To bring the benediction of the 129th Session of the Grand Chapter of Texas is Brother Nelson Campbell, Past Grand Patron. (Applause)

Brother Nelson Campbell: If you will, take the hand of the one next to you as we go to the Lord. Our most gracious Heavenly Father, we come to you, Lord, at the close of this *Garden of Friendship* 129th Session of the Grand Chapter of Texas, thanking you for your love and merciful goodness to us during this week. We ask for your continued blessings upon our fraternity. We especially pray now, Lord, for our new leaders as they begin their year of service. We wish for the new corps of Officers every success in this day of their election and we pray that any disappointments or hurts that may have happened this day be removed. May we always remember that you have a plan for each of us. Again, Heavenly Father, we ask your blessings as we go our separate ways. Guide us, protect us, and bring us together again, in love for Thee and for each other. In Christ’s name we pray. Amen (Amen)

WGM: (One rap) Sister Grand Warder, you will inform the Grand Sentinel that we are about to call this Grand Chapter Session from labor to rest and direct him to permit no interruptions while we are thus engaged.

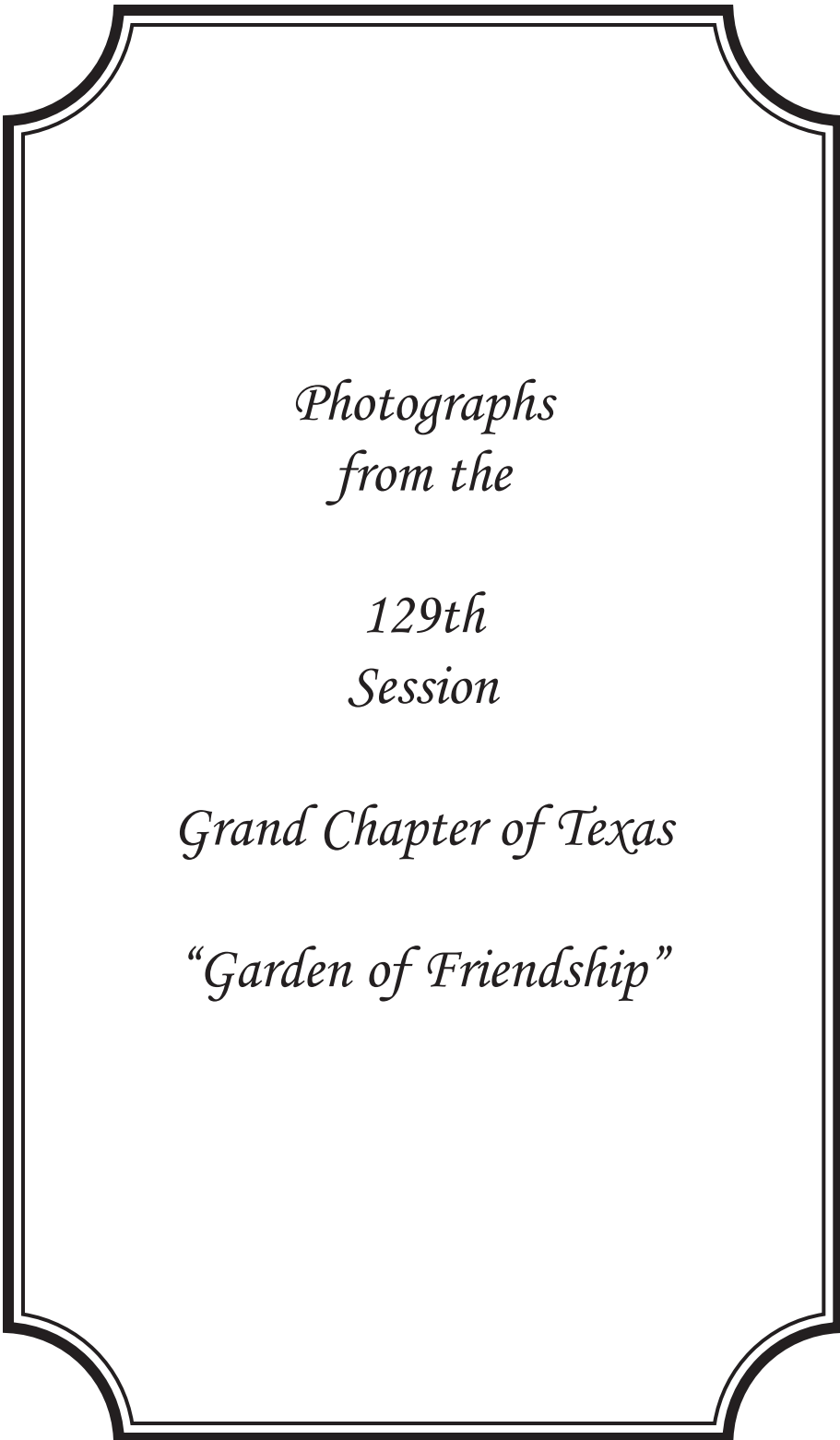
WGW: Brother Grand Sentinel we are about to call this Session from labor to rest and you’ll permit no interruptions while we are thus engaged. Worthy Grand Matron, your order has been obeyed.

WGM: Sister Grand Conductress, you will attend at the altar. (Three raps) I now call the *Garden of Friendship Session* of this Grand Chapter of Texas from labor to rest until 5:30 P.M. tonight at which time we will have the Installation of Officers for 2011 -2012. (One rap) Sister Grand Warder you will so inform the Grand Sentinel.

WGW: Brother Grand Sentinel, this Session is closed from labor to rest until 5:30 this evening for Open Installation.

WGM: To this wonderful membership I want to thank you for the time and efforts that you have donated to this Grand Chapter Session in making it the successful Session it was. Please accept my deepest gratitude and I want to thank you for staying with us so we could complete all of our business. Would the Grand Officers now turn in their badges to the Grand Secretary? Thank you. (Applause)



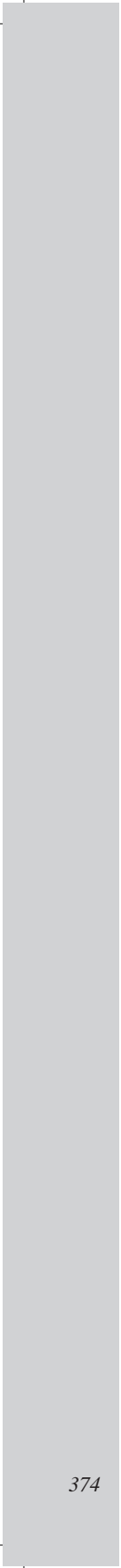


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129th
Session

Grand Chapter of Texas

“Garden of Friendship”*



Ceremonial Opening

Master of Ceremonies

Mrs. Betty Benham
Past Grand Matron of Texas



Distinguished Members and Guests

Mrs. Rennie Ofton
Most Worthy Grand Matron
General Grand Chapter
Past Grand Matron of Texas

Distinguished Members and Guests

Mr. John Grobler
Acting Most Worthy Grand Patron
General Grand Chapter



Distinguished Members and Guests

Elected Officers
of
General Grand Chapter

Ritualistic
Opening



“Thought of the Day”
Mrs. Nancy Brown
G.G.C. Pin Distribution Chairman
PGM of Texas



Mrs. Rennie Ofton
Most Worth Grand Matron
And
PGM of Texas



Mr. John Grobler
Acting Most Worthy Grand Patron
And
PGP of Washington



Grand Representatives Drill



"Garden of Friendship"

Humanitarian Program



Humanitarian Committee

*Mrs. Laura Sharpe
General Chairman*

Humanitarian Committee

*Mrs. Kenlyn Lawrence
District 1 Chairman*



Humanitarian Committee

*Mrs. Christeen Ledbetter
District 2 Chairman*



Friday Morning Business Session

Call to Order

Mrs. Naomi Wolfe
Past Grand Matron of Texas



Thought of the Day

Mrs. Doris Jean Hester
Credentials Committee
General Grand Chapter
Past Grand Matron of Texas

Committee on Chapters U.D

Mrs. Sandra Adams—Chairman
Dr. Paul Goodson
Dr. Anna Huckabee



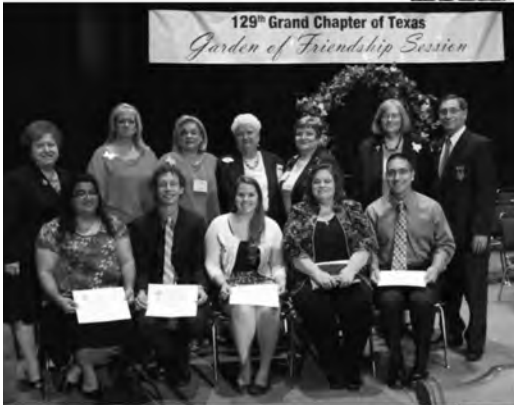
Parliamentarian

Mrs. Willie Mae Shaw

Memorial Program



ESTARL Program



"Garden of Friendship"

*Installed Grand
Officers
Dinner*



Deputies Luncheon



"Garden of Friendship"

*General Grand
Chapter
Banquet*



Grand Representatives Breakfast



"Garden of Friendship"

*White/Drescher
Luncheon*



*The One Hundred Thirtieth
Installation of Grand Officers
2011-2012
Grand Chapter of Texas
Order of the Eastern Star*



*George R. Brown Convention Center
Houston, Texas
Saturday, August 13, 2011
5:30 PM*

*Vi Griffin
Worthy Grand Matron*

*David B. Dibrell
Worthy Grand Patron*



*The Grand Chapter of Texas
Order of the Eastern Star*

Presents

*The One Hundred Thirtieth
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2011-2012*

“Faith, Family and Friends”

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Mrs. Vi Griffin Mr. David B. Dibrell
Worthy Grand Matron Worthy Grand Patron

Honored Guests

*Mrs. Mary Ruth White and Mr. K. Arthur Drescher, Jr.,
Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron
2010-2011*

General Grand Chapter Officers in Texas

*Mrs. Rennie Ofton
Most Worthy Grand Matron*

*Mrs. Alma Lynn Bane
Right Worthy Grand Secretary*

*Mrs. Elizabeth H. Bordeaux
Worthy Grand Chaplain*

*Mrs. Rosemary T. Swetland
Worthy Grand Organist*

General Grand Chapter Committee Members in Texas

*Mr. Henry S. Martin
Executive Committee – General Chairman*

*Mr. Kenneth R. Gregory
Executive Committee – General Co-Chairman*

*Mr. H. Lee Stallings
Executive Committee – Finance Chairman*

*Mr. Jerry Trees
Executive Committee - Housing Chairman*

*Mrs. Sharon Fentress
Executive Committee - Housing Co-Chairman*

*Mrs. Betty Y. Friend
Executive Committee – Social Chairman*

*Mr. Jerry L. Martin
Ambassador Committee—Hawaii*

Mrs. Elsie Paladino
Appeals and Grievances Committee

Mrs. Karen Morgenthaler
Cancer Committee

Mr. Duane "Buddy" Baker
Chapter Restoration Committee

Mrs. Doris Jean Hester
Credentials Committee

Mr. Ed Warner
ESTARL Committee

Mr. Billy H. Combest
Knights Templar Charities Committee – Chairman

Mrs. Wanda Fairchild
Membership Committee – United States Chairman

Mrs. Nancy Brown
Pin Committee – Distribution Chairman

Mrs. Alma Carter
Registration Committee – United States Chairman

Mr. J. William Rhyan
Registration Committee

Mr. Jack W. Guy
Service Dog Committee

Mr. Leland G. Benefield
Unfinished Business Committee

Mrs. Joyce Gilbert
Youth Committee – United States Chairman

Past Grand Matrons and Past Grand Patrons of Texas

<i>Mrs. Lallah Mae Vollus</i>	<i>Mr. Murray Watson</i>
<i>Mrs. Molly Goodpasture</i>	<i>Mr. Wayne P. Jones</i>
<i>Mrs. Patricia Major Neinest</i>	<i>Mr. Graham H. Childress</i>
<i>Mrs. Elise Hammack</i>	<i>Mr. Glenn Whitaker</i>
<i>Mrs. Beulah Speer</i>	<i>Mr. Garland W. Rattan</i>
<i>Mrs. Betty Phillips Benham</i>	<i>Mr. Richard Ochs</i>
<i>Dr. Effie Mae Davis</i>	<i>Mr. Harold Trammell</i>
<i>Mrs. Jane Gregory</i>	<i>Mr. Nelson Campbell</i>
<i>Mrs. Yvonne Brownfield</i>	<i>Mr. John Creel</i>
<i>Mrs. Naomi Wolfe</i>	<i>Mr. Ray Hertenberger</i>
<i>Mrs. Jimmie Lee McMahon</i>	<i>Mr. William L. "Bill" Wyatt, Jr.</i>
<i>Mrs. Geraldine "Gerry" Dusek</i>	
<i>Mrs. Joyce Nicklas</i>	
<i>Mrs. Bess Caldwell</i>	

Note to all Honored and Distinguished Guests, please be in the West at 5:00 P.M. You will be presented in the Processional through the Labyrinth to your place of Honor.

Distinguished Guests

General Grand Chapter Officers and Committees

*Present and Past Grand Matrons and Past Grand Patrons
of Other Grand Jurisdictions*

Visiting Grand Officers

Special Appointments of General Grand Chapter

*Special Appointments of the Most Worthy Grand Matron and
the Most Worthy Grand Patron*

Most Worshipful T. E. "Gene" Carnes, Grand Master

And

*Right Worshipful James F. Brumit, Deputy Grand Master
Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of Texas
Ancient Free and Accepted Masons*

*Mrs. Marlene Dibrell, Supreme Fidelity and
Supreme Liaison with Mexico
and*

*Mrs. JoAnn Weaver, Supreme Deputy
International Order of the Rainbow for Girls*

*Miss Melanie Seymour, Grand Worthy Advisor
Grand Assembly of Texas
International Order of the Rainbow for Girls*

*Mr. J. Weldon Clampitte, Grand Master of DeMolay International
and Executive Officer of DeMolay in Texas*

*Mr. Carl Wesley Wunsche, Jr.
State Master Councilor, DeMolay in Texas*

Special Guests

Worthy Grand Matron-elect's Family

Worthy Grand Patron-elect's Family

Anahuac Chapter No. 649

Dal-Cliff Chapter No. 574

Richardson Chapter No. 921

Installation Program

5:00 P.M.

Musical Prelude

*Mrs. Jackie Stogner
Past Matron*

Processional

5:30 P.M.

Master of Ceremonies

*Mrs. Naomi Wolfe
Past Grand Matron*

Processional Grand Marshal

*Mrs. Elise Hammack
Past Grand Matron*

Call to Order

*Mrs. Mary Ruth White
Worthy Grand Matron
Mr. K. Arthur Drescher, Jr.
Worthy Grand Patron*

General Grand Chapter Officers and Committees

*Present and Past Grand Matrons and
Past Grand Patrons of Other Grand Jurisdictions*

Texas' Past Grand Matrons and Past Grand Patrons

*Special Appointees of the Most Worthy Grand Matron
and the Most Worthy Grand Patron*

Most Worshipful Grand Master of Texas and Other Masonic Dignitaries

State Presiding Officers of other Fraternal Organizations

Presentation of 2011-2012 Board Members

Board of Grand Examiners

Mrs. Melissa Hudman, District 1

Mrs. Carla Stringer, District 2

Donna Pope, District 3

Mrs. Sharon Mosmeyer, District 4

Mrs. Sandra Zipp, District 5

Mrs. Susan Bigham, At Large

Board of Directors

Mrs. Tonya Foster, District 1

Becky Austin, District 1

Mrs. Karen Kidd, District 2

Mr. Keith Mikeworth, District 2

Mrs. Lorraine Williams, District 3

Mrs. Darla Dunaway, District 3

Mrs. Gerry Sturtz, District 4

Mrs. Elizabeth Wise, District 4

Mr. Ronald Zipp, District 5

Mr. David Ouellette, District 5

Presentation of 2011-2012 Grand Officers

Ms. Melanie Rayner Fraternal Correspondent
Escorted by Bobby Dockens

Mr. George Gwaltney Grand Sentinel
Escorted by Mrs. Nannette Gwaltney

Mrs. Gay Carnes Grand Warder
Escorted by M.: W.: T. E. (Gene) Carnes

Ms. Adele Isaacs Grand Electa
Escorted by Mr. Lee Jackson

Mrs. Sue Shoemaker Grand Martha
Escorted by Mr. Stephen Shoemaker

Mrs. Marlene Dibrell Grand Esther
Escorted by Mr. Brian Nennmann

Mrs. Marialice Bailey Grand Ruth
Escorted by Mr. Webster Bailey

Ms. Jo D. Dibrell Grand Adah
*Escorted by Mr. Steven Daniel Seybold
and Mr. Joseph Benton Seybold*

Mrs. Faye Percy Grand Organist
Escorted by Mr. Frank Berkley

Mrs. B. J. Corwin Grand Marshal
Escorted by Dr. Charles Corwin

Ms. Jerre Miller Grand Chaplain
Escorted by Mr. Trey Smith

<i>Mrs. Cheryl Albrecht</i>	<i>Associate Grand Conductress Escorted by Mr. Darrel Albrecht</i>
<i>Mrs. Jayne Yenger</i>	<i>Grand Conductress Escorted by Mr. Joseph D. Yenger</i>
<i>Mrs. Lorrie Owens</i>	<i>Grand Treasurer Escorted by Mr. Jerry L. Owens</i>
<i>Mrs. Marlene Scholari</i>	<i>Grand Secretary Escorted by Mr. Joe Scholari</i>
<i>Mr. William A. "Bill" Crews</i>	<i>Associate Grand Patron Escorted by Mrs. Kathie Crews</i>
<i>Mrs. Annette Curry</i>	<i>Associate Grand Matron Escorted by Mr. Jerry Davis</i>
<i>Mr. David B. Dibrell</i>	<i>Worthy Grand Patron Escorted by Dr. Jill Nennmann</i>
<i>Mrs. Vi Griffin</i>	<i>Worthy Grand Matron Escorted by Mr. Thomas F. Griffin</i>

Star Point Presentation

<i>Narrator</i>	<i>Mrs. Karen Morgenthaler General Grand Chapter Cancer Committee Past Grand Matron</i>
<i>Adafi</i>	<i>Mrs. Jimmie Lee McMahon Past Grand Matron Escorted by Mr. Ed Warner General Grand Chapter ESTARL Committee Past Grand Patron</i>
<i>Ruth</i>	<i>Mrs. Bess Caldwell Past Grand Matron Escorted by Mr. Jack Guy General Grand Chapter Service Dog Committee Past Grand Patron</i>
<i>Esther</i>	<i>Mrs. Wanda Fairchild General Grand Chapter Membership Committee—U.S. Chairman Past Grand Matron Escorted by Mr. Duane (Buddy) Baker General Grand Chapter Restoration Committee Past Grand Patron</i>
<i>Martha</i>	<i>Mrs. Joyce Gilbert General Grand Chapter Youth Committee—U.S. Chairman Past Grand Matron Escorted by Mr. W. L. "Bill" Wyatt Past Grand Patron</i>
<i>Electa</i>	<i>Mrs. Doris Hester General Grand Chapter Credentials Committee Past Grand Matron Escorted by Mr. Jerry Trees General Grand Chapter Executive Committee—Housing Chairman Past Grand Patron</i>

Presentation of the Bible and Bible Marker

*Mrs. Sandra Parsons and Miss Kaylee Parsons,
Daughter and Grand Daughter of the Worthy Grand Matron – elect*

Presentation of the Square and Compasses

*Mr. Thomas F. Griffin,
Past Grand Master of the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of Texas
Assisted by Master Grant Leubner,
Grandson of Worthy Grand Matron - elect*

Flag Presentation

United States *Mr. H. Lee Stallings*
General Grand Chapter Executive Committee— Finance Chairman
Past Grand Patron

Canadian *Mr. Kenneth Gregory*
General Grand Chapter Executive Committee Co-Chairman
Past Grand Patron

Texas *Mr. Jerry Trees*
General Grand Chapter Executive Committee – Housing Chairman
Past Grand Patron

Christian *Mr. Nelson Campbell*
Past Grand Patron

Eastern Star *Mr. Ben Clegg*
2011-2012 Executive Chairman

Masonic *Mr. Jerry L. Martin*
General Grand Chapter Ambassador Committee – Hawaii
Past Grand Patron

Pledge of Allegiance *Mr. John Creel*
Past Grand Patron

National Anthem *In Unison*

Opening of the Bible *Mrs. Annette Curry*
Grand Conductress

Invocation *Mr. J. William Ryan*
General Grand Chapter Registration Committee
Past Grand Patron of Arizona

Presentation of Installing Grand Officers

<i>Installing Grand Officer</i>	<i>Mrs. Yvonne S. Brownfield Past Grand Matron</i>
<i>Assisting Installing Grand Officer</i>	<i>Mr. Henry S. Martin General Grand Chapter Executive Committee, General Chairman Past Grand Patron</i>
<i>Installing Grand Chaplain</i>	<i>Mrs. Jane Gregory Past Grand Matron</i>
<i>Installing Grand Marshal</i>	<i>Mrs. Betty Phillips Benham Past Grand Matron</i>
<i>Installing Grand Organist</i>	<i>Mrs. Rosemary T. Swetland Worthy Grand Organist of General Grand Chapter Past Grand Matron</i>
<i>Installing Grand Secretary Pro-Tem</i>	<i>Dr. Effie Mae Davis Past Grand Matron</i>

Ceremony of Installation

Closing of the Holy Bible

*Mrs. Jayne Yenger
Grand Conductress*

Greetings

*Right Worshipful James F. Brumit
Deputy Grand Master
Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of Texas, AF & AM*

Greetings

*Most Worshipful T. E. (Gene) Carnes
Grand Master
Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of Texas, AF & AM*

Greetings

*Mr. J. Weldon Clampitte
Grand Master of DeMolay International
and Executive Officer of DeMolay in Texas*

DeMolay Presentation

*Carl Wesley Wunsch, Jr.
State Master Councilor Texas DeMolay*

Greetings

*Mrs. JoAnn Weaver
Supreme Deputy in Texas
International Order of the Rainbow for Girls*

Presentation of Rainbow Bibles

*Miss Melanie Seymour
Grand Worthy Advisor
And
Rainbow Girls of Texas
Grand Assembly of Texas
International Order of the Rainbow for Girls*

Presentations

Worthy Grand Matron's Jewel

Mrs. Mary Ruth White, Immediate Past Grand Matron

Worthy Grand Patron's Jewel

Mr. K. Arthur Drescher, Jr., Immediate Past Grand Patron

Past Grand Matron's Jewel

Mr. Joseph White

Past Grand Patron's Jewel

Mrs. Marty Drescher

Message and Dedication of the Worthy Grand Matron

*Mrs. Joyce Nicklas
Past Grand Matron*

Message and Dedication of the Worthy Grand Patron

*Mrs. Alma Lynn Bane
Right Worthy Grand Secretary of General Grand Chapter
Past Grand Matron*

Presentation of Colors, Flowers and Emblems

*Mrs. Alma Carter
General Grand Chapter Registration Committee
Past Grand Matron*

Presentation of Scriptures

*Mrs. Nancy Brown
General Grand Chapter Pin Committee
Past Grand Matron*

Dedication of the Worthy Grand Matron's Music

*Mrs. Bess Caldwell
Past Grand Matron*

Presentation of the Worthy Grand Matron's Music

"The Vivacious Lady March" Mrs. Marion (Boots) Draper

"Vivacious Ladies' Fun Time Tune"

Mrs. Linda Love

Dedication of the Worthy Grand Patron's Music

*Mrs. Betty Friend
Past Grand Matron*

*Presentation of the Worthy Grand Patron's Music
"March of the Distinguished Gentlemen"*

Dr. Jill Nennmann

Special Music

*Mrs. Lesa Smith
Accompanied by Mrs. Darla Dunaway*

Presentation of the Humanitarian Program

*Mrs. Sharon Fentress
General Grand Chapter Executive Committee—Housing Co-Chairman
Past Grand Matron*

Address

*Mr. David B. Dibrell
Worthy Grand Patron*

Address

*Mrs. Vi Griffin
Worthy Grand Matron*

Benediction

*Mr. William L. "Bill" Wyatt
Past Grand Patron*

RECESS

Thank you for sharing this special evening with us.

Those who are not members will please retire at this time

<i>Call from Rest to Labor</i>	<i>Mrs. Vi Griffin Worthy Grand Matron</i>
<i>Proving of the Grand Chapter</i>	<i>Mrs. Annette Curry Associate Grand Matron</i>
<i>Presentations</i>	<i>Chairman, Board of Directors</i>
<i>Appointment of Special Committee</i>	<i>Mrs. Vi Griffin Worthy Grand Matron</i>
<i>Retiring of the Flag</i>	<i>Mrs. B. J. Corwin Grand Marshal</i>
<i>Ritualistic Closing of 129th Session of Grand Chapter</i>	
<i>Closing Ode</i>	<i>May the Good Lord Bless and Keep You</i>
<i>Mizpeh Benediction</i>	<i>In Unison</i>
<i>Closing of the Holy Bible</i>	<i>Mrs. Jayne Yenger Grand Conductress</i>

Sunday, August 14, 2011

All 2011-2012 Candidates will meet with the Worthy Grand Matron at 7:30 a.m. before the Breakfast for a review of candidate rules.

The "She's Got That Look" Breakfast honoring the newly elected Associate Grand Conductress will begin at 8:00 a.m. at the Hilton Americas Hotel, Ballrooms A,B,C.

Deputy Grand Matron Conference will begin at 10:00 a.m., Sunday, August 14, 2011 at the Hilton Americas Hotel, Ballroom of the Americas. Past Grand Matrons, Past Grand Patrons, Installed Grand Officers, and Elected Board Members are invited to attend.

Invitations

Anahuac Chapter 649
cordially invites you to attend
The "Giddy-Up-Let's Go" Banquet
honoring
Mrs. Vi Griffin, Worthy Grand Matron
followed by the
Fraternal Visit of the Worthy Grand Matron and honoring the
Worthy Grand Patron
Saturday, August 20, 2011

The Banquet will begin at 5:30 p.m. at
The Winnie-Stowell Community Building
305 S. Park Street
Winnie, Texas
Followed by the Fraternal Visit
Family Life Center of
First United Methodist Church
124 Freeman Street
Winnie, Texas 77665

Hotel Accommodations Holiday Inn Express
46300 IH 10 East (Access Road)
Winnie, Texas
Room Rate \$85.99 + Tax King
\$89.99 + Tax 2 Queen
Mention Order of the Eastern Star

Ticket Chairman: Mr. Thomas F. Griffin
P. O. Box 437, Stowell, TX 77661
Phone: 409-296-2796
Tickets \$25.00

Please include a SASE and 2011-2012 Title

Dal-Cliff Chapter 574 and Richardson Chapter 921

*cordially invite you to attend the
"A Distinguished Affair" Banquet
Honoring Mr. David B. Dibrell, Worthy Grand Patron
followed by
Joint Fraternal Visit of the Worthy Grand Matron
and honoring the Worthy Grand Patron,
Saturday, August 27, 2011*

*The Banquet will begin at 5:30 p.m. in the Crystal Ballroom
Followed by the Fraternal Visit in the Auditorium
Scottish Rite Cathedral
500 S. Harwood Street
Dallas, TX 75201*

*Hotel Accommodations Sheraton Dallas Hotel
400 N. Olive Street, Dallas, TX 75201
214-922-8000 (Mention OES)
Room Rate \$89 + Tax*

*Ticket Chairman: Mrs. Carolyn Schulze
2342 West Five Mile Parkway
Dallas, TX 75224
Tickets \$30.00*

Please include SASE and your 2011-2012 Title

Special thanks to:

*The Executive and Arrangements Committee for 2011-2012
The Executive and Arrangement Committee for 2010-2011
Staff of the Grand Chapter Office*

*Installation pictures may be ordered by contacting:
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361-664-4229
cvideo@sbcglobal.net*

**Grand Chapter of Texas, Order of the Eastern Star
130th Installation of Grand Officers
George R. Brown Convention Center, Houston, Texas
Saturday, August 13, 2011, 5:30 p.m.**

“Faith, Family and Friends”

Master of Ceremonies:
Matron

Mrs. Naomi Wolfe, Past Grand

Processional Grand Marshal:
Matron

Mrs. Elise Hammack, Past Grand

MC Naomi Wolfe: Isn't this a beautiful evening? Have you been admiring the attire that all the new officers are wearing? Has the excitement of the evening engulfed you? Well, it has for me and more so, for I have been honored by the Worthy Grand Matron Elect to serve as your Master of Ceremonies for the evening events. The Seeds of Friendship have been planted and we gently close another chapter in the history of our Order. With much anticipation we wonder what the new time holds in store for us. And as the pages of the new Chapter begin we embark on a magical journey with much excitement and enthusiasm that includes Faith, Family and Friends. So let's begin. Welcome to the 130th Installation of the Grand Chapter of Texas, Order of the Eastern Star. On behalf of our Worthy Grand Matron Elect, Sister Vi Griffin and our Worthy Grand Patron Elect, Brother David Dibrell, I extend their sincere appreciation to each of you for your presence here this evening. And Sister Jackie Stogner, thank you very much. We have enjoyed your lovely music. She is a Past Matron of Big Spring Chapter #67. Thank you, Jackie, for sharing your beautiful talent with us this evening. (Applause) As we turn the pages of the Grand Chapter Memory Book, we find ourselves at the beginning of a new chapter. Fresh in our minds are the memories of the “Garden of Friendship” that our Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron has planted and nourished for us during this year, now ending. Processional Marshal, it is my privilege to invite you to present our Worthy Grand Matron, Mrs. Mary Ruth White, and our Worthy Grand Patron, Mr. Karl Arthur Drescher, Jr., to the East. (Applause) Sisters and Brothers, it is my honor and privilege to introduce Sister Mary Ruth White, Worthy Grand Matron, and Brother Karl Arthur Drescher, Jr., Worthy Grand Patron. Please join with me in according them Grand Honors. (Grand Honors given.) Sister Mary Ruth, I invite you to call this Grand Chapter to order.

WGM Mary Ruth White: (One rap)

MC Naomi Wolfe: At this time, we will proceed with the presentation of our honored and distinguished guests. Sister Installing Grand Marshal, you will present those General Grand Chapter Officers and Committee Members which we Texans are so proud to call our own: Mrs. Alma Lynn Bane, Right Worthy Grand Secretary; Mrs. Rosemary Swetland, Worthy Grand Organist; Mr. Henry Martin, Executive Committee General Chairman; Mr. Lee Stallings, Finance Chairman; Mr. Jerry Trees, Housing Chairman; Mrs. Sharon Fentress, Housing Co-Chairman; Mrs. Betty Friend, Social Chairman; Mr. Jerry Martin, Ambassador to Hawaii; Mrs. Elsie Paladino, Appeals and Grievances; Mrs. Karen

Morgenthaler, Cancer Committee; Mr. Duane “Buddy” Baker, Chapter Restoration Committee; Mrs. Doris Hester, Credentials Committee; Mr. Ed Warner, ESTARL Committee; Mrs. Wanda Fairchild, Membership Committee US Chairman; Mrs. Nancy Brown, Pin Distribution Committee Chairman; Mrs. Alma Carter, Registration Committee US Chairman; Mr. J. William Rhyan, Registration; Mr. Jack Guy, Service Dog Committee; Mrs. Joyce Gilbert, Youth Committee US Chairman.

Sister Processional Marshal, you will present the Past Grand Matrons and Past Grand Patrons of Texas: Mrs. Elise Hammock; Mrs. Betty Benham; Dr. Effie Mae Davis; Mrs. Jane Gregory; Mrs. Yvonne Brownfield; Mrs. Jimmie Lee McMahan; Mrs. Joyce Nicklas; Mrs. Bess Caldwell; Mr. Richard Ochs, Mr. Harold Trammell; Mr. Nelson Campbell; Mr. John Creel; Mr. Ray Hertenberger; and Mr. William Wyatt. Sisters and Brothers, as our very own Past Grand Matrons and Past Grand Patrons pass by, you are seeing those whose dreams have become realities and comprise the pages of the history books of the Order of the Eastern Star. To this beautiful group: the Grand Chapter of Texas is enriched by your continued love, encouragement and support of our Eastern Star membership. We recognize and appreciate all that you do for us. Thank you so very much. (Applause)

Sister Processional Marshal, you will present our distinguished guests: Mrs. Vivian Christopolus, Worthy Grand Warder; Past Grand Matron of Oklahoma, Mrs. Debbie Beard; Installed Grand Officers of Oklahoma are Mrs. Melissa Griffin, Associate Grand Matron, and Mr. Sam Beard, Associate Grand Patron; (Applause)

Installed Grand Officers and Officials of our Grand Lodge, our Most Worshipful Grand Master, Mr. T. E. “Gene” Carnes, of the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of Texas, A.F. & A.M.; Mr. Jim Brumit, Deputy Grand Master of the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of Texas, A.F. & A.M.; Grand Senior Warden, Mr. Walter Rogers of the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of Texas A.F. & A.M.; Mr. Jerry Martin, Grand Junior Warden of the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of Texas A.F. & A.M., and our Past Grand Master, Mr. Michael Nanny, of the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of Texas A.F. & A.M. (Applause)

Our Special Appointments of General Grand Chapter, we have Sister Phyllis Macon, President of the International Grand Representatives and our other Special Appointments of the Most Worthy Grand Matron and Most Worthy Grand Patron, the Cardinal Crew Members. Aren’t they beautiful? (Applause)

We have our Fraternal Youth Organization Leaders: Mrs. JoAnn Weaver, Supreme Deputy, International Order of the Rainbow for Girls; Miss Melanie Seymour, Grand Worthy Advisor, Grand Assembly of Texas, International Order of the Rainbow for Girls; Mr. Weldon Clampitte, Grand Master of DeMolay International and Executive Officer of DeMolay in Texas; Wesley Wunsche, State Master Councilor Texas, DeMolay. Let’s give them a hand. (Applause)

Sister Processional Marshal you will present our Special Guests. Our Worthy Grand Matron Elect is a Past Matron of Anahuac Chapter #649 in Anahuac. You will have an opportunity to meet the Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron just a little later in the program. The Worthy Grand Patron Elect is a Past Patron of Dal-Cliff Chapter #574 and a dual member of Richardson Chapter #921. It is my pleasure to present Mrs. Sue Briwa, Worthy Matron and Mr. Tony Whitehead, Worthy Patron of Dal-Cliff Chapter and Mrs. Alys Newsome, Worthy Matron and Mr. Henry Urqhardt, Worthy Patron of Richardson Chapter. (Applause)

The Constitution and Code of Laws that govern the Order in Texas provides for three Boards. Each elected by the majority vote of Grand Chapter: The Board of Directors; the Board of Grand Examiners; and the Corporate Board. The Board of Grand Examiners is

composed of six members elected annually who are responsible for the administration and reporting of the proficiency examinations of our members. I am pleased to present them. Please hold your applause until all have been presented. Mrs. Melissa Hudman, District 1; Mrs. Carla Stringer, District 2; Mrs. Donna Pope, District 3; Mrs. Sharon Mosmeyer, District 4; Mrs. Sandra Zipp, District 5; and Mrs. Susan Bigham, Grand Examiner at Large. Please greet our 2011-2012 Board of Grand Examiners. (Applause)

The Board of Directors is composed of ten members, two from each District. Each elected for a term of five years. Among the many responsibilities of this Board is caring for finances of our Grand Chapter. Please hold your applause until the entire Board has been presented. District 1 is Mrs. Tonya Foster, who is Secretary for the coming year; Mrs. Becky Austin; District 2 is Mrs. Karen Kidd and Mr. Keith Mikeworth, who is going to be Chairman for the next year; District 3 is Mrs. Lorraine Williams and Mrs. Darla Dunaway; District 4 is Mrs. Elizabeth Wise, who will serve as Vice-Chairman this next year; and Mrs. Gerry Sturtz; District 5 is Mr. Ron Zipp and David Ouellette. Please greet the 2011-2012 Board of Directors and show your appreciation for their dedicated service to Grand Chapter. (Applause)

In addition to the eight installed Grand Officers who are elected by the members of Grand Chapter and compose the Corporate Board, the Worthy Grand Matron Elect has the privilege to select those to serve in appointed offices and to serve as Fraternal Correspondent. It is my honor to present the Installed Grand Officers and Fraternal Correspondent. The Fraternal Correspondent is Ms. Melanie Rayner escorted by Mr. Bobby Dockens. Melanie and Bobby serve as Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron of Anahuac Chapter #649, home chapter of the Worthy Grand Matron Elect. (Applause) Grand Sentinel is Mr. George Gwaltney, a Past Patron of Schertz Chapter #911, escorted by his wife, Mrs. Nannette Gwaltney. (Applause) Grand Warder is Mrs. Gay Carnes, a Past Matron of Boerne Chapter #200, and escorted by her husband, Mr. Gene Carnes. (Applause) Grand Electa is Mrs. Adele Isaacs, a Past Matron of Arlington Chapter #249, escorted by her son, Mr. Lee Jackson. (Applause) Grand Martha is Mrs. Sue Shoemaker, a Past Matron of Templar Chapter #374, escorted by her son, Mr. Stephen Shoemaker. (Applause) Grand Esther is Mrs. Marlene Dibrell, wife of the Worthy Grand Patron Elect, and a Past Matron of Dal-Cliff Chapter #574 escorted by their son-in-law, Mr. Brian Nennmann. (Applause) Grand Ruth is Mrs. Marialice Bailey, Worthy Matron of Vidor Chapter #914, escorted by her son, Mr. Webster Bailey. (Applause) Grand Adah is Ms. Jo D. Dibrell, a Past Matron of Dal-Cliff Chapter #574, escorted by her nephews, Mr. Steven Seybold and Mr. Benton Seybold. (Applause) Grand Organist is Mrs. Faye Percy, a Past Matron of Odessa Chapter #447, escorted by Brother Bill Wyatt. (Applause) Grand Marshal is Mrs. B. J. Corwin, a Past Matron of El Campo Chapter #535, escorted by her husband, Dr. Charles Corwin. (Applause) Our Grand Chaplain is Ms. Jerre Miller, a Past Matron of Handley Chapter #617, escorted by Mr. Trey Smith. (Applause) Our Associate Grand Conductress is Mrs. Cheryl Albrecht, a Past Matron of Crescent Chapter #820, escorted by her husband, Mr. Darrell Albrecht. (Applause) Grand Conductress is Mrs. Jayne Yenger, Past Matron of Vashti Chapter #32, escorted by her son, Mr. Joseph D. Yenger. (Applause) Grand Treasurer is Mrs. Lorrie Owens, a Past Matron of the Colony Chapter #1136, escorted by her husband, Mr. Jerry Owens. (Applause) Grand Secretary is Mrs. Marlene Scholari, Worthy Matron of Edwin J. Kiest Chapter #959, escorted by her husband, Mr. Joe Scholari. (Applause) Our Associate Grand Patron is Mr. William A. "Bill" Crews, Past Patron of Polytechnic Chapter #420, escorted by his wife, Mrs. Kathy Crews. (Applause) Associate Grand Matron is Mrs. Annette Curry, a Past Matron of North

Ft. Worth #684, and is escorted by Mr. Jerry Davis. (Applause) Worthy Grand Patron is Mr. David B. Dibrell, Past Patron of Dal-Cliff Chapter #574, escorted by their daughter, Dr. Jill Nennmann. (Applause) Worthy Grand Matron is Mrs. Vi Griffin, Past Matron of Anahuac Chapter #649, escorted by her husband, Mr. Thomas F. Griffin. (Applause)

The lessons of our Order are Scriptural. The principles of the Order of the Eastern Star are portrayed in the five degrees of our Order. We're admonished to let the virtues of these tried and true servants of God find reflection in our lives. The narration of the Star Point emblems will be presented by Mrs. Karen Morgenthaler, Past Grand Matron, assisted by additional Past Grand Matrons and Past Grand Patrons, whom she will introduce.

PGM Karen Morgenthaler: Thank you, Master of Ceremonies. Thank you to Sister Vi and Brother David for the privilege of participating in your special evening. If our Star Point presenters will please enter the room. Sisters and Brothers, it is my honor to present those – to introduce those who will be presenters in our Star Point Presentation: the station of Adah, Sister Jimmie Lee McMahon, escorted by Brother Ed Warner; the station of Ruth, Sister Bess Caldwell, escorted by Brother Jack Guy; the station of Esther by Sister Joyce Nicklas, escorted by Brother Buddy Baker; the station of Martha by Sister Joyce Gilbert, escorted by Brother Bill Wyatt; and the station of Electa by Sister Doris Hester, escorted by Brother Jerry Trees. The lessons of our Order are scriptural and the principles of the Order of the Eastern Star are portrayed in the five degrees of our Order. We are admonished to let the virtues of these tried and true servants of God find reflection in our lives. In the creation of our Order, our Founder, Dr. Robert Morris, thought of the five relationships of a woman to a Master Mason. Being a wife, widow, mother, daughter and sister. Then he turned to the scriptures to find the five persons he thought would represent these relationships and teach the virtuous lessons of our Order. He was looking for just the right example of heroic conduct to inspire us to greater service and he settled on Adah, Ruth, Esther, Martha and Electa.

The first is the lesson of Adah. She is the daughter station. We so often think of her as courageous and obedient. Her love and loyalty for her father represents the virtue of fidelity. The sword and veil united represents her faithful love and courage during adversity.

The second lesson is the story of Ruth and Ruth's love for her mother-in-law. Ruth is the widow's station. It represents the virtue of constancy. The kindness of Ruth is a lesson we should hold close in our hearts. The sheaf is an emblem of patient industry reminding us however minute an act of kindness, it will not go unrewarded.

Esther is the wife's station. She is our third lesson for it is the story of a young woman's loyal love for her people. And through her role as queen she achieved harmonious relationships with her people and with her king. She represents the virtue of loyalty. The crown and scepter united represents the power and the loyalty that proves Esther's courage is far above her fear of penalty in her unselfish loyalty to the welfare of her people.

In our fourth lesson, the station of Martha, we find Martha in a story of a grief stricken woman's love for her brother. And from here we learn profound lessons of faith when taken as guideposts could not help but make us better persons. The broken column is an emblem of life's uncertainty expressing Martha's faith and love to prove immortality.

In our fifth lesson – Sister Electa. We've learned that love is the word most linked with Electa, the mother who is truly the epitome of love. Here is the story of a woman preeminent in charity who so loved her God that she refused to denounce her faith when demanded to do so by the Roman soldiers. She represents the virtue of loving service. The cup is an emblem of charity and hospitality which expresses Electa's Christian love and devotion. Sisters and Brothers, as we think upon the virtues of these heroines, we will recall that they

all had one thing in common, unselfish love. Adah was motivated by her love for her father, Ruth for the love of her mother-in-law, Esther for the love of her kindred and friends, Martha by her love for Jesus and her brother and Electa for her love of her God and her fellow man. So let us be inspired by these heroines. Keep these lessons before us. To live our lives with the fidelity, the constancy, the loyalty, the faith and love that will cause us to be Fairest Among Thousands Altogether Lovely. Thank you. (Applause)

MC Naomi Wolfe: As the word of God is definitely the center of our lives, the Holy Bible is placed upon the Altar in a position of honor in every Chapter Room. The stories of the heroines of our Order and the lessons they teach are found within the pages of this book. The Bible being used tonight is the Chapter Bible of Anahuac Chapter 649. The exquisite Bible cover is designed and crafted by Mrs. Rita Lytle. The Bible is presented by Mrs. Louise Wilson, sister-in-law of our Worthy Grand Matron Elect. During our deliberations, our Bible is always open to the Second Chapter of St. Matthew where we read in part: "We have seen his star in the East and have come to worship Him". To mark this place in our Bible, Mrs. Lytle has also made a beautiful Bible marker. It is presented by Mrs. Casey Wilson, niece of our Worthy Grand Matron Elect. Upon the pages of our open Bible, we reverently place the time honored implements of our Masonic Brothers, the Square and Compasses. This is a cherished privilege granted to us by the Grand Lodge of Texas, Ancient Free and Accepted Masons. Presenting the Square and Compasses is Mr. Thomas F. Griffin, Past Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Texas and more importantly the husband of the Worthy Grand Matron Elect. He is assisted by Master Richard Grant Leubner, grandson of the Past Grand Master and the Worthy Grand Matron Elect. (Applause)

Through the ages, flags have been used to identify and symbolize nationhood. We pledge allegiance to the flag as an expression of our loyalty to our country and our cause. Please stand for the presentation of our flags. (three raps) Across America and around the world, the United States flag symbolizes the freedoms we enjoy as well as representing the protection of human rights. May we never take lightly the blood that continues to be shed to preserve the freedoms we enjoy daily. Proudly presenting the flag of this great nation is Mr. H. Lee Stallings, a Past Grand Patron of Texas. The Canadian flag of our neighbors to the north is flown with the bright red Canadian Maple leaf. Our flags fly side by side in a steadfast spirit of peace and fraternal friendship. The Canadian flag is presented by Mr. Ray Hertenberger, Past Grand Patron of Texas. No other state has such a heritage of sacrifice for freedom as Texas. It is one of the most readily recognized of all the state flags. With great pride the flag of the Lone Star State is presented by Mr. Jerry L. Trees, a Past Grand Patron of Texas. The cross of the Christian flag represents the sacrifice of our Savior and is symbolic of our faith. It is the universal emblem of the Christian religion. The Christian flag is presented this evening by Mr. Nelson R. Campbell, a Past Grand Patron of Texas. The beautiful emblematic Star of our Order displayed on a background of pure white reminds us of the lessons taught through the heroines of our Order. Mr. Ben Clegg, Past Patron of Wisteria Chapter #823 and the 2011-2012 Executive Committee Chairman presents the Eastern Star Flag. We honor our Masonic Brothers as the foundation of the entire Fraternal family. The Masonic flag will be presented by Mr. Jerry L. Martin, General Grand Chapter Ambassador to Hawaii and Past Grand Patron of Texas. Mr. John Creel, a Past Grand Patron of Texas and one of the most Patriotic men I know will lead us in the Pledge of Allegiance to our country.

Mr. John Creel: Join me in the Pledge of Allegiance to our nation's flag. (Everyone recites the Pledge of Allegiance).

MC Naomi Wolfe: Mrs. Lesa Smith will lead us as we sing our National Anthem.

Mrs. Lesa Smith: (Leads everyone in the National Anthem)

MC Naomi Wolfe: Please remain standing while we have our Bible to be opened.
Worthy Grand Matron?

WGM: Sister Conductress, you will open the Holy Bible on our Altar.

(Music while the Bible is Opened)

Our invocation will be voiced by Mr. J. William “Bill” Rhyan, Past Grand Patron of Arizona.

Mr. Bill Rhyan: Let us pray. Our Father, we are grateful today for the many blessings of life and for every expression of Thy kindness and love. We are grateful, O Father, for these days of fellowship together during this past session. And may each of us, Officers and Members alike, continue to walk and talk with God. And let Him guide us in our Fraternal pathways and in our daily walks of life. We invoke Thy blessing upon the new officers who are about to resume their duties and responsibilities. May truth, love, unity and peace abide with each one in the days to come and in the performance of the tasks assigned. These things we pray in the name of your son, Jesus Christ and our Savior of mankind. Amen. (Amen)

MC Naomi Wolfe: You may be seated. (One rap) It is the privilege of the Worthy Grand Matron Elect to select the Installing Officers for her installation. More often than not, we gravitate to those with whom we have special ties. Those who know us and love us best. Our Worthy Grand Matron Elect has selected Mrs. Yvonne Brownfield, Past Grand Matron of Texas to serve as her Installing Officer for this evening. In 1997-98, Sister Vi served as Deputy Grand Matron, District 4, under Sister Yvonne. So there are special ties and a love of friendship that is constant. Sister Yvonne, it is my pleasure to welcome you and to invite you to introduce those who will be assisting you in the Installation this evening.

PGM Yvonne Brownfield: Thank you, Sister Naomi. I don’t believe anybody went home today, looks like it’s still as full as it was this morning in here. But we are so proud that everyone could stay and return and be with us for this evening. It is indeed my pleasure to be here tonight. It touches my heart strings. I’d like to also introduce those who are going to assist in the Installation. Sister Effie Mae Davis is going to be the Installing Grand Secretary; Sister Jane Gregory, Installing Grand Chaplain; Sister Rosemary Swetland, Installing Grand Organist; and Brother Henry Martin serving as Assisting Installing Grand Officer and he, I think, will have a little extra duties from me. So if they will take their places, we will prepare for the ceremony of Installation. Please forgive me, Sister Betty Benham will be the Installing Grand Marshal. Can we please have a recess so we can prepare for the ceremony of Installation?

Installing Grand Marshal, you will invite the Grand Officers to enter the Grand Chapter Room. (Installing Grand Marshal enters with the Grand Officers) Sisters and Brothers, the selection of a new Board of Grand Officers is an important event in the history of the Grand Chapter. The welfare of this Grand Chapter may be permanently affected by the actions of those of whom you have chosen for this Grand Chapter for the ensuing year. Under their guidance may our beloved Order prosper and be known and honored among the institutions of the land as one whose foundation is based upon the enduring principles of truth. Grand Marshal you will call the roll of Officers to be installed.

IGM Betty Benham:

Sister Vi Griffin, Worthy Grand Matron
 Mr. David B. Dibrell, Worthy Grand Patron
 Mrs. Annette Curry, Associate Grand Matron
 Mr. William A "Bill" Crews, Associate Grand Patron
 Mrs. Marlene Scholari, Grand Secretary
 Mrs. Lorrie Owens, Grand Treasurer
 Mrs. Jayne Yenger, Grand Conductress
 Mrs. Cheryl Albrecht, Associate Grand Conductress
 Ms. Jerre Miller, Grand Chaplain
 Mrs. B. J. Corwin, Grand Marshal
 Mrs. Faye Percy, Grand Organist
 Ms. Jo D. Dibrell, Grand Adah
 Mrs. Marialice Bailey, Grand Ruth
 Mrs. Marlene Dibrell, Grand Esther
 Mrs. Sue Shoemaker, Grand Martha
 Mrs. Adele Isaacs, Grand Electa
 Mrs. Gay Carnes, Grand Warder and
 Mr. George Gwaltney, Grand Sentinel

These members have been chosen to serve this Grand Chapter, to conduct the business of this Grand Chapter, and to perform their duties until their successors have been lawfully chosen and installed.

(Grand Installation Ceremony Performed)

WGM Vi Griffin: Sister Conductress, you will close the Holy Bible. (three raps) (one rap)

MC Naomi Wolfe: Without the assistance and support of our Masonic Brothers, we could accomplish very little. We rely upon them for everything from our meeting places to help with our fundraisers. We are honored this evening to have the Deputy Grand Master of the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of Texas, also a member of Loyal Chapter #649, in attendance this evening. It is my privilege to introduce Mr. Jim Brumit, Deputy Grand Master and I invite him to bring greetings to this assembly. (Applause)

DGM Jim Brumit: Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, and thank you Worthy Grand Matron for inviting me to address this body. What a great ceremony we just witnessed. The installation was beautiful. I have enjoyed every minute of it and what a great body of friends. Sisters, Brothers and Guests, we have tonight, and I do bring you greetings from the nearly 900 Masonic Lodges in this great state. We wish you, this Grand Chapter to have a beautiful year and you will be welcome in our lodges wherever you may be. Thank you very much and I have enjoyed this evening. (Applause)

MC Naomi Wolfe: Thank you so much. The Grand Lodge of Texas and the Grand Chapter of Texas work hand in hand, side by side. Each though not part of the other yet unified in service to mankind. It is indeed an honor to have the Grand Master of all Masons in Texas, long time friend of the Worthy Grand Matron and the Worthy Grand Patron and their families. Please welcome Most Worshipful T. E. "Gene" Carnes. We await your greetings from the Grand Lodge of Texas. (Applause)

MWGM T. E. "Gene" Carnes: Most Worthy Grand Matron, boy what a name. (yes, he did say Most Worthy for the Grand Matron and Grand Patron) Most Worthy Grand

Patron, what an honor and a pleasure it is for me to be here on this very special occasion. Of course, it means a great deal to me because Vi Griffin and David Dibrell have been long time friends of Gay and I and I really appreciate the opportunity to bring greetings from the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of Texas and all the 89,000 Masons in Texas and wish you God Speed and most happiness throughout the year. If there is anything, and I do mean anything, that we can do for you, you just give us a call. But there is one thing you have to keep doing Vi, keep cooking that deep fried shrimp. Thank you so much, it's been a great pleasure to be here in this beautiful ceremony and I've enjoyed it so much. Thank you so much for the opportunity. Thank you. (Applause)

MC Naomi Wolfe: Our ties with General Grand Chapter are strengthened with the participation of our Texas Past Grand Matrons and Past Grand Patrons in the International endeavors of our Order. To bring greetings from the General Grand Chapter family this evening is Sister Alma Lynn Bane, Right Worthy Grand Secretary. (Applause)

RWGS Alma Lynn Bane: Thank you, Master of Ceremonies. On behalf of Sister Rennie Ofton, Most Worthy Grand Matron and a Past Grand Matron of Texas and Brother John E. Grobler, Acting Most Worthy Grand Patron and a Past Grand Patron of Washington, and the General Grand Chapter family, I bring you greetings. To our newly installed Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron we wish for you the very best in the coming year. We know that you have made many plans and preparations and we are here to commend you, to pray for you, and to be with you at every opportunity. We wish for you the very best and we know that with the support of your Sisters and Brothers in Texas, this will be truly an outstanding year. Thank you.

MC Naomi Wolfe: Thank you, Sister Alma. Realizing that the future of our Order to a great extent rests in the hands of our youth, we are indeed proud of our Fraternal Youth Organizations. We are honored with the presence of members of these youth organizations in Texas and we'll hear greetings from their representatives. It gives me a great deal of pleasure to present Mr. J. Weldon Clampitte, Grand Master of DeMolay International and Executive Officer of DeMolay

GM J. Weldon Clampitte: Thank you. Worthy Grand Patron, Worthy Grand Matron. I bring you greetings from the DeMolays of Texas. I'm sure some of you have met some of our young men outside and if you haven't, I'm sorry, they tried their best. Ten years ago or so, I was asked to take this job by – please come up here, (David Dibrell) I want the blame to go to the right person – this gentleman asked me if I would take this job and I didn't know if he was doing me a favor or injustice at the time. But if you don't really know what working with the youth is, you've missed out. You have really missed out and if you are not working with Rainbow or DeMolay, you have missed out. These young people are our future. We've told you that and told you that. It is a personal satisfaction you get with working with them. Sure you get frustrated, sure you get upset with them but what happens down the road – 5, 10, 15 years from now, 20 years from now when they remember you. And David, I want to thank you very much for asking me to do this 10 years or so ago. (Applause) It is my pleasure now to introduce to you another young man who has become a Mason and he's also become an Eastern Star as well as a York Rite Mason and I'm not sure what all he's going to stop at. But many of our young men today are following in the footsteps of their leaders. And you are their leaders, you are their idols, you are the people they look up to. You are the people that can make a difference in their life. Try it. It is my pleasure to introduce to you Carl Wesley Wunsche, Jr., the State Master Councillor of Texas. (Applause)

Carl Wesley Wunsche, Jr.: Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Grand

Officers Past and Present, Distinguished East, Members and Visitors. It is my honor to bring greetings at this wonderful Installation of Officers where we get to see the transfer of authority from Mrs. Mary Ruth White and Mr. Art Drescher to Mrs. Vi Griffin and Mr. David Dibrell. I had the opportunity to ask Mrs. Vi what she would like me to speak about this evening. She said I had 30 minutes to talk about how DeMolay was doing in Texas. (Laughter) Now I don't plan on keeping you to that promise but I'll talk a little bit about it. I'm privileged to say that DeMolay is doing well in the great State of Texas. We have over 28 active chapters, five of which were created over the last 2 years. We have over 800 members and we are currently the 2nd place jurisdiction for membership in the world and home to the 2nd largest chapter in the world. We are also privileged to have the Grand Master of International DeMolay with us, J. Weldon Clampitte. We are also working with the American Cancer Society as a partner with the Relay for Life program. Last year we collected over \$8,000 and plan to exceed this amount this year. But in order for DeMolay to grow in Texas, we need the continued support of our Masonic Family and the Eastern Star is a huge part of that family. You are the grandmothers, mothers, sisters, grandfathers, fathers, brothers, and advisors for these young boys. And for your assistance and dedication to the youth, we thank you. At this time I'd like to introduce my state officers, I have with me Kenneth Colby Spicer, our State Priory Officer, our illustrious Knight Commander. We have Joey McAtyre, our State Senior Councilor and we have Matt Smith who is our State Jr. Councilor. (Applause) DeMolays are trying to do something different, trying to push more into the virtual era. We have now an internet website which is www.Texasdemolay.org. We are also partnering up with Boston Light to create a virtual world where we as DeMolays, advisors and family can get together and talk to each other over the internet and have chapter meetings and all of this at the click of a finger. And with that, I would like to thank you for the opportunity to be able to bring greetings on behalf of Texas DeMolay. Thank you. (Applause)

MC Naomi Wolfe: We always look forward to watching the beautiful young ladies of Texas Rainbow and they never disappoint us. It is a pleasure to present Mrs. JoAnn Weaver, Supreme Deputy in Texas, International Order of Rainbow for Girls. (Applause)

Mrs. JoAnn Weaver: Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, General Grand Chapter Officers, Distinguished East and my Sisters and Brothers. It is with a great deal of pleasure that I bring greetings on behalf of the International Order of the Rainbow for Girls and all the assemblies and girls in Texas Rainbow. We do appreciate the privilege that you have extended by your invitation to participate in this beautiful installation. It is our honor to be a part of this celebration and I am sure it will be one that will be long remembered. In Rainbow, we look to the Masonic and Eastern Star teachings of loving, of charity, of service, of honor, as the guideposts for our Rainbow teachings. Our goals are high, our friendships are firm, our purpose is steadfast, and we are anchored with the Fraternal teachings of love and kindness in service to others. We and Texas Rainbow thank you as our sponsoring Orders for sponsoring our young ladies with your dedication, your commitment, and your extraordinary service. It is said that a real friend is one that helps us to think our noblest thoughts, put forth our best effort and be our best selves. Thank you for being true friends of Rainbow as we together will help our young ladies become the very best persons that they can be. Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron, we appreciate the support that we know you will give to Texas Rainbow this 2011-2012 Grand Chapter year and we do promise to work side by side with you and hope to be present at many of your accomplishments. We especially invite you to the 2012 Grand Assembly Session in Waco and look forward to honoring you both at that time. It is now with

Rainbow Pride that I invite the Rainbow Girls of Texas to enter this Grand Assembly Room. (Applause) Sister Drill Leader you will conduct the Grand Worthy Advisor, Ms. Melanie Seymour, to the Altar. (Applause) Sister Drill Leader, you will conduct the Grand Worthy Matron, Mrs. Vi Griffin, and the Worthy Grand Patron, Mr. David Dibrell, to the Altar.

Ms. Melanie Seymour: Many pleasant duties have fallen to me during my association with this Order, but none more pleasant than that which I am privileged to discharge at this time. There comes a time in the affairs of everyone when it seems no one can be depended upon and we are left to our own resources. But that all wise and Supreme Being has furnished us a way for our own consolation. Upon reflection, you will doubtless remember that among the first things brought to your attention in this Order was a copy of this little book which you placed next to your heart and have been taught that it alone was to be the rule and guide to your faith and practice. At each succeeding step in your advancement you have been reminded that it will guide you to all truth, direct your path to the temple of happiness, and point out to you your whole duty to mankind. And now at this most auspicious hour surrounded by those who take you as a Sister and Brother and whose very hearts you have no doubt of the sincere wish for your future happiness. Let me impress upon your minds and the most lasting and substantial manner possible that this old book contains the mind of God, the state of mankind, the way to salvation, the doom of sinners, and the happiness of believers. It's doctrines are holy, it's precepts are binding, it's histories are true, and it's decisions are immutable. Read it to be wise, believe it to be safe. Practice it to be holy. It contains light to direct you, strength to support you, and comfort to cheer you. It is the traveler's map, the pilgrim's staff, the pilot's compass, the Rainbow Girl's light, and the Christian's character. Through it heaven is opened, paradise is restored and the gates of hell are disclosed. The Messiah is its grand subject. Your good is its design and the glory of God is its end. Read it slowly, frequently, prayerfully. If you will obey its precepts, it will be to you a reverent pleasure, a mind of wealth, and a paradise of glory. And now on behalf of this Grand Assembly, I have the very distinct honor as well as the supreme pleasure of presenting to you, these beautiful white Bibles, the gift of this Grand Assembly. May it be a beacon light to direct you to that temple above where all is love and religion and nature and immortality and fidelity and patriotism and service. (Applause)

Mrs. JoAnn Weaver: Will you please join me in singing "My Rainbow". (Everyone sang) Sister Drill Leader, please conduct the Worthy Grand Matron and the Worthy Grand Patron to the East. (Applause) Thank you Rainbow Girls for coming from all over the great State of Texas for this beautiful presentation this evening. You are incredible young ladies and remember that you each hold a very special place in my heart. (Applause)

MC Naomi Wolfe: The jewels of the offices of Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron are reminders of the honor and responsibility of those officers. The immediate Past Grand Matron will now make the presentation of the travelling jewel to our Worthy Grand Matron.

PGM Mary Ruth White: Worthy Grand Matron, the time has come for me to pass this beautiful jewel to you to wear during your year. Many Worthy Grand Matrons have worn this jewel during their year with great pride and have added their very special memories of their year to this pin. It is now your time to add your beautiful memories of your year that has just begun. I wish you a very successful year and pledge to you that if there is ever any way that I might assist you, please just call upon me. And add beautiful, beautiful memories to this pin and I know that you will enjoy wearing it every day (PWGM pins the travelling jewel on the WGM).

WGM Vi Griffin: Thank you, Past Grand Matron. (Applause) I have watched you this year and watched how your face would light up when you would walk into the room and I thought perhaps it was the magic of this pin. But it's not the magic of this pin; it's your love for the membership for the Order and their love for you. And I will wear this pin to display the pride and the dignity of all the Past Grand Matrons who have worn it before me and shown me by example how to be a good Eastern Star. Thank you. (Applause)

MC Naomi Wolfe: Brother Art Drescher will present the Worthy Grand Patron's travelling jewel.

PGP Art Drescher: Worthy Grand Patron, what an auspicious title. Along with this title comes a jewel to represent the office and some very awesome responsibilities. I know you will tackle these responsibilities with the same zeal you did as Grand Master. I present you with this travelling jewel which represents the office of the Worthy Grand Patron of the State of Texas which I know you will wear with equal pleasure to yourself and honor to our Order. I've been told it's over a hundred years old, it is the original and as Brother Bill Wyatt told me, Don't lose it! (Laughter) Thank you very much for watching my back this year. I wish you the best as you serve as Worthy Grand Patron of Texas and I'll be watching your back. (Applause)

WGP David Dibrell: Worthy Grand Patron, you'll always be my Worthy Grand Patron and I appreciate the honor of learning under you. I've tried to watch your back and I need two people to watch my back, so please continue to do that. Thank you, Friend. (Applause)

MC Naomi Wolfe: The immediate Past Grand Matron has often said "If you can believe it, you can achieve it." A precious reminder of all she has believed and achieved is the Past Grand Matron's Jewel and who better to make this presentation than the Past Grand Matron's husband. I invite Brother Joe White to present the pin. (Brother Joe White pins the jewel on the PGM) I'm hearing a few oohhhhs but I can't see it. (Laughter)

Sister Sherry Dieckmann: Mother, you have gone through a long trail to get to here from starting with Rainbows and I hope you have achieved all your treasures that you sought in that pot of gold through your service and it continued on with that service in Eastern Star. And Mark and I would like to give you something special to remember this night and to welcome you back to the family at home.

PGM Mary Ruth White: I have not only a beautiful jewel to wear as a pin but also a beautiful ring. But what is the most beautiful is what both of these jewels represent. They represent the wonderful dream come true that the membership of the State of Texas allowed me to accomplish. We did make a difference and I do use the word "we" because it took each and every one of us. And now as I retire of this position, I will never retire from my dedication to the Order of the Eastern Star and to its members. But now I'm going to go home tomorrow to my loving family. To my husband, Joe White, my daughter, Sherry and my son-in-law that I love like a son, Mark Dieckmann, and my two precious grandchildren, Jedidiah and Joshua Dieckmann. I have missed a lot of things with my family over the last four years and I do plan to make all of that up to them. But I'll also be at everything with the Order of the Eastern Star that I can possibly get to because I have loved this Order deeply and treasure my membership of 51 years. Thank you Grand Chapter of Texas and my family. (Applause)

MC Naomi Wolfe: Behind every good man is a good woman. To present the Past Grand Patron's Jewel is a really good woman, Sister Marty.

Sister Marty Drescher: Brother Arthur, where are you?

PGP Art Drescher: Behind you.

Sister Marty Drescher: That's a good place for you. (Laughter) It is with tremendous pride that I give you your Past Grand Patron's Jewel. You have served Grand Chapter with much love and compassion. You have reached and attained your achievements and your goals for this year, but now as I give this to you, and you lay your gavel down, you can pick up your list. (Marty hands him his list of honey do's...Laughter) It is achievable!

PGP Art Drescher: I thought it was going to be longer than this! Sisters and Brothers, I thank you for this opportunity to have served you this past two years, actually the past five years, three years on the Board and two years in the line. And I do look forward to going home and sitting back there. Awhile ago, I think someone saw me texting and what I was texting is the German Band I play in has three gigs and they want to know if I can make it, if I'd find the time. I just texted back three little letters: "y e s". I'm looking forward to continuing my work with Eastern Star but now as just a member and letting somebody else have the leadership role. Thank you very much. (Applause) (Music from the Andy Griffith show played).

MC Naomi Wolfe: At this time, I'd like to invite Yvonne Brownfield and Henry Martin to make a presentation.

PGM Yvonne Brownfield: Worthy Grand Matron, on behalf of your Installing team, we have a token of our love to give you at this time. However, I want to take one other moment and say you know we have our Masonic Brothers who we hold in high esteem. But tonight, a Brother that I've always felt close to, lifted a heavy load — Brother Henry, thank you and I love you. (Applause)

Brother Henry Martin: Sister Yvonne, it was a greatest of pleasures to work with you tonight. You are a jewel and we all love you. Thank you. (Applause) Worthy Grand Patron and it's a special privilege to address you with that title. Brother David and I have been friends for many, many years and it's such a great privilege to have him standing here tonight. On behalf of your Installing Officers, it was the greatest of pleasures to be a part of your installation tonight and we want you to have this love gift as a token of our esteem and we wish you the very best during your year. (Applause)

MC Naomi Wolfe: Each Grand Chapter year is a little different from every other Grand Chapter year, as each Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron is a little different from every other Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron, and aren't we glad? Who was it who said "if we were all the same, one of us would not be necessary"? The individual portions of this program for 2011-2012 will be presented by our Past Grand Matrons. To present the message and dedication of the Worthy Grand Matron is one who still loves us bunches and bunches, Sister Joyce Nicklas. (Applause)

Sister Joyce Nicklas: This is the message from our Worthy Grand Matron: "I am honored beyond measure to greet you as Worthy Grand Matron and with sweet anticipation look forward to this year of service. I am grateful to Brother David Dibrell for so graciously accepting the invitation to serve beside me and to Sister Marlene for being in agreement with that decision. Their friendship has long been a blessing in my and Tommy's life. As we continue in service to our beautiful Order, whatever our designated place might be, I am hopeful that we all serve with faithfulness of our predecessors who have entrusted us with such an amazing legacy. But we will serve in such a manner that the ties of our Fraternal families will be strengthened and that our friendships, old and new, will be rekindled and nurtured. May we always be aware that behind us is an infinite power, before us are endless possibilities and around us are boundless opportunities. May we never let a possibility go unnoticed, opportunities pass by us, and may we never forget to give Him the glory and praise. She pledges her zeal and best efforts to always promote the best inter-

est of the Grand Chapter in the Order of the Eastern Star.”

Our Worthy Grand Matron’s dedication: “I am privileged and highly honored to dedicate this year of Grand Chapter service to all the members of the great Grand Jurisdiction who faithfully follow His Star in the East. It is through your confidence in me that I have attained this position to serve, and you inspire me to serve our Order is sustained by Faith, strengthened by family, and encouraged by friends. To the members of Anahuac Chapter #649, who by their vote afforded me all the privileges of the membership in our beautiful Order. These are the Sisters and Brothers who have taught me, guided me, counseled me, nurtured me and most of all loved me through the years. To David and Marlene Dibrell, for agreeing to travel this road of service with me and Tommy. Your friendship, wise counsel and love are among the most precious of my life’s treasures. To the love of my life, Tommy, without your love and understanding, your support and encouragement, I could not have dreamed this dream much less achieve it. The sound of your voice, the touch of your hand and the warmth of your smile, always makes my day complete. Thank you for loving me, I love you more.” (Applause)

MC Naomi Wolfe: Though she has gone off to greener pastures, she never forgets from whence she came. Always loyal to Texas Grand Chapter, we call upon Sister Alma Lynn Bane to present the message and dedication of the Worthy Grand Patron.

Sister Alma Lynn Bane: This is the message from your Worthy Grand Patron: “It is with great pride and enthusiasm that I look forward to this year of service to the Order of the Eastern Star. With gratitude, I thank Sister Vi Griffin for inviting me to make this journey with her. She and Tommy have been friends of Marlene and me since we were club Brothers and Sisters many years ago. As we travel the Eastern Star road together, we must all remember that it is faith that binds us together in this great Fraternity. It is our duty to our Fraternal family to unite in a common purpose beyond ourselves to provide for those less fortunate than us, thus adding greater meaning to our lives that we may nourish and inspire each other. As friends, we are a team working together with love and respect as taught by our Ritual. As we also remember the civility that is taught by kindness and common sense. Please join with me in spreading the excitement of Eastern Star to everyone in our Masonic family. Demonstrate in your own lives the tenants of our Order and invite all that you meet to join us in our noble purpose by spreading Brotherly love and affection.”

His dedication for his year of service: “Is dedicated to my wife, Marlene, for remaining my favorite Rainbow girl all these years and for supporting all that I have ever attempted. I could not do anything without your help. To our daughters, Jo D. and Jill who have brought joy as well as balance into our lives with their different talents. Jo D. with her poetry and creativity. Jill with her music and family. To my son-in-law, Brian Nennmann, for being like a son to me. To our grandsons, Steven and Benton, for being such great individuals and for being special lights in our lives. To our family that gave us a Masonic heritage and cultivated that interest in everything Masonic. My Dad and Granddad were active Masons as were Marlene’s Dad and Granddad. To my favorite mother-in-law, Irene Mann, for being an Eastern Star member for 78 years. She served as Worthy Matron in 1940. I have traced my Masonic heritage to Anthony Dibrell, a member of Buckingham Union Lodge #38 in 1793 in Virginia. To my home chapter, Dal-Cliff #574 which taught me so much. Millie and Ed Sharpe showed us grace and dignity. O.D. and Frances Christian showed us stamina and determination. This chapter has been a constant source of support, strength and inspiring eternal friendship. To my dual chapter, Richardson #921, our memories and friendships are dear and your excitement and enthusiasm will spread throughout the community. To my Grand Lodge family of Past Grand Masters, District Deputies and

Grand Floor Officers, thank you for your continuing support. We have all made many journeys together and I appreciate you taking this next step. To long time and dear friends, Vi and Tommy, for inviting Marlene and me to take this Eastern Star journey of service with them. Our relationship and wonderful memories, past and present, will continue and be enhanced in the days to come. To my Sisters and Brothers of Texas, thank you for allowing me this place of service. I hope to make you proud and offer my help at any time if within length of my cable tow. (Applause)

MC Naomi Wolfe: Each Worthy Grand Matron has the privilege to select colors and flowers and emblems that have special significance to her. To present these chosen by Sister Vi, will be Sister Alma Carter.

Sister Alma Carter: It is my pleasure to present the colors and flowers and emblem of our Worthy Grand Matron. For the 2011-2012 Grand Chapter year she had chosen shades of green, the color of faith. Ivory, the color of quietness. Gold, the color of all that is pure and refined. Her flower is the Shasta daisy. In its simplicity representing innocence and purity. Her emblem is the Rocking Horse. Symbolic of a childlike faith, reminding us to enjoy the simple things in life. (Applause)

MC Naomi Wolfe: The lessons taught by the holy writings are used as a rule and guide for our Worthy Grand Matron and for our Worthy Grand Patron. Each has chosen some of their favorite scriptures which they refer to often to strengthen their faith. I invite Sister Nancy Brown who will present these scriptures that remind us that we are always surrounded by God's love.

Sister Nancy Brown: A favorite scripture since those tough times in her college days, Sister Vi often refers to this scripture from the book of Matthew to reinforce her faith. "If you have faith as small as a grain of mustard seed, nothing will be impossible for you". Matt. 17:20. At the Associate Grand Conductress breakfast in 2008, Sister Vi reminded us that the phrase "Fear not" is in the Bible 365 times. Once for each day, so I'm not surprised that another of her favorite scriptures is Isaiah 41:10. In the New International Version it reads "So do not fear for I am with you. Do not be dismayed for I am your God. I will strengthen you and help you. I will uphold you with my righteous right hand". In addition to these scriptures, the favorite prayer of the Worthy Grand Matron is taken from the Methodist Hymnal. "From the cowardice that dare not face new truths, from the laziness that is contented with half truth, from the arrogance that thinks it knows all truths, Good Lord deliver me."

The Worthy Grand Patron's favorite scripture is Matthew 7:7-8 "Ask and it shall be given you. Seek and you shall find. Knock and it shall be opened unto you. For everyone that asks, receives. And he that seeks finds. And to him that knocks, it shall be opened". Other scriptures of significance are Faith, Matthew 24:13, "But if you keep on being faithful right to the end, you will be saved". Family, 1 Peter 5:2 "Be shepherds of God's flock that is under your care. Serving as overseers, not because you must but because you are willing as God wants you to be." Friends, Proverbs 18:24 "A man that hath friends must show himself friendly and there is a friend that sticketh closer than a Brother". (Applause)

MC Naomi Wolfe: She waltzed us across Texas in 2009-2010 and tonight will present the dedication of the Worthy Grand Matron's music. It is my pleasure to present Sister Bess Caldwell, Past Grand Matron.

Sister Bess Caldwell: Dedication of the music. We are blessed in the Order numerous members who display tremendous musical talents. We are doubly blessed this year to have two musical scores dedicated to our Worthy Grand Matron. She in turn would like to dedicate these marches to the Vivacious Ladies of the subordinate Chapters of Texas, our

leaders of today and tomorrow. Also to the organist of our Chapters who add so much to the beauty of our ritualistic work by sharing their musical abilities. We are always anxious to hear the new marches and so Sister Boots Draper, Past Matron of Prospect Hill Chapter of San Antonio has yet again shared her amazing talent in writing the “Vivacious Lady March”. Thank you Boots for the time and energy you continue to so generously give to our Order. Will you treat us with your composition “The Vivacious Lady March”.

(Music played by Sister Boots Draper) (Applause)

Thank you, Sister Boots. Special friend of the Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Linda Love, Past Matron of Evadale Chapter has arranged for our enjoyment “The Vivacious Ladies’ Fun Time Tune”. A ragtime, fun time tune to get our toes a tapping and those officers moving around the Chapter Room, Sister Linda, we can hardly wait to hear “The Vivacious Ladies’ Fun Time Tune”.

(Music played by Sister Linda Love) (Applause)

Thank you, Linda. The Worthy Grand Patron’s March is titled “March of the Distinguished Gentlemen” or “David and Marlene”. “The organist’s first selection of this March was developed by Margaret Johnson, a member of Dal-Cliff Chapter. Margaret worked as a song writer in New York and wrote many catchy jingles for commercials. She retired and moved to Dallas and joined Dal-Cliff Chapter. While serving Dal-Cliff Chapter as Organist in 1988-1989, she always played her creation “David and Marlene” for our entrance. These phrases were never written and were recreated by Marlene in an effort to save this section for our history. The “March of the Distinguished Gentlemen” was arranged by our daughter, Dr. Jill Nennmann, who brings her creative talent to make the March an exciting creation. Listen carefully for those phrases that seem to say ‘David and Marlene’. You may also recognize my favorite Texas phrases”. Talented daughter of the Worthy Grand Patron, Dr. Jill Nennmann, will present the “March of the Distinguished Gentlemen”.

(Music played by Dr. Jill Nennmann) (Applause)

MC Naomi Wolfe: Special friends with special talents make special events even more special. Mrs. Lesa Smith, Grand Choir Director, will share her talent singing a favorite song of the Worthy Grand Matron “I Am Who I Was Born to Be” accompanied by the talents of Mrs. Darla Dunaway, Board of Directors, District 3.

(Music played by Darla Dunaway and sung by Lesa Smith) (Applause)

How beautiful Lesa, beautiful, beautiful. Each year the Humanitarian Program is a focal point of our benevolent endeavors. Our Worthy Grand Matron has prepared a Humanitarian Program which will afford the membership the catalyst to provide needed service to others. The 2011-2012 Humanitarian Program will be presented by Sister Sharon Fentress, Past Grand Matron.

Sister Sharon Fentress: Thank you, Mistress of Ceremonies. Our Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron has planned a Humanitarian Program for their year titled Faith, Family, and Friends. Our Holy Bible teaches us that it is more blessed to give than

to receive. Our own experiences have taught us that we cannot love without giving. Neither can we give without loving. The test of any institution is its fidelity of purpose. Contributions made to the Humanitarian program provide the funding necessary to accomplish our purposes to provide assistance to our communities, our families, and our membership. Each Chapter is encouraged to be 100% in the Humanitarian Program by contributing \$1.00 per member as reported on the May 31st, 2011 annual report. Awards will be presented to all chapters upon becoming 100% with additional awards being issued for becoming 200, 300, and each succeeding 100%. The donations may be designated for any project within the program or divided among the programs as desired by the Chapter. Memorials, Honorariums, or other contributions may be made throughout the year each being added to the Chapter's total contributions and percentage. The 2011-2012 Humanitarian Program consists of three projects. Faith: Contributions to the ESTARL program that will assist deserving young men and women to further their education in the various fields of religious service. We are grateful for our Chapters heritage and through the ESTARL program ensure the continuance of spreading the Gospel and sharing our faith. Family: Contributions designated to the Benevolent Aid Fund will assist our Fraternal family members who find themselves in difficult situations. Benevolent Aid is extended on a long term, temporary, or emergency basis and is administered by the Board of Directors. We have all been abundantly blessed and should stand ready to offer assistance to Sisters and Brothers in their times of trouble. Friends: Contributions to the Educational Fund Program make us friends of higher education. The old adage that "knowledge is power" still holds true and those whom we assist through this program are preparing today to afford us a better tomorrow. Scholarships are made available to members of the Order and their families through this portion of the Humanitarian Program. Selection of the recipients is made by the Education Fund Committee of Grand Chapter assisted by the Board of Directors who administers the funds. Our investment in education can never be too generous nor the return calculated in dollars and cents. By uniting our energies, our time, talents, and our good fortune for the good of our fellow man we are fulfilling the purposes of which we are organized, that being charitable and benevolent purposes and to cement good feelings toward the members and adherence. These are worthy projects and the Worthy Grand Matron asks for your full participation in the 2011-2012 Humanitarian Program. Let us strive to give and share and forget ourselves a bit as happiness is not in having but in sharing some of it. Thank you. (Applause)

MC Naomi Wolfe: I am honored to present our Worthy Grand Patron, Mr. David Dibrell for greetings.

WGP David Dibrell: Worthy Grand Matron, General Grand Chapter Family, Past Grand Matrons, Past Grand Patrons, Installed Grand Officers and Elected Board Members, Most Worshipful Grand Master, Sisters, Brothers, Family and Friends. Wow, what a night. Thank you Past Grand Matron, Naomi, for that kind introduction and your superb work tonight. It is indeed a pleasure to start this journey surrounded by friends and family. It seems like only a blink ago that we attended your installation in San Antonio and then your Grand Chapter Session in Houston. So many of your Grand family surrounds us today. Time will not permit for all the expressions of thanks for those who have helped along the way. We are so appreciative of Sister Vi for inviting us to make this journey. Marlene and I started our Masonic involvement with the Rainbow Girls and so did the Griffins. We became friends when we both served as Worthy Matrons and Worthy Patrons at the same time and we became Well Wishers and Peacemakers under Worthy Grand Matron, Doris Eford, and Worthy Grand Patron, Harry Cunningham. Vi and Marlene both served as

Deputy Grand Matrons, they served as District Deputy Grand Matrons, and as Grand Examiners. Marlene served as Grand Organist and Vi served as Grand Marshal. Tommy and I have both served as Grand Master of Masons in Texas and as Chairman of Texas Masonic Education and Service Committee for Grand Lodge. We've taken similar but not parallel paths and we've been friends for a long time. Tommy, thank you for being my friend. Vi thank you for being my friend and inviting us to make this journey with you and Tommy. And thank you Grand Chapter for concurring with this selection and for your vote allowing me the highest office that is within your power for a Brother. I humbly accept these responsibilities that you have entrusted to me and with the help of God and the membership of Texas; I will do all in my power to perform the duties that have been assigned to me. Sister Mary Ruth White and Brother Arthur Drescher, thank you both for an outstanding Eastern Star year. You have sown the seeds of love and kindness. You have accomplished so many goals. You have nurtured the membership and you can now enjoy a beautiful garden of memories for the past year. The memories of the achievements made, the wisdom, knowledge and understanding attained all the fruits of your labors. Thank you for your service to our Order. To each Past Grand Matron and Past Grand Patron, and to the Installing Officers, to each and every participant in the beautiful and impressive ceremony this evening, each one of you has been important in our lives and each of you have touched our lives in meaningful ways in our Grand Chapter travels. As I watched the presentation of the flags, the Star Points, those that performed the duties of installation, and those who presented the programs, I felt really a feeling of security. Secure in the knowledge that you are the leaders that kept this Grand Chapter moving forward for these years. It is meaningful for each of you to be here and to be at our side and to know that you support Sister Vi and I, as well as the Officers for 2011-2012. Though I could and I would like to acknowledge each of you by name, I will only take the time to name two, Sister Yvonne thank you for your strength, your leadership and the manner in which you have personally supported Marlene and me, both in Grand Chapter service and in Grand Lodge. Brother Henry, you mentioned our travels began as Club Brothers, those many years ago, at the same time that Vi and Tommy served. Henry, you and Opal have been our dear friends for many years. We've walked hand in hand on many projects. Thank you and knowing what the future holds for you, let me extend the best wishes for what is going to be a great year for General Grand Chapter and I hope that I will be able to help you along the way. It touches me deeply that you and Yvonne agreed to be our Installing Officers. I want to acknowledge our Chapters – Dal-Cliff Chapter #574 and Richardson Chapter #921. Would the members of those Chapters please stand and share this moment? My home Chapter Dal-Cliff has taught me so many things and this Chapter has been a constant course in our strength and inspiring Fraternal friendship. Richardson Chapter membership there is not as long, but our friendships are dear and I'm really impressed by your excitement and enthusiasm. And then the members of District 1, Section 4 and 5, will you join this group standing? You are our extended family and I thank you for your friendship and appreciate your willingness to work alongside us in this Grand Chapter year. And then finally, will the Dibrell planning team join and stand with this group. I'm grateful for your wisdom and support, your willing hands and your hearts. Thank you very much. Be seated. It is with a great deal of pride I'd like to introduce you to my immediate family. If you will stand please, my wife, Marlene, needs no introduction but I present her as my favorite Rainbow Girl for all of these years. Our daughter, Jo D., is on the floor as Grand Adah. Our daughter, Jill, you've heard perform tonight, her husband, our son-in-law Brian, who have travelled to be with us tonight from Minneapolis. Thank you, Jill for arranging the

“Distinguished Gentlemen’s March” and for playing it so beautifully tonight. Grandsons, Steven and Benton, are the lights of our lives. My baby sister, Mary Lee Wilson, has come from Chattanooga, Tennessee to be with us tonight. Marlene’s sister and brother-in-law, Bob and Marilyn Satterwhite, have travelled from Granbury. Each one of you mean so much to us and we appreciate you taking time to come and share this installation. Thank you very much! (Applause) So now we begin. It is our goal that we focus this year on the lofty principles of Faith, Family and Friends. With Faith we acknowledge our history, our past, the sacrifices of those who have taught us, brought us to this place today. Masons were among those who fought to preserve our freedoms and liberties as a nation. Masons were those that fought at the battles of the Alamo, at Goliad, and San Jacinta to form the Republic of Texas and finally the great State of Texas. Masonic heroes ensure that the heritage that we are privileged to honor today and the liberty we have to enjoy it and the obligation we have to preserve it is based on Faith. Secondly, Family. Family values are another cornerstone of Freemasonry, of Eastern Star and our entire Fraternal family. We as Masons meet to work together, to work on the level, to work as a team to build our personal lives and make our homes, our schools, our communities and our nation a better place where to live. The equality we practice helps support and strengthen our family. And thirdly, Friends. Our friends allow us the ability to enjoy Eastern Star. To enjoy the possibilities of increased friendship. The absolute joy of working together toward common goals. Fraternity that allows us to enjoy our friends. So this Eastern Star year we will also focus on teamwork and the power of partnership. An Orchestra is a collection of a multitude of people with varying talents and many different instruments. There are some members with limited experience in working in an orchestra. Some have great talents and some have only limited talents but they all have a great love and desire to work together and to contribute. Each orchestra member has studied to learn his instrument and then joins with others to form a section made up of the same instruments. These sections then practice together after reading the same musical score, each learning how to play well together. It is also important that everyone uses the same musical score and all are on the same page of the music. And that’s where the conductor comes in. The conductor has the master plan and helps each section blend to learn how to work together. She manages the practices and helps each musician and then each section to work as one - as a total orchestra and finally she pulls all those parts together into a magnificent performance. Grand Chapter has developed programs, the musical scores, the tools. Now the Chapters, the sections must go and work together to adapt the scores to their own environment, their own instruments, but it is up to the individual musicians, the Eastern Star members in each Chapter, to make the music. The Worthy Grand Matron is the conductor. I hope that you will join with Sister Vi and me as we work together to make beautiful Eastern Star music together. We’ve planned purposely, prepared prayerfully, proceeded positively and will now pursue persistently. There is absolutely no doubt in my mind that the 2011-2012 team is going to make an outstanding progress this year when we think of Faith, Family, and Friends. We have a team, we have a partnership of great power. Always remember that you are writing a gospel, a chapter each day by the deeds that you do and by the words that you say. Men will read what you have written whether they are faulty or true. Ask yourself every single day, what is the Eastern Star gospel according to you. Thank you for being a part of the 2011-2012 Eastern Star team. May we always remember to practice our Faith, be loyal to our Family, and treasure our Friends. Thank you very much. (Applause)

MC Naomi Wolfe: It is now my happy privilege to present to you, Mrs. Vi Griffin, your Worthy Grand Matron for her greetings.

WGM Vi Griffin: Thank you Master of Ceremonies. In my wildest imagination I could never have described how I would feel at this moment. And now that it's here, I still can't describe it. I can tell you this though, it's right up there with the birth of my children and the day that Tommy Griffin asked me to marry him. I even think I may know how Cinderella felt. I am just so irrefutably honored to have the opportunity to serve you as your Worthy Grand Matron and I pray that I will always merit the confidence that you have placed in me. I know that many of you in this room have been praying for me and I thank you for that and please don't stop now. I want to express my sincere appreciation to each of you who have had any part of making this evening happen. If you moved a chair, if you put an emblem on a pedestal, if you brought greetings, if you sang, if you played the piano, whatever your part, I am just overwhelmed by your generosity in sharing your talents and your time. The participation of our youth organizations this evening has just been over the top spectacular. You Rainbow Girls are definitely AMAAAZZZZING. Each of you who have participated this afternoon, this evening, were chosen for a very special reason and each of you are very special to me. To these ten installed Grand Officers whom I had the privilege to appoint, thank you. There's a needlepoint pillow in our guest room and it's adorned with the phrase: "Friends Become Our Chosen Families". You are all long time friends and you have become our chosen Grand Family. To these elected officers who have been installed, you are right where the good Lord wants you to be at this time. And if it pleases Him, it pleases me. And I look forward to our continued service together working in harmony for the Good of our Order. And, oh my! These Dynamic Deputies for 2011-2012. We had an absolutely outstanding Deputy conference and you have all just taken hold of the reins and you are ready to go. This morning at the perfect breakfast, we definitely unleashed the energy. So everybody just stand back because these Dynamic Darlings are on the move. Thank each one of you just for being you and for all you are about to do for our Chapters and for Grand Chapter and for me. I especially want to thank each Worthy Matron and each Worthy Patron, each member and each officer of our subordinate Chapters. You've heard me say many times and I'm not going to change my mind, that what's important is you. You are the life blood of our Grand Chapter and without you, well, without you, you wouldn't need us. But your generosity, your dedication, and your willing spirit – whatever it takes – well, that's what we need you to keep right on doing but not just to keep on doing what you've been doing but just a little bit more. And I want you to always remember that the difference between ordinary and extraordinary is just that little bit "extra". And the difference between try and triumph is just a little bit of "umph"! There's been a frenzy of activity this weekend around the merchandise table and the hall and I'm gratified to know that...to witness your support of our programs and projects that Brother David and I have chosen for you this year. Among our many projects is support for Cancer Awareness, our Masonic youth groups, and Patriot Paws. We have programs for Masonic Family Day at TMRC, and we are going to have the first ever Swamp Fest in the spring. So I'm expecting a frenzy of activity wherever we are, doing as Sister Rennie always says, "Doing good things for good reasons". You are going to have an opportunity to earn the Dynamic Chapter Award this year. It's a worthy goal and it is attainable and I hope that we get to sign a Dynamic Chapter Award for your Chapter. Well, part of my family is here tonight and I miss terribly those who are not able to be here. I'm certain that Mother is thinking of us right now and she would be here if she were strong enough to make the trip. She did call this morning to tell me to have a wonderful day. Now this is a woman who's phone messages left on a recorder always consist of "It's Mom. I'm okay." I know that she has told everyone that she has come in contact with that "My daughter is

going to be the Worthy Grand Matron of Texas". But I'd like you to meet my family that is here. And I guess we'll start with the youngest and you met him earlier as he helped Tommy, our grandson, Grant, is he still awake? There's Grant! (Applause) And today is Grant's happy third birthday.(Ahhh...) And I want you to meet his parents, our youngest daughter, Crystal, and her husband, Jeff. (Applause) My much younger and much better looking twin brother, he likes to call himself, Cecil Wilson, and his wife, Louise. His daughter, Casey, and her friend, Casey. (Applause) And Louise and Casey are real troopers because they didn't know until they got inside this building that they were going to present the Bible and the Bible marker and you know I love you and I thank you so much for it. Casey is a new member of the Order in Illinois and she works in St. Louis. And Cecil and Louise are with us from Mississippi, so they have made a real effort to be here. And I don't know who else is here. That's it. (someone said Tommy in the background) Tommy who? (Laughter) Tommy Griffin needs no introduction everywhere he goes in the State of Texas but you know...(Applause)

Brother Tommy Griffin: You know I love you and your mother and I are so proud of you. Brother Tommy presented Sister Vi with long stem red roses. (Applause)

WGM Vi Griffin: We have members of Anahuac Chapter #649 here tonight; I think they're still here. They thought they'd be home before dark so they may have left. I can't see where you are so will you stand, there you are. (Applause) What we lack in quantity we make up for in quality and these are the members who have allowed me to be here. They have loved me and supported me and know that I love each one of you. And District 4 Section 2, are you still with me? Friends of the Rocking Horse, you have all through the years always been there and I cherish your friendship and I'm so appreciative that you are here. Thank you so much for your encouragement, your support and most of all for your love.

This will be the year of Faith, Family and Friends and I firmly believe that if we live our lives with our priorities in that order we can't help but achieve some measure of success. You will note on the Worthy Grand Matron's calendar that there are many activities on Sundays but always in the afternoon. And they are always timed so they won't interfere with our Worship services because I believe we need that Sunday morning Worship service to get our batteries recharged and get ready for the trials and tribulations of Monday through Friday. (Applause) You will also note that there are few activities planned from the third week in November until the first week in January. Nor are there activities planned on holiday weekends. These are family times and I don't want anyone to have to make the decision between Eastern Star Fraternity and family because your family should win out every time. (Applause) I know for those of you that have already looked and said well she is having a school on Labor Day, I didn't want to do it but sometimes you just can't schedule around everything and there were conflicts that we just couldn't overcome and couldn't be avoided. And then our friends, there are so many connotations tied to that word, and I think that our friends are the mirrors of our souls. They become our chosen family and so for 2011-2012 we will focus on our friendships. Renew those stagnant ones, strengthen the current ones and never let an opportunity pass us by to make a new friend. So I want you to unleash the energy that is potential in all of us and go home and spread that energy to your Chapters and we are just going to have a Dynamic year of Faith, Family, and Friends. Thank you Sisters and Brothers. Know that I love you. (Applause)

MC Naomi Wolfe: On behalf of our Worthy Grand Matron and our Worthy Grand Patron and new core of Officers, I want to thank you for being here to share this very special evening. Following the Benediction voiced this evening by Mr. W. L. "Bill" Wyatt, Past

Grand Patron of Texas, we will call a brief recess.

PGP Bill Wyatt: Will you take the hand of the one next to you. Our most gracious heavenly Father, we lift our hearts to the heavens tonight to thank you for the most beautiful ceremony we had here tonight, this installation. We thank you for this Grand Chapter that we just got through. Father, let us give you praise for everything that we have done here today. We hope everything was pleasing to you. Father, we ask that you be with this Grand family this year as they travel across this great state and represent this great Order. Father, we ask you to be with each of us as we leave here tonight, and Father, let us always give you praise for everything we accomplish and do. And Father, be with our military, be with our leaders of this country for we are in a situation now that we need your guidance. All these things we ask in your most precious name, Amen.

MC Naomi Wolfe: To our visitors thank you for sharing this very special evening with us. Your attention has been greatly appreciated. In order that we may properly close our Grand Chapter Session, those who are not members will retire at this time. We have one announcement from our Worthy Grand Patron.

WGP David Dibrell: We have a pair of glasses that were found in the men's restroom. If you can find your way to the East, we'll be glad to return them to you.

MC Naomi Wolfe: Sisters and Brothers, I have an announcement for you. The breakfast in the morning will be at 9:00 a.m. That gives you a little later to sleep. Thank you. Sisters and Brothers remember we have a pair of glasses here that were left in the men's restroom. If you are missing your glasses, be sure and get them before you leave. Thank you.

WGM Vi Griffin: Sisters and Brothers, we need to close our Grand Chapter Session. Sisters and Brothers if you'll take your seats we might be able to get out of here before 10:00 which was my goal. (one rap) Sister Grand Warder.

Sister Grand Warder: Worthy Grand Matron

WGM Vi Griffin: You will see that the doors are secure and inform the Grand Sentinel that we are about to call this 129th Grand Chapter Session from rest to labor and direct him to permit no interruptions while we are thus engaged.

(Ritualistic Opening from Rest to Labor)

Now I recognize the Chairman of the Board of Directors.

Brother Keith Mikeworth: Worthy Grand Matron, here's your ticket to your van and the keys. I gave the Worthy Grand Matron a ticket that's to her van, the keys and a "limited" credit card. (Laughter)

WGM Vi Griffin: I thank the Grand Chapter for your generosity in allowing us the use of this vehicle. And we look forward to a year of progress, in peace and harmony. Thank you. (Applause) You know, we are just going to start right to work and we're not going to pass go and I'm sure we're not going to collect \$200. But I am going to take this opportunity to appoint some special committees. And all of the Worthy Grand Matrons.....there's only one of them (Laughter) All of the Worthy Matrons and Worthy Patrons who have no other appointment for Grand Chapter, I am appointing them to the Texas Change for Changes Committee. It is a General Grand Chapter Project that will benefit the International Headquarters Building and the details of your committee will be in the September bulletin. But Sister Alma Lynn says thank you, thank you, thank you. I would also like to appoint a committee as we have witnessed this weekend, our Constitution and Code of Laws is in serious need of some re-vamping. I'm going to

appoint a committee; our Code of Laws says that the Grand Secretary will index our Code of Laws as changes are made and so I'm going to ask the Grand Secretary to serve on this committee. From the Board of Directors, Sister Darla Dunaway, from the Past Grand Matrons, Sister Bess Caldwell and Sister Karen Morgenthaler and this committee is charged with re-indexing our Code of Laws to make it a user friendly tool that the average Eastern Star Member can look in the index and find what they're looking for. (Applause) I would also charge this committee to identify and record any inconsistencies that are in our Code of Laws and any duplications that are in our Code of Laws. And if these are not ready for legislation at our next Grand Chapter Session at least we'll have a good starting place to know what we do need to change. So thank you, those of you who have agreed to serve on that committee. The announcements that need to be made: The breakfast tomorrow morning to honor our newly elected Associate Grand Conductress is at 9:00 a.m. Now some of us think you've wasted half of the day if you don't start until 9:00 but I'm sure that many of you will appreciate that extra hour. So it's 9:00 as stated on the ticket, not what's stated in the program, at the Hilton Americas Ballroom. And I would ask that those persons who are planning to allow their name to be placed in nomination for an office at the 2012 session, to meet the Worthy Grand Patron and me somewhere near the head table at 8:30 tomorrow morning. And then the Deputy Grand Matrons Conference will begin at 10:00 in the Ballroom and I invite the Installed Grand Officers and the Board of Grand Examiners and the Board of Directors to join us so you might know who the Deputy Grand Matrons all are and that they may know who you are. So, are there any other announcements that need to be made? Sister Grand Marshal, you will retire the United States Flag. (three raps) (one rap) Let us unit in singing our closing ode "May the Good Lord Bless and Keep You". You all know I like shortcuts. Sister Grand Warder, you will inform the Grand Sentinel that we are about to close this 129th Session of the Grand Chapter of Texas and direct him to permit no interruptions while we are thus engaged.

(129th Grand Chapter Session Ritualistic Closing)

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Louise Wilson, Worthy Grand
Matron's Sister-In-Law,
Presents the Holy Bible

Tommy F. Griffin and Grandson,
Grant, present the Square and
Compasses



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Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron with Yvonne Brownfield and Henry Martin, Installing Officers



Installed Grand Officers at the Altar



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MRS. MARY RUTH WHITE
2010-2011**

**Friends are the Flowers in the Garden of Life
They help you plant Seeds of Hope
They help you pull out Weeds of Distress
And finally they help you harvest True Joy**

It is my privilege to welcome you to the 129th "Garden of Friendship" session in Houston, Texas. You honor us with your presence and we hope that you will truly enjoy your stay. This year we have dreamed a dream and with the love and support of the membership of Texas that dream has become a reality. Dreaming does matter because it allows you to become that which you aspire to. I quote Eleanor Roosevelt "The future belongs to those who believe in the beauty of their dreams". Our membership has believed, worked hard to achieve their dreams and each of you has truly "made a difference". Our Chapters are doing well and initiating many new members.

I thank the membership for the journey that began on August 7, 2010 when you gave me the honor to serve this Grand Chapter as Worthy Grand Matron. It was been my dream come true and a spectacular adventure. The membership has given me their love, fellowship and support everywhere I have traveled. God bless each of you and I thank God for placing you in my life.

At the time of printing this Advance Annual Report, our Grand Chapter has been fortunate to have been spared the loss of any of our Past Grand Matrons, Past Grand Patrons or Installed Grand Officers, but General Grand Chapter suffered the loss of our Most Worthy Grand Patron, Brother Fred Clark. His passing on December 28, 2010 cast a deep shadow over all our Grand Jurisdictions. We grieved with our Most Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Rennie Ofton and our Worthy Grand Esther, Sister Margaret A. Clark. It was my honor to allow our Texas Chapters to drape their altars in Brother Fred's memory.

**GRAND REPRESENTATIVES OF
OTHER GRAND JURISDICTIONS IN TEXAS
2010-2011**

It is one of the sweetest privileges and an honor for a Worthy Grand Matron to recommend to the Worthy Grand Matrons of other Grand Jurisdictions the dedicated members of the Grand Chapter of Texas for commissions as Grand Representatives in Texas.

Alabama	Mrs. Sandra Power	# 211
Arkansas	Mr. Joseph F. White	# 135
Connecticut	Mr. A. L. Casparis	# 447
District of Columbia	Mrs. Betty Lynn	# 311
Florida	Mrs. Doris Wagner	# 1144
Indiana	Mrs. Mildred (Millie) Sikes	# 366
Kansas	Mrs. Edna Marsh	# 621
Nevada	Mrs. Patsy Duke	# 1080

New Hampshire	Mrs. Ramona Nance	# 856
New Mexico	Mr. Paul Zappe	# 49
Nova Scotia & PEI	Mr. Gary Drescher	# 1126
Ohio	Mr. Russell Harper	# 1131
Ontario	Mrs. Marti Atkerson	# 574
Quebec	Mrs. Cathi Cannon	# 838
Saskatchewan	Mrs. Frances Hood	# 920
Utah	Mr. Boyd Kramer	# 49
Vermont	Mrs. Linda Carney	# 687

GRAND REPRESENTATIVES OF TEXAS IN OTHER GRAND JURISDICTIONS

Alberta	Lennie Jansen	04/01/13
Arkansas	Shirley Ray	03/24/13
Bolivia	Roxana U. De Estevez	01/04/13
Connecticut	Peter R. Arnold	03/01/13
District of Columbia	Dr. William "Bill" Bane	06/25/12
Georgia	Carol Howard	03/30/13
Illinois	Rose Leeman	03/03/13
Iowa	Lois McNeil	01/01/13
Maine	Shelly J. Rodnicki	05/10/13
Maryland	Gay Topper	03/31/13
Mississippi	Lovis "Tiny" Hicks	06/01/13
New Brunswick	Deborah Cawker	01/31/13
New Hampshire	Dawn Anderson	07/25/13
New Jersey	Anita Erickson	06/01/13
New Mexico	Penny Tuszyński	01/01/13
New York	Margaret McCleod	02/13/13
Oklahoma	James "Jim" Lunsford	03/31/13
Oregon	Judith Lee Goodrich	04/01/13
Pennsylvania	Sarah J. Keiser	11/01/12
Rhode Island	Robin Young	12/31/12
Tennessee	Charlsie Crosslin	03/01/11
Utah	Janet Q. Lancaster	03/31/13
Vermont	Richard Button	06/03/13
Virginia	Eugene Garriss	01/31/13
Wyoming	Dixie Mathisen	01/01/13

EASTERN STAR SCHOOLS AND FRATERNAL VISITS

The Eastern Star Schools began after my Fraternal Visit to my home chapter Houston Ransford #135 and a long drive to El Paso on August 23, 2010. The Ritual, Constitution & Code of Laws and Interpretations of the Worthy Grand Matron were taught at the Schools of Instruction by the five District Deputies. Each District Deputy, with her unique style of teaching, presented instructions with love and enthusiasm. These well-prepared ladies are District I, Mrs. Shelley Walker; District II, Mrs. Susan Dormady; District III, Mrs. Lesa Smith; District IV, Mrs. Cindy Newbury and District V, Mrs. Linda Winn-Christenson. These ladies

are loved and appreciated by the membership and will always have a special place in my heart for their dedication to their duties and for the strong bonds of friendship that have grown during this special time that we have enjoyed together.

The Examining Rooms were open the evening before and the day of the Schools of Instruction. Each School morning began with a beautiful rendition of the Secret Work of the Order. Each Grand Examiner conducted a very efficient examining room with the help of many willing and dedicated members. I thank them not only for their dedication to their responsibilities, but also for the fun as we traveled together. These ladies are District I, Mrs. Melissa Hudman; District II, Mrs. Carla Stringer; District III, Mrs. Cheryl Albrecht; District IV, Mrs. Sharon Mosmeyer; District V, Mrs. Sandra Zipp and Grand Examiner At-Large, Mrs. Susan Bigham.

Mrs. Shelley Walker, District Deputy Grand Matron, District I

Sec.	Date	Place	Deputy Grand Matron	School Name
1	Jan. 12-13	Gainesville	Mrs. Connie Bilby	Field of Dreams Garden
2	Jan. 7-8	Sherman	Mrs. Dee Reynolds	The Gardner's Dreams of Blooms to be Blessed
3	Dec. 6-7	Paris	Ms. Anita Bowling	Buckets of Blessing to Mother's Garden
4&5	Jan. 14-15	Dallas	Mrs. Mary Ann Davis and Mrs. Jean Vestal	A Winter Garden Gathering
6	Jan. 5-6	Corsicana	Mrs. Joyce Hagens	Dreaming of the Spring Garden
7	Dec. 8-9	Bullard	Mrs. Marsha Talton	Cultivating the Garden Within
8	Dec. 17-18	Beckville	Ms. Elinor Humphrey	Serenity Garden
9	Dec. 10-11	Texarkana	Mrs. Laura Brooks	Irises in the Piney Woods
10	Dec. 15-16	Wills Point	Mrs. Marisol Hatley	School of Friendship & Wisdom

Mrs. Susan Dormady, District Deputy Grand Matron, District II

1	Sept. 8-9	Pampa	Mrs. Linda Palmer	Day of Sunshine
2&3	Aug. 27-28	Dumas	Mrs. Barbara Trayler	Ding Dong Dolly's
4	Aug. 30-31	Brownfield	Mrs. Jean Harrison	West Texas Field of Dreams
5	Sept. 15-16	Clarendon	Mrs. Betty Morgan	Gleanings from the Garden
6	Sept. 13-14	Wichita Falls	Mrs. Audrey Voigt	Treasures of the Heart
7	Sept. 10-11	Abilene	Mrs. Pat Wicker	Dream It, Believe It, Achieve It
8	Sept. 17-18	Midland	Ms. Deborah Land	Fertile Fields of Knowledge
9	Aug. 25-26	Fort Stockton	Ms. Deborah Land	Desert Bloom
10	Aug. 23-24	El Paso	Ms. Christel Fisher	Stars of the Mountain

Mrs. Lesa Smith, District Deputy Grand Matron, District III

1	Nov. 19-20	Fort Worth	Miss Rose Ann Lowry	With Dreams We Will Succeed
2	Nov. 5-6	Weatherford	Mrs. Joyce Followill	Fulfilling Life's Dreams of Wisdom
3	Nov. 8-9	Jacksboro	Mrs. Priscilla Armstrong	Dreams Are What Make Stars Sparkle
4	Nov. 10-11	Cisco	Mrs. Lorea Kays	My Garden Gate
5	Nov. 1-2	Brownwood	Mrs. Carmoleta Smith	Sweet, Sweet Spirit
6	Nov. 3-4	Llano	Miss Penny L. Myrick	You Are the Iris of My Eye
7	Nov. 15-16	Copperas Cove	Mrs. Dorothy Kinsinger	A Garden of Irises
8	Nov. 29-30	Temple	Mrs. Shirley Melton	Garden of Iris
9	Nov. 12-13	Waco	Mrs. Sandra Imes	Friendship Garden School
10	Nov. 17-18	Cleburne	Mrs. Juanita Sharp	Purple Flags of Friendship

Mrs. Cindy Newbury, District Deputy Grand Matron, District IV

1	Jan. 28-29	Center	Mrs. Jane Clabaugh	Blossoms of Friendship
2	Feb. 4-5	Orange	Mrs. Sandy McMillan	Friends Forever
3	Feb. 2-3	Livingston	Mrs. Cynthia Araiza	Iris Treasures
4	Jan. 21-22	New Caney	Mrs. Patricia Callahan	Spirit of Life and Learning
5	Feb. 11-12	Houston	Ms. Leslie Lowry	Winding Down the Iris Trail
6	Jan. 26-27	Buffalo	Mrs. Martha Jones	In the Garden of Friends
7	Jan. 24-25	Waller	Mrs. Diane Flanagan	Iris In Bloom
8	Jan.31-Feb. 1	Brenham	Ms. Melynda Giesenschlag	Blooms Gather Knowledge
9	Feb. 9-10	El Campo	Mrs. Elaine Rowland	Our Friendship Garden
10	Feb. 7-8	Texas City	Mrs. Joyce White Shanks	Schooling a Love of Nature

Mrs. Linda R. Winn-Christenson, District Deputy Grand Matron, District V

1	Sept. 29-30	San Angelo	Mrs. Janie Barnes	Garden of Learning
2	Sept. 27-28	Fort McKavett	Mrs. Donna A. Eason	Love, Hope and Faith
3	Oct. 6-7	Boerne	Ms. Debbie Holman	Celebrate Friends
4	Oct. 20-21	Uvalde	Mrs. Kay McMains	Cultured Gardens
5	Oct. 4-5	Pleasanton	Mrs. Thelma Shaw	Sowing Seeds of Friendship
6	Oct. 22-23	Lockhart	Mrs. Shari Daffern	Friends Are Hidden Treasures
7	Oct. 1-2	San Antonio	Ms. Debbie Harris	Friends Helping Friends
8	Oct. 15-16	Victoria	Mrs. Earlene Angell	A Walk in the Garden
9	Oct. 13-14	Rockport	Ms. Annette Gardner	Stars of the Sea
10	Oct. 18-19	Zapata	Mrs. Delia Whitfield	Treasures of the Valley

OTHER FRATERNAL VISITS

It was an exciting way to start this year of service with the Fraternal Visit to my own Chapter, Houston Ransford # 135, on August 21, 2010 in Houston, Texas. The Banquet was held at the Crowne Plaza Hotel and the Fraternal Visit at Temple Lodge # 4. The Joint Fraternal Visit to the Worthy Grand Patron's two Chapters, Dal-Cliff # 574 and Lewisville # 935, was held on September 4, 2010 in Dallas. The Banquet and Fraternal Visit was held at the Scottish Rite Cathedral.

A. E. Shirley Chapter # 986	September 2
Norman Read Chapter # 1010	September 7
Archives Chapter # 1095	September 20
Groves/Port Arthur Chapter # 953	September 21
Buffalo # 157, Centerville # 1002	September 22
Sugarland # 1107, Bay City # 380, El Campo # 535 & Rosenberg # 429	September 24
Lufkin Chapter # 382	September 25
Pasadena Chapter # 711	October 12
Klein Chapter # 1141	October 25
Liberty Dayton Chapter # 634	October 26
Nederland Chapter # 1079	November 22
La Porte Chapter # 683	November 29
Vidor Chapter # 914	November 30
Polytechnic Chapter # 420	December 14
Grand Prairie Chapter # 219	December 20
Adah # 49, Floresville # 271 & Texas # 35	December 21
Jefferson Chapter # 627 (WGM sick –cancelled)	January 4
Pittsburg Chapter # 381 (Ice & snow – cancelled)	January 11
Bryan Chapter # 222	January 17
Andral Vann Chapter # 741	January 18
Oak Forest Chapter # 1080	January 20
Park Place Chapter # 731	February 15
Conroe Chapter # 710	February 17
Vashti Chapter # 32	March 1
Gate City Chapter # 77	March 3
Loyal Chapter # 648	March 4
New Braunfels Chapter # 771	March 7
Melrose Chapter # 920	March 8
Travis Chapter # 472	March 10
Center # 348, Cushing # 368, Garrison # 192, Joaquin # 903, Newbern # 1135, Tenaha # 185 and Timpson # 1144	March 11
Granbury Chapter # 530	March 15
Ridglea Chapter # 999	March 17
Spring Chapter # 1105	March 21
Madisonville Chapter # 193 (Re-scheduled)	March 22
Huntington # 938, Burke # 1098, Hemphill # 375 John Gillespie # 257 and Zavalla # 952	March 23
Cedar Bayou Chapter # 11	March 24

Wisteria Chapter # 823	March 25
Crescent Chapter # 820	March 28
Wills Point Chapter # 366	March 29
Texas City Chapter # 626	March 31
Tomball Chapter # 838	April 4
Chico Chapter # 433	April 5
Farmers Branch Chapter # 687	April 7
Silsbee Chapter # 298	April 12
Bexar Chapter # 616	April 18
Waller Chapter # 1047	April 19
South Houston Chapter # 915 (cancelled)	April 21
Midland Chapter # 253	April 26
Haltom City Chapter # 982	May 2
Riverside Chapter # 834	May 3
Evadale Chapter # 1111	May 9
Alvin Chapter # 15	May 10
Independence # 1044, Aransas Pass # 162	May 13
Cleveland Chapter # 465	May 17
Lancaster Chapter # 943	May 19
Friendship Chapter # 1008	May 24
Rockdale # 23, Normangee # 87, Franklin # 311 and Madisonville # 193	May 28
Buna Chapter # 968	June 2

ANNIVERSARIES ATTENDED

Normangee Chapter # 87	100 years	October 10
Brazoria Chapter # 74	100 years	October 17
Corsicana Chapter # 118	100 years	October 24
Pearland Chapter # 1095	50 years	November 21
Leander Chapter # 73	100 years	March 5
Sour Lake Chapter # 75	100 years	March 26
Garland Chapter # 156	100 years	April 3

OTHER FUNCTIONS ATTENDED

August 19, 2010	Kurten Chapter UD
September 23, 2010	Houston Ransford # 135
October 8-9, 2010	Texas Masonic Weekend, TMRC Arlington, TX
October 28, 2010	Houston Ransford # 135, Stated Meeting, Houston, TX
November 7, 2010	Joyce Nicklas picture hanging, Mineral Wells, TX
November 14, 2010	TMRC Thanksgiving Party, Arlington, TX
December 1, 2010	Grand Master's Banquet, Waco, TX
December 2, 2010	Attended and brought greetings at Grand Lodge, Waco, TX
December 19, 2010	PM&PP of Houston Christmas Party, Monument Inn
December 28, 2010	New Caney # 1093, Honoring Rennie Ofton, MWGM
January 19, 2011	PM&PP of Houston Installation, Houston, TX
March 26, 2011	Banquet Honoring Jane Gregory, PGM, Monument Inn
April 1-2, 2011	WGM & WGP Roundup, Garland, TX

April 10, 2011	PM&PP of Houston, Honoring WGM, Monument Inn
April 20, 2011	PM&PP of Houston, Shrine Temple, Houston, TX
April 29, 2011	Grand Secretary's Workshop, Arlington, TX
April 30, 2011	Spring Fling, Arlington, TX
May 1, 2011	TMRC Mother's Day Party, Arlington, TX
May 1, 2011	Dist. I, Sec. 5 Line Officers Luncheon, Dallas, TX
May 14, 2011	Friends of Mary Ruth Meeting, Houston, TX
May 15, 2011	Tea Honoring DDGM Dist. IV, Houston, TX
May 21, 2011	Grand Conductress Mr. X Banquet, Grandview, TX
May 26, 2011	Houston Ransford # 135, Initiation, Houston, TX
June 3, 2011	Bluebell # 856, Installation, IGO, Houston, TX
June 4, 2011	Livingston # 1139, Installation, IGO, Houston, TX
June 4, 2011	Houston Ransford # 135, Installation, IGO, Houston, TX
June 5, 2011	Dinner Honoring Grand Marshal & DGM, Dist IV, Sec 5
June 6, 2011	Tomball # 838, Stated Meeting, Tomball, TX
June 11, 2011	Lewisville # 935, Installation, IGO, Lewisville, TX
June 13, 2011	La Porte # 683, Stated Meeting, La Porte, TX
June 14, 2011	Melrose # 920, Stated Meeting, Houston, TX
June 17, 2011	Oak Forest # 1080, Installation, IGO, Houston, TX

OUT OF STATE ACTIVITIES

August 13-15, 2010	Multi-State Exchange Visit held in Birmingham, AL
February 18-26, 2011	WGM Trip to Hawaii
May 5-8, 2011	Grand Chapter of District of Columbia, Washington DC

SPECIAL COURTESIES RECEIVED

08-07-10	Amarillo	Rainbow Bible presented by the Grand Worthy Advisor
08-23-10	El Paso	Lit "Star on the Mountain" in Honor of WGM & WGP
08-31-10	Brownfield	Mary Ruth White, Honorary Citizen of Brownfield, TX
09-11-10	Abilene	Texas Flag flown over the State Capital on TX Independence Day
10-01-10	San Antonio	Mary Ruth White, Honorary Alcalde (Mayor) San Antonio, TX
10-12-10	Normangee	Normangee #87, Order of the Eastern Star Day, Normangee, TX
10-14-10	Rockport	Mary Ruth White, Honorary Citizen of Rockport, TX
10-22-10	Lockhart	State of TX Resolution to Mary Ruth White from State Rep Rose
10-22-10	Lockhart	Texas Flag flown over the State Capital in Austin, TX 10-22-10
10-22-10	Staples	Mary Ruth White, Honorary Mayor of the City of Staples, TX
10-22-10	Lockhart	State of TX Resolution to Mary Ruth White from Caldwell County
10-22-10	Lockhart	Order of the Eastern Star Day in Lockhart, TX
10-30-10	Lott	Mary Ruth White Day in the City of Lott, TX & Key to the City
10-30-10	Temple	Mary Ruth White Day in the City of Temple, TX
11-02-10	Brownwood	Mary Ruth White Day in the City of Brownwood, TX

11-06-10	Weatherford	Order of the Eastern Star Day in the City of Weatherford, TX
11-13-10	Waco	Eastern Star Appreciation Day in the City of Waco, TX
11-21-10	Pearland	Texas Flag flown over the State Capital in Austin, TX
01-08-11	Sherman	US Flag flown over US Capital, Washington, DC, 08-07-10
01-08-11	Sherman	Eastern Star Day in the City of Sherman, TX & Key to the City
01-13-11	Gainesville	Mary Ruth White, Honorary Citizen of Gainesville, TX
01-15-11	Dallas	Special Recognition to Mary Ruth White from City of Dallas, TX
01-15-11	Mesquite	Mary Ruth White Day in the City of Mesquite, TX
01-25-11	Waller	Eastern Star Appreciation Day in the City of Waller, TX
02-02-11	Trinity	Mary Ruth White Day in the City of Trinity, TX

SPECIAL DISPENSATIONS

Late Installations

Arlington Chapter # 249
 Sarah Chapter # 353
 Vidor Chapter # 914
 Groveton Chapter # 1035
 Abilene Chapter # 30
 Groesbeck Chapter # 810
 Ckrhill Delta Flora Chapter # 794
 Mansfield Chapter # 876
 Normangee Chapter # 87
 Newbern Chapter # 1135
 Mart Chapter # 109
 Santa Anna Chapter # 247
 Rust-Alto Chapter # 79
 Denton Chapter # 259
 Brookshire Chapter # 652
 Kerrville Chapter # 24
 Rockdale Chapter # 23
 Clifton Chapter # 283
 Joaquin Chapter # 903

Late Election – All Officers

Somerset Chapter # 730
 Violet Chapter # 158
 Justin Chapter # 1128
 TMRC Daylight Chapter # 1145
 Abilene Chapter # 30
 Moran Chapter # 591
 Covington Chapter # 1007
 Princeton Chapter # 1126
 Strawn Chapter # 361

Late Election – Worthy Patron

Bellaire Chapter # 1021
 Henderson Chapter # 597
 Mike Thomas-Oakcliff Chapter #951
 Commerce Chapter # 208
 Walter Baldwin Chapter # 929

Late Election – Associate Matron

Pampa Chapter # 65
 Wisteria Chapter # 823
 Center Chapter # 348
 Denton Chapter # 259
 Prospect Hill Chapter # 817
 Richland Hills # 1040
 Commerce Chapter # 208
 Houston Heights Chapter # 258
 Richland Hills Chapter # 1040
 Nederland Chapter # 1079

Late Election – Secretary

Bullard Chapter # 972
 Anahuac Chapter # 649

Late Election – Conductress

Crescent Chapter # 820
 Adah Chapter # 49
 Woodville Chapter # 462
 Mike Thomas-Oakcliff Chapter # 951
 Duncanville Chapter # 1014
 Crockett Chapter # 509
 Norman Read Chapter # 1010
 Odessa # 447

Waive Disability

Quitman Chapter # 695
 Arlington Chapter # 249
 North Fort Worth Chapter # 684
 Rosenberg Chapter # 429

Late Election – Associate Patron

Mesquite Chapter # 887
 Wisteria Chapter # 823
 Ridglea Chapter # 999
 Denton Chapter # 259
 Prospect Hill Chapter # 817
 Seabrook Chapter # 1096
 Commerce Chapter # 208
 Houston Heights Chapter # 258
 Richland Hills Chapter # 1040
 Walter Baldwin Chapter # 929
 Garrison Chapter # 192

Late Election – Treasurer

Rio Vista Chapter # 343
 Saint Jo Chapter # 17
 Houston Heights Chapter # 258
 Vashti Chapter # 32
 Henderson Chapter # 597
 Anahuac Chapter # 649
 Rosewyn Chapter # 927

Late Election – Assoc. Conductress

Castleberry Chapter # 1028
 Rio Vista Chapter # 343
 Arlington Chapter # 249
 Sugar Land Chapter # 1107
 Springtown Chapter # 498
 Zapata Chapter # 1106
 Duncanville Chapter # 1014
 Quitman Chapter # 695
 Vashti Chapter # 32
 Arlington Chapter # 249
 Boerne Chapter # 200
 Orange Chapter # 214
 Crockett Chapter # 509
 Kirbyville Chapter # 1143
 Gatesville Chapter # 1005
 Bandera Chapter # 643
 Norman Read Chapter # 1010
 Tomball Chapter # 838
 Odessa Chapter # 447
 Marlin Chapter # 286

Move Meeting Place

McGregor Chapter # 427
 Sour Lake Chapter # 75
 Vashti Chapter # 32

Fraternal Visit

Oak-Cliff Chapter # 574
 Centerville # 1002
 Floresville Chapter # 271
 Comanche Chapter # 310
 Burke Chapter # 952
 Zavalla Chapter # 952
 John Gillespie Chapter # 257
 Wisteria Chapter # 823
 Rockdale Chapter # 23

Replace Lost/Worn Secret Work

Center Chapter # 348
 Bowie Chapter # 16
 Houston Ransford # 135
 Grapevine Chapter # 326
 Burke Chapter # 1096
 Nederland Chapter # 1079
 Archives Chapter # 1095
 Hallsville Chapter # 995
 Fidelis Chapter # 963
 Bluebell Chapter # 856
 Dal-Cliff Chapter # 574
 Woodbine Chapter # 738
 Farmersville Chapter # 940
 Bandera Chapter # 643
 Gun Barrel City Chapter # 1114
 Wimodausis Chapter # 141
 Wortham Chapter # 96

Waive Visitation

TMRC Daylight Chapter # 1145

Moving Section

Junction Chapter # 497
 Fort Stockton Chapter # 230
 Monahans Chapter # 561

Refused

Woodbine Chapter # 738

Traveling Charter

Sulphur Bluff Chapter # 246

Not Needed

Marline Chapter # 286

BY LAW CHANGES

Abilene Chapter # 30
 Austin Chapter #304
 Bluegrove Chapter # 978
 Canyon Lake # 1103
 Ferris Chapter # 508
 Freedom Chapter # 898
 Goldthwaite Chapter # 909
 Houston Ransford Chapter # 135
 Independence Chapter # 1044
 Kerrville # 200
 Leander Chapter # 73
 Lufkin Chapter # 382
 New Caney Chapter # 1093
 Ridglea Chapter # 999
 Rusk-Alto Chapter # 79
 Wallace Hughston Chapter # 1100

Almeda Chapter # 1081
 Bastrop Chapter # 64
 Burkburnett Chapter # 655
 Edinburg Chapter # 473
 Frankston Chapter # 1113
 Friendswood Chapter # 1131
 Harlandale Chapter \$ 750
 Hughes Springs Chapter # 349
 Justin Chapter # 1128
 Lancaster Chapter # 943
 Livingston Chapter # 1139
 Melrose Chapter # 920
 Port Neches Chapter # 677
 Riverside Chapter # 834
 Sugarland Chapter # 1107

DECISIONS, RULINGS, AND IRREGULARITIES

On the whole this year has been without serious concerns and they have been handled without incident by the Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, District Deputy Grand Matrons and Deputy Grand Matrons. All concerns have been amicably resolved. The following were incidents that needed actions to be taken:

A ruling was made by the Worthy Grand Matron on October 7, 2010, and in effect for the duration of this Grand Chapter year, that all entitled to receive Grand Honors will be accorded such whether or not they are presented at the Altar. This ruling was based on the Ritual of the Order of the Eastern Star, page 17, copyright 2009, Grand Honors, "only those who are entitled to be presented West of the Altar and escorted through the Labyrinth to the East are to be given the Grand Honors". There are circumstances that may prevent those entitled to receive Grand Honors from being presented at the Altar. I rule that "entitled to be presented" affords them the right to receive Grand Honors from any location in the Chapter room.

A Chapter member reported to the District Deputy Grand Matron that they believed that one of their members had recently been found guilty and sentenced for a violation addressed in Article 523 (a) of our Code of Laws. The conviction and sentencing was confirmed and a letter has been sent by the Secretary of the Chapter to the member stating that they have been expelled from the order, and said expulsion to be effective as of the date of the sentence.

An Initiation was stopped when a verbal concern was conveyed to the Worthy Grand Matron and Grand Master that the candidate was believed to be ineligible to receive the degrees of our Order. The concern was found to be invalid and the candidate is due to be initiated this Summer.

The group that had obtained a tax number using "Order of the Eastern Star" as part of their title during the Grand Chapter year of 2009-2010, has since changed their name. The Worthy Grand Matron instructed the Worthy Grand Patron, who was accompanied by the Associate Grand Patron, to work with this group in the attempt to bring them into compliance with Grand Chapter. To date their attempts have been unsuccessful.

GRAND LODGE

In December 2010, I attended Grand Lodge in Waco, TX and had the privilege of being invited to bring greetings to the members of Grand Lodge. I also attended the banquet on Wednesday evening honoring the Most Worshipful Grand Master Orville L. O'Neill and First Lady Mrs. Roxie O'Neill.

GENERAL GRAND CHAPTER

Texas has been fortunate to have our own Sister Rennie Ofton serve as Most Worthy Grand Matron, and it is my privilege to serve as one of her Tri-line Worthy Grand Matrons. We were honored to have Sister Alma Lynn Bane elected Right Worthy Grand Secretary and Sister Rosemary Swetland appointed Worthy Grand Organist. We are also honored to have had Sister Elizabeth Bordeaux appointed Worthy Grand Chaplain and we share this honor with Vermont where she is a Past Grand Matron but she is now a resident of San Antonio, TX.

We in our Texas Chapters have been given a unique opportunity to serve this year with so many General Grand Chapter committee members and be an integral part of the General Grand Chapter Session to be held in Fort Worth in 2012.

**PAST GRAND MATRONS
AND PAST GRAND PATRONS**

My sincere thanks go to the Past Grand Matrons and Past Grand Patrons of Texas for their part in shaping the Grand Chapter as we know it today. Their collective wisdom has been available as a resource for many of our Worthy Grand Matrons. One Past Grand Matron, Sister Lallah Mae Vollus, has been particularly influential to me because I have known her since I was thirteen years old. Her guidance has been invaluable to me over the years in shaping my journey along the trail of Masonic organizations.

**INSTALLED GRAND OFFICERS
AND ELECTED BOARD MEMBERS**

Every successful organization needs the effective participation of a corps of officers and Board members who want the best for the organization. It has been a pleasure for me this year to have worked with a group of people who have worked together in a successful manner.

To my Installed Grand Officers and Fraternal Correspondent, I thank you for all the Schools of Instruction, Fraternal Visits, Banquets, Chapter Meetings and other functions you have attended. You were very dedicated to your responsibilities and I could not have been happier in my selection of each of you.

The Board of Directors has been diligent in the performance of its duties to care for the business of Grand Chapter and I personally appreciate the four Board meetings that were held at the Schools of Instruction in Midland, Fort Worth, Garland and Houston allowing more of the membership to attend these meetings.

The Board of Grand Examiners has worked with the membership to help them learn their secret work and gain their Certificates of Proficiency. All of this hard work and attention to the principles of our Order has made for a successful year, and I sincerely thank each of you. I enjoyed the time I shared with each of you as we traveled to the Schools of Instruction.

**GRAND SECRETARY
AND HER OFFICE STAFF**

To our Grand Secretary, Sister Marlene Scholari, I do know what a demanding job you have and appreciate everything you have done for me and the membership of our Order. To your staff, I say thank you to some very competent and caring ladies. I appreciate each of you for your patience and willingness to help all the members with their many requests for assistance.

GRAND TREASURER

To our Grand Treasurer, Sister Lorrie Faith Owens, my friend for many years, who keeps our books balanced and looks after our finances. Thank you for your dedication to your duties and the professional and competent manner you conduct business.

DISTRICT DEPUTY GRAND MATRONS AND DEPUTY GRAND MATRONS

How many ways can one person say “Thank You” to a group of hard-working ladies who have given a year of their lives to the membership and to the Worthy Grand Matron as her representatives. It has been a genuine pleasure to get to work with each of you and to enjoy fun times together. Your Schools were excellent and your attention to your chapters has been admirable. Until a more expressive way comes along, please accept my heartfelt thanks for accepting and fulfilling your duties this year.

THE COMMITTEES OF GRAND CHAPTER AND SPECIAL COMMITTEES OF THE WORTHY GRAND MATRON

These two groups of committees are responsible for the workings of Grand Chapter and the success of the Worthy Grand Matron’s projects. I so deeply appreciate all that these dedicated individuals have done within their areas of responsibilities to get the job done. Thank you for agreeing to take on the job when you were asked.

TREASURED FRIENDS AND STAR GARDENERS

Our Worthy Matrons and Worthy Patrons were challenged early in their year to “make a difference” and they have risen admirably to the occasion. They have been responsible for leading their chapters in helping their members, contributing to the community, and making a good example of themselves. The Worthy Grand Patron and I are proud of your accomplishments and thank you for your loyalty. I also appreciate the Honorary Memberships in all these chapters. It means so much to me to be a part of these chapters and know that when I come back for a visit, it will be as an “honorary member”.

FRIENDS OF MARY RUTH

The Friends of Mary Ruth are a special group of members that honor me by calling themselves “Friends of Mary Ruth”. This group has worked diligently in organizing my two Roundups held in Houston when I was Associate Grand Conductress and Grand Conductress, for help with Grand Chapter preparations, and on any project I have asked for their help on. We have met at luncheon meetings and they have helped in many ways with my plans for this year as Worthy Grand Matron. I thank them from the bottom of my heart for their encouragement, love and support and look forward to our continued fellowship.

WORTHY GRAND MATRON'S TREASURED SISTER

Sister Edna Goettee is my fraternal sister and we have both adopted each other as true sisters because of our deep and precious love for one another. I have truly been blessed over the years to have Sister Edna as my "Treasured Sister". She was far too good a friend to be made the Grand Chapter Sweetheart and the only title that I felt was fitting was "Treasured Sister". Thank you for your love and the memories we have made over the years. I love you.

GRAND CHAPTER MOM AND DAD

Thank you to two very gracious and loving people. YOU HAVE ACCEPTED ME AND MY HUSBAND INTO YOUR EXTENDED FAMILY WITH WARMTH AND HUMOR, AND WE HAVE ENJOYED HAVING YOU AS PART OF OUR FAMILY. IT WAS MY PLEASURE TO INVITE THE MOTHER AND FATHER OF MY WORTHY GRAND PATRON TO SERVE AS THE MOM AND DAD OF OUR GRAND CHAPTER. THANK YOU FOR ACCEPTING THE MEMBERSHIP OF THE STATE OF TEXAS AS your honorary "children".

SECRETARY TO THE WORTHY GRAND MATRON

Sister Cathi Cannon and I have been friends for several years but we have grown closer in the past two years while she has served as my Secretary. When you travel thousands of miles together, room together, eat breakfast, lunch and dinner together you really get to know and respect a person. Thank you for putting so much thought and imagination into our friendship, for giving me so much of your time and sharing so many special memories with me.

ORDER OF THE RAINBOW FOR GIRLS AND ORDER OF DEMOLAY

The future of our Order is dependent on the quality of the youth of our country. Two of the most outstanding organizations in American today are the Order of the Rainbow for Girls and Order of DeMolay. The presentation of the Holy Bible and the Grand Assembly Bible Presentation Talk given by the Grand Worthy Advisor and the Flower Talk presented by the DeMolay will be two of the fondest memories of the 2010 Grand Chapter Installation.

HOUSTON RANSFORD CHAPTER # 135

What an honor and privilege it is to belong to such a loving and caring Chapter with such a wonderful history of service to our Order. Ransford Chapter was the first chapter in the city of Houston, chartered on October 11, 1892. On June 1, 2010 Ransford received Houston Chapter #385 through consolidation into membership and blended the members and names of the two chapters into Houston Ransford Chapter # 135. Thank you for missing me. I look forward to coming home and thank each of my chapter members for their never-ending love and support as I have served Grand Chapter.

GRAND CHAPTER VAN

I am grateful and appreciative to the membership of Texas for providing us with a large Chevrolet van for our travels. It has very comfortable seats, rides smoothly and has a very large cargo capacity. We have felt safe in our travels and it has ample room for all our luggage & supplies.

ALTAR, PEDESTALS AND BIBLES

The lovely lighted Altar with its kneeling benches and the lighted Star Point pedestals have been used by Houston Ransford Chapter # 135 for more than 100 years. As in many of our Chapters, these are tangible representations of the preservation of time-honored traditions.

I will use two Bibles alternately on the Altar during this 129th Grand Chapter Session. One was given to Ransford Chapter by Past Grand Matron Sister Lallah Mae Vollus for its 75th Anniversary. The other was presented to my daughter, Sister Sherry Dieckmann, when she served as Grand Worthy Advisor. Sisters Lallah Mae, Sherry and I are all majority members of Houston Assembly # 8 and it will be my honor to use the Bibles of two Sisters that mean so much to me.

MUSIC

My deepest appreciation goes to Janell Trees, Grand Organist and Bill Rhyan, Past Grand Patron of Arizona for the wonderful "Tribute to Friendship" March for the Worthy Grand Matron. Their talent is impressive, and their cooperative effort is a piece of music that the Organists in the local chapters can enjoy playing and the membership enjoys listening to. Their arrangement of some of my favorite familiar melodies into a beautiful march is a testament to their abilities and commitment to our Order that will become a treasured part of the history of Grand Chapter.

GAVELS

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| Amarillo GC | Maple gavel hand carved from a tree that grew at the Rob Morris Memorial, crafted by Eslie & Lucille Brown and given to me by Sister Alma Bane and Brother Bill Bane. |
| Amarillo GC | Texas Oak gavel hand carved and given to me by Brother Russell Harper |

WORTHY GRAND PATRON

The Worthy Grand Patron and I have told the membership all year of the pleasure and joy we have shared working together as a team this year. From the beginning we shared many of the same dreams and goals. We have tried several new things this year and the membership has been wonderful in their support of all of our programs and projects. Thank you, Arthur and Marty, for your support and enthusiasm for the past three years and for agreeing to walk that walk to the Grand East with me. Arthur, I will always be proud to say that you served as my Worthy Grand Patron and I look forward to the sweet friendship that you, Marty, Joe and I will always share.

FAMILY

How do you say thank you to those who have meant so much to you and have done so much to help you get to where you are today? I am so thankful to have a family that are all members of the Order of the Eastern Star. When you have family that is devoted to our Order it makes the journey such a joy. Thank you for your love and support and always being there whenever I needed help. Joe, the love of my life and my best friend who always had the front light burning when I was due home and a hug and kiss to say good-by and see you soon when I left, I love you very much. Sherry my daughter, Mark my son-in-law, Jedidiah and Joshua my two grandsons, I am so proud of each of you. You are all very precious and dear to me. You were always there for me, sharing your time and talents to make my dreams come true. I can never express my gratitude for all that you have done but I pray that someday I can show you and I will always be there for you as you have been there for me. I love you all.

CONCLUSION

To my Executive Committee and Arrangement Committee, I thank you for the many hours you have spent planning and working to make this 129th Session of the Grand Chapter of Texas a success. I know that you served this Grand Chapter with love and I thank you for accepting your many responsibilities.

To my precious Sisters and Brothers, I thank you for everything you have done for me, Grand Chapter and your Chapters this year. You have truly “Made A Difference” for our beautiful Order. Thank you for every flower you have planted in our Garden of Friendship and every Dream you have helped me make come true.

Fraternally yours,

Mrs. Mary Ruth White
Worthy Grand Matron 2010-2011

**REPORT OF THE WORTHY GRAND PATRON
MR. ART DRESCHER
2010-2011**

It is with a great deal of honor and pleasure that I have served the membership of the Grand Chapter of Texas as your Worthy Grand Patron. Words cannot express my appreciation to the membership of Texas for electing me to the office of Worthy Grand Patron and for all the support of our programs and courtesies extended to Marty and me as we traveled the Great State of Texas. It is my hope, that in some small way, I have been able to contribute to the welfare and prosperity of our order.

GRAND CHAPTER INSTALLATION

The One Hundred Twenty-Ninth "Sowing Seeds of Love in the Garden of Friendship" installation was held on Saturday August 7, 2010 at the Amarillo Convention Center in Amarillo, Texas. It was an evening that will bring back special memories for me throughout the rest of my life.

Making the evening more memorable was having my family there to share the evening. My wife Marty, my son James and his wife Amy, my daughter Loryn and her husband John, my 3 granddaughters Jessica, Katelyn and Peyton, my brother Gary and his wife Kay, Uncle Russell and Aunt Esther Harper and finally, my parents Karl and Joann who started me on this journey.

I wish to thank the following for their part in this special night.

- Mrs. Joyce Gilbert, Past Grand Matron Master of Ceremonies

- Mrs. Alma Lynn Bane
 Right Worthy Grand Secretary, General Grand Chapter
 Past Grand Matron of Texas General Grand Chapter
Installing Officer

- Mrs. Rennie Ofton
 Most Worthy Grand Matron, General Grand Chapter
 Past Grand Matron of Texas General Grand Chapter Assisting
Installing Officer

- Mr. Henry S. Martin
 Executive Committee, General Chairman, General Grand Chapter
 Past Grand Patron of Texas General Grand Chapter Assisting
Installing Officer

- Mrs. Naomi Wolfe
 Past Grand Matron of Texas General Grand Chapter Installing Chaplain

Mrs. Karen T. Morgenthaler
Cancer Committee, General Grand Chapter
Past Grand Matron of Texas General Grand Chapter Installing Marshal

Mrs. Rosemary T. Swetland
Right Worthy Grand Organist, General Grand Chapter
Past Grand Matron of Texas General Grand Chapter Installing Organist

Mrs. Jane Gregory
Past Grand Matron of Texas General Grand Chapter Installing Secretary

To the others who participated, but are not named, that worked so hard to make this special night go smoothly, I thank you from the bottom of my heart.

WORTHY GRAND MATRON

The last thing I expected while having dinner with Mary Ruth and Joe in October 2009, was to be asked to serve beside Mary Ruth as she fulfilled her dreams. I think the stunned look on my face said it all. Being a member of the Board of Directors, my “dream” was for Marty to be asked to serve as a Grand Officer; and of course; that dream also came true. Words cannot express the gratitude I have for Sister Mary Ruth. The Drescher family has grown larger with the addition of the White family. It is with sincere appreciation that I thank Sister Mary Ruth for extending the invitation to me to walk by her side and work in her Garden of Friendship.

GRAND ESTHER

To the Love of my life for the past 40 years. You have encouraged, supported me and been my sounding board for the last 5 years as I have served the Grand Chapter of Texas. You have divided your time working as Director of a Surgical Center, maintaining our home, making sure Maggie was taken care of and traveling with me for the last 5 years. Thank-you and I love you.

WHITE FAMILY

To the White/Dieckman family, I would like to thank each of you for accepting Marty and me and our entire family into yours. Each of you have a special place in our hearts and we are looking forward to future family reunions.

**GENERAL GRAND CHAPTER OFFICERS AND
COMMITTEE MEMBERS**

Your service to the Order of the Eastern Star and more especially representing the Grand Chapter of Texas on the General Grand Chapter level is both appreciated and loved. We are all looking forward to the 2012 General Grand Chapter Session to be held in Ft. Worth when our own Sister Rennie Ofton will preside. It has been a special honor for me to serve as the “middle” son for Sister Rennie. Our families have served the Order and supported each other for many years.

PAST GRAND MATRONS AND PAST GRAND PATRONS

I cannot find the words to express the gratitude towards each of you for your love and support. Your guidance and support for the last 5 years has been greatly appreciated. I thank you for the service you have given and continue to give the Grand Chapter of Texas. As I step into the ranks of Past Grand Patrons, I am looking forward to working with each of you for the betterment of our Grand Chapter.

RANSFORD CHAPTER # 135

On August 21, 2010, the Worthy Grand Matron made her first Fraternal Visit to Ransford Chapter #135. The Officers and members of Ransford Chapter #135 opened their hearts to welcome Marty and me as we attended the banquet and Fraternal Visit. Thank you to all the Officers and members for a delightful evening and for all the kindness and courtesies extended to Marty and me this Grand Chapter year.

DAL-CLIFF CHAPTER #574 and LEWISVILLE CHAPTER #935

On September 4, 2010 Dal-Cliff Chapter # 574 and Lewisville Chapter # 935 honored me with a Joint Fraternal Visit. The officers and members of both Chapters did a magnificent job of working together and making this a very special evening. Words cannot express how proud I am of each and every member who worked so hard to make this evening a success.

THE A-TEAM

The A-Team, in my mind, is the best support team for which any Worthy Grand Patron could ask. For two years, you met at various locations around Dallas and plotted and planned for my every need. You organized the reception honoring the Associate Grand Matron at Grand Chapter, supported Dal-Cliff Chapter # 574 and Lewisville Chapter # 935 in their preparations for the banquet before the Fraternal Visit, and finally you hosted the hospitality room at our Round-up. I am very proud of the fact that the A-Team was composed of members representing Chapters from all over Texas and there are not enough words to express my gratitude for all your hard work.

DAL-CLIFF CHAPTER #574

To my home Chapter, thank-you for your love, support and encouragement you have given me for the past 24 years. It has been my honor to represent Dal-Cliff # 574 on the Grand Chapter Level as a member of the Board of Directors and now as Worthy Grand Patron. Dal-Cliff Chapter has a proud legacy of members serving the Grand Chapter and it is my hope and desire that I have served with the same dignity and honor.

LEWISVILLE CHAPTER #935

To my dual Chapter, I also thank- you for all your love, support and encouragement. Lewisville also has a proud legacy of members serving the Grand Chapter. A special thanks goes to Sister Betty Morris, wife of our Past Grand Patron Charles Morris. Your wealth of knowledge and willingness to share helped make this year go smoother.

SECRETARY

Sister Linda Carney, Secretary to the Worthy Grand Patron and now Grand Representative of Vermont in Texas and very special friend. You gave me many good ideas to use during my term as well as keeping up with all my correspondence and you have kept the pencils sharpened. You have been a good sounding board for the last 5 years. I wish to express my sincere appreciation for all that you have done for the office of Worthy Grand Patron and for me personally.

GRAND PAGES

I could not have asked for a better group of pages. It was my honor to appoint each of you to assist me as I preformed the duties of Worthy Grand Patron. Each of you was selected for a specific reason. Brother Mike Salas represents my dual Chapter Lewisville # 935 and he also served as a Grand Page for Brother Charles Morris. Brother Tony Whitehead represents my home chapter of Dal-Cliff # 574 and to honor his parents Aris and Pat Whitehead who have been cherished friends of the entire Drescher family. Brother Lee Roy Carpenter was chosen because his Dallas Stars season tickets are in front of mine and if I had to miss a hockey game..., actually, our children grew up in DeMolay and Rainbow at the same time. Finally, Brother John Searson was chosen for two reasons. First he represented Bexar Chapter # 616 which is my Mother and Dad's Chapter and is the Chapter I literally grew up in and second, his lovely wife Kay and I graduated from High School together. Two others served as pages but went on to better things. They are my Brother Gary, who is now the Grand Representative of Nova Scotia/PEI in Texas and my Father who is now serving as the Grand Chapter Dad. To all of you, I will tell you the same thing I was told when I served as a Page; Once a Page, always a Page!

DEPUTIES OF GRAND CHAPTER

The choosing of Deputies is one of the most important tasks a Worthy Grand Matron undertakes. These are the ladies who will carry out her programs and the success of her term depends greatly on their results. I believe that Sister Mary Ruth did an outstanding job this year.

To the 5 District Deputies: From the very first get-together in Houston, Thanksgiving weekend of 2009, to the Snowy meeting and snowball fight in Flower Mound after Christmas 'till now, you have worked together as a team and you have carried out the wishes of the Worthy Grand Matron. The leadership each of you has displayed is exceptional. Your relationship with each of your Deputies Grand Matrons is shown by their outstanding performance.

To the 48 Deputy Grand Matrons: Each of you was carefully chosen to serve. Following the instructions of the District Deputy Grand Matrons, each of you made plans and executed them with precision; and as a result, all school conferences were a major success.

It has been my honor to work with each and every one of you this year and each of you will always hold a special place in my heart.

TEXAS STAR GARDNERS

You are the Worthy Patrons of the Chapters. This year, I challenged each of you to be Gardeners. I asked each of you to help prepare the Garden, which relates to getting the Chapter ready for an initiation. I then asked you to tend the Garden or keep the weeds out. This would relate to making sure peace and harmony always prevailed in the Chapter. Finally I ask each of you to nurture and fertilize our membership. This relates to helping the members with their work and helping to build their confidence. By doing this, you allow the Chapter and its members to be the best they can be. I firmly believe we have accomplished that goal this year and I thank each and every one of you for a job well done.

THE GRAND SECRETARY, GRAND TREASURER AND STAFF OF THE GRAND CHAPTER OFFICE STAFF

A simple thank-you is not enough for all the hard work and sacrifice each of you has given to support the needs of the membership on a daily basis. The support each of you has given the office of the Worthy Grand Patron is greatly appreciated. Without your support, this Grand Chapter Session would not run as smooth as it does.

DEMOLAY AND ORDER OF RAINBOW FOR GIRLS

DeMolay and Rainbow have been a special part of my life since 1964 when I was initiated in Albert Pike Chapter. To the best of our knowledge, the Worthy Grand Matron and I are the first Majority Rainbow Girl and Senior DeMolay to serve together in the Grand East in the Grand Jurisdiction of Texas. We both believe the future of our country is in the Youth of our order. The presentation of the Holy Bible on behalf of the Grand Assembly of Texas, Order of Rainbow for Girls was greatly appreciated and will be displayed next to my Masonic Family Bible in my home. The Flower Talk presented by the Order of DeMolay in Texas touched the hearts of everyone present and it was a special honor to have my son, a Senior DeMolay, be part of the ceremony and present a flower to his Mom, your Grand Esther.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETINGS

I attended 4 meetings of the Board of Directors. To the members of the Board of Directors, I thank each of you for your service to our membership.

SCHOOLS OF INSTRUCTION

My work schedule allowed me to attend 31 of the 48 schools of instruction. The honors and courtesies bestowed upon me will always be a special memory of the year. The Honorary Memberships are special because they came by vote of each chapter. I am looking forward to displaying the quilt made from the squares presented to me at each school in a special place in my home. To each and every member who worked so hard to make each school a success, I say Thanks.

FRATERNAL VISITS

My work schedule only allowed me to attend 20 of the 60 Fraternal Visits scheduled in addition to the 31 Fraternal Visit at each School of Instruction. Each of the Fraternal Visits were well attended. I thank each of the Chapters participating in these meetings for all the courtesies extended to me and the Office of the Worthy Grand Patron.

8-STATE EXCHANGE VISIT

Our first official function was to represent the Grand Chapter of Texas at the Multi-State Conference held in Birmingham, Alabama on August 13-15, 2010. The theme was "Hollywood Comes to Alabama". I was presented with an Oscar for being the "Newest Worthy Grand Patron" in attendance.

GRAND LODGE OF TEXAS

I attended the Grand Communication of the Grand Lodge of Texas on December 1 - 3, 2010. The Worthy Grand Matron and I were introduced at the opening ceremony and seated in the east. Marty and I were honored to be invited to the Grand Master's Banquet.

GRAND CHAPTER OF LOUISIANA

Marty and I were able to attend the Louisiana Grand Chapter in Alexandria, Louisiana. The fellowship with members in other jurisdictions is always a delight.

HAWAIIAN CRUISE

What a great time we enjoyed with the 109 members participating in the Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron's cruise around the Hawaiian Islands. The scenery was spectacular. Our members enjoyed touring Tropical Rain Forests, Flying over an active volcano, fishing, horseback riding, shopping, a Luau and other adventures. One of the highlights for Marty and me was the downhill bicycle ride on Maui. This was our second time and it was as exciting as the first. Thank-you to the 6 members who came along with us.

PENNY'S FROM HEAVEN

At the Tri-Line Conference in February, 2009, in San Antonio, Sister Rennie Ofton, Most Worthy Grand Matron, asked those of the tri-line in attendance to purchase, for \$2.00, the swirl circular pen out of their own personal funds and to sell them for \$10.00 with the \$8.00 profit to be given to a Service Dog Project of their choice through their respective Grand Jurisdictions. The accounting of these funds was to be submitted to General Grand Chapter through the respective Grand Secretary's Office of each Grand Jurisdiction for tracking purposes of the charitable donations made by each Grand Jurisdiction.

Mary Ruth and I searched for a service dog program that would help our returning veterans, specifically those suffering from PTSD. In November 2010, I called and discussed with Sister Rennie, a San Antonio based program that I had located named Penny's From Heaven Foundation. This Foundation, which provides therapy dogs to our returning veterans suffering from PTSD, would be our choice for the donations which would be made consisting of

the \$8.00 profit on the 500 pens that Mary Ruth purchased as well as any additional funds the membership would like donated. The response from our membership has been overwhelming. To date you have given over \$18,000. Currently, there are 4 dogs in various stages of training with the first scheduled to graduate and be designated as a service dog this summer.

CHAPTERS UD

Kurten Chapter UD and Lindale Chapter UD have continued to work to satisfy the requirements to apply for their charter. The members of these Chapters should be commended for their hard work and efforts.

SPECIAL ASSIGNMENT

After receiving a copy of a flyer dated September 1, 2010, the Worthy Grand Matron asked that I follow up on a situation that was left over from the previous Grand Chapter year. Brother David Dibrell, Associate Grand Patron, and I visited with the representative of the OES Handicraft group on November 10, 2010 to see if they had complied with the request of Sister Bess Caldwell, Past Grand Matron, in a letter dated November 12, 2009 and with instructions to work with the group to determine how to officially recognize them and allow them to work under the umbrella of the Grand Chapter of Texas. We were assured by their representative that they had complied with the request, that they would supply me with the appropriate documentation and the additional information needed to officially recognize this group on or before December 31, 2010. I did not receive any communication from this group, therefore on January 25, 2011 Brother David Dibrell and I again visited their workshop to update their status and to inform them they could no longer associate their organization with the Order of the Eastern Star until they complied with our request. We were informed that as of December, 2010, the O.E.S. Handicraft Program no longer exists.

OTHER EVENTS ATTENDED

100th Anniversaries

Normangee # 87 on October 10, 2010
 Corsicana # 118 on October 24, 2010
 Garland # 156 on April 3, 2011

TMRC Parties

Thanksgiving on November 14, 2010
 Christmas on December 19, 2010
 Mother's Day on May 1, 2011

Texas Masonic Weekend

October 9, 2010

Round-ups

Jane Gregory's "End of a Long Journey" on March 25, 2011
 White/Drescher on April 1 – 4, 2011
 Gilbert/Trees on April 9, 2011
 Curry/Mr. X on May 21, 2011

Deputy Visits

Corsicana Chapter #118 on September 7, 2010
 Princeton Chapter #1126 on September 27, 2010

Edwin J. Kiest Chapter #959 on October 11, 2011
Grapevine Chapter #326 on October 18, 2010
Pine Tree Chapter #1090 on October 19, 2010
Garland Chapter #156 on November 1, 2010

HONORARY MEMBERSHIPS & SPECIAL GIFTS

Proclamation – “Arthur Drescher Day” in Lott Texas 10/30/2010
Proclamation – “Order of the Eastern Star Day” in Weatherford 11/6/2010
Proclamation – “Karl Arthur Drescher, Jr. Day” in Texarkana 12/10/2010
Proclamation – “Eastern Star School of Instruction Day” in Sherman 1/8/2011
Proclamation – “Karl Arthur Drescher, Jr. Day” in Mesquite 1/14/2011
Proclamation – “Eastern Star Appreciation Day” in Waller 1/25/2011
Honorary Citizen of Rockport
Honorary Citizen of Gainesville
Honorary Mayor of Staples
Honorary Mayor of La Ciudad de La Villita
Special Recognition – City of Dallas
Resolution – Commended for Service from Representative Patrick Rose
Official Ice Cream Consumer of District 4 Section 8

SPECIAL HONORS

The office of Worthy Grand Patron was honored by many special presentations during the year. These will be a reminder of this special year in my life.

Keys to the Cities of Sherman and Lott

State of Texas flag flown over the State Capitol on October 22, 2010, presented by Representative Patrick Rose.

State of Texas Flag flown over the State Capitol on November 15, 2010, presented by Representative Randy Weber.

United States Flag flown over the U.S. Capitol on August 7, 2010, presented by Congressman Ralph Hall.

IN CONCLUSION

Thus draws to a close another Chapter in my Masonic life. This year of service to the membership of the Order of the Eastern Star in Texas has been one filled with many exciting experiences and heartwarming activities. The warmth and friendliness of those with whom I have worked have made this experience more meaningful to me. It is in the spirit of love and appreciation that I say “Thank you” to all the membership of Texas.

May God Bless!

REPORT OF THE GRAND SECRETARY MRS. MARLENE SCHOLARI

Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, General Grand Chapter Officers and Committee Members, Past Grand Matrons, Past Grand Patrons, Distinguished Members, my Sisters and Brothers all.

It is with much pleasure I introduce to you My Administrative Assistants in the Grand Chapter Office. Tava Smith, Receptionist, Bulletin Ads & Setup, Fifty Year Memberships, Donna Kirkpatrick, Supplies, Bulletin Subscriptions and Printing, Charlotte Beall, Membership, Annual Reports and Debara Perry, Special Projects. I wish to thank each of you for your dedication to this Membership.

As you can see we no longer have a Bookkeeper or Computer Tech, for I was the Bookkeeper and Computer Tech before becoming Grand Secretary. All of this has created more work on the Grand Secretary and her staff but has been graciously accepted.

The biggest challenge this year has been to handle the necessary requirements for our Eastern Star Ladies in TMRC. In regard to this I will tell you a little about my first week as Grand Secretary. When we returned from the Grand Chapter Session in Amarillo, the very first thing that I had to do was to put Edna Cowsert on Hospice care. She passed away on November 10, 2010. From there it was necessary to take care of all funeral arrangements and plan her memorial service. Caring out all of her wishes, was for me very important that it was done well. Months following this, it was necessary to put Edith Hutchinson on Hospice care. This was done after a hospital stay that did not have good results. Edith Hutchinson after being on Hospice care for 7 months and 5 days went to be with our Lord on July 5, 2011. On June 25, I received a call that Mildred Pointer was taken to the Emergency Room. It was determined that she had pneumonia and other issues. The following Wednesday, July 6th, it was decided to put Mildred on Hospice and she passed on Saturday, July 9th. With this being said, I did learn a lot. The other side of the coin was that I have gotten to know all of our ladies in the home. As a result of these situations that I had to handle, I decided to start monthly meetings with our Eastern Star Ladies in the home. We now meet every third Tuesday, at 1:30pm. During these monthly meetings we celebrate Birthdays, Holidays and just have good fellowship. My goal is to be sure that all of the Ladies know how important they are to me, my staff and the members of this Order. We enjoy having this time with them.

One of the duties and pleasures of the Grand Secretary is to have a close relationship with our ladies at TMRC. Care Plan meetings are scheduled regularly with the staff at TMRC to discuss the progress of all ladies in the clinic. As Registered Legal Agent for the Grand Chapter of Texas, the Grand Secretary is responsible for taking care of not only the business affairs but the medical needs when needed for the ladies. The Grand Secretary has the Durable Power of Attorney and also the Medical Power of Attorney of all the ladies. As Medical Power of Attorney, I am responsible for making sometimes hard decisions concerning the health of the ladies. I am also responsible for seeing that their wishes are carried out upon their death. Most of our ladies do not have a family and, even if they do, it is our responsibility to respect their wishes. Therefore, it is imperative that the office of the Grand Secretary be in a close proximity of TMRC as there are many times I have been and will be

called upon to see to their needs. Above all else our ladies must be our first priority and must feel safe and secure in knowing we are there for them.

All reports on the IRS form 990 for Subordinate Chapters were electronically filed by the Grand Chapter office as required and will be filed in the same manner this year. It will not be necessary for the Chapter to send any paper work to the office as it can be done without it.

The Membership Data Base is complete, with all the membership information entered from the Annual reports. I must commend Charlotte Beal for getting this accomplished this year. All Annual reports thru 2009 are scanned and formatted for research. I would like to thank Debara Perry for completing this project.

In compliance with Article 68: Printed Reports

The following Legal Actions for 2010-2011 pertaining to Assets are:

July 14, 2011

Henderson Property Lien Debit

Borrowers: Bernerd Hall and wife, Sharon Hall

The Board of Directors negotiated a settlement of \$10,000.00.

The Fourth Annual Workshop was held in the Chapel at TMRC with 142 registered. I want to thank each of you who attended.

It has been my pleasure to attend the following for the year, Purposes and Policy Committee meeting, eight Board of Director meetings, four Corporate Board meetings, Spring Fling at TMRC, as many schools as possible, Roundups, Installations, Board of Directors retirement banquet and many chapter meetings.

To the Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Mary Ruth White and Worthy Grand Patron, Brother Karl Arthur Drescher Jr.; it has been a joy serving with you this past year and I could not have wished for a more wonderful Worthy Grand Matron to serve with for my first year as Grand Secretary. I sincerely hope all your dreams have come true.

Worthy Grand Patron you and I had worked together before in a different capacity and it has been just as rewarding as it was then. May God's blessings always be with both of you.

To Sister Lorrie Owens, Grand Treasurer: This was our 1st year to work together! You as Grand Treasurer have met the challenges that have come your way. We made some changes this year, but you have persevered. I look forward to another good year.

To the Board of Directors: To those of you who are moving on: God Speed! As I know you will not be retiring but taking on other challenges. Thanks to all.

A very special thank you to Lynn Kearney for all her volunteer help and dedication to our membership. You will never know how much I appreciate you.

Heartfelt thanks to those of you who have served as pages for me this year: Addie Taylor,

"Garden of Friendship"

Donna Kirkpatrick and Tina Stevens. Please know how much I appreciate all of you.

To my husband Joe: Thank you for all your support, love and patience. I love you dearly.

To the membership: Thank you for all the encouraging words and most of all for your prayers.

If you will turn to page 32 in your advanced report, I will go over the information.

Worthy Grand Matron, I move the report of the Grand Secretary, as presented to Grand Chapter be referred to the proper committee.

Marlene Scholari
Grand Secretary

MEMBERSHIP REPORT

Number of Active Chapters at Beginning of Year	392
UD Chapters	2
Number of Chapters Consolidated	- 3
Number of Chapters Demised	<u>- 3</u>
Number of Active Chapters at Ending of Year (5/31/2011)	388
Number of Members at Beginning of Year	33,099
Membership Increases:	
Initiated	670
Affiliated (Transfer, by Demit and by Dual)	384
Reinstated	236
Consolidated Members	<u>715</u>
Total Number Increase in Membership	2,005
Membership Decreases:	
Died	1,340
Transfer	87
Demit	238
Grand Demit	151
Suspension	1,083
Expulsion	5
Dual Withdrawn	<u>90</u>
Total Number Decrease in Membership	2,994
Total Membership As of May 31, 2011	32,110
Dual Memberships Loss in Chapter Consolidations	32
Exempt from Per Capita:	
Members Residing at TMRC	138
50 Year Members	<u>186</u>
Total Exempt	324
Dual Members	1,719
Consolidated Chapters After May 31, 2011	7
Demised Chapters After May 31, 2011	1
Total Number of Chapters as August including 2 UD's	380

GRAND DEMITS

Higgins Chapter #300

Ashley, Mrs. Mary
 Armstrong, Mrs. Joyce PM
 Boughan, Mrs. Vonda PM
 Boughan, Mrs. Diana Kay
 Dittfurth, Mrs. Rhonda
 Detrexhe, Jack
 Howard, Edward
 Folks, Mrs. Dona Dee
 Jenkins, Mrs. Donna
 Mann, Mrs. Patricia
 McWhorter, Mrs. Virginia PM
 Millsap, Keith PP
 Millsap, Mrs. Mikki Sue PM
 Schwab, Mrs. Alma PM
 Slavin, Mrs. Marilee T. PM
 Wall, Darrell Lee
 Wall, Mrs. Rita
 Weese, Mrs. Laura Mae

Portland Chapter #1108

Bird, Mrs. Michelle
 Borders, Mrs. Brandy
 Burch, Mrs. Dorothy
 Calisesi, Mrs. LaRue PM
 Calisesi, Jim PP
 Carroll, Mrs. Rui Slinger PM
 Carroll, Ms. Rui Rayne
 Cox, Mrs. Billie
 DeWitt, Mrs. Gwendolyn
 Downey, Mrs. Misty PM
 Eller, Louis
 Frieze, Miss Rachelle
 Grogan, Mrs. Geneva
 Grogan, Pat
 Hardwick, Mrs. Betty
 Harrison, Harrold PP
 Harrison, Mrs. Nelda
 Johnson, Mrs. Helen PM
 Kelly, Mrs. Dorothy
 Luce, Mrs. Jean
 Mullins, Mrs. Joyce PM
 Neely, Pat
 Oehlke, Mrs. Linda PM
 Owens, Mrs. Wilma
 Pensyl, Jim PP
 Pensyl, Mrs. Sharon PM
 Schmalsteig, Mrs. Edith PM
 Thompson, Mrs. Ruth PM
 Thornton, Mrs. Georgeana
 Trombly, Mrs. Lynn PM
 Trombly, John PP
 Walker, Ben
 Wilkerson, Mrs. Vicki
 Wilson, Mrs. Ida

Wolf, Mrs. Shirley
 Young, Mrs. Dorris

Wichita Falls Chapter #237

Adams, Mrs. Stacey
 Ball, Roy
 Bean, Mrs. Sammie PM
 Beard, Mrs. Dorothy
 Beavers, Mrs. Kathleen
 Box, Mrs. Frances
 Brott, Mrs. Dessie PM
 Brott, Fay PP
 Brott-Franks, Mrs. Kathryn
 Burns, Mrs. Elva
 Byrne, Mrs. Ruby
 Carter, Mrs. Margaret PM
 Cravens, Mrs. Marie
 Crawford, Mrs. Cornelia
 Cundiff, Mrs. Janet Barnes
 Decker, Harold PP
 Durham, Mrs. Martha Ruth
 Dyer, Mrs. Betty PM
 Farrell, Mrs. Thelma
 Gage, Mrs. Laverne
 Garmon, Mrs. Jo Ann
 Hamlin, Mrs. Martha
 Helms, Mrs. Louise
 Holcombe, Mrs. Joy Sue
 Holt, Mrs. Patricia PM
 Howell, Mrs. Jennifer Nicole
 Humphries, Mrs. Mary PM
 Jackson, Mrs. Patricia PM
 Johnston, Mrs. Helen
 Judah, Miss Gaylan
 Kennedy, Mrs. Cletha
 Krahn, Mrs. Patricia
 Lamont, Mrs. Jeanette
 Lane, Mrs. Patsy PM
 Lane, William PP
 Lantz, Mrs. Isabelle
 Latimer, Mrs. Janis
 Lawrence, Mrs. Pat
 Lewis, Mrs. Margaret Eudena
 Lopez, Angel
 Lopez, Mrs. Angela
 Maley, Mrs. Rosalind
 McElroy, Hugh PP
 Minderman, Mrs. Linda
 Minderman, Mrs. Patsy
 Nasalroad, James PP
 Nasalroad, Mrs. Patricia PM
 Offield, Mrs. Betty
 Pate, Edward PP
 Pate, Mrs. Polly PM
 Pence, Mrs. Terry

Pendergrass, Jim
 Pendergrass, Mrs. Juanita
 Pendergrass, Mrs. Traci PM
 Perkins, Mrs. Sue
 Petty, Mrs. Elizabeth
 Pool, Mrs. Jorja
 Powell, Mrs. Ella
 Ramos, Mrs. Jane PM
 Randel, Mrs. Carolyn
 Randel, Gene L.
 Randel, Glenn
 Robertson, Mrs. Peggy
 Schwartz, George PP
 Schwartz, Mrs. Lois PM
 Sellers, Mrs. Juanita
 Simmons, Mrs. Cynthia
 Soho, Mrs. Joan
 Staber, Mrs. Frankie
 Stephens, Mrs. Cynthia
 Stewart, R. A.
 Taubert, Donald
 Taubert, Mrs. Donna
 Taylor, Mrs. Linda
 Thompson, Mrs. Evelyn
 Trejo, Mrs. Geneva
 Wade, Mrs. Evelyn
 Walsh, Mrs. Wenzella PM
 Weber, Mrs. Anita
 Whitaker, Mrs. Carolyn PM
 Whitaker, James
 White, Mrs. Mary PM
 White Jr., Walter PP
 Whitt, Mrs. Catherine
 Wilder, Mrs. Cassandra

Justin Chapter #1128

Clayton, James PP
 Guest, Mrs. Charlie Jo
 Haines, Joseph PP
 Haines, Mrs. Norma PM
 Holland, Jerry PP
 Holland, Mrs. Linda PM
 Kelley, Mrs. Teresa
 Marriot, Mrs. Patricia
 Neely, Mrs. Debbie
 Oakley, Mrs. Donna
 Walling, Mrs. Dorothy

FIFTY YEAR MEMBERS

PARIS 5

Mrs. Robbie Jo Jones
Mrs. Bonnie Powers Talley

CLARENDON 6

Mrs. Frankie Henson

WACO 7

Mrs. Omilou Miles
Mrs. Doryce Ollene Payne

RUTH 20

Mrs. Lillian Joslin
Mrs. Anna Loran Blackstock

ROCKDALE 23

Coy Edwin Gandy

ABILENE 30

Mrs. Arline Peeler Fink
Mrs. Mary Evelyn Swanson
Mrs. Donna Risley
Mrs. Charlyne Eddins

FLOYDADA 31

Mrs. June Hale
Roger Poage
Mrs. Bo Dean Poage
William N. "Bill" Thomas
Mrs. Nellie Sue Webb
Mrs. Pina Sue Sturdivant

KENEDY 36

Mrs. Joan Roberts

BIG SPRING 67

Mrs. Joyce Bronaugh
Mrs. Bobbie Ruth Easterling
Mrs. Ruby King
Mrs. Lucy Odom

LEANDER 73

Jack O. Hailes
Mrs. Gladys M Hailes
Mrs. Betty Jo Carter
Mrs. Margaret Dixon

LUBBOCK 76

Everett Statler, Jr.
Mrs. Helen Anglin

RUSK-ALTO 79

Mrs. Peggy Abernathy
Mrs. Sharen Ann Bice

WINTERS 80

Mrs. Marie Allen

CADDO MILLS 82

Mrs. Mary Helen Lemley
Mrs. Geraldine Grimes

CANYON CITY 105

Mrs. Pansy Roberts
Mrs. Ora Mary Sims

MART 109

M.C. "Tony" Wayland
Mrs. D'Anne Richardson

GRAPELAND-AUGUSTA 120

Mrs. Joanne Kennedy

WIMODAUSIS 141

Mrs. Shirley Gilbreath
Russell A Bradford

BUFFALO 157

Mrs. Martha Anne McNeill

VIOLET 158

Mrs. Aurra Dee Skeete

ARANSAS PASS 162

Mrs. Oma Arnold

ATHENS 177

Mrs. Narmie Buchanan

CARPENTERS 183

Mrs. Barbara Chandler

HADASSAH 188

Mrs. Merdell Williams
Mrs. Thelma Annette Pace

GREENVILLE 189

Mrs. Mary Holland

BOERNE 200

Mrs. Geneva Dye
Ross Raymond

BORDER 211

Mrs. Elaine Patterson
Elmer L Wright
Mrs. Ola Mae Wright

ORANGE 214

Larry Brunet

HAMILTON 215

Mrs. Juanita Chittum

GRAND PRAIRE 219

Bobby E. Morton
Mrs. Bernice Parr
Mrs. Joyce Seymour
Mrs. Geneva Huff

VELASCO 220

Miss Freddie Mae Dannhaus
Mrs. Jane Jennings

BRYAN 222

Mrs. Betty Jane Cole

NEWTON 224

Mrs. Rose Ann Nicks

WICHITA FALLS 237

Mrs. Sammie A Bean
Mrs. Juanita Sellers

SOMERVILLE 245

Mrs. Gail Smith

SULPHUR BLUFF 246

Mrs. Clydene Fielden
Mrs. Rosemary Gregg

SANTA ANNA 247

Mrs. Jane Smith

ARLINGTON 249

Mrs. Ann Cales
Mrs. Georgia Dunaway
Mrs. Molly Willey

MIDLAND 253

Mrs. Betty Irby

DENTON 259

Mrs. Almarie Jones
Mrs. Billie Giles Fluker
Mrs. Velma L. Brown

CROSBY 261

Mrs. Alma L. Bickley

BECKVILLE 273

Mrs. Sarah R. Carpenter
Mrs. Gloria Faye Bowman

CLIFTON 283

Mrs. Shirley Gosdin

JASPER 291

Mrs. Jessie Jarrell

UVALDE 297

Mrs. Raetta McDuff
Mrs. Merribel Ottenhouse
Gene McArthur, Jr.
Mrs. Doris Story

SILSBEE 298

Mrs. Stella Witte

FRANKLIN 311

Mrs. Mattie Earle McCoslin
Mrs. Louise Hall

HEREFORD 312

Mrs. Dorothy Mercer

SPUR 315

Mrs. Norine East

FAIRFIELD 331

Rayford Fogleman

LYTLE 335

Mrs. Bonnie Lou Roberson
Roy L. Edwards

HUGHES SPRINGS 349

Mrs. Gertrude Higgins

TEMPLAR 374

Mrs. Margaret H. Miller
Mrs. Joyce M. Miller
Mrs. Sammie Alexander
Mrs. Nevada Copeland

JACKSONVILLE 377

Mrs. Eula Mae Derr

BAY CITY 380

Mrs. Bobbye Taylor
Mrs. Elaine Day

PITTSBURG 381

Mrs. Talitha Blacketer

LUFKIN 382

Mrs. Mary Oleta Sides
Mrs. Virginia B Abney

JACKSBORO 390

Mrs. Patricia Liston

PALESTINE 395

Mrs. Marion Frantzen

STANTON 409

Mrs. Georgia Welch
Charlie Pinkerton

POLYTECHNIC 420

Mrs. Willie Mae Mitchell

TROUP 421

Mrs. Grace Squiers

BEEVILLE 422

Mrs. Norma Rosemeier

WOODVILLE 462

Mrs. Wana Whitson

TRAVIS 472

Mrs. Joanne Conner

EDINBURG 473

Mrs. Ruth Teague
Mrs. Gwendolyn Skinner
Mrs. Elizabeth Ann Vernon
Mrs. Marilyn Payne

ROCKPORT 479

Mrs. Myrtle DeForest

KILLEEN 490

Mrs. Earlyne R. Sheets
Mrs. Patricia Bonner
Mrs. Jewel J. Williams

SPRINGTOWN 498

Mrs. Jeanine Lindsey

THROCKMORTON 500

Mrs. Madeline Allen
Mrs. Linda Sue Yeary

FERRIS 508

Mrs. Myrtle Faye Sparkman

CROCKETT 509

Mrs. Ruth Dabney

OAKVILLE 521

Mrs. Mona Anderson

GRANBURY 530

Luther Garland Porter

EL CAMPO 535

Mrs. Earlene Glaze

SEGUIN 555

Mrs. Lela Mae Fields

MONAHANS 561

Mrs. Joe Ann Jackson
Mrs. Barbara Slaughter
Mrs. Betty M Johnson

SONORA-ELDORADO 575

Mrs. Kaleta Shepperson

TAYLOR 578

Mrs. Margie Schooley
W.L. "Bill" Schooley

WAXAHACHIE 599

Mrs. Peggy Joyce Wright

CREEDMOOR 607

Mrs. Linda W. Woodland

BELLVILLE 611

Mrs. Sarah Estella Chaneyworth

HANDLEY 617

Mrs. Arlyne Shelton
Mrs. Elizabeth Bolger

CUERO 618

Mrs. Jurline Ledbetter Howell

LEAGUE CITY 621

Herbert (Shorty) L. Johnson
Mrs. Sylvia Hunter

TEXAS CITY 626

Mrs. Myrna White
Mrs. Audrey Werner

JEFFERSON 627

Mrs. Mary Jo Brantley
Mrs. Gwen Comer

CORRIGAN 631

Mrs. Mary Cockrell
Mrs. Bennie Reinhardt
Mrs. Mildred Bullock
Mrs. Bessie M. Lamb

LIBERTY-DAYTON 634

Mrs. Gwynne Denison

BANDERA 643

Mrs. Elsie Lee Brooks

LOYAL 648

Mrs. Rosalie Braswell
James F. Brumit
Mrs. Doris J. Gilmore

BROOKSHIRE 652

Mrs. Betty Carrell

BURKBURNETT 655

Mrs. Loma Dilks
Mrs. Estelle Comer
Mrs. Barbara Roysden
Mrs. Wilma J. Plumley
Henry L. Plumley
Mrs. Dorothy Cole

PORT NECHES 677

Mrs. Earnestine Robin
Mrs. Eulene Werner

NORTH FORT WORTH 684

James Hershel Miller
Ezra Robinson, Jr.
Mrs. Nancy Robinson
Mrs. Margaret Hempel
Mrs. Georgia Smith

DE LEON 693

Elmer Dale Nowlin
Mrs. Jane Nowlin

QUITMAN 695

Mrs. Mary Grice
Mrs. Barbara James
William (Bill) E James

CONROE 710

Mrs. Mona Wofford

PASADENA 711

Mrs. Dorothy Bertram
Mrs. Katherine Sue Martin

PARK PLACE 731

Mrs. Mae Kutschenseuter

ALAMO HEIGHTS 734

Mrs. Janet M Smith

ANDRAL VANN 741

Mrs. Patsy Gudemuth
Frank E. Stevens

HARLANDALE 750

Mrs. Robbie Cobb
Mrs. Alice Wagner
Albert A. Isenock, Jr.
Mrs. Freda Patrick
Mrs. Jean McDougall
Mrs. Mary A Marcyes
Mrs. Nan Duke
Mrs. Shirley Lockey
Mrs. Mildred K. Randle
Mrs. Estelle Ries

WEDGWOOD 756

Mrs. Carol Jeanne Webb

HILLSBORO 769

Mrs. Kay Negovetich

WESLACO 772

Mrs. Golda Roberts
Mrs. Anita Arnold

CKRLHILL DELTA FLORA 794

Mrs. Lana Sue Sands
Mrs. Bertha Faye Davis

STEPHENVILLE 801

Mrs. Janet Allen
Paul Allen

GROESBECK 810

Edward G. Archer
Mrs. June Archer
Mrs. Florence Garnett

BORGER 811

Mrs. Billie Currie

WASKOM 812

Mrs. Wilmaq Fuselier

PROSPECT HILL 817

Ferrell V. Roberts
Mrs. Mary Louise Chapman
Welson W. Whisenant

MABANK 821

Mrs. Kaherine Algood

QUEEN ESTHER 833

Charles Eller
Mrs. Dixie Eller

TOMBALL 838

Mrs. Anne Adams

DRIPPING SPRINGS 860

Mrs. Joy Stephenson
Mrs. Doris Kyser Westoby

MESQUITE 887

Mrs. Janis Dollgener
Mrs. Elizabeth Ryno

FREEDOM 898

Mrs. Shirley Schoor

DAINGERFIELD 906

Mrs. Betty Trice

SCHERTZ 911

Mrs. Ann Furlow-Nelson
Mrs. Jenny L. Biser
Ralph Arcemont

VIDOR 914

Preston J. Sheffield
Mrs. Allie Sheffield
Sterling A. Weatherford

RICHARDSON 921

Mrs. Bettye Henderson
Mrs. Marguerite Gaines McKinney

WALTER BALDWIN 929

Mrs. Kathleen Wilson

BLUM 931

Mrs. Faye Gant
Mrs. Dorothy Kennedy

LANCASTER 943

Clarence E Duncan
Mrs. Marie P. Duncan

MIKETHOMAS-OAKCLIFF 951

Mrs. Joy Taylor Raiffield
William Berry Russell
Mrs. Sally Ann Russell
Mrs. Jo Patterson
Mrs. Imogene Crawley

GROVE PORT ARTHUR 953

Mrs. Karyn Gay England
Steve A. Hawthorne
Mrs. Virginia (Ginger) Broussard
Mrs. Sue Wikelski
Mrs. Faye Byrd

WINNSBORO 967

Mrs. Marie McCown

LA MARQUE 979

Walter E. Wilson
Mrs. Bonnell Wilson

BELLMead 980

W.C. Montgomery
Mrs. Juandell Ferguson
Mrs. Naida Goldsmith
Mrs. Lucille Machan
Mrs. Lorene Miller
Mrs. Bessie Lee Webb

YSLETA 991

Willie B. Mitchell
Mrs. Nina Helms
Mrs. Faytine (Tina) Maynard
Mrs. Virginia Gardom
Mrs. Fay Eure
Mrs. Martha Lyon

HALLSVILLE 995

Mrs. Darlene Smith
Mrs. Margie Smith

RIDGLEA 999

Mrs. Elizabeth Evelyn McGuffee

SHEPHERD 1003

Mrs. Gayle McAdams

FRIENDSHIP 1008

Mrs. Luline Minshev

LAKE JACKSON 1009

Miss Luanna Mary Leidy
Mrs. Margaret H. Neeley

BELLAIRE 1021

Mrs. Gaye Powe Platt
Mrs. Iris Cox

CASTLEBERRY 1028

Mrs. Mary Earwood

GROVETON 1035

Mrs. Maudelene Gibson

INDEPENDENCE 1044

Mrs. Shirley D Gunther
Mrs. Kathern Juelg
Mrs. Dorothy Northrup

EUSTACE 1062

Rodger E. Frazier
Mrs. Opal Cornelius Frazier
Mrs. Trinnie Vaughn

PEARLAND 1065

Mrs. Amelia E Murphey
Mrs. June Bass
Mrs. Inez Farmer
Mrs. Jennie Gehring
Mrs. Veora Hunter
Mrs. Wanda Jamison
Mrs. L. Florence Little
Mrs. Billie Marie Abell
Mrs. Mary Alice Drew
Mrs. Jacquelyn Royce

Mrs. June Snyder
Mrs. Jo Churchman
Joseph W. Todd, Jr.

NEDERLAND 1079

Mrs. Gertrude Capps
Mrs. Charlene Linney
Mrs. Gloria Feldschau

OAK FOREST 1080

Mrs. Frankye B Cox

ALDINE 1088

Mrs. Ann Estella Love

PINE TREE 1090

Mrs. Geneva Carmen Ledbetter

NEW CANEY 1093

Mrs. Jeanette Melton
Mrs. Darlene Kennedy

WALLACE HUGHSTON 1100

Mrs. Charlotte M Smith

CYPRESS 1102

Mrs. Margorie Cook
Aaron W. Cook

CANYON LAKE 1103

Mrs. Mary Weigle
John A. Espensen

EVANDALE 1111

Mrs. Dorothy Stanton

GUN BARREL CITY 1114

Mrs. Barbara G Leathers

LEAH ELLIOTT 1119

Mrs. Allene Whitehead
Mrs. Ruth Spence
Mrs. Betty J. Tooley
Mrs. Patsy Shaw
Mrs. Williadee Edwards
Mrs. Allene Eatherly
Mrs. Mary F. Chandler

KATY 1121

Mrs. Joy A. Teal

BALCH SPRINGS 1132

Charles Currie

LINDALE UD

Mrs. Lovie D. Smith Malone
Mrs. Wanda Revelt

REPORT OF THE GRAND TREASURER

Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Most Worthy Grand Matron, Acting Most Worthy Grand Patron, General Grand Chapter Officers and Committee Members, Past Grand Matrons, Past Grand Patrons, other Distinguished Members, my loving Sisters and Brothers:

My heartfelt thanks to the membership of Texas for the trust you placed in me by electing me to serve the Grand Chapter of Texas in this responsible position. I have done my best to fulfill your expectations and the duties of this office. Although this year has seen many changes in the Grand Chapter office with the election of a new Grand Secretary, it has been a busy, interesting and rewarding year for me. We have worked together as a team and for the good of our Order. My sincere thanks go to our Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron for their faith in and support for me. I appreciate those members on the Board of Directors who worked and cooperated with me on various projects. I extend a special thanks to Marlene Scholari, Grand Secretary, and her skilled office staff of Charlotte Beall, Tava Smith, Donna Kirkpatrick and part-time helper, Debara Perry . Their sunny and humorous attitudes, knowledge and willingness to assist me made it easier to perform my duties. My gratitude to my Grand Pages, Kay Ballentine, Mary Brunet, Ethel Dammann and Linda Rae Mason who have helped me whenever asked to do so. I have received positive feedback from the membership that has led to some changes and improvements. Please continue to communicate your comments and suggestions.

In addition to performing the Constitutional duties of the Grand Treasurer, I have continued to travel to the various Districts to get to know the members and their problems or suggestions dealing with my elected position. I have attended or participated in the following activities: All meetings including the budget meeting of the Board of Directors; all meetings of the Corporate Board; a Purposes and Policy Committee meeting; the Secretary/Treasurer workshop in Arlington; Spring Fling and Texas Masonic Day; 16 Schools of Instruction; 13 Fraternal Visits; 45 Chapter meetings; 8 fun nights; 18 practices and miscellaneous meetings; 33 social functions (banquets, luncheons, breakfasts, fund raisers, Masonic activities); 2 Funerals; 2 Rainbow functions; and 13 Installations.

For your information and consideration, I have prepared a summary of Grand Chapter's financial status for September 1, 2010 through February 28, 2011. Since the Board of Directors held the budget meeting earlier than prior years, information for April 30, 2011 was not available. The exception is the report for Endowed Memberships that is from the beginning November 1, 1987 through May 31, 2011. Detailed Accounting of all Funds are on file in the Grand Secretary's Office for use in the annual audit of the books and records of the Grand Chapter of Texas.

Worthy Grand Matron, I move that the report of the Grand Treasurer, as printed in the Advance Annual Report and presented to this Grand Chapter, be referred to the proper Committee.

Lorrie Owens
Grand Treasurer

ENDOWED MEMBERSHIPS
May 31, 2011

Certificates Issued	Date	Number Issued	Principal Amount
1 - 4,520	Nov. 1, 1987 thru Aug. 31, 2007	4,520	2,260,000
4,521 - 4,832	Sep. 1, 2007 thru Aug. 31, 2008	312	156,000
4,833 - 5,127	Sep. 1, 2008 thru Aug. 31, 2009	295	147,500
5,128 - 5,259	Sep. 1, 2009 thru Aug. 31, 2010	132	66,000
5,260 - 5,376	Sep. 1, 2010 thru May 31, 2011	117	58,500
TOTAL ENDOWED MEMBERSHIPS		5,376	2,688,000

Note: The Chapters received \$13.55 for each eligible Endowed Member as of May 31, 2010.

In accordance with the Code of Laws, Art. 204,(4),(b), page 149, interest in the amount of \$406.50 was credited to the General Fund for the following Endowed Memberships:

W.J. Beaver	Sandra Jean Gilbert	Sydney C. McMurray
Vera A. (Gardner) Biggs	Helen W. Henson	Lorie Ware McCulloch
Rita Joyce Bragg	Lila D. Holt	Debra D. Morlock
Bertha D. Brown	Luella V. Johnson	Heather Morlock
Lois Carver	Tommy Kelso	Raymond B. Morlock
Charles E. Day	Betty Jo Kindred	Hazel K. Nunn
Memory of Dorothea Deering	Julianna Lindsay	Lillie Ruth Regian
Ann Dodd	Margaret L. Lowell	Katherine Koym Seymour
Winnie Fenton	Kimberly Morlock Martin	Henry L. Smith
Eloise H. Ficke	Robert B. McMurray	Elsie Underwood

**GENERAL FUND
OPERATING CHECKING ACCOUNT**

	Sep. 1, 2009 thru Apr. 30, 2010	Sep. 1, 2010 thru Feb. 28, 2011
REVENUE		
Interest General Fund Holding	12,900	9,780
Endowment Interest	109,025	107,558
Endowment Interest Sub-Account	43,300	34,253
Worthy Grand Matron's Designated Funds	35,200	54,750
General Fund Per Capita	108,915	103,527
Registration Fees	-	-
Session Misc. Income	29,100	5,831
Grand Chapter Sales	11,000	13,705
Bulletin Subscriptions	14,600	14,629
Bulletin Articles	20,000	9,819
Supplies/Postage/Shipping	1,900	2,048
GGC Supplies Sales	18,920	21,952
Administrative Revenue	12,000	-
Credit Card Conv Fee/Royalty	3,800	2,482
Misc. Fees/CK/CCREB/Spec. Dispensations	740	166
International Headquarters	7,080	-
Founder's Day 100%	1,320	1,119
Gifts and Donations	-	1,221
General Fund Humanitarian	3,450	2,894
Interest Endowed Memberships	350	-
Other Misc. Receipts	308	851
TOTAL REVENUE	433,908	386,585
DISBURSEMENTS		
Grand Secretary Housing	5,600	4,200
TMRC Board/Directors Retirement	75	-
Computer/Data Processing	2,260	1,795
Auto Acquisition	12,000	-
Copy Machine	500	14,190
Office Salaries	50,114	42,376
Grand Secretary's Salary	13,115	9,500
Grand Treasurer's Salary	4,000	3,000
GC Support Staff Housing	-	-
Vehicle-Fuel/Maintenance	4,380	2,573
Vehicle-License	-	-
Vehicle-Repairs	-	1,284
Worthy Grand Matron Expense	3,500	3,500
Worthy Grand Patron Expense	1,600	1,600
Associate Grand Matron Expense	2,000	2,000
Associate Grand Patron Expense	400	400

Grand Secretary Expense	2,000	2,000
Grand Treasurer Expense	600	600
Grand Conductress Expense	400	400
Associate Grand Conductress Expense	400	400
Grand Master Expense-Session	-	-
GGC Officers Expense	-	892
Official Reporter-GC	3,500	3,750
Advanced Reports	2,900	-
Ballots and Voting Cards	900	-
Installation Programs	200	-
Photos for Session	500	500
Registration Forms/Postage/Badges	800	-
Session and Memorial Programs	4,700	-
The Session	20,000	-
Past Grand Matron's Jewel	-	-
Past Grand Patron's Jewel	0	-
Insurance-Directors Liability	-	2,869
Auto Insurance	956	3,248
Furnishings,Personal Prop/Umbrella	47,400	46,482
Insurance-Workman's Compensation	2,375	582
Audit/CPA	24,750	21,860
Legal Services	1,300	750
Office and Printing Supplies	10,300	5,372
Miscellaneous	4,400	-
Credit Card Fees	252	245
Contingency Fund	-	2,988
Security Services	250	150
Internet Service	950	975
Postage/Petty Cash	500	-
Postage-Bulletin Mailings	7,400	4,016
Postage Permit	-	185
Postage Meter Lease	3,650	3,589
Bulletins	29,427	16,592
Annual Proceedings-Printing	12,955	3,153
Printing Other	2,500	3,153
Janitorial Service/Supplies	-	-
Office and Printing Supplies	-	-
Cost of Supplies/GC/GGC	30,079	33,371
Computer Maintenance	-	1,198
Utilities - Electric	3,430	2,169
Utilities - Gas	360	262
Utilities - Telephone	2,500	877
Rent - Office	2,750	16,500
Payroll Expense (Liability)	5,760	4,539
General Grand Chapter Per Capita	35,370	33,841
International Headquarters	7,060	5,655
TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS	373,118	309,581

OES RETIREMENT FUND - 501c(3)

	Sep. 1, 2009 thru Apr. 30, 2010	Sep. 1, 2010 thru Feb. 28, 2011
REVENUE		
Per Capita Income	180,915	172,545
Endowment Interest 501c(8)	254,202	-
Turn Back Funds	58,000	-
Interest 501c3	16,224	11,740
Oil & Gas Royalty	37,850	9,364
Bequests & Gifts	5,000	3,589
Home Member Receipts	170	-
Ladies' Pensions	143,911	108,849
Humanitarian	5,600	4,723
TOTAL REVENUE	701,872	310,810
DISBURSEMENTS		
Legal	1,512	2,440
Audit	6,045	1,960
Property Tax (Oil & Gas)	1,023	2,265
Liability Insurance	500	-
Investment Fees	1,333	360
Ladies' Residence Housing	103,130	87,202
Infirmity Housing	350,747	312,417
In-service/501c(3) Accounts Mgmt.	12,000	12,000
Funeral Expenses	6,750	4,219
Allowance to Ladies @\$70.00	9,100	6,510
TMRC Resident Parties	216	-
Misc. and Bank Fees	-	2,159
TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS	492,356	431,532

BENEVOLENT AID

	Sep. 1, 2009 thru Apr. 30, 2010	Sep. 1, 2010 thru Feb. 28, 2011
INCOME		
Per Capita	36,183	33,841
Interest	350	-
Humanitarian	14,100	10,579
Roll Over Funds	27,290	-
Hurricane Ike Funds Rolled to Benevolent Aid	16,194	-
501c(8) Sub-Account Interest	-	-
TOTAL INCOME	94,117	44,420
EXPENSES		
Permanent Aid	37,600	24,600
Temporary Aid	13,500	-
Emergency Aid	11,000	7,500
TOTAL EXPENSES	62,100	32,100

CERTIFICATES OF DEPOSIT

	Maturity	Amount
Compass Bank Fannie V. Ward	Sep. 3, 2011	35,000
Compass Bank Helen M. Bramlett	Sep. 3, 2011	8,500
Compass Bank Education Fund	Sep. 3, 2011	65,000
Compass Bank Auto Acquisition	Jan. 29, 2012	24,000

BROKERAGE ACCOUNT

J.P. Morgan/Chase Mary C. Kennington	512,498
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**CHECKING ACCOUNT BALANCES
J.P. MORGAN/CHASE**

	Apr. 30, 2010	Feb. 28, 2011
General Fund	304,961	414,433
Worth Grand Matron's Proj.	57,561	53,176
Benevolent Aid	61,187	87,864
Education	23,488	25,176
Endowment Stamps	104,005	101,645
ESTARL	11,369	13,347
Property Sale Acct. (15%)	404,314	404,314
TMRC	1,362	1,362
Auto Acquisition	12,000	=

**OTHER ACCOUNTS
J.P. MORGAN/CHASE**

	Apr. 30, 2010	Feb. 28, 2011
Eastern Star Home of Texas Fund 501c(3)	1,392,630	1,197,780
Eastern Star Home of Texas Fund Checking 501c(3)	50,373	6,705
Grand Chapter Endowment Fund 501c(8)	8,314,576	8,466,244
Grand Chapter Endowment Fund Sub-Acct. 501c(8)	3,425,586	3,443,867
Endowed Membership Trust	2,603,993	2,722,941

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS
129th GRAND CHAPTER SESSION
AUGUST 2010
HOUSTON, TEXAS

Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, distinguished members, my sisters and brothers.

It is my honor and pleasure to introduce the members of the Board of Directors: Ronald Zipp, Vice Chairman from District 5; Elizabeth Wise, Secretary from District 4; from District 1, Betty Scott and Tonya Foster; District 2, Karen Kidd; District 3, Lorraine Williams and Darla Dunaway; District 4, Gerry Sturtz; and from District 5, Kathy Teele.

It has been a pleasure for me to work with all the board members this year. They have been diligent and have worked very hard in all of the challenges that come up this Grand Chapter year. They have been strong and steadfast in all of these challenges. To all of the Board Members you have done everything ask of you I appreciate each one of you.

At Grand Chapter in Amarillo last year, we had our first executive meeting where the newly elected Board members, Tonya Foster and Darla Dunaway were welcomed. During this short meeting a Chairman, Vice Chairman and Secretary were elected by the board members. We had nine scheduled meetings and one workshop. Four of the meetings were held at the various Schools with the other five meetings and workshop being held at the Grand Chapter Office in Arlington. I had the privilege, as a guest, to attend the Corporate Board meetings this Grand Chapter year.

As all know we started out this Grand Chapter year with a new Grand Secretary and Grand Treasurer. To you we extend our thanks for being at our meetings and furnishing us with the necessary information whenever we requested it. Without this information we would not be able to make the good decisions that are very important.

The Board members reviewed benevolent aid requests, processed new residents to Texas Masonic Retirement Center, assisted in the scholarship program, approved finances for the Associate Grand Matron's special Projects, approve contracts for future Grand Chapter Sessions and supervision of the financial affairs of Grand Chapter. Other Board members will be bringing detail reports of Board of Directors/ duties.

Our Bankers at JP Morgan Chase presented in depth reports to the Board, our Auditors at Ratliff & Sommerville made their report on the Grand Chapter year 2009-2010 to the Board.

Grand Chapter currently has 13 of our ladies residing at the Texas Masonic Retirement Center which we are responsible for at an average cost of \$55,000.00 per month. We thank TMRC for allowing our members to reside in their beautiful retirement center and we are grateful for the care that they provide to all our members in residence.

To all of the Past Grand Matrons, Past Grand Patrons, Installed Grand Chapter Officers and all of the members that have attended the board meetings this year a big THANK YOU goes out to you for being there. It is nice to know that you have an interest in the affairs of the Grand Chapter of Texas. All of the membership is welcome to attend the board meetings on the third Saturday of each month, except in December and June. The Worthy Grand Matron's calendar will list when the meetings are as well as all other events.

To the Board of Directors, I appreciate your confidence in electing me to serve as your Chairman for the 2010-2011 Grand Chapter year. Each of you has become a very special part of my life and I love each one of you. Without the Supreme Being above and all of your help this year would not have been possible

A special thank you to my wife for without her acceptance of my decision to seek a place on the board of directors and her support, I would not be speaking with you today.

As always the goal of your Board of Directors is to be good stewards of the membership resources so that there will always be a Grand Chapter of Texas. It is a very big responsibility but also rewarding. The Board of Directors needs your prayers as we go about Grand Chapter's business.

Finally, thank you to the membership of this great Order for electing me to the Board of Directors. It has been a very rewarding and learning experience which nothing can take its place. This has been a fast three years and I feel that in the next two years there are still many more rewarding experiences to come.

God Bless each of you.

Fraternally,
Keith Mikeworth, Chairman
Board of Directors
2010-2011

501c3 BUDGET

	Budget 2009-2010	Actual 8/31/10 (12 months)	Budget 2010-2011	Actual 2/28/11 (6 months)	Proposed 2011-2012
INCOME					
1 Per Capita Income	172,440	172,545	172,415	172,545	166,665
2 Endowment Interest	254,202		68,327	13,066	109,527
3 Turn back funds	58,000	58,000	174,120		142,834
4 Interest	41,458		24,336	9	23,649
5 Oil & Gas Royalty	55,200		56,775	11,290	25,000
6 Bequests & Gifts	20,000	5,000	5,000	3,589	5,000
7 Home Member Receipts	10,000	170	300		0
8 Ladies Pensions	235,000	143,911	215,867	108,920	215,000
9 Humanitarian	5,500	5,600	5,600	4,723	0
Total Receipts	\$851,800	\$385,226	\$722,740	\$314,142	\$687,675
EXPENDITURES					
10 Legal	1,000	1,512	2,000		2,000
11 Audit	4,000	6,045	6,000	4,708	6,000
12 Property Tax (Oil & Gas)	1,000	1,023	1,025		1,025
13 Liability Insurance	500	500	500		500
14 Investment Fees	10,000	1,337	1,500	360	1,500
15 Residence Housing 10@\$53	160,200	103,130	154,695	110,259	130,000
16 Infirmary Housing 8@\$215	640,800	350,747	526,120	396,753	516,000
17 In-Service 501c3 Accts. Mgmt.	12,000	12,000	12,000	12,000	12,000
18 Funeral Expenses	5,000	6,750	5,000	3,606	5,000
19 Allowance for Ladies @\$70	16,800	9,100	13,650	8,610	13,650
20 TMRC Resident Parties	500	216	250		0
Total Expenses	\$851,800	\$492,360	\$722,740	\$536,296	\$687,675
Net Total	\$0	-\$107,134	\$0	-\$222,154	\$0

GENERAL FUND BUDGET 2010-2011

	Budget 2009-2010	Actual 8/31/10 (12 months)	Budget 2010-2011	Actual 2/28/11 (6 months)	Proposed 2011-2012
INCOME					
1 Interest Gen Fund Holding	31,500	154,976	31,500	9,780	20,000
2 Endowment Interest	35,605	109,025	95,673	107,558	107,640
3 Endowment Interest Sub-Acct	101,346	43,300	43,461	34,253	89,073
4 Certificate of Deposit	33,500	33,500	0		0
5 WGM Designated Funds	30,000	35,200	30,000	54,750	48,750
6 General Fund Per Capita	103,464	104,128	104,964		100,000
7 Registration Fees	24,000	17,770	22,500		20,000
8 Session Misc. Income	20,000	29,118	20,000	5,831	25,000
9 Grand Chapter Sales	26,000	19,632	26,000	13,705	20,000
10 Bulletin Subscriptions	28,200	22,614	28,200	14,569	25,000
11 Bulletin Articles	34,100	32,865	34,100	9,819	35,000
12 Supplies/postage/Shipping	6,600	3,554	6,600	2,048	4,000

13	GGC Supplies Sales	64,875	77,210	64,875	21,952	60,000
14	Administrative Revenue	12,000	12,000	12,000		12,000
15	Credit Card Conv Fee	7,350	5,911	0		4,000
16	Misc.Fees/Spec.Disp.	7,643	1,145	1,250	166	1,000
17	International Headquarters	7,080	5,659	7,080		7,000
18	Founders Day 100%	5,000	8,642	5,000		5,000
19	Gifts and Donations	1,000	30	1,000		1,000
20	General Fund Humanitarian	4,000	4,313	4,000	2,894	0
21	Interest Endowed Memberships	500		500		200
22	Other Misc. Receipts	3,700		3,700		0
Total Income		\$587,463	\$720,592	\$542,403	\$267,545	\$584,663

EXPENSE

23	Grand Secretary Housing	8,400	8,400	8,400	4,200	8,400
24	TMRC Board/Directors Ret.	500	75	300		0
25	Computer/Data Processing	3,000	2,857	3,000	1,795	4,000
	Computer Contract Services					6,000
26	Auto Acquisition	12,000	0	12,000		12,000
27	Copy Machine	6,000	0	3,000	14,190	35,000
28	Office Salaries	99,000	96,484	99,000	42,376	89,000
29	Grand Secretary's Salary	19,000	19,731	19,000	9,500	19,000
30	Grand Treasurer's Salary	6,000	6,000	6,000	3,000	6,000
31	GC Support Staff Housing	1,700	2,385	1,700		2,000
32	Vehicle-Fuel/Maintenance	6,000	7,165	5,800	2,573	8,000
33	Vehicle-License	200	218	200	0	200
34	Vehicle-Repairs	250	2,072	1,000	1,284	1,000
35	WGM Expense	3,500	3,500	3,500	3,500	4,000
36	WGP Expense	1,600	1,600	1,600	1,600	2,000
37	AGM Expense	2,000	2,000	2,000	2,000	2,500
38	AGP Expense	400	400	400	400	1,000
39	AGC Expense	400	400	400	400	750
40	Grand Secretary Expense	2,000	2,000	2,000	2,000	2,000
41	GC Expense	400	400	400	400	500
42	Grand Treasurer Expense	600	600	600	600	2,400
43	GGC Hospitality	0	0	500		0
44	Grand Master Session Expense	500	150	500		500
45	GGC Officers Expense	1,000	0	2,000	892	0
46	Official Reporter-GC	3,500	3,500	3,500	3,750	3,750
47	Advanced Reports	4,200	855	3,500		2,500
48	Ballots & Voting Cards	1,000	65	500		2,000
49	Installation Programs	500	725	100		200
50	Photos of Proceedings	1,200	500	1,000	500	1,000
51	Registration Forms/Postage/Badges	500	1,385	300		500
52	Session & Memorial Programs	6,200	1,304	4,000		2,000
53	The Session	20,000	20,000	20,000		20,000
54	PGM Jewel	750	750	750		1,000
55	PGP Jewel	450	450	450		500
56	Insurance-Directors Liability	6,400	8,400	4,200	2,869	6,000
57	Auto Insurance	2,500	956	2,500	3,248	2,500
58	Furnishings,PP Umbrella	49,000	47,398	47,500	46,482	48,000
59	Insurance-Workmans Comp.	1,550	3,307	2,500	582	2,500
60	Audit/CPA	23,675	24,750	25,000	21,860	25,000
61	Legal Services	500	1,333	2,000	750	2,000
62	Office & Printing Supplies	4,550	13,549	4,550	5,372	10,000

63	Miscellaneous	1,000	6,057	1,000		1,000
	District Workshops					1,200
64	Credit Card Fees	550	1,129	550		550
65	Contingency Fund	10,000	875	10,000	1,749	10,000
66	Security Services	375	425	375	150	500
67	Internet Service	1,275	1,569	1,500	975	1,500
68	Postage/Petty Cash	200	608	200		200
69	Postage-Bulletin Mailings	18,000	10,601	12,000	4,015	12,000
70	Postage Permit	200	0	200	185	200
71	Postage Meter Lease	2,500	9,228	2,500	3,589	2,500
72	Postage	4,400	0	0		4,000
73	Bulletins	48,300	33,924	31,500	16,952	30,000
74	Annual Proceedings-Printing	15,500	13,476	13,000	3,153	13,000
75	Printing-Other	13,200	6,397	10,000	3,153	5,000
76	Janitorial Supplies	1,300	429	0		400
77	Office & Printing Supplies	1,875		1,000		1,000
78	Cost of Supplies/GC/GGC	66,900	1,892	64,000		14,000
79	Computer Maintenance	0		6,000	1,198	3,000
80	Utilities-Electric	4,535	3,816	5,500	2,169	5,500
81	Utilities-Gas	550	442	550	262	550
82	Utilities-Telephone	3,500	3,493	1,500	877	2,500
83	Rent Office	40,000	0	33,000	16,500	33,000
84	Payroll Expense (Liability)	10,310		10,310	4,539	10,310
85	GGC Per Capita	34,988	35,370	34,988	33,841	34,000
86	International Headquarters	7,080	7,060	7,080	5,655	6,000
87	Website					1,000
Total Expense		\$587,463	\$422,455	\$542,403	\$275,085	\$528,610
Net Income		\$0	\$298,137	\$0	(\$7,540)	\$56,053

BENEVOLENT AID BUDGET

	Budget 2009-2010	Actual 8/31/10 (12 months)	Budget 2010-2011	Actual 2/28/11 (6 months)	Proposed 2011-2012	
INCOME						
88	Per Capita	38,500	36,183	34,488	33,841	33,333
89	Interest	500	350	528		300
90	Humanitarian	12,000	14,100	25,000	10,579	25,000
91	Roll Over Funds	0		25,984		35,000
92	Hurricane Ike Rollover	0	16,194	16,194		0
	501(8) Sub Account Interest	62,655	12,000	0		0
Total Income		\$113,655	\$78,827	\$102,194	\$44,420	\$93,633
EXPENSE						
94	Long Term Aid	82,800	37,600	50,000	24,600	50,000
95	Temporary Aid	32,200	13,500	20,000		15,000
96	Emergency Aid	0	11,000	16,500	7,500	20,000
Total Expense		\$115,000	\$62,100	\$86,500	\$32,100	\$85,000
Net Income		-\$1,345	\$16,727	\$15,694	\$12,320	\$8,633

**PROPOSED AMENDMENTS
TO THE CONSTITUTION**

**WHICH WILL BE PRESENTED AT THE 2011
SESSION TO BE HELD IN HOUSTON**

(Due for the SECOND Reading)

**CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT
Adopted as amended on the FIRST Reading
To become effective after the Adjournment of the 2011 Session**

**AMENDMENT NO. 1
ARTICLE XIII, SECTION 5, PAGE 46**

WHICH NOW READS:

ENTERTAINMENTS. Subordinate Chapters may have benefit entertainments for the purpose of raising money, but shall not engage in or permit any form of gambling whatsoever or any other amusement or entertainment in violation of the law of the land; and provided further, that no Chapter shall be permitted to accept funds raised by any such methods or forms of entertainment herein prohibited by the laws of General Grand Chapter or the laws of the land.

AMENDED TO READ:

ENTERTAINMENTS. Subordinate Chapters may have benefit entertainments for the purpose of raising money but shall not engage in any amusement or entertainment in violation of the law of the land.

All Subordinate Chapters in this Grand Jurisdiction qualify under the 501(c)(8) as a subsidiary of the Grand Chapter of Texas, Order of the Eastern Star, and therefore:

- (a) RAFFLES (State of Texas, Raffle Enabling Act effective January 1, 1990 and Chapter 2002, Charitable Raffles Occupation Code, Texas Codes Annotated)
 - (1) All raffles shall be for a specified charity.
 - (2) Only TWO (2) raffles a year shall be held (January 1 to December 31. No TWO (2) Raffles shall be held at the same time in a Subordinate Chapter.
 - (3) A disclosure shall be made on the tickets as follows:
 - a. Name and address of subordinate chapter.
 - b. General description of each prize having a value of over \$10.00 and no prize shall be over \$50,000.00. A prize shall not be for money.
 - c. The date on which the prize will be awarded. If unavailable to award the prize after 30 days, a refund shall be given.
 - d. The subordinate Chapter shall not advertise the raffle in any mass commercial including television, radio and newspaper.
 - e. All tickets shall be sold by authority of the Subordinate Chapter and shall not be promoted, advertised or sold state wide. Only members can sell raffle tickets.

(b) BINGO Due to the complexities of the Bingo Enabling Act of the State of Texas, no Subordinate Chapter can use Bingo as a fund raiser.

This amendment shall be updated automatically if the law of the land changes.

AMENDMENTS TO THE CONSTITUTION

(Due for the FIRST Reading)

If adopted, shall become effective from and after the adjournment of the 2012 Session of Grand Chapter (Article XIV, Sec 1, a, pg. 47)

AMENDMENT NO. 2

AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION ARTICLE III, SECTIONS 1 THROUGH 3, page 32

WHEREAS, a Grand Chapter committee has been assigned to do short term and long term planning as to the Grand Chapter Office location;

WHEREAS, this Grand Chapter Committee needs some flexibility in determining the Business Office location to take advantage of the current real estate market and remain a reasonable distance from our ladies at Texas Masonic Retirement Center.

We submit the following:

LEGAL, STATUS, SEAL, BUSINESS HEADQUARTERS

Now reads:

SECTION 1, CORPORATE POWERS. This Grand Chapter is incorporated under the laws of the State of Texas under Charter filed in the office of the Secretary of State, October 6, 1906 and an amended Charter filed November 4, 1936. As such, it has all the powers granted Corporations organized for benevolent purposes under the laws of the State of Texas. Under its Charter, each Subordinate Chapter is a Corporation, "subject to the Constitution, By-Laws, Resolutions, and Edicts of this Grand Chapter." As such Corporate bodies, Grand Chapter may receive and hold title to properties, both personal and real estate in its name, and each Subordinate Chapter may receive and hold title to properties, both personal and real estate, in the name of the Chapter.

SECTION 2. SEAL. The Seal of the Grand Chapter shall be pentagon form with a five-pointed star in the center, between the points of which shall be the letters forming the word "TEXAS." On the margin of the Seal shall be the words "Grand Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star; Organized May 5, 1884." The Grand Secretary shall be the custodian of the Official Seal and shall affix the same to all instruments issued by, or under the authority of the Grand Chapter. An electrotype of the Seal shall be used in all printed proceedings of Grand Chapter and all other printed papers will be the same.

SECTION 3. BUSINESS HEADQUARTERS. Permanent headquarters for the Grand Chapter Office shall be located in Arlington, Texas. In the Grand Chapter office, all equipment and facilities suitable and necessary for the transactions of the office business of Grand Chapter and for the preservation of its records shall be maintained.

BE AMENDED TO READ:

SECTION 1. Will be the same.

SECTION 2. Will be the same.

SECTION 3. BUSINESS HEADQUARTERS. Permanents headquarters for the Grand Chapters Office shall be located within 40 miles of Texas Masonic Retirement Center, Arlington, Texas. In the Grand Chapter office, all equipment and facilities suitable and necessary for the transactions of the office business of Grand Chapter and for the preservation of its records shall be maintained.

Vi Griffin

Annette Curry

Lorrie Owens

David B. Dibrell

Jayne Yenger

Marlene Scholari

AMENDMENT NO. 3

CODE OF LAWS

DIVISION IV, CHAPTER 4, Article 37, Page 62

A. WORTHY GRAND MATRON

WHEREAS, the Code of Law is unclear when a new motor vehicle will be purchased for the use of the Worthy Grand Matron; and,

WHEREAS, the Worthy Grand Matron does not have a specific directive from the Board of Directors in returning the motor vehicle to them for the use of the next Worthy Grand Matron;

WE, the undersigned, propose the following Amendment to the Code of Laws.

WHICH NOW READS:

ARTICLE 37. MOTOR VEHICLE. The Board of Directors is authorized to provide a new motor vehicle for the use of the Worthy Grand Matron. The vehicle shall be maintained under the supervision of the Board of Directors.

BE AMENDED TO READ:

ARTICLE 37. MOTOR VEHICLE. The Board of Directors is authorized to provide a new motor vehicle for the use of the Worthy Grand Matron as the need is determined. The vehicle shall be maintained under the supervision of the Board of Directors and it shall be evaluated in May of each year as to the need of replacement and safety of the Worthy Grand Matron and her designee. At the end of the worthy Grand Matron's tenure, she will arrange for the vehicle to be professionally cleaned and updated maintenance performed on the vehicle at the expense

of Grand Chapter. She will return the keys and motor vehicle to the Board of Directors at her Grand Chapter Session.

Gerry Sturtz
Karen Kidd
Elizabeth Wise
Betty Scott

Ron Zipp
Tonya Foster
Kathy Teele

Darla Dunaway
Lorraine Williams
Keith Mikeworth

AMENDMENT NO. 4

AMENDMENT TO THE CODE OF LAWS CHAPTER 4.E. GRAND SECRETARY, Articles 63 through 74, Page 67

Whereas, the Grand Secretary I the Registered Legal Agent for the Grand Chapter of Texas,

Whereas, the Grand Secretary has many responsibilities in this capacity to those members whose welfare depend on the Grand Chapter of Texas and live at the Texas Masonic Retirement Center,

Whereas, the Grand Secretary has to prepare a timely budget for the Associate Grand Matron, the need to be moved to an earlier time and some of the wording needs to be changed.

We submit the following:

E. GRAND SECRETARY

Duties and Prerogatives

Now reads:

ARTICLE 63. PROPOSED BUDGET. The Grand Secretary shall prepare and submit to the Associate Grand Matron, not later than June 15th, a proposed budget of expenditures covering the printing of proceedings and rosters and of all supplies needed in the Grand Secretary's office, such budget to be considered by the Associate Grand Matron in preparing a proposed budget of expenditures to be submitted to the Board of Directors.

Be Amended to read:

ARTICLE 63. PROPOSED BUDGET. The Grand Secretary shall prepare and submit to the Associate Grand Matron, a proposed budget of **revenues and expenditures for the Grand Chapter of Texas Fiscal Year**, such budget to be considered by the Associate Grand Matron in preparing a proposed budget of **revenues and** expenditures to be submitted to the Board of Directors.

ARTICLE 64 through 73 will be the same.

ADD:

ARTICLE 74:

The Grand Secretary, as Legal Agent, shall maintain all records of those members under the care of the Grand Chapter of Texas and residing at the Texas Masonic Retirement Center, assist in all their financial matters, have their Durable and Medical Power of Attorney, make their funeral arrangements and attend meetings when necessary at the Texas Masonic Retirement Center.

Vi Griffin
Owens

Jayne Yenger
Annette Curry

David B. Dibrell
Marlene Scholari

Lorrie

AMENDMENT NO. 5

**CODE OF LAWS
DIVISION IV, CHAPTER 5, ARTICLE 81, Page 71**

BOARDS OF GRAND CHAPTER, Duties and Prerogatives

Whereas, our Code of Laws does not regulate the place, time and frequency of the meetings of the Board of Directors, and

Whereas, the Board of Directors is confronted yearly with schedule changes in regard to locations and dates, and

Whereas, the Grand Chapter office maintains equipment and facilities suitable for the meetings of the Board, and

Whereas, our Code of Laws does not stipulate a quorum for meetings, and

Whereas, the members of the Board of Directors are entitled to regulations in these considerations,

WE, the undersigned, propose the following Amendment to the Code of Laws.

*** ARTICLE 81. Regulations in regard to Members of the Board of Directors, to wit:**

- a. That no Board Member shall appoint, vote for, or confirm the appointment or employment of any person related to the said director within the second degree by affinity, or within the third degree by consanguinity to the person or person so appointment or so voting, on the confirmation.

b. Neither shall any of the above-mentioned individuals or Boards vote for or confirm the purchase of any services, equipment, supplies or any material in which any of said members, or any member of her or his immediate family is interested directly or indirectly.

BE AMENDED AS FOLLOWS:

- a. No Change**
- b. No Change.**

ADD: "c"

c. The meetings of the Board of Directors will be held at the Grand Chapter State Office on the third Saturday of each month at 9 a.m. unless circumstances warrant a change in this schedule and will be open to the membership. There will not be a meeting in June (Installations) or December (Christmas) unless needed. Special meetings and workshops may be called as needed. Quorum – Seven (7) members of the Board of Directors, including one of the officers, must be present at meetings.

Gerry Sturtz
Karen Kidd
Elizabeth Wise
Betty Scott

Ron Zipp
Tonya Foster
Kathy Teele

Darla Dunaway
Lorraine Williams
Keith Mikeworth

AMENDMENT NO. 6

AMENDMENT TO THE CODE OF LAWS

WHEREAS, the duties of the Standing Committees of Grand Chapter as listed in Article 17 of the Code of Laws are not all repeated in Chapter Ten (10), Article 152 A-U of the Code of Laws page 115

THEREFORE, the undersigned propose that the following Article be **added**:

Article 152-V CHOIR DIRECTOR

The Choir Director shall be appointed for a term of one (1) year. The Choir Director shall, with the Worthy Grand Matron, choose appropriate music for presentation by the Grand Chapter Choir at the Grand Chapter Session. The Choir Director shall have charge of the Grand Chapter Choir.

Vi Griffin
Charlotte Beall

Marlene Scholari
Jack C. Beall

Lorrie Owens

AMENDMENT NO. 7

CODE OF LAWS DIVISION IV, CHAPTER 13, REVENUES, RETURNS, APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES, SOURCES OF REVENUE, PAGE 122

ARTICLE 613. THE GENERAL FUND.

Whereas, our Code of Law does not state how the Registration Fee is used, and

Whereas, to avoid confusion as to why the Registration Fee is collected, and

Whereas, the Board of Directors desires to clarify for accounting purposes the use of the Registration Fee, and

Whereas, there have been questions as to whether or not the Registration Fee is part of the Session income,

We, the undersigned, propose the following Amendment to the Code of Laws, which now reads:

ARTICLE 163. THE GENERAL FUND.

* a. The General Fund shall consist of:

(1) Three Dollars, (\$3.00) annually, Per Capita for each member in this Grand Jurisdiction

(2) Three Dollars (\$3.00) for each person initiated and for each member reinstated during the year.

(3) Profits on supplies sold by Grand Secretary's Office.

(4) All monies received for Special Dispensations and Grand Demits, and penalties.

(5) All other funds of every kind and character received by Grand Chapter and not otherwise directed or designated.

** (6) Twenty-five percent of all money raised by this Grand Chapter from the Worthy Grand Matron's Special funds to the General Fund for administrative expense. This twenty-five percent shall not apply to the following funds: the Grand Chapter Endowment Trust Fund – 501(c)(8), Endowed Membership Trust Fund, ESTARL Fund, Educational Funds, Grand Chapter Endowment Trust Fund Sub-Account, and The Eastern Star Home of Texas Trust Fund – 501(c)(3).

BE AMENDED TO ADD:

(7) All Registration Fees collected for and at the Grand Chapter Session.
"b." No change.

Gerry Sturtz
Karen Kidd
Elizabeth Wise
Betty Scott

Ron Zipp
Tonya Foster
Kathy Teele

Darla Dunaway
Lorraine Williams
Keith Mikeworth

AMENDMENT NO. 8

**AMENDMENT TO CODE OF LAW
Chapter 14, Article 170, C, Page 127:**

Now read:

In case of emergency, however, proposals for such new laws, or amendments or repeal of existing laws, may be presented during daily sessions of any Annual Session of Grand Chapter, after consent has been granted, therefore, by a majority vote of the members present at that Session. Any emergency proposal shall be submitted in triplicate, with one copy each to the Worthy Grand Matron, the Grand Secretary and the Chairman of the Jurisprudence Committee.

Be amended to read:

In case of emergency, however, proposals for such new laws, or amendments or repeal of existing laws, may be presented during daily sessions of any Annual Session of Grand Chapter, after consent has been granted, therefore, by a majority vote of the members present at that Session. Any emergency proposal shall be submitted in triplicate, with one copy each to the Worthy Grand Matron, the Grand Secretary and the Chairman of the Jurisprudence Committee. **Such emergency legislation will become law immediately following the close of the Session at which it is approved.**

Teri Rozell
Lorrie Owens
Vi Griffin

Jack C. Beall
Gerry Sturtz

Sharon Mosmeyer
Marlene Scholari

AMENDMENT NO. 9

**AMENDMENT TO CODE OF LAWS
CHAPTER 13, Consolidation of Chapters and Changing of District and/or Section,
Article 268-1, b., page 183**

Whereas, a Dispensation from the Worthy Grand Matron is only in effect as long as she remains in office,

Whereas, the ruling would then require a Resolution to be voted on at the next Grand Chapter Session to make the change permanent.

We submit the following:

Now reads:

b. If the motion carries to change to a certain District and/or Section the Secretary will write a letter to the Worthy Grand Matron requesting a Special Dispensation to change District and/or Section and attach a \$3.00 fee for such Dispensation. A copy of all correspondence

and Special Dispensation must be sent to the Grand Secretary's office.

Please contact your Deputy Grand Matron who will assist you, and if required, she will get in touch with her District Deputy Grand Matron and/or the Grand Secretary.

Be Amended to read:

- b. If the motion carries to change to a certain District and/or Section the Secretary will send a copy of all correspondence to the Grand Secretary's Office. The Grand Secretary will notify the Worthy Grand Matron and place a notice of this change in the Bulletin.**

Please contact your Deputy Grand Matron who will assist you, and if required she shall get in touch with the District Deputy Matron and/or the Grand Secretary.

Respectively submitted:

Nell Smith Drenner

Gay M. Carnes

Kathy Teele

RESOLUTION NO. 1

Whereas, a Dispensation was issued by the Worthy Grand Matron to allow Junction Chapter No. 497 to change from District 5, Section 3 to District 5, Section 2.

Whereas, a Dispensation is only in effect while the Worthy Grand Matron is in office.

Therefore, in order to make this change permanent, we submit that Junction Chapter No. 497 be allowed to change from District 5, Section 3 to District 5, Section 2.

Respectively submitted,

Nell Smith Drenner

Kathy Teele

Gay Carnes

RESOLUTION NO. 2

Whereas, Texas own Past Grand Matron, Sister Alma Lynn Bane, was elected Right Worthy Grand Secretary of the General Grand Chapter in Tulsa, Oklahoma at the 46th Triennial Assembly;

Whereas, this place of service is an honor for the membership of the Grand Chapter of Texas, Order of the Eastern Star;

Whereas, the Right Worthy Grand Secretary of the General Grand Chapter is elected at each Triennial Assembly;

Whereas, the Right Worthy Grand Secretary of the General Grand Chapter may be re-elected to that office for no more than four Triennial terms;

Whereas, Sister Alma Lynn Bane desires to serve as Right Worthy Grand Secretary of the General Grand Chapter for 2012 – 2015 by re-election to that office;

Whereas, the members of the Past Grand Matrons and Past Grand Patrons Association have voted to support Sister Alma Lynn Bane for re-election to Right Worthy Grand Secretary of the General Grand Chapter.

Therefore, it is resolved that:

The Grand Chapter of Texas support and nominate Sister Alma Lynn Bane for re-election to the position of Right Worthy Grand Secretary of the General Grand Chapter at the 2012 General Grand Chapter Triennial Assembly to be held in Fort Worth, Texas.
Respectfully submitted,

Joyce Nicklas, Past Grand Matron

Marlene Scholarli

Tava Smith

Donna Kirkpatrick

Charlotte Beall

RESOLUTION NO. 3

RESOLUTION FOR 2011 GRAND CHAPTER SESSION

Whereas, tradition has dictated that an Eastern Star School should be held in each Section every year.

Whereas, our ageing and declining membership and the fact that a substantial number of demised and consolidated Chapters have combined where holding an Eastern Star School in each Section has become a serious financial hardship for numerous Chapters.

Whereas, in 1998 our membership was 62,438 and had declined to 33,480 (a 46% decrease) in 2010. If this rate of decline continues, in ten (10) years our membership will be approximately 20,981. We will have neither the members nor the financial ability to support continuing the practice of having a school in each Section.

Therefore, be it resolved that beginning with the 2012 – 2013 Grand Chapter year we will have only five (5) Eastern Star Schools per year. One (1) school in each District and rotated to a different Section within the District every year. The school will be under the direction of the District Deputy Grand Matron. Members from all sections within the District could be selected to fill the chairs. The schools will be held on a Saturday with the District Banquet the night before. The cost for the school will be spread over the District, greatly lowering the cost per Chapter and the financial hardship that they now incur.

Each Deputy Grand Matron will hold one (1) informational workshop in her Section to answer

questions from the membership and exemplify any work that the Chapters might request.

John Fowler, Past Patron, Palestine No. 395

Richard E. Thornton, Jr., Past Patron, Palestine No. 395

Joy James, Past Matron, Palestine No. 395

Lynda Sansom, Worthy Matron, Palestine, No. 395



CHRISTINE ARMSTRONG

Past Matron and Endowed Member of
 Alvin Chapter No. 15
 Past Matron - Friendswood Chapter No. 1131 (Dual)

To be nominated for the office of
ASSOCIATE GRAND CONDUCTRESS

At the 2011 Grand Chapter Session in Houston

SUBORDINATE CHAPTER SERVICE

1987	Initiated Alvin No. 15
1987-88	Ruth
1988-89	Martha
1989-90	Esther
1990-91	Marshal
1991-92	Associate Conductress
1992-93	Conductress
1993-94	Associate Matron
1994-95	Worthy Matron
1995-96	Secretary
1996-97	Secretary
1997-98	Secretary
1998-99	Secretary
1999-00	Associate Conductress
2000-01	Conductress
2001-02	Associate Matron
2002-03	Worthy Matron
2004-05	Conductress
2005-06	Associate Conductress
2006-07	Conductress
2007-08	Associate Matron
2008-09	Worthy Matron
2009-10	Adah
2010-11	Treasurer
2011-12	Chaplain

FRIENDSWOOD NO. 1131

2000	Dual Membership
2000-01	Organist
2001-02	Ruth
2002-03	Martha
2003-04	Martha
2004-05	Conductress
2005-06	Associate Matron
2006-07	Worthy Matron
2007-08	Treasurer
2008-09	Warder
2009-10	Warder
2010-11	Martha
2011-12	Martha

GRAND CHAPTER SERVICE

1996-97	Bulletin
1997-98	TEAM 98 Dist 4 Sect 10 Chairman
1998-99	Secretary to AGP
1999-00	Secretary to WGP
2000-01	Grand Representative of Nebraska
2001-02	Deputy Grand Matron District 4, Section 10
2002-03	Registration, District 4
2003-04	District Deputy Grand Matron District 4
2004-05	Grand Examiner District 4
2005-06	Grand Examiner District 4
2006-07	Grand Examiner District 4
2007-08	Grand Examiner District 4
2008-09	Grand Examiner District 4
2009-10	Grand Examiner District 4
2010-11	Grand Page to Grand Marshal

FRATERNAL SERVICE

President, Night Time Study Club
 President, Past Matron/Patrons Assoc.

EDUCATION

Texas City High School
 Multiple Turbomachinery
 Product Seminars

EMPLOYMENT

1978-83 Santa Fe, TX ISD
 Administration & Substitute Teacher
 1983-08 Triconex Systems Inc., RETIRED
 Inside Sales Specialist
 2008 - present, Tri-Sen Systems Corp
 Inside Sales Manager

Cindy Echols

**Past Matron and Endowed Member
Lubbock Chapter No. 76**

To be nominated for the office of

Associate Grand Conductress

At the 2011 Grand Chapter Session in Houston



Subordinate Chapter Service

Shallowater Chapter No. 1134
Initiated March 17, 1992

1992 - 93 Ruth
1993 - 94 Esther
1994 - 95 Associate Conductress
1995 - 96 Conductress
1996 - 97 Associate Matron
1997 - 98 Worthy Matron
1998 - 99 Chaplain
1999 - 00 Martha
2000 - 01 Associate Matron
2001 - 02 Worthy Matron
2002 - 03 Worthy Matron
2003 - 04 Secretary
June 2004 Consolidated with
Lubbock Chapter No. 76

2005 - 06 Conductress
2006 - 07 Conductress
2007 - 08 Associate Matron
2008 - 09 Worthy Matron
2009 - 10 Conductress
2010 - 11 Associate Matron
2011 - 12 Worthy Matron

Freedom Chapter No. 898

1996 - 97 Chaplain
1997 - 98 Chaplain
1998 - 99 Worthy Matron
1999 - 00 Secretary
2000 - 01 Chaplain
May 2001 Withdrew Dual Membership

Grand Chapter Service

1999 - 00 21st Century Time Capsule Committee,
District 2 Chairman
2000 - 01 Deputy Grand Matron, District II, Section IV
2001 - 02 District Deputy Grand Matron, District II
2002 - 03 Registration, District II
2003 - 04 ESTARL, District II
2004 - 05 Grand Page to Grand Ruth
2005 - 06 Arthritis & Diabetes Research,
District II Chairman
2006 - 07 Board of Grand Examiners, District II
2007 - 08 Board of Grand Examiners, District II
2008 - 09 Board of Grand Examiners, District II
2009 - 10 Board of Grand Examiners, District II
2010 - 11 Historical Highlights, District II Chairman

Fraternal Service

West Texas Past Matrons and Past Patrons Association

2000 Chaplain
2001 Treasurer
2002 Secretary
2003 Vice President
2004 President

Texas Cardinals - Member

Education

Coronado High School, Lubbock, TX

Employment

1972 - 1974 USLIFE Credit
1975 - 1996 Commercial Credit
1996 - 2002 Michael P. Reed, Attorney
2002 - Present Covenant Health System



*Time is a very precious gift of God;
So precious that it's only given to us
Moment by moment.*



Cheryl Albrecht

Past Matron, Life Member and Endowed Member of
Crescent Chapter No. 820

To be nominated for the Office of

Associate Grand Conductress

At the 2011 Grand Chapter Session in Houston

Initiated October 12, 1981

Subordinate Chapter

1982-1983	Electa
1983-1984	Esther
1984-1985	Associate Conductress
1985-1986	Conductress
1986-1987	Associate Matron
1987-1988	Worthy Matron
1990-1991	Esther
1992-1996	Treasurer
1996-1997	Worthy Matron
1997-2001	Treasurer
2001-2002	Worthy Matron
2002-2003	Conductress
2003-2004	Associate Matron
2004-2005	Worthy Matron
2005-2011	Treasurer

Education

Burleson High School
Bachelor of Business Administration
in Accounting Degree from
University of Texas at Arlington
Certified Public Accountant Certificate
Continuing Education Courses

Employment

1991-1992 Wilkerson & Arthur, CPA
1977-2011 HJG Trucking

Grand Chapter

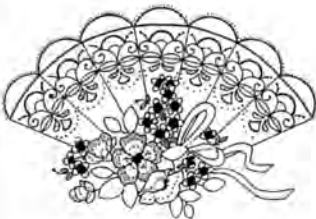
1989-1990	Spring Fling Committee
1990-1991	Pot of Gold, Section 1 Chairman
1991-1992	Secretary to Associate Grand Cond.
1992-1993	Secretary to Grand Conductress
1993-1994	Secretary to Associate Grand Matron
1994-1995	Grand Marshal
1995-1996	Founder's Day, General Chairman
1996-1997	Secretary to W.G.M., Dist. 3
1997-1998	Registration, General Chairman
1998-1999	Deputy Grand Matron, Dist. 3, Sec. 1
1999-2000	Secretary to Associate Grand Cond.
2000-2001	Humanitarian, Dist. 3 Chairman
2001-2002	Secretary to Associate Grand Matron
2002-2003	Grand Marshal
2003-2004	OES Home Endowment, District 3
2004-2005	Grand Historian, General Chairman
2005-2006	Publicity Committee
2006-2007	Shop Wisely Committee
2007-2011	Grand Examiner, District 3

Fraternal

Past Matrons & Past Patrons Assoc., Dist. 3 Sec. 1	
1997-1998	Secretary
2001-2002	First Vice President
2002-2003	President

Life Member - Texas Cardinals, Inc.

Various Offices in Line Officers Clubs of
District 3, Section 1



*A
Friend
Always
Near*

JERRE LUCAS
PAST MATRON & ENDOWED MEMBER
SCHERTZ CHAPTER 911

To be nominated for
ASSOCIATE GRAND CONDUCTRESS

At the 2011 Grand Chapter Session
in Houston



SUBORDINATE CHAPTER SERVICE

1962 Initiated Brownfield Chapter 785
1962 Grand Chapter Drill Team
1965 Transferred to Schertz 911
1996-1967 Electa
1967-1968 Associate Conductress
1968-1969 Conductress
1969-1970 Associate Matron
1970-1971 Worthy Matron

2003-2004 Board of Directors, District 5 Member
2004-2007 Board of Grand Examiners, District 5
2007-2008 Grand Page to the Grand Warder
2008-2009 Spring Fling Committee
2009-2010 Spring Fling Committee
2010-2011 District 5 Chairman Calendar Committee

GRAND CHAPTER SERVICE

1971 Chairman, Grand Pages
1971-1972 Library Research Committee
1972-1973 Secretarial Committee, District 5
1973-1974 Commemorative Medallion Committee
1974-1975 Deputy Grand Matron, Dist. 5, Sec. 7
1975-1976 Founders Day Committee
1976-1977 District Deputy Grand Matron, Dist. 5
1977 Personal Page to the Worthy Grand Matron
1977-1980 Grand Representative of Quebec in Texas
1988-1989 International Temple Chairman
1989-1990 Grand Historian Committee
1990-1991 International Committee
1991 Grand Page to Grand Adah
1991-1994 Titles, Deeds and Properties Committee and Member Long Range Development Committee
1994-1996 Chairman, Titles, Deeds and Properties Committee and Member Long Range Development Committee
1996-1997 Grand Page to Grand Marshal
1997-1998 General Grand Chapter Projects Committee, District 5 Chairman
1998-1999 Humanitarian Committee Chairman, District 5
1999-2001 Member, Board of Grand Trustees
2001-2002 Secretary, Board of Grand Trustees
2002-2003 Chairman, Board of Directors for Newly Combined Ten Member Board during first year the Trustees and Benevolent Boards combined.
2003 Personal Page to the Right Worthy Associate Grand Conductress, General Grand Chapter

FRATERNAL SERVICE

Charter Secretary and 3rd President, District 5 Past Matrons and Past Patrons Association
Charter Member, Schertz Chapter No. 911 Past Matrons and Past Patrons Association
District Five, Section Six Past Matrons and Patrons Association
Charter and Life Member, Texas Cardinals, Inc.

EDUCATION

South Plains Junior College, Levelland
Midwestern State University, Wichita Falls
CONTINUING EDUCATION:
San Antonio College
American Association of Petroleum Landmen
San Antonio Association for Petroleum Landmen
Dale Carnegie Course

EMPLOYMENT:

14 Years H.B. Zachry Company
1976 - Present Independent Professional Petroleum Landman (Oil and Gas related, interim between oil companies and landowners) including leasing, title, take-offs, curative, negotiations



MIKE BIDDLE

Past Patron and Endowed Member
 Edwin J. Kiest Chapter No. 959
 Past Patron John L. DeGrazier Chapter No. 881



To be nominated for the office of
**BOARD OF DIRECTORS,
 DISTRICT I**
 At the 2011 Grand Chapter Session
 In Houston, Texas

Subordinate Chapter Service

- Initiated April 17, 1981
- Parent Chapter – Edwin J. Kiest Chapter No. 959
- 2000-01 Warder
- 2001-02 Associate Patron
- 2002-03 Worthy Patron
- 2006-07 Secretary
- 2007-08 Secretary
- 2008-09 Sentinel
- 2009-10 Sentinel
- 2010-11 Associate Patron
- Dual with John L. DeGrazier Chapter No. 881 – 2003
- 2004-05 Sentinel
- 2005-06 Worthy Patron
- 2007-08 Marshal
- 2008-09 Associate Patron
- 2009-10 Associate Patron
- 2010-11 Associate Patrona

Grand Chapter Service

- 2005-06 Grand Page to the Assoc. Grand Patron
- 2006-07 Grand Page to the Worthy Grand Patron
- 2007-08 Tri-State Exchange
- 2008-09 Grand Escort to the Grand Treasurer
- 2009-10 Calendar Committee
- 2010-11 Arrangements, Ushers

Fraternal Service

- Past Matrons and Past Patrons – District 1, Section 4
- 2003-04 and 2008-09 Vice-President
- Member Dallas Elected Officers Club

Professional Background

- 1969-74 SMU Food Services, Purchasing Director
- 1974-2008 Dallas Independent School District Cafeteria Manager; Food Service Area Specialist; Specialist over the Food Service Maintenance Department - responsible for supervision of maintenance, designing new school cafeterias, and the purchase of all new equipment.
- 2008 Retired

Education

- 1962 Checotah, Oklahoma High School
- 1967 Oklahoma State University, BS - Hotel & Restaurant Admin.
- 1976 Southern Methodist University, MA - Liberal Arts

Military

- 1966-95 U.S. Naval Reserve
- 1967-68 Active Duty
USS McMorris DE-1036
- 1969-95 Reserve Duty
Dallas Naval Air Station
- 1995 Retired as a Senior Chief Petty Officer



Support our Troops
 Through their efforts and sacrifices we are able to enjoy the freedoms and privileges we have in this great country.

REBECCA (BECKY) K. AUSTIN
 Past Matron & Endowed Member
 Of
 Beckville Chapter No. 273



To be nominated for the office of
BOARD OF DIRECTORS
DISTRICT ONE
 At the 2011 Grand Chapter Session in Houston

SUBORDINATE CHAPTER SERVICE

- August 1998 Initiated in Beckville No. 273
- 1999-2000 Associate Conductress
- 2000-2001 Conductress
- 2001-2002 Associate Matron
- 2002-2003 Worthy Matron
- 2003-2004 Worthy Matron
- 2004-2005 Adah
- 2005-2006 Associate Conductress
- 2006-2007 Conductress
- 2007-2008 Associate Matron
- 2008-2009 Worthy Matron
- 2009-2010 Chaplain
- 2010-2011 Associate Conductress

GRAND CHAPTER SERVICE

- 2002-2003 Heartbeat Committee
- 2003-2004 Membership Visitation
- 2004-2005 Yearbook
- 2005-2006 Publicity
- 2006-2007 Yearbook
- 2007-2008 Deputy Grand Matron,
District 1, Section 8
- 2008-2009 Arrangements - Security
- 2009-2010 Grand Page to Grand Marshal
- 2010-2011 Credentials

FRATERNAL SERVICE

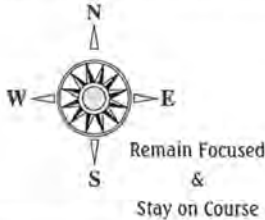
- 2005-2007 Treasurer, District 1 Past Matrons
& Past Patrons Association
- 2005-2006 2nd VP, District 1, Section 8
Past Matrons & Past Patrons Assn.
- 2006-2007 1st VP, District 1, Section 8
Past Matrons & Past Patrons Assn.
- 2007-2008 President, District 1, Section 8
Past Matrons & Past Patrons Assn.
- 2010-2011 Treasurer, District 1, Section 8

EDUCATION

- 1980 Graduated w/ Honors Beckville H. S.
- 1982 Panola College - Assoc. Science Degree
- 1984 Stephen F. Austin Univ.
Bachelor of Science - Education
- 1986 Stephen F. Austin Univ. - Masters
Degree Program
- 1988-1990 Panola College Continuing
Education
- 2002 Surveyor-In-Training Certificate
- 2002-Present Surveyor Internship

EMPLOYMENT

- 1984-1986 Gary I.S.D., Teacher, Business
& English
- 1989-Present Austin Surveying & Mapping
Owner/General Manager



PATTI LITTLEPAGE STREY

Past Matron and Endowed Member
Texas Chapter No. 35
 and Dual Member of
 San Antonio Radiant Chapter No. 3

To be nominated for the office of
BOARD OF DIRECTORS
DISTRICT 5

At the 2011 Grand Chapter Session in Houston



Subordinate Chapter

- 1970 Initiated into Star Chapter #782
- 1979-80 Marshal
- 1985-86 Associate Conductress
- 1986-87 Conductress
- 1987-88 Associate Matron
- 1988-89 Worthy Matron
- Jan. 1990 *Consolidated with Logos Chapter #998*
- Oct. 1993 *Logos Star #782 Consolidated with Alamo Chapter #665*
- June 1998 *Alamo Logos Star #782 Consolidated with Texas Chapter #35*
- 2001-02 Associate Conductress
- 2002-03 Organist
- 2003-04 Conductress
- 2004-05 Worthy Matron
- 2005-06 Esther
- 2006-07 Associate Matron
- 2007-08 Worthy Matron
- 2008-09 Worthy Matron
- 2009-10 Conductress (Texas Chapter #35)
- 2009-10 Associate Conductress (San Antonio Radiant # 3)
- 2010-11 Conductress (Texas Chapter #35)
- 2010-11 Conductress (San Antonio Radiant # 3)

Employment

- 2002-08 Started my own business *Patro's (new construction cleaning)*
- 1980-02 Southwestern Bell Telephone Company (now AT&T)
- 1975-80 San Antonio Express-News
- 1971-73 Tesoro Petroleum Company

Grand Chapter Service

- 2004-05 Pillars of Support
- 2005-06 Youth Organization Committee
- 2006-07 Arrangements, Decorations
- 2007-08 Rhythm Movers
- 2008-09 Proficiency
- 2009-10 Spring Fling
- 2010-11 Grand Page to Grand Electa

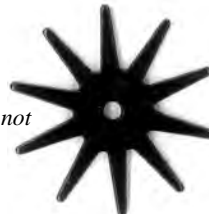
Fraternal Service

- District 5 Past Matrons and Past Patrons Association Member
- District 5 Past Matrons & Past Patrons Association Member
- Feb. 2010 Fundraiser Chairman Spaghetti Dinner
- Sept. 2010 Fund Raiser Chariman Style Show

Texas Cardinals, Inc. - Member

Education

- San Antonio Community Business College
- Continuing Education Classes: San Antonio College
- Palo Alto College
- Incarinate Word College



Round disc, not Oval Which Encourages Leaders to do what's right for ALL Eastern Stars

David Ouellette

**Past Patron and Endowed Member of
Canyon Lake Chapter No. 1103
To Be Nominated for:
Board of Directors
District 5**



At The 2011 Grand Chapter Session in Houston

SUBORDINATE CHAPTER SERVICE

Canyon Lake No. 1103
1/10/1984 Initiated
1987-88 Associate Patron
1988-89 Worthy Patron
1990-91 Associate Patron
1991-92 Worthy Patron
1992-93 Worthy Patron
1996-97 Chaplain
1997-98 Associate Patron
1998-99 Worthy Patron
1999-00 Warder
2000-01 Chaplain
2001-02 Chaplain
2002-03 Chaplain
2003-04 Associate Patron
2004-05 Worthy Patron
2007-08 Chaplain
2008-09 Treasurer
2009-10 Treasurer

New Braunfels No. 771
2000-01 Dueled / N.B.
2002-03 Organist
2003-04 Chaplain
2004-05 Chaplain
2005-06 Worthy Patron
2006-07 Chaplain
2007-08 Treasurer
2008-09 Sentinel
2009-10 Associate Patron
2010-11 Worthy Patron

GRAND CHAPTER SERVICE

1990-92 Assisted Grand Warder
1992-94 Assisted Grand Sentinel
1996-97 Founders Day
1997-99 Assisted Grand Warder
1999-00 Assisted Grand Sentinel
2000-02 Grand Representative to Vermont
2002-03 Registration

GRAND CHAPTER SERVICE (cont.)

2003-04 G.P. to Associate Grand Patron
2004-05 G.P. to Worthy Grand Patron
2005-06 Grand Sentinel of Texas
2006-07 General Chairman of Arrangements
2007-08 Music Among the Stars
2008-09 Mult. State
2009-10 Credentials
2010-11 Rob Morris Celebration

FRATERNAL SERVICE

Canyon Lake Past Matron and Patrons Assoc.
5 Terms President
1990- Present Member
New Braunfels Past Matron and Patrons Assoc.
2001- Present Member
District 5 Past Matron and Patrons Assoc.
1990- Present Member
Grand Representatives Assoc. of Texas
2001-02 Vice President
Texas Cardinals, Inc.
2000- Present Member
1996- Present Member

EDUCATION

Seguin High School
Southwest Texas College
Wharton Junior College
Southwestern Bell Corporation
3M/Dynatel Fault Locating Certification
Puregas Air Dryer Maintenance Certification
Continuing Education Courses

EMPLOYMENT

1966-02 Southwestern Bell Corporation
1980-84 T-Shirts Etc. - Owner - Design / Retail
2002-11 Comal Country Services - Owner-
Home Remodeling and Repair Services

Lillian "Sissy" Furrie

Past Matron and Endowed Member

Wedgwood Chapter #756

To be nominated for :

Board of Grand Examiners District 3

At the 2011 Grand Chapter Session in Houston



SUBORDINATE CHAPTER SERVICE

February 15, 1971 Initiated: Haltom City Chapter #962
1980-1981 Adah

1987-1988 Associate Conductress
1987-1988 Conductress
1988-1989 Associate Matron
1989-1990 Worthy Matron
June 1992 Affiliated Wedgwood Chapter #765
1995-1996 Associate Conductress
1995-1996 Conductress
1996-1997 Associate Matron
1997-1998 Worthy Matron
1998-1999 Ruth
1999-2000 Associate Conductress
2000-2001 Conductress
2001-2002 Associate Matron
2002-2003 Worthy Matron
2003-2004 Ruth
2004-2005 Martha
2005-2006 Associate Conductress
2006-2007 Conductress
2007-2008 Associate Matron
2008-2009 Worthy Matron
2009-2010 Conductress
2010-2011 Worthy Matron

FRATERNAL SERVICE

1996-1997 PM and PP Association District 3 section 1 Registrar
2000 District 3 Section 1 Line Officers Club President
2002 District 3 Section 1 Line Officers Club President
2010-2011 PM and PP Association District 3 section 1 Treasurer
Texas Cardinals, Inc. Member

GRAND CHAPTER SERVICE

1990-1991 Homecoming Committee
1997-1998 Good Samaritan Committee Chairman District 3 Section 1
1998-1999 Together We Give Committee
1999-2000 Celebration 2000 Committee Chairman District 3
2000-2001 Just Say It Committee Chairman District 3
2001-2002 Handy Traveler Committee
2002-2003 Arrangements Committee
2003-2004 Online Youth Committee District 3 Chairman
2004-2005 Deputy Grand Matron District 3 Section 1
2005-2006 Arrangements Committee Decorations
2006-2007 Arrangements Committee
2007-2008 Grand Page to the Associate Grand Matron
2008-2009 Grand Ruth
2009-2010 Grand Representative Saskatchewan

EDUCATION

Graduate Haltom High School, Haltom City
Graduate St. Joseph School of Radiologic Technology
Tarrant County College Radiology
Tarrant County College Business Management Certificate
Texas Radiology Continuing Education Courses

EMPLOYMENT

1970-1976 Radiologic Technologist Glenview Hospital
1976-1983 Radiologic Technologist Haltom General Hospital
1983-present Sr. Radiologic Technologist TX Healthcare Bone and Joint Clinic
1993-1996 Radiologic Technologist TCU Football

1994-present Radiation Safety Officer TX Healthcare Bone and Joint Clinic

Professional

1988-present American Society of Radiologic Technologist

Circle of Friends



DONNA HILL POPE

Past Matron and Endowed Member
 North Fort Worth Chapter No. 684
 Dual Member, TMRC Daylight Chapter #1145



To be nominated for
 the office of
**BOARD OF GRAND
 EXAMINERS**
DISTRICT THREE

SUBORDINATE CHAPTER

1985 Initiated into North Ft. Worth #684
 1997-98 Associate Conductress
 1998-99 Conductress
 1999-2000 Associate Matron
 2000-01 Worthy Matron
 2003-04 Chaplain
 2004-05 Associate Conductress
 2005-06 Adah
 2006-07 Electa
 2007-08 Associate Conductress
 2008-09 Conductress
 2009-10 Worthy Matron
 2010-11 Marshal
 2011 Dual Member, TMRC Daylight #1145
 2011-12 Conductress, TMRC Daylight #1145

FRATERNAL SERVICE

2007-10 Treasurer, PAGO
 Past Appointed Grand Officer Assn.
 2008-09 Treasurer, Past Matrons &
 Past Patrons Assn., District 3 Sec. 1
 2009-10 Secretary, Past Matrons &
 Past Patrons Assn., District 3, Sec. 1
 2010-11 2nd Vice President, Past Matrons &
 Past Patrons Assn., District 3, Sec. 1
 2009-11 President, Past Matrons &
 Patrons Assn., NFW Chapter #684

GRAND CHAPTER SERVICE

2000-01 Grand Page to Grand Ruth
 2001-02 Traveling Texas, District 3 Chairman
 2002-03 Deputy Grand Matron, Dist. 3 Section 1
 2003-04 Endowed Membership Stamp Com.
 2004-05 District Deputy Grand Matron,
 District 3
 2005 Grand Page to Worthy Grand Matron
 2005-06 Grand Marshal
 2006-07 Registration Committee, Chairman
 2007-08 Musical Journey Yearbook Committee
 General Chairman
 2008-09 Executive Committee Gen. Chairman
 2009-10 Grand Representative,
 New Brunswick

EMPLOYMENT

1975-79 Editor, Natural Food & Farming
 Magazine, Natural Food Associates
 1988-91 Vice President, ProAmerica Division
 Transport Life Insurance Company
 1992-95 Senior Vice President
 Provider Networks of America
 1995-00 Senior Consultant, Trans-Century Inc.
 2000-10 Office Manager,
 Benefit Marketing Systems
 2010-Pres Human Resources
 Texas Masonic Retirement Center

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APPENDIX





LIST OF OFFICERS OF THE GRAND CHAPTER ORDER OF THE EASTERN STAR OF TEXAS, 1884-2010

Year	WORTHY		ASSOCIATE		ASSOCIATE		GRAND		GRAND	
	GRAND MATRON	GRAND PATRON	GRAND MATRON	GRAND PATRON	GRAND PATRON	SECRETARY	TREASURER			
1884	†Mrs. E.J. Talbot	†W.L. Holt	†Mrs. V. Tucker Essex	†Mrs. V. Tucker Essex	†W.J. Wickham	†R. R. McPhail	†Mrs. A. McGregor			
1885	†Mrs. V. Tucker Essex	†P. Hawkins	†Mrs. May Swayne	†Mrs. May Swayne	†Carr Forest	†J. K. Ashby	†Mrs. A. McGregor			
1886	†Mrs. V. Tucker Essex	†P.H. Stevens	†Mrs. Sallie Wayde	†Mrs. Sallie Wayde	†D.H. Hightower	†J. K. Ashby	†Mrs. M. Hightower			
1887	†Mrs. V. Tucker Essex	†J.J. Kendrick	†Mrs. B. McElroy	†Mrs. B. McElroy	†J.B. Snodgrass	†J. K. Ashby	†Mrs. A. Schwartz			
1888	*Mrs. Lizzie Hadley	†J.J. Kendrick	†Mrs. M.M. Neeley	†Mrs. M.M. Neeley	†J.B. Snodgrass	†J. K. Ashby	†Mrs. Sarah L. Berflner			
1889	*Mrs. Lizzie Hadley	†J.W. Ellender	†Mrs. Belle Moon	†Mrs. Belle Moon	†T.J. Neely	†Stephen Gould	†Mrs. M.R. Marsh			
1890	*Mrs. Belle Moon	†Stephen Gould	†Mrs. Laura B. Hart	†Mrs. Belle Moon	†A.F. Hicks	*Mrs. Jennie Cassill	†Mrs. M.R. Marsh			
1891	†Mrs. Laura B. Hart	†J.L. Miller	†Mrs. M. Strehom	†Mrs. M. Strehom	†J.L. Miller	†J.D. Slawson	†Mrs. E.C. Carpenter			
1892	†Mrs. P.C. Harris	†Tom Murrath	†Mrs. E.C. Carpenter	†Mrs. E.C. Carpenter	†J.W. Felbaum	†J.D. Slawson	†Mrs. E.C. Carpenter			
1893	†Mrs. R.M. Swaim	†D. Ludlow	†Mrs. S.A. Hoskins	†Mrs. S.A. Hoskins	†D. Ludlow	†J.D. Slawson	†Mrs. R.M. Swaim			
1895	†Mrs. Sadies A. Hoskins	†L.S. Garrison	†Mrs. Kate Birch	†Mrs. Kate Birch	†L.S. Garrison	†J.D. Slawson	†Mrs. R.M. Swaim			
1896	†Mrs. Kate Birch	†J.K. Bowman	†Mrs. Jennie Randolph	†Mrs. Jennie Randolph	†J.K. Bowman	†Mrs. Laura B. Hart	†Mrs. Jennie Randolph			
1897	†Mrs. Jennie Randolph	†J.T. Atchinson	†Mrs. Ree Alvord	†Mrs. Ree Alvord	†W.S. Hoskins	†Mrs. Laura B. Hart	†Mrs. Ree Alvord			
1898	†Mrs. Ree Alvord	†N.M. Karney	†Mrs. A.A. Garrison	†Mrs. A.A. Garrison	†S.D. Moore	†Mrs. Laura B. Hart	†Mrs. W.P. Baugh			
1899	†Mrs. A.A. Garrison	†W.S. Hoskins	†Mrs. A.V. Young	†Mrs. A.V. Young	†W.S. Hellyer	†Mrs. Laura B. Hart	†Mrs. M.A. Sherburne			
1900	†Mrs. Agnes V. Young	†W.S. Hellyer	†Mrs. K.M. Bryan	†Mrs. K.M. Bryan	†A.C. McDaniel	†Mrs. Laura B. Hart	†Mrs. M.A. Sherburne			
1901	†Mrs. K.M. Bryan	†A.C. McDaniel	†Mrs. M.E. Smith	†Mrs. M.E. Smith	†R.W. Lemond	†Mrs. Laura B. Hart	†Mrs. M.A. Sherburne			
1902	†Mrs. M.E. Smith	†R.W. Lemond	†Mrs. A. Walker	†Mrs. A. Walker	†P.S. Park	†Mrs. C.C. Leonard	†Mrs. E.J. Randolph			
1903	†Mrs. Alma M. Walker	†P.S. Park	†Mrs. Amelia Huvelle	†Mrs. Amelia Huvelle	†E.C. Canon	†Mrs. C.C. Leonard	†Mrs. L.F. Seaman			
1904	*Mrs. Amelia Huvelle	†E.C. Canon	†Mrs. E.J. Randolph	†Mrs. E.J. Randolph	†John Orchard	†Mrs. C.C. Leonard	†Mrs. L.F. Seaman			
1905	†Mrs. E.J. Randolph	†John Orchard	†Mrs. M.E. Gray	†Mrs. M.E. Gray	†F.M. Walker	†Mrs. C.C. Leonard	†Mrs. L.F. Seaman			
1906	†Mrs. Mollie E. Gray	†F.M. Walker	†Mrs. Carrah Johnson	†Mrs. Carrah Johnson	†T.J. Tucker	†Mrs. C.C. Leonard	†Mrs. L.F. Seaman			
1907	†Mrs. Carrah Johnson	†T.J. Tucker	†Mrs. Fannie V. Ward	†Mrs. Fannie V. Ward	†J.H. Anderson	†Mrs. C.C. Leonard	†Mrs. L.F. Seaman			
1908	†Mrs. Fannie V. Ward	†C.H. Thom	†Mrs. Carrie B. Lane	†Mrs. Carrie B. Lane	†M.T. Bell	†Mrs. C.C. Leonard	*Mrs. Amelia Huvelle			
1909	†Mrs. Carrie B. Lane	†G.W. Glasscock	†Mrs. Edith Findlater	†Mrs. Edith Findlater	†E.J. Hosey	†Mrs. C.C. Leonard	†Mrs. Anna Johnson			
1910	†Mrs. Edith Findlater	†E.J. Hosey	†Mrs. L.F. Seaman	†Mrs. L.F. Seaman	†L.A. Heil	†Mrs. C.C. Leonard	†Mrs. Anna Johnson			
1911	†Dr. Mattie I. Hill	†L.A. Heil	†Mrs. Mattie I. Hill	†Mrs. Mattie I. Hill	†Sam P. Cochran	†Mrs. C.C. Leonard	†Mrs. Cora M. Cohen			
1912	†Mrs. Mattie I. Hill	†Sam P. Cochran	†Mrs. Carrie A. Chase	†Mrs. Carrie A. Chase	†M.T. Bell	†Mrs. C.C. Leonard	†Mrs. Cora M. Cohen			
1913	†Mrs. B.B. Huddleston	†S.B. Miller	†Miss Cora Posey	†Mrs. B.B. Huddleston	†S.B. Miller	†Mrs. C.C. Leonard	†Mrs. M.B. Moody			
1914	†Mrs. B.B. Huddleston	†S.B. Miller	†Mrs. M.L. Eldridge	†Mrs. M.L. Eldridge	†G.W. Hester	†Mrs. C.C. Leonard	†Mrs. M.B. Moody			
1915	†Miss Cora Posey	†G.W. Hester	†Mrs. Cora M. Cohen	†Mrs. M.L. Eldridge	†W.A. Christian	†Mrs. C.C. Leonard	†Mrs. M.B. Moody			
1916	†Mrs. Cora M. Cohen	†Dr. W.B. Halley	†Mrs. Flora Penix	†Mrs. Cora M. Cohen	†Dr. W.B. Halley	†Mrs. C.C. Leonard	†Miss W.I. Pierson			
1917	†Mrs. Cora M. Cohen	†Frank W. Lynn	†Mrs. Maggie B. Moody	†Mrs. Flora Penix	†Frank W. Lynn	†Mrs. C.C. Leonard	†Miss W.I. Pierson			
1918	†Mrs. Flora Penix	†C.P. Patrick	†Mrs. M.L. Hosey	†Mrs. Maggie B. Moody	†C.P. Patrick	†Mrs. C.C. Leonard	†Miss W.I. Pierson			
1919	†Mrs. Maggie B. Moody	†C.P. Patrick		†Mrs. M.L. Hosey	†John Findlater	†Mrs. C.C. Leonard	†Miss W.I. Pierson			

*Deceased †Suspended

LIST OF OFFICERS OF THE GRAND CHAPTER ORDER OF THE EASTERN STAR OF TEXAS, 1884-2010

Year	WORTHY GRAND MATRON	WORTHY GRAND PATRON	ASSOCIATE GRAND MATRON	ASSOCIATE GRAND PATRON	GRAND SECRETARY	GRAND TREASURER
1920	†Mrs. Margaret L. Hosey	†John Findlater	†Mrs. Mary E. Roach	†W.H. Mercer	†Mrs. C.C. Leonard	†Miss W.I. Pierson
1921	†Mrs. Mary E. Roach	†W.H. Mercer	†Mrs. Mattie A. Sebits	†S.A. Penix	†Mrs. C.C. Leonard	†Miss W.I. Pierson
1922	†Mrs. Mattie A. Sebits	†S.A. Penix	†Mrs. Norton B. Wellborn	†T.J. Holbrook	†Mrs. C.C. Leonard	†Miss W.I. Pierson
1923	†Mrs. Norton H. Wellborn	†T.J. Holbrook	†Mrs. Stella C. Vodrie	†J. Dixie Smith	†Mrs. C.C. Leonard	†Miss W.I. Pierson
1924	†Mrs. Stella C. Vodrie	†J. Dixie Smith	†Mrs. Velma B. Halley	†J.D. Todd	†Mrs. C.C. Leonard	†Miss W.I. Pierson
1925	†Mrs. Velma B. Halley	†J.D. Todd	†Mrs. Margery Wofford	†Frank Holt	†Mrs. C.C. Leonard	†Miss W.I. Pierson
1926	†Mrs. Margery Wofford	†Frank Holt	†Mrs. LuLu LeFan	†L.E. Tennison	†Miss Cora Posey	†Miss W.I. Pierson
1927	†Miss LuLu LeFan	†L.E. Tennison	†Mrs. Birdie J. Easterling	†W. Gregory Hatcher	†Miss Cora Posey	†Miss W.I. Pierson
1928	†Mrs. Birdie J. Easterling	†W. Gregory Hatcher	†Mrs. Beulah Rawlings	†Capt. Dan O'Connell	†Miss Cora Posey	†Miss W.I. Pierson
1929	†Mrs. Beulah Rawlings	†Capt. Dan O'Connell	†Mrs. Bessie B. Garth	†Wm. G. Vollus	†Miss Cora Posey	†Miss W.I. Pierson
1930	†Mrs. Bessie B. Garth	†Wm. G. Vollus	†Mrs. Belle P. Tomlinson	†Geo. S. Dowell	†Miss Cora Posey	†Mrs. Margery Wofford
1931	†Mrs. Belle P. Tomlinson	†Geo. S. Dowell	†Mrs. Riva C. Burnett	†W.F. Easterling	†Miss Cora Posey	†Mrs. Margery Wofford
1932	†Mrs. Riva C. Burnett	†W.F. Easterling	†Mrs. Rose Potter	†A.P. Holbrook	†Miss Cora Posey	†Mrs. Margery Wofford
1933	†Mrs. Rose E. Potter	†A.P. Holbrook	†Mrs. Mattie M. Mitchell	†W.W. Caves	†Miss Cora Posey	†Mrs. Margery Wofford
1934	†Mrs. Mattie M. Mitchell	†W.W. Caves	†Mrs. Rebecca Miles	†C.D. Miller	†Miss Cora Posey	†Mrs. Margery Wofford
1935	†Mrs. Rebecca Miles	†C.D. Miller	†Mrs. Florence Read	†M.A. Childers	†Miss Cora Posey	†Mrs. Margery Wofford
1936	†Mrs. Florence Read	†M.A. Childers	†Mrs. Norma Allen	†Clyde E. Smith	†Miss Cora Posey	†Mrs. Margery Wofford
1937	†Mrs. Norma Allen	†Clyde E. Smith	†Mrs. Mildred Harris	†John Temple Rice	†Miss Cora Posey	†Mrs. Margery Wofford
1938	†Mrs. Mildred Harris	†John T. Rice	†Mrs. Freda Bernhard	†E.C. Couch	†Miss Cora Posey	†Mrs. Margery Wofford
1939	†Mrs. Freda Bernhard	†E.C. Couch	†Mrs. Robbie Dyer	†A.E. Shirley	†Miss Cora Posey	†Mrs. Margery Wofford
1940	†Mrs. Robbie Dyer	†A.E. Shirley	†Mrs. Viva Huffman	†Victor Keller	†Miss Cora Posey	†Mrs. Margery Wofford
1941	†Mrs. Viva S. Huffman	†Victor Keller	†Mrs. Hallie Anglin	†James L. Lee	†Miss Cora Posey	†Mrs. Margery Wofford
1942	†Mrs. Hallie Anglin	†James L. Lee	†Mrs. Cynthia May Watts	†Walter B. Baldwin	†Miss Cora Posey	†Mrs. Margery Wofford
1943	†Mrs. Cynthia May Watts	†Walter B. Baldwin	†Mrs. Lillian Barnard	†E.B. Gauntt	†Miss Cora Posey	†Mrs. Margery Wofford
1944	†Mrs. Lillian Barnard Parker	†E.B. Gauntt	†Mrs. Lillah Mae Vollus	†Norman H. Read	†Miss Cora Posey	†Mrs. Margery Wofford
1945	†Mrs. Lillah Mae Vollus	†Norman H. Read	†Mrs. Hattie D. Gilbert	†Frank R. Phillips	†Miss Cora Posey	†Miss Blanche Earl
1946	†Mrs. Hattie D. Gilbert	†Frank R. Phillips	†Mrs. Cheba Dewees	†Pat Boone	†Miss Cora Posey	†Miss Blanche Earl
1947	†Mrs. Cheba Dewees	†Pat Boone	†Mrs. Esther B. Graves	†Dr. T.G. Rogers	†Mrs. Rebecca Miles	†Miss Blanche Earl
1948	†Mrs. Esther B. Graves	†Dr. T.G. Rogers	†Mrs. Mabel Harle	†Dean Gaudin	†Mrs. Rebecca Miles	†Miss Blanche Earl
1949	†Mrs. Mabel Harle	†Dean Gaudin	†Mrs. Lucile Duifer	†Dr. H.C. Sloop	†Mrs. Rebecca Miles	†Mrs. Jettie Hinton
1950	†Mrs. Lucile Duifer	†Dr. H.C. Sloop	†Mrs. Flora Besst Boone	†Earl G. Manning	†Mrs. Rebecca Miles	†Mrs. Jettie Hinton
1951	†Mrs. Flora Besst Boone	†Earl G. Manning	†Mrs. Mildred Garlitz	†John A. Rawlins	†Mrs. Rebecca Miles	†Mrs. Jettie Hinton
1952	†Mrs. Mildred Garlitz	†John A. Rawlins	†Mrs. Mary Ella Schoverling	†Fred W. Dewald	†Mrs. Rebecca Miles	†Mrs. Jettie Hinton
1953	†Mrs. Mary E. Schoverling	†Fred W. Dewald	†Mrs. Eunice Connell	†Chauncey Penix	†Mrs. Rebecca Miles	†Mrs. Jettie Hinton
1954	†Mrs. Eunice Connell	†Chauncey Penix	†Mrs. Lois Burnett	†C.E. Bairfield	†Mrs. Rebecca Miles	†Mrs. Jettie Hinton
1955	†Mrs. Lois Burnett	†Chas. E. Bairfield	†Mrs. Pauline Smith	†Ed. Sharpe	†Mrs. Rebecca Miles	†Mrs. Jettie Hinton
1956	†Mrs. Pauline Smith	†Ed. Sharpe	†Mrs. Ruby Enloe	†Dr. Russell Holt	†Mrs. Rebecca Miles	†Mrs. Jettie Hinton

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Year	WORTHY GRAND MATRON	WORTHY GRAND PATRON	ASSOCIATE GRAND MATRON	ASSOCIATE GRAND PATRON	GRAND SECRETARY	GRAND TREASURER
1957	†Mrs. Ruby Enloe	†Dr. Russell Holt	†Mrs. Katherine Poulis	†Lewis T. Davis	†Mrs. Rebecca Miles	†Mrs. Jettie Hinton
1958	†Mrs. Katherine Poulis	†Lewis T. Davis	†Mrs. Mary Katharine Smith	†Dr. R.O. Fuqua	†Mrs. Rebecca Miles	†Mrs. Jettie Hinton
1959	†Mrs. Mary Katharine Smith	†Dr. R.O. Fuqua	†Mrs. Agnes Lee Howard	†Gerald C. Allen	†Mrs. Rebecca Miles	†Mrs. Jettie Hinton
1960	†Mrs. Agnes Lee Howard	†Gerald C. Allen	†Mrs. Pearl Hall	†Paul C. Stoneman	†Mrs. Rebecca Miles	†Mrs. Jettie Hinton
1961	†Mrs. Pearl Hall	†Paul C. Stoneman	†Mrs. Thelma McReynolds	†Hal Burnett	†Mrs. Rebecca Miles	†Mrs. Jettie Hinton
1962	†Mrs. Thelma McReynolds	†Hal Burnett	†Mrs. Molly Goodpasture	†E.F. (Van) Plumlee	†Mrs. Rebecca Miles	†Mrs. Jettie Hinton
1963	†Mrs. Molly Goodpasture	†E.F. (Van) Plumlee	†Mrs. Amy Goebel	†James H. Goettee	†Mrs. Rebecca Miles	†Mrs. Jettie Hinton
1964	†Mrs. Amy Goebel	†James H. Goettee	†Mrs. Edna Earl Duke	†Marvin B. Simpson	†Mrs. Rebecca Miles	†Mrs. Jettie Hinton
1965	†Mrs. Edna Earl Duke	†Marvin B. Simpson	†Mrs. Mildred Sharpe	†H.F. Harrington	†Mrs. Rebecca Miles	†Mrs. Jettie Hinton
1966	†Mrs. Mildred Sharpe	†H.F. Harrington	†Mrs. Nancy Bailey	†Herbert L. Arnold	†Mrs. Rebecca Miles	†Mrs. Jettie Hinton
1967	†Mrs. Nancy Bailey	†Herbert L. Arnold	†Mrs. Robbie Yates	†J.T. Sanders	†Mrs. Rebecca Miles	†Mrs. Jettie Hinton
1968	†Mrs. Robbie Yates	†J.T. Sanders	†Mrs. Sully Matranga	†Richard T. Porter	†Mrs. Rebecca Miles	†Mrs. Jettie Hinton
1969	†Mrs. Sully Matranga	†Richard T. Porter	†Mrs. Frances Herrin	†Victor Jones	†Mrs. Rebecca Miles	†Mrs. Jettie Hinton
1970	†Mrs. Frances Key Herrin	†Victor Jones	†Mrs. Aliene Houston	†Harold Todd	†Mrs. Rebecca Miles	†Mrs. Jettie Hinton
1971	†Mrs. Aliene Houston	†Harold Todd	†Mrs. Katherine Harbour	†C.A. Bill [†] Holmes	†Mrs. Agnes Lee Howard	†Mrs. Jettie Hinton
1972	†Mrs. Katherine Harbour	†C.A. Bill [†] Holmes	†Mrs. Thelma Joyce Alsip	Paul Huffhines	†Mrs. Agnes Lee Howard	†Mrs. Jettie Hinton
1973	†Mrs. Thelma Joyce Alsip	†Paul Huffhines	†Mrs. Patricia Major Neinaast	Joseph B. Powell	†Mrs. Agnes Lee Howard	†Mrs. Jettie Hinton
1974	†Mrs. Patricia Major Neinaast	†O.D. Christian	†Mrs. Doris Easterling	†O.D. Christian	†Mrs. Agnes Lee Howard	†Mrs. Jettie Hinton
1975	†Mrs. Doris Easterling	†O.D. Christian	†Mrs. Joyce Roberts	†Perry Smithwick	†Mrs. Agnes Lee Howard	†Mrs. Jettie Hinton
1976	†Mrs. Joyce Roberts	†Perry Smithwick	†Mrs. Mary Brown	Murray Watson, Jr.	†Mrs. Agnes Lee Howard	†Mrs. Jettie Hinton
1977	†Mrs. Mary M. Brown	Murray Watson, Jr.	†Mrs. Rennie Oton	Thurman L. Weaver	†Mrs. Agnes Lee Howard	†Mrs. Jettie Hinton
1978	†Mrs. Rennie Oton	†L.L. Weaver	†Mrs. Kathy Johnston	†Leslie G. Burnett	†Mrs. Agnes Lee Howard	†Mrs. Jettie Hinton
1979	†Mrs. Kathy Johnston	†Leslie G. Burnett	†Mrs. Lena Maye Cook	†Thurman H. Perry	†Mrs. Agnes Lee Howard	†Mrs. Louise W. Armstrong
1980	†Mrs. Lena Maye Cook	†Thurman H. Perry	†Mrs. Elise Hammack	†Oliver B. Chamberlin	†Mrs. Agnes Lee Howard	†Mrs. Louise W. Armstrong
1981	†Mrs. Elise Hammack	†Mrs. Lois Bell	†Mrs. Marjorie Johnson	†Gene Belk	†Mrs. Louise W. Armstrong	†Mrs. Frances Burbank
1982	†Mrs. Lois Bell	†Ralph A. Davis	†Mrs. Beulah Speer	Ralph A. Davis	†Mrs. Louise W. Armstrong	†Mrs. Frances Burbank
1983	†Mrs. Marjorie Johnson	†Ralph A. Davis	†Mrs. Elsie Paladino	Wayne P. Jones	†Mrs. Louise W. Armstrong	†Mrs. Frances Burbank
1984	†Mrs. Beulah Speer	Wayne P. Jones	†Mrs. Jean Nesbitt	†Arnold Paul	†Mrs. Louise W. Armstrong	†Mrs. Frances Burbank
1985	†Mrs. Elsie Paladino	†Arnold Paul	†Mrs. Sherrill Cain	†Leonard M. Ellington	†Mrs. Louise W. Armstrong	†Mrs. Frances Burbank
1986	†Mrs. Jean Nesbitt	†Leonard M. Ellington	†Mrs. Doris Efrid	B. F. Hutson	†Mrs. Louise W. Armstrong	†Mrs. Lola Wallace
1987	†Mrs. Sherrill Cain	†B. F. Hutson	†Mrs. Betty Phillips	†Harry G. Cunningham	†Mrs. Frances Burbank	†Mrs. Lola Wallace
1988	†Mrs. Betty Phillips	†Harry G. Cunningham	†Mrs. Effie Mae Davis	Joe E. Jeffers	†Mrs. Frances Burbank	†Mrs. Lola Wallace
1989	†Mrs. Effie Mae Davis	†Mrs. Jane Gregory	†Mrs. Virginia L. Green	Graham H. Childress	†Mrs. Frances Burbank	†Mrs. Lola Wallace
1990	†Mrs. Jane Gregory	Graham H. Childress	†Mrs. Marcella Curry	Glen Whitaker	†Mrs. Frances Burbank	†Mrs. Lola Wallace
1991	†Mrs. Virginia L. Green	†Glen Whitaker	†Mrs. Marcella Curry	†Garland Rattan	†Mrs. Frances Burbank	†Mrs. Lola Wallace
1992	†Mrs. Marcella Curry	†Garland Rattan	†Mrs. Marcella Curry	†Leland Benefield	†Mrs. Frances Burbank	†Mrs. Lola Wallace
1993	†Mrs. Marcella Curry	†Leland Benefield	†Mrs. Marcella Curry	†Charles Morris	†Mrs. Frances Burbank	†Mrs. Lola Wallace

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Year	WORTHY GRAND MATRON	WORTHY GRAND PATRON	ASSOCIATE GRAND MATRON	ASSOCIATE GRAND PATRON	GRAND SECRETARY	GRAND TREASURER
1994	Mrs. Wanda Fairchild	† Charles Morris	Mrs. Rosemary Sweetland	† Billy Combest	Mrs. Frances Burbank	Mrs. Lola Wallace
1995	Mrs. Rosemary Sweetland	† Billy Combest	Mrs. Alma Carter	Richard Ochs	Mrs. Frances Burbank	† Mrs. Patsy Wilson
1996	Mrs. Alma Carter	Richard Ochs	Mrs. Yvonne Brownfield	Claude Ervin	Mrs. Frances Burbank	† Mrs. Patsy Wilson
1997	Mrs. Yvonne Brownfield	Kenneth Gregory	Mrs. Alma Lynn Bane	Henry Martin	Mrs. Marjorie Errington	† Mrs. Patsy Wilson
1998	Mrs. Alma Lynn Bane	Henry Martin	Mrs. Betty Y. Friend	Lee Stallings	Mrs. Marjorie Errington	† Mrs. Patsy Wilson
1999	Mrs. Betty Friend	Lee Stallings	Mrs. Naomi Wolfe	Duane Baker	Mrs. Marjorie Errington	Mrs. Betty Prater
2000	Mrs. Naomi Wolfe	Duane Baker	Mrs. Jimmie Lee McMahon	Harold Trammell	Mrs. Marjorie Errington	Mrs. Betty Prater
2001	Mrs. Jimmie Lee McMahon	Harold Trammell	Mrs. Sharon Feintress	Ed Warner	Mrs. Alma Carter	Mrs. Betty Prater
2002	Mrs. Sharon Feintress	Ed Warner	Mrs. Doris J. Hester	Jack Guy	Mrs. Alma Carter	Mrs. Betty Prater
2003	Mrs. Doris J. Hester	Jack Guy	Mrs. Karen Morgenthaler	Jerry L. Martin	Mrs. Nell Smith Drenner	Mrs. Betty Prater
2004	Mrs. Karen Morgenthaler	Jerry L. Martin	Mrs. Nancy Brown	Nelson Campbell	Mrs. Nell Smith Drenner	Mrs. Betty Prater
2005	Mrs. Nancy Brown	Nelson Campbell	Mrs. Geraldine Dusek	John Creel	Mrs. Nell Smith Drenner	Mrs. Betty Prater
2006	Mrs. Geraldine Dusek	John Creel	Mrs. Joyce Gilbert	Jerry Trees	Mrs. Nell Smith Drenner	Mrs. Betty Prater
2007	Mrs. Joyce Gilbert	Jerry Trees	Mrs. Joyce Nicklas	Ray Hertenberger	Mrs. Nell Smith Drenner	Mrs. Betty Prater
2008	Mrs. Joyce Nicklas	Ray Hertenberger	Mrs. Bess Caldwell	Bill Wyatt	Mrs. Nell Smith Drenner	Mrs. Betty Prater
2009	Mrs. Bess Caldwell	Bill Wyatt	Mrs. Mary Ruth White	K. Arthur Dresher	Mrs. Nell Smith Drenner	Mrs. Lorrie Faith Owens
2010	Mrs. Mary Ruth White	K. Arthur Dresher	Mrs. Vi Griffin	Mr. David Dibrell	Mrs. Marlene Scholari	Mrs. Lorrie Faith Owens

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**GRAND CHAPTER OF TEXAS
ORDER OF THE EASTERN STAR
AND EASTERN STAR HOME OF TEXAS**



AUDIT REPORTS



**GRAND CHAPTER OF TEXAS, ORDER OF THE EASTERN STAR
AND EASTERN STAR HOME OF TEXAS**

Consolidated Statements of Financial Position
August 31, 2011 and 2010

	<u>2011</u>	<u>2010</u>
ASSETS		
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 366,248	\$ 198,668
Certificates of deposit	138,001	110,728
Accrued interest receivable	20,293	16,982
Merchandise inventory	17,495	23,174
Prepaid expenses and other	<u>45,456</u>	<u>42,227</u>
Total current assets	587,493	391,779
Investments	2,077,682	2,393,295
Net property and equipment	36,144	48,495
Investments held in trust	2,847,220	2,680,725
Endowment investments	12,978,379	12,452,216
Other assets	<u>1,153</u>	<u>76,588</u>
Total other assets	17,940,578	17,651,319
Total Assets	<u>\$ 18,528,071</u>	<u>\$ 18,043,098</u>

LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS

Accounts payable	\$ 77,247	\$ 83,957
Other accrued liabilities	3,382	1,671
Deferred income	175,865	194,216
Funds held for others	<u>2,846,950</u>	<u>2,680,455</u>
Total liabilities	<u>3,103,444</u>	<u>2,960,299</u>
Net Assets		
Unrestricted	5,746,660	5,405,888
Temporarily restricted	6,355	5,299
Permanently restricted	<u>9,671,612</u>	<u>9,671,612</u>
Total net assets	<u>15,424,627</u>	<u>15,082,799</u>
Total Liabilities and Net Assets	<u>\$ 18,528,071</u>	<u>\$ 18,043,098</u>

**GRAND CHAPTER OF TEXAS, ORDER OF THE EASTERN STAR
AND EASTERN STAR HOME OF TEXAS**

Consolidated Statements of Activities
For the Years Ended August 31, 2011 and 2010

	<u>2011</u>	<u>2010</u>
Changes in Unrestricted Net Assets:		
Revenue		
Gifts and donations	\$ 498,344	\$ 500,491
Dues	295,498	311,182
Grand Session revenue	136,041	158,490
Bulletin & supply sales	90,610	80,086
Investment income	377,379	285,225
Unrealized gains and (losses)	(90,083)	452,692
Realized gains and (losses)	702,801	(6,904)
Loss on writeoff of Roberts estate	(75,000)	-
Interest and other income	3,202	4,788
	<u>1,938,792</u>	<u>1,786,050</u>
Total unrestricted revenue		
Operating expenses		
Program services		
Care of elderly members	783,728	738,554
Educational scholarships	39,000	34,500
Benevolence	103,504	111,056
Fraternal activities	296,997	315,572
Supporting services		
Management and general	342,315	355,378
Fundraising	32,476	34,356
	<u>1,598,020</u>	<u>1,589,416</u>
Total operating expenses		
Increase in unrestricted net assets	<u>340,772</u>	<u>196,634</u>
Changes in Temporarily Restricted Net Assets:		
Investment return	1,056	827
Increase in temporarily restricted net assets	<u>1,056</u>	<u>827</u>
Increase in net assets	341,828	197,461
Net assets at beginning of the year	<u>15,082,799</u>	<u>14,885,338</u>
Net assets at end of the year	<u>\$ 15,424,627</u>	<u>\$15,082,799</u>

**GRAND CHAPTER OF TEXAS, ORDER OF THE EASTERN STAR
AND EASTERN STAR HOME OF TEXAS**
Consolidated Statement of Functional Expenses
For the Year Ended August 31, 2011

	Care of Elderly	Educational Scholarships	Benevolence	Fraternal Activities	Fundraising	Management and General	Total Expenses
Personnel costs:							
Compensation	\$ 7,672	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 7,110	\$ -	\$ 108,905	\$ 123,687
Payroll taxes	622	-	-	576	-	8,825	10,023
	<u>8,294</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>7,686</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>117,730</u>	<u>133,710</u>
Care of the elderly							
Allowance to home members	12,530	-	-	-	-	-	12,530
Funeral	9,060	-	-	-	-	-	9,060
Infirmary and TMRC housing	735,447	-	-	-	-	-	735,447
Scholarships	-	39,000	-	-	-	-	39,000
Benevolence	-	-	71,028	-	-	-	71,028
Chapter benevolence	-	-	32,476	-	32,476	-	64,952
Special funds	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Fraternal activities	-	-	-	10,900	-	-	10,900
Grand officer's expense	-	-	-	156,588	-	-	156,588
Grand session expense	-	-	-	1,200	-	-	1,200
Past Grand Matron/ Grand Patron Jewels	-	-	-	33,841	-	-	33,841
General Grand Chapter per capita	316	-	-	7,382	-	8,104	15,802
Postage	-	-	-	58,266	-	-	58,266
Printing	-	-	-	-	-	1,207	1,207
Supplies	-	-	-	5,655	-	-	5,655
Management and general							
Administrative fee	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Auto	963	-	-	482	-	8,191	9,636
Depreciation	1,567	-	-	783	-	13,316	15,666
Insurance	5,301	-	-	2,650	-	45,058	53,009
Investment trust fees	-	-	-	-	-	33,423	33,423
Legal and professional	2,242	-	-	-	-	33,290	35,532
Computers and technology	-	-	-	3,543	-	31,709	35,252
Office supplies	4,123	-	-	1,625	-	9,262	10,887
Other	3,300	-	-	3,951	-	1,726	9,800
Rent	47	-	-	1,650	-	28,050	33,000
Repairs and maintenance	144	-	-	24	-	398	469
Telephone	394	-	-	72	-	1,225	1,441
Utilities	-	-	-	197	-	3,347	3,938
Bank Fees	-	-	-	502	-	326	828
Property Expense	-	-	-	-	-	5,953	5,953
	<u>775,434</u>	<u>39,000</u>	<u>103,504</u>	<u>289,311</u>	<u>32,476</u>	<u>224,585</u>	<u>1,464,310</u>
	\$ 783,728	\$ 39,000	\$ 103,504	\$ 296,997	\$ 32,476	\$ 342,315	\$ 1,598,020

**GRAND CHAPTER OF TEXAS, ORDER OF THE EASTERN STAR
AND EASTERN STAR HOME OF TEXAS**
Consolidated Statement of Functional Expenses
For the Year Ended August 31, 2010

	Care of Elderly	Educational Scholarships	Benevolence	Fraternal Activities	Fundraising	Management and General	Total Expenses
Personnel costs:							
Compensation	\$ 12,402	-	-	\$ 7,000	\$ -	\$ 109,751	\$ 129,153
Payroll taxes	896	-	-	506	-	7,929	9,331
	<u>13,298</u>	-	-	<u>7,506</u>	-	<u>117,680</u>	<u>138,484</u>
Care of the elderly:							
Allowance to home members	13,866	-	-	-	-	-	13,866
Funeral	7,524	-	-	-	-	-	7,524
Infirmary and TMRC housing	686,789	-	-	-	-	-	686,789
Scholarships	-	34,500	-	-	-	-	34,500
Benevolence	-	-	76,700	-	-	-	76,700
Chapter benevolence	-	-	34,356	-	34,356	-	68,712
Special funds	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Fraternal activities	-	-	-	10,900	-	-	10,900
Grand officer's expense	-	-	-	163,547	-	-	163,547
Grand session expense	-	-	-	1,200	-	-	1,200
Past Grand Matron/ Patron Jewels	-	-	-	35,370	-	-	35,370
General Grand Chapter per capita	923	-	-	11,062	-	8,452	20,437
Postage	-	-	-	61,484	-	-	61,484
Printing	-	-	-	-	-	1,892	1,892
Supplies	-	-	-	7,060	-	-	7,060
GGC International Headquarters	-	-	-	-	-	12,000	12,000
Management and general	-	-	-	-	-	8,112	8,112
Administrative fee	-	-	-	477	-	9,543	9,543
Auto	954	-	-	768	-	13,054	15,358
Depreciation	1,536	-	-	3,003	-	51,052	60,561
Insurance	6,506	-	-	-	-	20,573	20,573
Investment trust fees	-	-	-	-	-	32,128	33,640
Legal and professional	1,512	-	-	2,857	-	10,333	13,190
Computers and technology	-	-	-	930	-	13,549	14,479
Office supplies	-	-	-	6,307	-	1,877	10,037
Other	1,853	-	-	1,563	-	26,562	31,250
Rent	3,125	-	-	-	-	365	429
Repairs and maintenance	43	-	-	21	-	2,969	3,493
Telephone	349	-	-	175	-	3,619	4,258
Utilities	426	-	-	213	-	3,045	4,024
Bank Fees	(150)	-	-	1,129	-	28,116	28,116
Property Expense	-	-	-	-	-	237,698	237,698
	<u>725,256</u>	<u>34,500</u>	<u>111,056</u>	<u>308,066</u>	<u>34,356</u>	<u>355,378</u>	<u>1,430,932</u>
	\$ 738,554	\$ 34,500	\$ 111,056	\$ 315,572	\$ 34,356	\$ 355,378	\$ 1,589,416





**RECAP OF THE
WORTHY GRAND MATRON'S
SPECIAL PROJECTS**





WGM Special Projects Recap
2009-2010

ITEM	DATE	SALES	COST	NET	GEN FUND	GF 25%	DISBURSEMENTS	BALANCE	Final Disbursements	Designation
4090.94 Year Book	8/30/11	\$ 37,435.00	\$ 20,872.24	\$ 16,562.76	\$ 16,562.76	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	Gen. Fund
4090.95 Calendar	8/30/11	\$ 8,947.00	\$ 3,480.00	\$ 4,867.00	\$ -	\$ 1,216.75	\$ -	\$ 3,650.25	\$ 4,000.00	Cancer Research
4090.96 Crystal Fleur de lis	8/30/11	\$ 9,145.00	\$ 5,125.26	\$ 4,019.75	\$ -	\$ 1,004.94	\$ -	\$ 3,014.81	\$ 4,450.00	Scottish Rite & Galveston Burns Center \$2,225.00 each
4090.97 Crystal Star Pin	8/30/11	\$ 18,975.00	\$ 4,847.70	\$ 14,127.30	\$ 14,127.30	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	Gen. Fund
4090.98 Sheet Music	8/30/11	\$ 3,380.00	\$ 248.09	\$ 3,131.91	\$ -	\$ 782.98	\$ -	\$ 2,348.93	\$ -	WGM Special Projects
4090.99 Stickers	8/30/11	\$ 1,885.00	\$ 79.95	\$ 1,805.05	\$ -	\$ 451.26	\$ -	\$ 1,353.79	\$ 1,353.79	Education Fund
4091.00 Large Basket Pin	8/30/11	\$ 4,550.00	\$ 2,573.70	\$ 1,976.30	\$ -	\$ 494.08	\$ (500.00)	\$ 982.23	\$ 4,500.00	TMRC Parties
4091.01 Star Burst Pin	8/30/11	\$ 4,655.00	\$ 3,065.70	\$ 1,589.30	\$ -	\$ 392.33	\$ -	\$ 1,176.98	\$ 3,500.00	Rainbow & Demoly
4091.02 Sun Catcher	8/30/11	\$ 3,185.00	\$ 397.33	\$ 2,787.67	\$ -	\$ 624.66	\$ -	\$ 2,163.02	\$ 3,500.00	Rainbow & Demoly
4091.03 Sm. Treasurer Chest Pin	8/30/11	\$ -	\$ 219.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ (219.00)	\$ -	YAA
4091.04 Sm. Fleur de lis Pin	8/30/11	\$ -	\$ 70.05	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ (70.05)	\$ -	YAA
4091.05 Name Badges	8/30/11	\$ 2,696.00	\$ -	\$ 2,696.00	\$ -	\$ 674.00	\$ -	\$ 2,022.00	\$ -	WGM Special Projects
4091.06 Night Lights	8/30/11	\$ 3,034.54	\$ 2,021.78	\$ 1,012.76	\$ -	\$ 253.19	\$ -	\$ 759.57	\$ -	Rainbow & Demoly
4091.07 Spring Fling/Garden TMRC	8/30/11	\$ 4,859.00	\$ 3,307.88	\$ 1,551.12	\$ -	\$ 387.78	\$ -	\$ 1,163.34	\$ -	TMRC Beautification
TOTAL			\$ 46,328.68	\$ 56,106.92	\$ 30,690.06	\$ 6,281.96	\$ (500.00)	\$ 18,345.87	\$ 21,303.79	Boy Scout Troup #549
	Net	Gen. Fund 25%	Balance	Disbursement					\$ 2,750.00	Shrine Hospital, Houston
Rob. Morris-Silent Auctions/Schools		\$36,558.00	\$9,139.50						\$ 2,225.00	TMRC Ladies Fund/Meetings
Rob. Morris Banquet Auction GC		\$8,545.85	\$2,136.46					\$ 16,810.89	\$ 7,875.00	Rob Morris/Garden Project
Total		\$45,103.85	\$11,275.96	\$33,827.89	\$ 17,017.00	\$ 16,810.89		\$ 35,156.76	\$ 35,156.76	
Bulletin Subscriptions	784 @ \$15.00 508 @ \$30.00		\$ 27,000.00							Garden Total Spent
Credit Card	Thru Dec. 2010		\$ 2,388.24							As of 8/31/2011
Endowment Stamps	1373 @ \$10.00		\$ 13,730.00							
Historical Highlights	23 @ \$20.00ea.		\$ 460.00						\$ 3,946.38	Remaining for Garden

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**2010-2011
BUDGET**





General Fund		Caldwell Actual 8/31/10 (12 months)	Caldwell Budget 2009-2010	White Actual 8/31/11 (12 months)	White Budget 2010-2011	Griffin Actual 3/21/12	Griffin Adopted Budget 2011-2012	Curry Budget 2012-2013
Income Code								
Interest								
1	4000.01 Interest Checking (General Fund Checking Interest)	10		14		6		10
2	4000.15 Interest Gen Fund Holding	154,326	31,500	15,866	31,500	9,315	20,000	20,000
3	4000.25 Endowment Interest 501 C8	39,956	35,605	192,178	95,673	114,577	107,640	183,750
4	4000.26 Endowment Interest Sub-Acct 501 C8	60,664	101,346	59,871	43,461	32,944	89,073	70,000
5	4010 Interest-Money Market (CD Interest)					371		200
6	4000.1 Certificate of Deposit	2,402	33,500		0	5,786		
7	4035.15 Brokerage 3	21,022		5,743		10,258		7,000
8	4035.26 Endowment Sub	161,111						-
9	4290.01 Interest Endowed Memberships	0	500	0	500	0	200	500
Designated Revenue								
10	4090 WGM Designated Funds Per Capita	96,328	30,000	118,834	30,000	48,453	48,750	38,314
11	4110 General Fund Per Capita	104,128	103,464	98,529	104,964		100,000	90,000
12	4120 Refunds/Adjustments/Ret Checks Grand Chapter	2,851		791		2,156		
13	4130 Registration Fees	17,770	24,000	20,620	22,500		20,000	20,000
14	4135 Session Misc. Income	5,831	20,000	13,041	20,000		25,000	20,000
15	4140 Grand Chapter Sales	19,632	26,000	27,188	26,000	8,404	20,000	20,000
16	4150 25% Adm Fee (WGM Special Projects)			6,288				55,708
17	4141	22,614	28,200	28,864	28,200	13,929	25,000	24,000
18	4142 Bulletin Articles	32,865	34,100	30,029	34,100	17,853	35,000	25,000
19	4145 Supplies/postage/Shipping	3,554	6,600	4,609	6,600	2,185	4,000	4,000
20	4152 GGC Supplies Sales	77,210	64,875	46,604	64,875	14,780	60,000	30,000
21	4155 Administrative Revenue Endowed Memberships			5,234		5,394		5,000
22	4157 Admin. Fees 501C3 Acct Mgr Admin Fees	12,000	12,000	12,000	12,000		12,000	12,000
23	4160 Credit Card Conv Fee	5,911	7,350	2,625	0	94	4,000	100
24	4170 Misc. Fees/Spec. Disp.	1,145	7,643	977	1,250	255	1,000	300
25	4180 International Headquarters	5,659	7,080	5,355	7,080		7,000	5,000
26	4185 Founders Day 100%	8,642	5,000	1,543	5,000	502	5,000	1,000
27	4250 Gifts and Donations	30	1,000	771	1,000	423	1,000	750
28	4280.01 General Fund Humanitarian	4,313	4,000	3,519	4,000		0	7,000
29	4990 Other Misc. Receipts	12,092	3,700	10,527	3,700	807	0	2,000
	Total Income	\$872,066	\$587,463	\$711,606	\$542,403	\$288,492	\$584,663	\$641,632
General Fund								
Expense								
30	5011 Grand Secretary Housing	8,400	8,400	8,400	8,400	4,900	8,400	8,400
31	5100 Meeting with TMRC Ladies/Donation from WGM	75	500		300	500		-
32	5356 Gift/Donation (Donations in honor of PGM/PGP)					200		-
33	5910 Sale of Property Exp (Items for Move Preparation)			5,953		3,516		6,000
	5218 Computer/Data Processing	2,857	3,000	3,543	3,000		4,000	-
35	5480 Computer Contract Services			525		2,063	7,000	4,000
36	5611 Copy Machine	8,765	6,000	26,474	3,000	12,380	35,000	25,000
Compensation & Related Expenses								
37	5001 Office Salaries	96,484	99,000	90,287	99,000	54,051	89,000	99,000
38	19000 Grand Secretary's Salary	19,731	19,000	19,000	19,000	10,961	19,000	19,000
39	5012 Grand Treasurer's Salary	6,000	6,000	6,000	6,000	3,000	6,000	6,000
40	5227 GC Support Staff Housing	2,385	1,700	4,155	1,700	0	2,000	2,500
Auto Expense								
41	5248 Vehicle-Fuel/Maintenance	7,165	6,000	7,379	5,800	4,477	15,000	15,000
42	5250 Vehicle-License	218	200	257	200	40	200	250
43	5251 WGM Usage of Personal Vehicle					2,194		-
44	5252 Vehicle-Repairs	2,072	250	1,999	1,000	360	4,000	1,000
45	5253 Auto Acquisition	12,000	12,000	12,000	12,000	12,000	12,000	12,000
Grand Officer's Expense Allocation								
46	5253 WGM Expense	3,500	3,500	3,500	3,500	4,000	4,000	4,000
47	5102 WGP Expense	1,600	1,600	1,600	1,600	2,000	2,000	2,000
48	5105 AGM Expense	2,000	2,000	2,000	2,000	2,500	2,500	2,500
49	5110 AGP Expense	400	400	400	400	1,000	1,000	1,000
50	5140 Grand Conductress Expense	400	400	400	400	750	750	750
51	5120 Grand Secretary Expense	2,000	2,000	2,000	2,000	2,000	2,000	2,000
52	5115 AGC Expense	400	400	400	400	500	500	500
53	5145 Grand Treasurer Expense	600	600	600	600	600	600	600
Grand Chapter Session Expense								
54	5222 Grand Master Session Expense	150	500	601	500		500	500
55	5166 GGC Officers Expense	0	1,000	2,944	2,000			575
56	5167 GGC Hospitality for General Grand Officers			338	500			-
57	5181 Official Reporter-GC	7,376	3,500	3,750	3,500	3,750	3,750	3,750
58	5210 Advanced Reports	855	4,200	1,308	3,500	189	3,500	1,500
59	5213 Interpartions			406		520		600

		Caldwell Actual 8/31/10 (12 months)	Caldwell Budget 2009-2010	White Actual 8/31/11 (12 months)	White Budget 2010-2011	Griffin Actual 3/21/12	Griffin Adopted Budget 2011-2012	Curry Budget 2012-2013
60	5214	Scanner Rental Ballots	65	1,000	2,059	500	4,000	2,750
61	5228	Installation Programs	725	500	1,045	100	200	1,000
62	5236	Photos of Proceedings	500	1,200	500	1,000	1,000	1,000
63	5240	Registration Forms/Postage/Badges	1,385	500	1,221	300	259	1,200
64	5242	Session & Memorial Programs	1,304	6,200	1,484	4,000	233	2,000
65	5375	The Session	20,000	20,000	20,000	20,000	20,000	20,000
GENERAL FUND								
Expense								
Past Grand Matron/Patron Jewels								
66	5155	PGM Jewel	750	750	750	750	1,000	1,000
67	5160	PGP Jewel	450	450	450	450	500	500
6100.24 Special Funds Expense (WGM Projects)					83,873			
Insurance								
68	5304	Insurance-Directors Liability	8,400	6,400	2,869	4,200	4,200	5,000
69	5302	Auto Insurance	966	2,500	6,951	2,500	4,500	4,000
70	5314	Furnishings,PP Umbrella	47,398	49,000	41,675	47,500	50,894	51,000
71	5316	Insurance-Workmans Comp.	3,307	1,550	1,515	2,500	2,500	2,500
Investment Fees								
72	5375.15	Trust Fees-Holding Acct.(General Fund)			450		157	300
73	5375.25	Trust Fees -OES GC Edowment 501 C8	10,669		20,978	9,854		22,000
74	5375.26	Trust Fees-OES GC Edowment 501 C8 Sub	7,994		10,616	4,798		11,000
	5375.32	Trust Fee-Mary C Kennington Trust Ed	166					-
Legal and Professional Fees								
77	5212	Audit	24,750	23,675	25,857	25,000	24,696	16,000
		CPA - 990 Tax Filing						4,500
78	5234	Legal Services	1,333	500	750	2,000	1,307	2,000
		Office						
79	5237	Humantarian Ribbons	349			1,087		-
80	5645	Office & Printing Supplies	13,549	4,550	9,262	4,550	4,175	10,000
81	5600	Office & Printing Supplies		1,875		1,000	2,000	-
82	5320	Miscellaneous	4,534	1,000	4,480	1,000	849	1,000
83	5322	Bank Fees (Bank Fees)	142		129		36	100
84	5325	District Workshops					291	1,200
85	5324	Credit Card Fees	1,129	550	501	550	270	750
86	5355	NSF ReturnChecks (Bank fee for returned checks	2,687		196		78	200
87	5382	Contingency Fund	875	10,000	0	10,000	10,000	10,000
88	5546	Security Services	425	375	405	375	175	500
89	5682	Internet Service	1,569	1,275	2,240	1,500	1,189	1,500
90	5686	Rent Office	13,750	40,000	33,000	33,000	19,250	33,000
Postage and Equipment								
91	5460	Postage/Petty Cash	608	200	200	200	200	200
92	5465	Postage-Bulletin Mailings	10,601	18,000	7,224	12,000	5,841	12,000
93	5466	Postage for Chapter Packet Mailing					885	1,000
94	5470	Postage Permit	0	200	185	200	190	200
95	5475	Postage Meter Lease	9,228	2,500	3,164	2,500	1,738	5,500
96	5486	Postage	0	4,400	5,000		3,715	4,000
97	5685	Refunds given from Grand Chapter to members			1,155			
Printing Publications (Printing)								
98	5216	Bulletins	33,924	48,300	31,220	31,500	13,469	30,000
99	5410	Annual Proceedings-Printing	13,476	15,500	8,586	13,000		13,000
100	5415	Printing-Other	6,397	13,200	8,038	10,000	3,126	10,000
101	5416	Letter Head WGM, WGP & Grand Chaplain			446			750
102	5644	Directories Printed to Sale			620		2,462	3,000
103	5646	Chapter Directories furnished to Chapters			1,005		2,028	2,300
104	5647	Chapter Bulletins Furnished to Chapters			9,975		7,742	14,000
Repairs, Maintenance (Grand Chapter Office)								
105	5526	Janitorial Supplies/Cleaning Service	429	1,300	334	218	400	2,500
106	5484	Equipment Maintenance			135			250
107	5487	Equipment Maintenance for Office Use	81		200			-
108	5650	Shipping Charges for supplies received from GGC	1,892		1,207		535	1,000
109	5683	Computer Maintenance		0	2,469	6,000	563	6,000
Utilities								
110	5672	Utilities-Electric	3,816	4,535	3,540	5,500	1,973	5,500
111	5674	Utilities-Gas	442	550	397	550	272	700
112	5676	Utilities-telephone	3,493	3,500	1,442	1,500	994	2,500
113	6560	Payroll Expense (Tax Liability)	7,869	10,310	10,024	10,310	5,549	10,310
114	5323	GGC Per Capita	35,370	34,988	33,841	34,988		32,000
115	5180	Int'l Headquarters New Member Fee	7,060	7,080	5,655	7,080	1,920	6,000
116	5311	Prior Year Net Proceeds to Ladies Fund			45,060			
117	5681	Website					1,000	1,000
Total Expense			\$489,280	\$520,563	\$660,597	\$478,403	\$325,680	\$540,810
								591,125

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118	5000	Cost of Supplies/GC/GCC	78,626	66,900	47,476	64,000	26,978	43,853	50,507
		/Total Expense & Cost of Good Sold	567,906	587,463	708,073	542,403	352,658	0	641,632
		Net Income	\$304,160	\$0	\$3,533	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Benevolent Aid Budget									
Income									
103		Per Capita	34,509	34,488	32,754	34,488		33,333	30,000
104		Interest	352	528	24	528		300	-
105		Humanitarian	23,672	25,000	13,955	25,000	15,440	25,000	15,000
106		Prior Year Fund Balance	16,932	27,290		25,984		35,000	65,000
107		Hurricane Ike Rollover		16,194	0	16,194			
		Total Income	\$75,465	\$103,500	\$46,733	\$102,194	15,440	\$93,633	110,000
Expense									
109		Long Term Aid	47,500	72,000	44,980	50,000	14,000	50,000	40,000
110		Temporary Aid	14,700	12,000	0	20,000	7,700	15,000	20,000
111		Emergency Aid	14,500	19,500	0	16,500	5,000	28,633	50,000
		Total Expense	\$76,700	\$103,500	\$44,980	\$86,500	26,700	\$93,633	110,000
		Net Income	(\$1,235)	\$0	\$1,753	\$15,694	(\$11,260)	\$0	\$0
501C3 Budget Ladies Fund Receipts									
			Caldwell Actuals 8/31/10	Caldwell Budget	White Actual	White Budget	Actual as of 2/28/12	Griffin Budget 2011-2012	Curry Budget 2012-2013
1	4111.01	Per Capita Income	172,545	172,440	164,215	172,415		166,665	150,000
2	4000.24	Endowment Interest 501 C8		254,202	68,327	68,327		109,527	-
3	4000.3	Eastern Star Home of Texas 501 C3	21,854		19,140	24,336	10,844		20,000
4	4990	Prior Year General Fund Net	2,317	58,000	-29,940	174,120		142,834	-
5	4000	Interest - Other	10	41,458	13,590		1,226	23,649	
6	4200	Oil & Gas Royalty	46,851	55,200	53,840	56,775	32,019	25,000	30,000
7	4260	Bequests & Gifts	40,000	20,000	0	5,000	15,000	5,000	20,000
8	4230	Home Member Receipts	177	10,000	5,873	300	244	0	
9	4225	Ladies Pensions	178,248	235,000	179,118	215,867	113,770	215,000	168,000
10	4250	Gifts and Donations	1,880		190		220		500
11		Humanitarian	5,197	5,500		5,600		0	
12		Receivable from OES							
		Total Receipts	\$469,079	\$851,800	\$474,353	\$722,740	173,323	\$687,675	388,500.00
Expenditures									
12	5324.1	Legal	1,512	1,000	2,242	2,000		2,000	2,000
13	5212.1	Audit	6,045	4,000	6,683	6,000	4,250	6,000	4,500
	5322	Bank Fees	-150		341		27		100
14	5326	Property Tax (Oil & Gas)	1,023	1,000	2,265	1,025	669	1,025	1,000
15	5312	Liability Insurance	500	500		500		500	500
16	5375.26	Investment Fees-OES GC Endowment	1,744	10,000	360	1,500	263	1,500	
	5375.3	Investment Fees-OES Eastern Star Home of Texas			285		288		600
17	5710	Residence Housing 6 @\$80.44	148,974	160,200	148,740	154,695	118,849	130,000	176,160
18	5810	Infirmity Housing 6 @247.01	537,815	640,800	586,707	526,120	343,577	516,000	540,947
19	5321	In-Service 501C3 Accounts Mgmt.	12,000	12,000	12,392	12,000		12,000	12,000
20	5520	Funeral Expenses	7,564	5,000	9,059	5,000	3,652	5,000	5,000
21	5504	Allowance for Ladies \$70.00 per month x 12 ladies	13,650	16,800	12,530	13,650	6,440	13,650	10,080
22	5505	TMRC Resident Parties	216	500		250		0	-
	5320	Miscellaneous	747		1,818		3		
		Transfer Out							
		Total Expenses	\$731,640	\$851,800	\$783,422	\$722,740	478,018	\$687,675	752,887
		Net Total	(\$262,561)	\$0	(\$309,069)	\$0	-304,695.00	\$0	-364,387

Note: Budget Year 2011-2012 as of 4-9-12 \$340,415.00 has been transferred from the 501-C-3 Ladies Endowment Fund to cover expenses in excess of income. Included in expenses is \$97,122 for the one time bill from TMRC for annual audit of actual expenses in excess of their regular monthly billing





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