

Grand Commandery of Knights Templar Of the State of Louisiana

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To the Officers and Members of the Grand Commandery, the Constituent Commanderies within the jurisdiction of and holding allegiance to the Grand Commandery of Knights Templar of Louisiana and to whom it may concern:

GREETINGS:

The One Hundred and Fifty-Sixth (156th) Annual Conclave of the Grand Commandery of Knights Templar of Louisiana was held in the City of Alexandria March 2nd and 3rd, 2019, A.O. 901.

The following Officers, elected and/or appointed, Educational Foundation Members, Standing and Special Committees and Division Commanders are hereby announced.

ELECTED OFFICERS

Samuel B. Owens.....	124 Reeder Rd, Bossier City 71112-9761 (318) 393-0683	R. E. Grand Commander (6)
Rory A. Bozeman	16000 Greenstone Dr, Pride 70770-2203 (225) 329-9732	V. E. Deputy Grand Commander (11)
Charles R. Bertrand.....	2004 Ruby Dr, Houma 70363-7040 (337) 589-5350	E. Grand Generalissimo (12)
W. James Hill, III.....	6908 E Ridge Dr, Shreveport 71106-2444 (318) 868-1567	E. Grand Captain General (6)
John C. Sharlow.....	6135 Pine Hill Rd, Shreveport 71107-9673 (318) 469-4567	E. Grand Senior Warden (6)
Kenneth K. Bell, Jr.....	318 Riverwood Dr, Saint Rose, LA 70087-3766 (504) 305-4866	E. Grand Junior Warden (1)
John F. Knox, Jr.....	2 Country Ln, Haughton, LA 71037-9206 (504) 891-8761	E. Grand Treasurer (6)
Allan K. Bean.....	605 Mound St, Jonesville, LA 71313-3019 (318) 758-7879	E. Grand Recorder (7)
Robert E. Durham, Jr, HPGC.....	15297 Carlou Drive, Ponchatoula 70454-6423 (985) 373-4150	E. Grand Recorder Emeritus (27)

Bowdre McDowell, HPGC, KTCH.....**E. Grand Recorder Emeritus (1)**
PO Box 15523, New Orleans 70175-5523

APPOINTED OFFICERS

Thomas P. Brown, PC.....**E. Grand Prelate (6)**
1064 Mill St, Ringgold, LA 71068-2852

Edwin L. Horton, Jr. PC.....**E. Grand Standard Bearer (6)**
5767 Bayou Dr, Bossier City, LA 71112-4975

M. Darin West., PC.....**E. Grand Sword Bearer (6)**
1107 Creole Dr, Bossier City, LA 71111-8224

Timothy James Riley, Sr.....**E. Grand Warder (6)**
171 Beckhams Camp Rd, Ringgold, LA 71068-3456

John R. Cunningham, EC.....**E. Grand Sentinel (6)**
1836 W Viking Dr, Bossier City, LA 71111-2371

L. Chad Koelling, PC.....**Inspector General (8)**
3221 Melton St, Alexandria, LA 71301-5412

Harry Bermudez, PC.....**Deputy Inspector General (8)**
1805 Elliott St, Alexandria, LA 71301-6719

J. Keith Gates, PGC.....**Grand Organist (20)**
PO Box 1433, Winnfield, LA 71483-1433

Richard L. James, PGC**Grand Photographer (7)**
163 L E Phillips Rd, Eros, LA 71238-8371

DIVISION COMMANDERS

Albert G. Simms, Jr, PC.....**Division Commander Area No. 1 (6)**
645 Stephenson St, Shreveport, LA 71104-4321, PC (20)
Ascension #6, Shreveport; Monroe #7, Monroe; Trinity #8, Alexandria; Bethlehem #20, Winnfield; Jerusalem #30, Coushatta

Terence D. Macon, PC.....**Division Commander Area No. 2 (28)**
12095 Peter Bourgeois Rd, Saint Amant, LA 70774-3614
Plains #11, Baton Rouge; Malta #12, Lake Charles; Payen #16, Lafayette; Rhodes #17, Leesville; Istrouma #28, Baker

Don A. Springler, PC.....**Division Commander Area No. 3 (1)**
PO Box 73455, Metairie, LA 70033-3455
Indivisible Friends #1, Gretna; Jacques deMolay #2, Kenner; St. Paul #27, Hammond; C.A. Everett #29, Slidell

STANDING COMMITTEES

JURISPRUDENCE

W. James Hill, III PC, Chairman (6)

Lloyd A. Hebert, PGC, PDC (1) Michael A. Reynolds, PC (7)
Mark O. Melder, PhD (20)

STATE OF THE ORDER AND ADVANCEMENT

Rory A. Bozeman, VEDG, Chairman (11)

Charles R. Bertrand, GG (12) W. James Hill, III, GCG (6)
John C. Sharlow, GSW (6)

NECROLOGY

Lloyd A. Hebert, PGC, PDC (1)

W. Bryan Price, PC (20) Gerald H. Houston, PC (17)

CREDENTIALS and REGISTRATION

Harry Bermudez, PC Chairman (8)

Dale F. Johnson, PC (7) L. Chad Koelling, PC (8)

FINANCE

Rory A. Bozeman, VEDGC, Chairman (11)

Charles R. Bertrand, EGG (12) W. James Hill, III, ECG (6)
John C. Sharlow, EGSW (6) John F. Knox, Jr, Grand Treasurer (1)
Allan K. Bean, Grand Recorder (7)

APPEALS and GRIEVANCES

Travis M. Holley, PGC, Chairman (7)

Howard F. Entwistle, PGC, PDC (1) Earl J. Durand, PGC
Woody D. Bilyeu, PC (1) Lloyd E. Hennigan, Jr. (8)

SPECIAL COMMITTEES

EDUCATION FOUNDATION COMMITTEE

Travis M. Holley, PGC (7) (2020)
J. Keith Gates, PGC, (20) (2021)
Edwin L. Horton, Jr., PC, (6) (2022) Chairman
William K. Powell, Sr., PGC (12) (2023)
V. Eugene Dawson, PC (28) (2024)
Allan K. Bean, GR (7) Secretary/Treasurer

KNIGHTS TEMPLAR EYE FOUNDATION

John C. Sharlow, GSW, Chairman (6)
Kaston W. Wales (28) Albert G. Simms, PC (6)
John R. Cunningham., EC (6) Edwin L. Horton, PC (6)

PUBLIC RELATIONS

Richard L. James, PGC, Chairman (7)
M. Cash Melville (7) Harry Bermudez, PC (8)
James D. Maxey, G (6)

HOLY LAND PILGRIMAGE

M. Darin West, PC Chairman (21)
Stephen M. Bryant, EC (27) Dennis F. Snoddy, G (8)
Thomas P. Brown, PC (6)

PERPETUAL MEMBERSHIP

Each Commandery is to set a date for its annual inspection to be occur prior to November 30, 2019. If a date is needed following this date, a special dispensation must be issued by the Grand Commander. **Contact Sir Knight L. Chad Koelling, PC Grand Inspector General, at 3221 Melton St, Alexandria, LA 71301-5412 (318) 664-5720 or email alexandriayorkrite@gmail.com to schedule an inspection at your earliest convenience.** Those Commanderies seeking to have a school of instruction in lieu of an inspection must receive the written permission of the Grand Commander to do so BEFORE scheduling their school of instruction with the Grand Inspector General.

The One Hundred and Fifty-Seventh (157th) annual conclave of the Grand Commandery of Knight Templar of Louisiana will convene on February 29th and March 1st in Alexandria, Louisiana.

PROCLAMATION

It is hereby ordered that this General Order be read in open Commandery at the first stated Conclave held after its receipt and the officers and members shall be governed accordingly.

Given under my hand and seal of the Grand Commandery at Bossier City, this 11th day of March, 2019, A.O. 901.

BY ORDER OF:



SAMUEL B. OWENS
GRAND COMMANDER

John F. Knox, Jr., PC (6) Chairman

L. Chad Koelling, PC (8) Anthony Radosti, PC (1)
Edwin L. Horton, Jr., PC (6) Allan K. Bean, PC (7)

DEMOLAY & YOUTH

Nicholas Auck, PC Chairman

Wilson O. Cook, (7) Stuart R. Averitt, PC (16)
M. Darin West (6)

ANNUAL CONCLAVE ARRANGEMENTS

William K. Powell, Sr., PGC, Co-Chairman (12)
Earl J. "Mickey" Durand, PGC, Co-Chairman (8)

AMERICAN MASONIC FRATERNAL

L. Chad Koelling, PC (Chairman) (8)

Dennis Snoddy, G (8) Timothy D. Osmun (8)

LADIES HOSPITALITY

Wallice House, Chairperson

Pearl Mais
Grand Officers' Ladies



ATTEST:



ALLAN K. BEAN
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