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**California Supplement
Grand Commander's Message
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**Psalm 133:1 "Behold how good and how pleasant it is
For brethren to dwell together in unity"**

Greetings Sir Knights,

"He is Risen"

Mark 16:5-7

5 As they entered the tomb, they saw a young man dressed in a white robe sitting on the right side, and they were alarmed.

6 "Don't be alarmed" he said "You are looking for Jesus the Nazarene, who was crucified. He is risen! He is not here. See the place where they laid him.

7 But go, tell his disciples and Peter, 'He is going ahead of you into Galilee. There you will see him, just as he told you.

Spring is upon us and with it comes Easter. The event that sets Christians apart. This will be the 90th Annual Easter observance at the George Washington Masonic Memorial in Alexandria Virginia. The 10th Annual Western States Observance is being held at the Denver Scottish Rite Consistory. Information on these events can be found on the Grand Encampment web site. What a wonderful time to showcase Templary to the world and at Home.

The Commandry Easter observance can be found on the Grand York Rite of California web site. It details the Holy week or the eight days leading up to Easter. This observance can be shared with family and friends alike, and when planned and properly performed, is beautiful, meaningful and spiritual. It is my hope that each commandry have an observance that is inspirational.

If I had the pleasure of meeting you at any of the receptions around the state, you know how much the Knights Templar Eye Foundation means to my family and myself. As of the time I'm writing this the 52nd Annual Voluntary Eye Foundation campaign is well under way. I am very pleased to announce that in California we have 100% commandry participation. California is also #4 in the contributions for all Grand jurisdictions.

My Fraters, I can't begin to "Thank You" enough for the difference your contributions have made to the Eye Foundation and to California Templary. "I'm proud to be a California Templar"

In Unity,

William "Bill" McBroome
Grand Commander

"Together we **ARE** making a difference"

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April 8	Eureka York Rite
April 9-11	Oregon Grand Sessions
April 12	Easter
April 18	Hiram Award