

Lone Star Grand Commandery

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Office of the Right Eminent Grand Commander

To: All Elected and Appointed Grand Commandery Officers, Past Grand Commanders, Honorary Past Grand Commanders, Eminent Commanders, Past Eminent Commanders, Commandery Line Officers and Sir Knights

From: Hon. William H. Paige
R.E. Grand Commander

Date: August 6, 2023

Subject: CALL to Order for the 134th Annual Grand Conclave

By the authority vested in me by the Constitution of the Lone Star Grand Commandery of Texas and its Jurisdiction, Prince Hall Affiliated, I hereby CALL the Lone Star Grand Commandery to convene in its 134th Annual Grand Conclave along with the Heroines of Templars Crusaders into their 94th Annual Grand Conclave at the Annual York Rite Weekend on Friday, February 2, 2024 starting at 8:00 am.

All Eminent Commanders, Generalissimos, and Captains General of each Constituent Commandery must register for the Grand Conclave whether they will be in attendance or not, or the Commandery will be deemed not square.

Grand Commandery Officer's, to include Deputies are expected to purchase an AD in the Souvenir Journal. Eminent Commanders of the respective Commanderies are expected to place an AD in the Souvenir Journal also. Plus make their minimum donations to the King Contest Scholarship Program. Newly elected Eminent Commanders **WILL NOT BE RECEIVING** the Past Eminent Commander Degree at this session but will do so in September 2024 at the annual Mid-Templar Session.

Together with this CALL TO CONCLAVE is the 2024 Committee Listing. If you are a committee member, contact your chairman as soon as possible. If you are a chairman, please have your report ready to go, unless your report requires pertinent information which can only be obtained during the session. If you are a chairman and cannot serve, please notify me immediately with a suggestion for your replacement.

Reports for most committees are due into the office of the Grand Recorder no later than January 20, 2024.

HOTEL INFORMATION

The 134th Grand Conclave will be held at the Houston City Plaza Marriott at Springwoods Village, 1200 Lake Plaza Drive Spring, Texas 77389. Note: **Room Rates: \$199.00 (Wednesday night only) Thursday thru Saturday \$149.00 per night + tax** (King or Double). Make all room reservations with the hotel under “YORK RITE WEEKEND” by using the Marriott Hotel Reservation Link: [Click Here](#)

Eminent Commanders ensure your BEAUSEANT is present for the roll call, also ensure that this CALL is read in your upcoming meetings leading to the Grand Conclave.

Done this day, August 6, 2023, in my office at 3411 Northmoor San Antonio, Texas 78230. Do take notice and govern yourselves accordingly.

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William H. Paige WHP
Sir William H. Paige
Right Eminent Grand Commander

Attested:

Clary E. Glover, Jr. CEG
Sir Clary E. Glover, Jr.
Eminent Grand Recorder



**134th Annual Conclave of the
Lone Star Grand Commandery, Order of the Knights Templar
Schedule of Activities at the 23rd Annual York Rite Weekend
Springwoods, Texas**

**Thursday, February 1, 2024 - Casual Dress
Executive Board Meeting**

6:00 pm

Friday, February 2, 2024 – Full Templar Dress

8:00 am

Opening of the 134th Annual Grand Conclave by Sanderson #2

- Turn over to DDGC who will receive VEDGC
- Reception of Elected & Appointed Grand Commandery Officer's
- Reception of Right Eminent Grand Commander
- Reading of the Call to Order (Grand Recorder)
- Roll Call of Grand Officer's & Commanderies
- Fiduciary Reports (Grand Recorder, Grand Treasurer, Audit and Budget)
- Rules Committee
- Reception of Past Grand Commanders (Actual in Front)
- Reception of Visiting Jurisdictional Representatives
- Reception of National Heads of House Representatives
- Reception of State Heads of House
- Reception of the Most Worshipful Grand Master; Grand Master Addresses the Body

- Committee on By-Laws
- Committee on Warrants
- Committee on Foreign Correspondence
- Committee on Ways and Means
- Committee on Medical Staff
- Committee on Jurisprudence
- Committee on Scholarship

- Resolutions
- Time and Place
- Committee on Grievances and Appeals
- Committee on Necrology
- Stewardship of the Eminent Grand Captain General
- Stewardship of the Eminent Grand Generalissimo
- Stewardship of the V.E. Deputy Grand Commander

11:15-11:45 am

- Annual Allocation of the Right Eminent Grand Commander
 - Committee on Grand Commander's Address
- Remarks from Visiting Jurisdictions and Dignitaries

12:00-1:30 pm

Lunch

1:30-4:00 pm

Resume Labor, Committee Reports Continued

- Committee on Works
- Committee on Credentials
- Election and Installation of Officers
- Read and Approve Minutes from Session
- Final Remarks from Most Worshipful Grand Master
- Close 134th Annual Grand Conclave
- Delegation visits Lone Star Grand Guild

7:00 pm

**Friday, February 2, 2024
Gospel Fest**

7:30 am

Saturday, February 3, 2024

7:30 pm

Joint Memorial Service

10:00 pm

York Rite Weekend Banquet

Dickie Dance

9:00 am

Sunday, February 4, 2024

P.E.R.M. (Post-Event Recap Meeting)

2024 Committee Assignments & General Duties

Lone Star Grand Commandery, Order of the Knights Templar, Prince Hall Affiliated
134th Annual Grand Conclave Spring, TX



Committee	Members of Committee (Committee Chairman in BOLD Print)
Rules	Eminent Grand Junior Warden Thaddaeus Emory (2), Kevin Hampton (1)
Credentials	Eminent Grand Sword Bearer Host Commandery Rep, Clary Glover, Jr (7)
Warrants	Eminent Grand Warden Amos McCluney (22), James Nelson (35)
Grievances and Appeals	Vernon James (3) All Past Grand Commanders
Election	Ronald Gerac (2) James Goff (22), Andre McGaughey (3)
Works	Raymond Keys, III (7) All Past Grand Commanders
Resolutions	Eminent Grand Legal Advisor "Big" Bryce Hardin (5), Daniel Laprade (37)
Time and Place	Very Eminent Deputy Commander Michael Bolar (15), Tracy Williams (5)
Ritual Revision	Ronald Gerac (2) Julius Wright (5), George Shell (7)
Jurisprudence	Eminent Grand Legal Advisor Tahir Ruffin (35), Jimmie Wilkes (22)
CCFC	Clary Glover (7) Patrick Brathwaite (15), Moses Johnson (7)
Scholarship	Charles Gray (2) Rodney Mitchell (40), Cornelius Marshall (37) & Members of the Grand Guild
Necrology	Eminent Grand Prelate All Ministers & Deacons
Website & Public Relations	Clary Glover (7), Otho Wilbur (35) All SKs with expertise in Marketing
Grand Commander's Allocution	John Love (16) Tadarian Harrell (7), Anthony Bennett (5)
Medical Staff	Corey Stanley (2) Marcus Thomas (5), Rashad Sabree (2)
Budget	Robert Coffield (44) Financial Officers (EGR, EGT)
Visitors	Eminent Grand Marshal Darnell Morris (35), Marvin Kelker (37)
Audit	Joseph Thomas, III (2), Norman Thomas (2)
King Contest	Eminent Grand Generalissimo Commandery King Contest Participants
Drill Team Competition	Eminent Grand Captain General Drill Team Captains
Fraternal Relations	Michael Berry (37) Charles Lilley (37), Bernard Samuel (22)
Constantine Protocol	Ronald Gerac (2)