



SOUTH CAROLINA SUPPLEMENT
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Sir Knights,

I bring greetings from your Grand Commandery Officers! I hope you are all getting ready for some warmer weather and the Celebration of The Risen Christ in just a few short weeks! We are quickly approaching our Grand York Rite Session and it is hard to believe that the year has gone by so fast! Our venue for this year's session will be the Scottish Rite Center on Garners Ferry Rd. Columbia. We believe this change will allow us to be more centrally located for those that travel to the event. There will be education sessions on Sunday afternoon with a breakout time for each of the three York Rite Bodies. The Religious Ceremony will be held on Monday morning prior to the opening of the Grand York Rite.

It is hard to believe that a year has gone by and I am now approaching the end of my term as your Grand Commander. We have had a great year, and much has been accomplished. Your support of the York Rite Charities has been phenomenal as always. The Todd Fund Committee has made available three levels of lapel pins to support the Margaret and Lucius Todd fund. These are Gold, Silver and Bronze and are in \$50 increments starting with the Bronze level of giving. The Todd Fund supports the three main York Rite Charities and is a wonderful way to show your support. We sent 7 Ministers of God on a pilgrimage to The Holy Land. This has been a remarkable year for this wonderful mission.

My appreciation of you all is beyond words! I have issued many certificates for your support of the Knights Templar Eye Foundation. This is another charity that is having some remarkable progress in the treatment of diabetic retinopathy, macular degeneration and much more. Thank you all for your continued support of all our charitable organizations. We are making a difference in people's lives every day. Again, Thank You!

As I come to the end of my term as Grand Commander, I would like to take a few minutes to thank you all for your warm hospitality when receiving us on our Official Visits. The food and fellowship have been overwhelming. Meeting with you all and sharing thoughts and conversations are the best part of this job. I have seen some great Degree Work in conferring the Orders of The Temple and you have afforded me the opportunity to Knight your newest members. I have had the honor and privilege of being a guest speaker at some of your Christmas Observance Ceremonies and have been Blessed to present Commissioning Certificates to the Ministers going on the Holy Land Pilgrimage this year. It has been a sincere honor to serve as your Grand Commander for 2019-2020. It has been an experience that I will never forget. I love Templar Masonry and I hope to see you all soon.

May our Lord and Saviour, Jesus Christ, continue to Bless each of you and place His hand on you and guide your footsteps as you continue to serve Him! I make this my prayer, in Christs name! AMEN!

Sincerely and Fraternaly,
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Grand Commander