

**ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTIETH  
ANNUAL CONCLAVE  
OF THE  
GRAND COMMANDERY  
Of  
KNIGHTS TEMPLAR  
Of  
ALABAMA**

**HELD FEBRUARY 21<sup>ST</sup>, 22<sup>ND</sup>, 23<sup>RD</sup>, 2010**

**HILTON PERIMETER PARK SOUTH  
BIRMINGHAM, ALABAMA**

**PRESIDING 2009-2010**

**OWEN E. GORE, *Right Eminent Grand Commander*  
1680 Highway 78, Leeds, AL 35094**

**Hiram O. Williams, Jr., KCT Grand Recorder  
P. O. Box 100333, Birmingham, AL 35210**

**ELECTED 2010-2011**

**Jimmy D. O'Dell, *Right Eminent Grand Commander*  
818 Thrash Lane, Anniston, AL 36207**

PROCEEDINGS OF THE ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTIETH  
ANNUAL CONCLAVE OF THE  
GRAND COMMANDERY OF KNIGHTS TEMPLAR OF ALABAMA

The One Hundred and Fiftieth Annual Conclave of the Grand Commandery of Knights Templar of Alabama was declared convened by Sir Knight Owen E. Gore, Right Eminent Grand Commander on February 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2010.

The Invocation was given by Sir Knight George L. Marshall, Jr. (protem), Eminent Grand Prelate, followed by the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America.

The following Grand Commandery Officers were present and in their stations:

- Sir Knight Owen E. Gore, K.Y.C.H. ....Grand Commander
- Sir Knight Jimmy D. O'Dell, K.Y.G.C.H.... .Deputy Grand Commander
- Sir Knight Jack C. Wade, K.Y.G.C.H.... .Grand Generalissimo
- Sir Knight Ronald L. Thomas, K.Y.C.H. ....Grand Captain General
- Sir Knight James S. Blanteno, K.Y.C.H. ....Grand Senior Warden
- Sir Knight Paul Drinkard, Sr., K.Y.C.H.... .Grand Junior Warden
- Sir Knight Rickey C. Kilgore, K.Y.C.H.\* .....Grand Prelate
- Sir Knight Joe D. Lee, K.Y.G.C.H. ....Grand Treasurer
- Sir Knight Hiram O. Williams, Jr., K.C.T. ....Grand Recorder
- Sir Knight George F. Mills, K.Y.C.H. ....Grand Standard Bearer
- Sir Knight James A. Smith, K.Y.G.C.H. ....Grand Sword Bearer
- Sir Knight Raymond C. Dunn, K.Y.G.C.H.\* .....Grand Warder
- Sir Knight John R. Maynard, Jr++.....Grand Sentinel

\*Denotes not present  
++Denotes Deceased

All Sir Knights and Distinguished Guests were welcomed to the Annual Conclave by the Right Eminent Grand Commander, Owen E. Gore.

INTRODUCTION OF PAST RIGHT EMINENT GRAND COMMANDERS

The following Past Grand Commanders of the Grand Commandery were introduced and welcomed to this Grand Conclave:

- McMurray L. Giffith .....1975-1976
- Arthur C. Harding .....1979-1980
- Emory J. Ferguson .....1988-1989
- Charles W. McDonald .....1989-1990
- Bobby C. Park .....1992-1993
- Sam L. Garrett, Sr. ....1993-1994
- George L. Marshall, Jr. .... 1996-1997
- Joe D. Lee .....1999-2000
- Wayne D. Jordan .....2001-2002
- Phillip J. Sherman .....2003-2004
- Thomas F. Craig .....2005-2006
- Teddy R. Grogan, Jr., .....2006-2007
- MacArthur Davis .....2007-2008
- Billy A. Rikard .....2008-2009

**Address of Right Eminent Grand Commander  
Owen E. Gore  
2009-2010**

*To the Officers, Past Grand Commanders, Sir Knights and Distinguished Guests of the  
Grand Commandery of Knights Templar of Alabama:*

The Grand Commandery Officers and I take great pleasure in welcoming each of you to our One Hundred Fiftieth Annual Conclave of the Grand Commandery of Knights Templar State of Alabama.

To our out of State Guest, a personal thanks and may your visit here be enjoyable. A special thanks to our Grand Recorder Sir Knight Hiram Williams and Sister Cindy Williams, both of whom have worked to make all the arrangements to ensure you have a good and enjoyable stay.

**STATE OF THE CRAFT**

In traveling about the state I have observed that our attendance at our regular meetings is not as good as it should be, however the degree work at our reunions has improved and will continue to improve with the new leadership coming through the ranks in our local Commandery. There are some things I think we should do to better improve the Craft, the local Recorders should try to update their e-mail addresses and think about sending our reinstatement applications to our SNPD York Rite Masons.

I also think that as a Commandery, we should do all that we can to send an ordained Minister to Israel on the Holy Land Pilgrimage. Also I would like to see each local body work to have a Ladies Auxiliary to help with their attendance.

**NECROLOGY**

We are very thankful that our Supreme Lord and Savior has seen fit to leave our Grand Line intact this year. We have lost many good Sir Knights this year and our prayers and thoughts go out to the families. Our Eminent Grand Prelate will have more to say in his report.

## **DISPENSATIONS GRANTED**

I granted dispensation to Huntsville Commandery #7 to ballot out of turn to take candidates to the spring class at Birmingham Metro York Rite.

## **REVIEW OF BOOKS**

I authorized our Eminent Grand Recorder and Treasurer to turn over the Commandery Books and records for 2009 to the Audit Committee for review.

## **IN AND OUT OF STATE VISITS**

Sir Knights I have been able to attend 22 Masonic Conferences, two committee workshops, 49 lodge meetings nine, Scottish Rite meetings and 10 York Rite meeting in 2009. I attended the Grand York Rite of South Carolina March 8<sup>th</sup> thru 10<sup>th</sup>, the Grand York Rite of Florida April 5<sup>th</sup> thru 7<sup>th</sup>, the Scottish Rite reunion in Birmingham on April 17<sup>th</sup>, services at Bethel Church at Barrett's Crossroads (Masonic Day) on April 26<sup>th</sup>, the Grand Commandery of Tennessee on May 2<sup>nd</sup>, the Grand York Rite in Macon Georgia on May 4<sup>th</sup>, thru 6<sup>th</sup>, the York Rite line officers meeting in Prattville on May 9<sup>th</sup>, with Committee men of the Alabama York Rite, the York Rite Class in Birmingham May 16<sup>th</sup>, the Gadsden York Rite Annual Communication on June 4<sup>th</sup>, The Southeastern York Rite Assembly in Atlanta, GA on June 12<sup>th</sup>, and 13<sup>th</sup>, The Alabama Grand Assembly of the International Order of Rainbow for Girls on July 9<sup>th</sup>, The Summer assembly at Maggie Valley in North Carolina July 11<sup>th</sup> thru 14<sup>th</sup>. I also installed the officers at Dothan Commandery #25 on July 6<sup>th</sup>, The Grand Lodge of Alabama in Montgomery on November 8<sup>th</sup> thru 10<sup>th</sup>, the reception of Most Excellent General Grand High Priest Emory J. Ferguson in Birmingham after making an official visit to Anniston Commandery #23 on November 7<sup>th</sup>. I was also privilege to attend Lee Commandery #45 in Phenix City to Honor Sir Knight Snyder on December 15<sup>th</sup>. I did get the opportunity to attend the York Rite Budget Meeting in Birmingham on January 10<sup>th</sup> of this year.

**Address of Right Eminent Grand Commander****Owen E. Gore****2009-2010**

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**CONCLUSION**

I wish to thank each Commandery that I was able to visit for their hospitality, and to thank each of my line officers and committee members for serving this year. I give a special thanks to the Birmingham York Rite Ladies Auxiliary for all of their help and contributions to the York Rite Masons in general. I would name names but I am afraid I might overlook someone. I want to give a special thanks to my loving wife Peggy, for supporting me in my Masonry and being my traveling companion, thank you and I love you very much.

Respectfully Submitted,  
Owen E. Gore, K.Y. C.H.  
Grand Commander

Attest:

Hiram O. Williams, Jr.  
Grand Recorder

**GRAND TREASURER'S REPORT**

To the Grand Commandery of Knights Templar of Alabama:

Submitted below is my Statement of Receipts and Disbursements for the year ended December 31, 2009.

RECEIPTS

Dues .....	\$35,582.00
Fees .....	414.00
Interest .....	2,179.40
Sale of Supplies .....	1,218.00
Sale of Banquet Tickets .....	1,346.67
Other Income .....	<u>.00</u>

Total Receipts .....\$39,740.07

DISBURSEMENTS

Operating Expenses .....\$44,291.26

Total Disbursements .....\$ 44,291.26

EXCESS OF RECEIPTS OVER DISBURSEMENTS ..... \$ (4,551.19)

CASH ON HAND - JANUARY 1, 2009 ..... 141,615.80

CASH ON HAND - DECEMBER 31, 2009 ..... \$137,064.61

CASH ON HAND - DECEMBER 31, 2009 CONSISTS OF THE FOLLOWING:

Petty Cash .....	\$ 50.00
Checking Account .....	16,696.61
Certificates of Deposit and Savings Accounts .....	<u>120,318.00</u>

Total Cash on Hand December 31, 2009 ..... \$137,064.61

**Appreciation**

I wish to thank the members for the opportunity to have served you for the past year as Grand Treasurer.

Respectfully submitted,

Joe D. Lee, K.Y.G.C.H.  
Grand Treasurer

Adopted:

## GRAND RECORDER'S REPORT

*To the Grand Commandery of Knights Templar of Alabama:*

Sir Knights, my Annual Report for the fiscal year ending December 31, 2008 is as follows:

Membership as of January 1, 2009..... 2,132

### ADDITIONS

Knighted .....	54	
Affiliated .....	20	
Reinstated .....	7	
Adjusted .....	-56	<u>25</u>

Total Gross Membership..... 2,157

### LOSSES;

Died .....	67	
Demitted .....	14	
Suspended N.P.D .....	118	
Adjusted .....	<u>0</u>	
.....	199	

Total Net Membership as of December 31, 2009..... 1,958

Loss in Membership for 2009..... 174

Chartered Commanderies..... 15

Commanderies Reporting..... 15

Commanderies under Dispensation..... 0

## COMMENTS

All Commanderies submitted a semi-annual report for June 1<sup>st</sup>. The December 1<sup>st</sup> report was received by all Commanderies. All Commanderies submitted their reports with Per Capita Tax.

## APPRECIATION

I wish to thank the members for the opportunity to have served you for the past year as Grand Recorder and to thank Sir Knight Joe D. Lee for a great working relationship.

Fraternally submitted

Hiram O. Williams, Jr.  
Grand Recorder

Adopted:

## STATISTICAL SUMMARY OF SUBORDINATE COMMANDERIES

NO.	NAME	01/01/09 MEMBERSHIP	ADJUSTED	KNIGHTED	AFFILIATED	REINSTATED	DIED	DEMITTED	SUSPENDED	12/31/09 MEMBERSHIP	GAIN/LOSS
2	MOBILE	176	0	6	0	1	8	1	9	165	- 11
4	MONTGOMERY	126	0	3	0	0	1	1	9	118	- 8
7	HUNTSVILLE	190	0	2	0	1	12	1	4	176	-14
10	CYRENE	556	0	15	1	1	20	0	54	499	-57
13	TUSCALOOSA	78	-7	9	2	1	0	0	4	79	1
14	DeMOLAY	99	0	8	0	1	1	0	7	100	+1
15	ETOWAH	82	0	0	0	0	2	1	5	74	- 8
23	ANNISTON	159	0	0	0	0	2	3	1	153	-6
25	DOTHAN	125	0	5	0	1	8	4	4	118	-7
29	PIEDMONT	52	0	0	3	0	1	2	1	51	-1
31	WOODLAWN	227	-37	2	0	0	10	0	16	166	-71
39	FLORENCE	113	-7	0	0	0	1	0	2	103	-10
45	LEE	66	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	65	-1
47	MONROEVILLE	53	0	4	1	1	2	1	2	54	1
46	High Mountain	30	-5	0	13	0	1	0	0	37	7
TOTALS		2,132	-56	54	20	7	67	14	118	1,958	-174

Adopted:



## REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON FINANCE

*To the Right Eminent Grand Commander, Grand Officers, and Sir Knights of the Grand Commandery of Alabama:*

We your committee on Finance, wish to submit the following report as well as a proposed budget for the year 2009 for your review and consideration.

We have examined the Review as completed by the Audit Committee of the Grand Commandery and recommend that it be accepted.

The annual budget was prepared by the combined efforts of this committee as well as the R. E. Grand Commander, Grand Treasurer and the Grand Recorder.

Respectfully submitted,

Jimmy D. O'Dell, K.Y.G.C.H., Chairman  
Jack C. Wade K.Y.G.C.H.  
Ronald L. Thomas, K.Y.C.H.

### GRAND COMMANDERY BUDGET

<u>ACC'T #</u>	<u>ACCOUNT DESCRIPTION</u>	<u>BUDGET 2009</u>	<u>SPENT 2009</u>	<u>BUDGET 2010</u>
800....	Payroll Taxes .....	625.00	.. 610.56	.... 550.00
801....	Telephone .....	1,000.00	. 1,066.07	.. 1,000.00
802....	Postage & P.O. Box .....	350.00	.. 350.00	.... 350.00
803....	Contingency Fund .....	550.00	.. 550.00	.... 400.00
804....	Grand Encap. Per Cap. Tax .	16,000.00	19,223.00	18,500.00
805....	Grand Recorder's Salary .....	.00	..... .00	..... .00
806....	Grand Treasurer's Expense ....	200.00	..... .00	.. 150.00
807....	Grand Commander's Expense ...	1,500.00	. 1,500.00	.. 1,500.00
808....	Office Ass't Salary .....	6,600.00	. 6,600.00	.. 5,000.00
809....	Printing Grand Proceedings ....	900.00	.. 866.55	.... 900.00
810....	Stat., Printing & Supplies ....	450.00	.. 544.30	.... 450.00
811....	Review of Books .....	0.00	..... 0.00	.... 0.00
812....	Office Rent .....	1,400.00	. 1,400.04	.. 1,100.00
813....	Past Grand Commander Jewel ....	300.00	.. 236.00	..... 0.00
814....	Insurance - Bonds, Fire, etc. .	300.00	.. 268.34	.... 300.00
815....	Triennial Reserve (First Four Grand Officers & Grand Rec.)	500.00	.. 500.00	..... 0.00

ACC'T #	ACCOUNT DESCRIPTION	BUDGET 2009	SPENT 2009	BUDGET 2010
816	....Donation to DeMolay.....	250.00	....200.00	.... 250.00
817	Donation to Order of Rainbow for Girls.....	250.00	....200.00	.... 250.00
818	....Southeastern Regional York Rite Conference Fund (Deputy Grand Commander, Grand Generalissimo)	300.00.	150.00	.... 300.00
819	....Grand Rec. Travel Allowance.	3,000.00	..3,000.00	2,200.00
822	....Ladies Brunch.....	500.00	....500.00	.... 500.00
823	....Distinguished Guests.....	2,600.00	2,476.40	.. 2,300.00
824	....Banquet (Net-Cost less tickets sold)	3,000.00	..3,000.00	.. 3,000.00
825	....Maggie Valley Donation.....	50.00	.....50.00	..... 50.00
826	... Purchases ...	1,000.00	... 1,000.00	.... 350.00
	Totals	<u>\$41,625.00.</u>	<u>44,291.26</u>	<u>. 40,500.00</u>
	Over Budget		\$ (2,666.26)	

**GRAND COMMANDERY OF KNIGHTS TEMPLAR OF ALABAMA  
REPORT OF THE AUDIT COMMITTEE**

Hon. Owen E. Gore  
Right Eminent Grand Commander  
Grand Commandery of Knights Templar of Alabama

We your audit committee have reviewed the books and records of the Grand Commandery of Knights Templar of Alabama for the period January 1, 2009 through December 31, 2009. We found no discrepancies in the records we reviewed that would lead us to believe that a modification to the financial statements would be warranted. In our review we discovered some areas of the records of the Grand Commandery that need updating. We have made comments concerning these areas in the Notes to Financial Statements section of this report.

Respectfully submitted,

James C. McGee K.C.T.,K.Y.C.H., Chairman  
Jack C. Wade, K.Y.G.C.H.

Grand Commandery of Knights Templar of Alabama  
Statement of Financial Position  
Cash Basis  
For the period then ended December 31, 2009

ASSETSCurrent Assets

Cash on Hand in Banks	\$ 27,033.80
Certificates of Deposits And Money Markets Accounts	101,428.28
Accounts Receivable	6,221.31
Inventory - Supplies for Sale	784.35
 Total Current Assets	 \$ 135,467.74

Property and Equipment

Office Equipment	\$ 7,143.85
Less; Accumulated Depreciation	7,143.85
 Net Property and Equipment	 0.00

TOTAL ASSETS \$ 135,467.74

LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETSNet Assets

Unrestricted Net Assets	\$ 130,991.11
Restricted Assets Triennial Reserve	<u>2,750.00</u>
 Total Net Assets	 \$ 133,741.11

Liabilities

Accounts Payables	\$ 1,296.10
Due to Grand Chapter	.00
Due to Grand Council	.00
Taxes Payable	<u>430.53</u>
 Total Liabilities	 \$ <u>1,726.63</u>

TOTAL LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS \$ 135,467.74

**Grand Commandery of Knights Templar of Alabama**  
**Statement of Expenses**  
**Cash Basis**  
**For the period then ended December 31, 2009**

**REVENUE**

Per Capita Tax	\$ 34,582.00
Knighting Fees	414.00
Interest Received	2,179.40
Sales of Supplies	1,218.00
Sales of Banquet Tickets (Net)	1,346.67
Other Income	.00
Total Revenue	<u>\$ 39,740.07</u>

**EXPENSES**

Payroll Taxes	\$ 610.56
Telephone	1,066.07
Postage & P.O. Box Rent	350.00
Contingency Fund	550.00
Grand Encampment Per Capita Tax	19,223.00
Grand Recorders Salary	0.00
Grand Treasurers Expense	0.00
Grand Commander's Expense	1,500.00
Office Assistant Salary	6,600.00
Printing Grand Proceedings	866.55
Office Supplies	544.30
Review of Books	0.00
Office Rent	1,400.04
Past Grand Commanders Jewel	236.00
Insurance & Fidelity Bond	268.34
Triennial Reserve Expense	500.00
DeMolay Donation	200.00
Rainbow Donation	200.00
South Eastern Regional Conference	150.00
Grand Recorders Travel	3,000.00
Ladies Brunch	500.00
Distinguished Guests Lodging	2,476.40
Banquet Tickets	3,000.00
Donations to Maggie Valley	50.00
Purchases	<u>1,000.00</u>
TOTAL EXPENSES	<u><u>\$ 44,291.26</u></u>

<b><u>Net Income</u></b>	<b><u>\$ (4,551.19)</u></b>
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**Grand Commandery of Knights Templar of Alabama  
Statement of Investments**

**For the Period then ended December 31, 2009**

Regions Bank-Certificate of Deposit	
2.96% - Matures 8-17-12	\$ 39,301.01
Regions Bank-Certificate of Deposit	
2.13% - Matures 12-08-10	14,432.29
Regions Bank-Certificate of Deposit	
1.49% - Matures 10-08-10	<u>47,694.98</u>
<b>TOTAL INVESTMENTS</b>	<b><u>\$ 101,428.28</u></b>

**Grand Commandery of Knights Templar of Alabama  
Notes to Financial Statements**

**For the period then ended December 31, 2009**

Note 1 - Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

**A. Basis of Accounting**

The Grand Commanderies policy is to prepare its financial statements on the cash basis of accounting. Under this method certain revenue and the related assets are recognized when received rather than when earned and certain expenses are recognized when paid rather than when the obligation is incurred. Accordingly, the accompanying financial statements do not purport to present the current financial position.

**B. Inventories**

Inventories are carried at the lower of cost determined by the first-in, first-out method of market.

**C. Property and Equipment**

Property and equipment are recorded at cost and were depreciated over the estimated useful lives of the related assets. Depreciation was computed on the straight-line method for financial reporting purposes.

Note 2 - Tax Status

The Grand Commandery is exempt from federal income tax under Internal Revenue Code Section 501©, and from state income tax under Alabama Code Section 40-18-32. An informational return is filed each year on IRS form 990.

Note 3 - Restricted Assets

A Triennial Reserve account is established as a reserve to cover expenses for specific officers to attend the Triennial meeting, as well as other expenses for the Past Grand Officer and for the Southern Breakfast. During the year there was an increase in the balance of this reserve account to \$3,450.00.

## GRAND COMMANDERY ROLL CALL OF GRAND REPRESENTATIVES

ARIZONA..... Jimmy D. O'Dell  
 ARKANSAS..... Teddy R. Grogan, Jr.  
 CALIFORNIA..... \*\*\*\*Louis W. Meyer, Jr.  
 COLORADO..... George F. Mills  
 CONNECTICUT..... Bobby C. Park  
 DELAWARE..... Richard R. Losch  
 DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA..... Robert E. Dumas  
 FLORIDA..... Joe D. Lee  
 GEORGIA..... Hiram O. Williams, Jr.  
 IDAHO..... Ronald G. Andress  
 ILLINOIS..... Arthur C. Harding  
 INDIANA..... Arthur Lee Campbell, III  
 IOWA..... Robert D. Moseson  
 ITALY..... Owen E. Gore  
 KANSAS..... Bobby W. Cheney  
 KENTUCKY..... \*Michael L. Jones  
 LOUISIANA..... \*Wayne D. Jordan  
 MAINE..... \*\*William M. Newsome, Jr.  
 MARYLAND..... Ronald L. Thomas  
 MASSACHUSETTS & RHODE ISLAND..... \*W. Richmond Hammond  
 MICHIGAN..... Jack C. Wade  
 MINNESOTA..... C. Sterling Hughes  
 MISSISSIPPI..... Emory J. Ferguson  
 MISSOURI..... \*Raymond C. Dunn  
 MONTANA..... \*Brent R. Haller  
 NEBRASKA..... \*\*\*\*Ronald E. Scarborough, Jr.  
 NEVADA..... James S. Blanteno  
 NEW HAMPSHIRE..... Lance C. Anthony  
 NEW JERSEY..... James D. Glenn  
 NEW MEXICO..... Maurice C. Himes  
 NEW YORK..... James O. Tidmore  
 NORTH CAROLINA..... \*Dennis Peterson  
 NORTH DAKOTA..... Sam L. Garrett, Sr.  
 OHIO..... Phillip J. Sherman  
 OKLAHOMA..... \*\*\*\*Erskine K. Smith  
 OREGON..... MacArthur Davis  
 PENNSYLVANIA..... Arthur Lee Campbell, III  
 PHILIPPINES..... Jimmy D. O'Dell  
 SOUTH CAROLINA..... \*Roger A. Simmons  
 SOUTH DAKOTA..... Lewis Childs  
 TENNESSEE..... Billy A. Rikard  
 TEXAS..... Marion Pate George, Jr.  
 UTAH..... Ronald G. Self  
 VERMONT..... \*Thomas F. Craig  
 VIRGINIA..... Charles W. McDonald  
 WASHINGTON..... Jamie A. Smith  
 WEST VIRGINIA..... Teddy R. Grogan, Jr.  
 WISCONSIN..... \*Greg L. Battles  
 WYOMING..... Charles L. Ingram, Sr.

*\*Denotes number of consecutive years absent.*

**REGISTER OF GRAND REPRESENTATIVES  
FOR GRAND COMMANDERY OF KNIGHTS TEMPLAR OF ALABAMA**

Grand Commandery	Representative from Address and Town	Representative to Address and Town
Arizona	Jimmy D. O'Dell 818 Trash Lane Anniston, AL 36207	Stafford C. Sanford 5032 E. Adams Tucson, 85712
Arkansas	Teddy R. Grogan, Jr. 83 Crimson Tide Dr. Piedmont, AL 36272	James Fernald, Jr. 1605 W. Block Street El Dorado, 71730
California	Louis W. Meyer, Jr. 5701 Avenue P Ensley Birmingham, AL 35228	Casey W. Norris 239 Montrose Drive Folsom, 95630-2730
Colorado	George F. Mills P. O. Box 1393 Decatur, AL 35602	Gregory Allen P. O. Box 224 Hotchkiss, 81419
Connecticut	Bobby C. Park 1577 Oscar Patterson Rd New Market, AL 35761	George C. Perry 116 Candlewood Lake Rd Brookfield, 06804
Delaware	Richard R. Losch 102 W Monroe St. Livingston, AL 35470	Randall Mullen 401 15 <sup>th</sup> St Unit 9 Ocean City, MD 21842
District of Columbia	Robert E. Dumas 417 Covina Drive S.W. Decatur, AL 35603	William T. Cox 6719 Greenview Lane Springfield, VA 22152
Florida	Joe D. Lee 405 Roundabout Drive Trussville, AL 35173	Francis L. Dancy P. O. Box 457 Ft. Pierce, 33954
Georgia	Hiram O. Williams, Jr. P. O. Box 100333 Birmingham, AL 35210-0333	Bobby Joe Townsend 6630 Starling Place Mableton, 30059
Idaho	Ronald G. Andress 2509 Lakewood Circle Tuscaloosa, AL 35405	Eldred J. Thomas 2870 Juniper Dr. APT 142 Lewiston, 83501
Illinois	Arthur C. Harding 309 Sun Valley Road Birmingham, AL 35215	Daryl W. Selock 851 N. Fairway Drive Palatine, 60067
Indiana	Arthur Lee Campbell, III 820 Running Brook Dr. Prattville, AL 36066	Douglas O. Fegenbush 9901 Pendleton Pike Indianapolis, 46236
Iowa	Robert D. Moseson 4400 Bridgewater Cir. Phenix City, AL 36867	Ronald W. Guthrie P. O. Box 1841 Mason City, 50402
Italy	Owen E. Gore 1680 Highway 78 Leeds, AL 35094	Lino Oscar Corradi
Kansas	Bobby W. Cheney 335 Hope Hull Drive Hope Hull, AL 36043	Edward B. Sherwood 919 Washington Newton, 67114
Kentucky	Michael L. Jones 1711 Cagle Ave., S. W. Decatur, AL 35601	Clifford T. Stigger 7601 Wesleyan Place Louisville, 40242



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**FOR GRAND COMMANDERY OF KNIGHTS TEMPLAR OF ALABAMA**  
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Grand Commandery	Representative from Address and Town	Representative to Address and Town
Louisiana	Wayne D. Jordan 929 Tascosa Dr., N.E. Huntsville, AL 35802	Daniel Thomas 343 Dorset Dr. Slidell, 70458
Maine	William M. Newsome, Jr. 1600 45 <sup>th</sup> Street Phenix City, AL 36867	John D. Baggett 164 Side Drive Verona, 04416
Maryland	Ronald L. Thomas 5679 County Road 53 Abbeville, AL 36310	Richard H. Westermayer 2007 Magnolia Woods Court Edgewood, 21040
Massachusetts And Rhode Island	W. Richmond Hammond 1204 Walnut Street Gadsden, AL 35901	Ronald Wolf P. O. Box 2 133 Plainfield Rd Cunnington, MA 00126
Michigan	Jack C. Wade 54 Huntmaster Lane Pelham, AL 35124	James C. Costello 7280 Rustic Way Drive Fowlerville, 48836
Minnesota	C. Sterling Hughes Route 1 Box 139 Ozark, AL 36360	Barnes A. Sharitt, Jr. 434 12 <sup>th</sup> Avenue So. So. St. Paul, 35075
Mississippi	Emory J. Ferguson 1615 Lakeview Drive NW Cullman, AL 35055	Earl D. Barlow 1215 Bristol Blvd Ocean Springs, 39564
Missouri	Raymond C. Dunn 376 College Park NW Huntsville, AL 35805	Frank R. VonGeysso 418 Marina Court Smithville, 64039-8382
Montana	Brent R. Haller 5767 Zeigler Blvd. Mobile, AL 36608	C. Thomas Bersuch  Lewistown,
Nebraska	Ronald E. Scarborough, Jr. 1175 Batchelor Chapel Rd Gadsden, 35903	James Clark 986 Cnty Rod 2350 Crete, 68333
Nevada	James Blanteno 189 Baites Road Toney, AL 35773	John C. Singleton 725 Union Lane Fallon, 89406-9108
New Hampshire	Lance C. Anthony 589 Lee Road 204 Salem, AL 36874	Richard A. Gilbert, Sr. 16 Chapel Street New Market, 03857
New Jersey	James David Glenn 1311 Stuart Avenue SW Decatur, AL 35601	Thurman C. Pace, Jr. 518 So. Marks Ave Westfield, 07090
New Mexico	Maurice C. Himes 1314 Fern Road Slocomb, AL 36375	Darrel D. Hornsby  Santa Fe,
New York	James O. Tidmore 7450 Weems Road Pinson, AL 35126	Thomas A. Starnes 150 Utica Street Tonawanda, 14150

**REGISTER OF GRAND REPRESENTATIVES**  
**FOR GRAND COMMANDERY OF KNIGHTS TEMPLAR OF ALABAMA**  
(Continued)

Grand Commandery	Representative from Address and Town	Representative to Address and Town
North Carolina	Dennis Peterson 6920 Old Railroad Bed Rd Toney, AL 35773	George Katchue 4818 Sandtyn Dr. Waxhew, 28173
North Dakota	Sam L. Garrett, Sr. 1402 Melanie Lane Phenix City, AL 36867	R. J. Stohler 1537 48 <sup>th</sup> St S. Apt 108 Fargo, 58103
Ohio	Phillip J. Sherman 2205-C Graham Ave SW Decatur, AL 35601	Richard J. Brady 3852 Daytona Drive Youngstown, 44515
Oklahoma	Erskine K. Smith 1835 Cheaha Drive Oxford, AL 36203	Joe F. Warriner 3315-A NW 63 <sup>rd</sup> Street Oklahoma City, 73116
Oregon	MacArthur Davis 4291 Grissett Bridge Rd Brewton, AL 36426	Paul McLain 545 4 <sup>th</sup> Avenue Sweet Home, 97386
Pennsylvania	Arthur Lee Campbell, III 820 Running Brook Dr. Prattville, AL 36066	James V. Pedano 609 Aintree Road Hatboro, 19040
Philippines	Jimmy D. O'Dell 818 Thrash Lane Anniston, AL 36207	Charles Reginald D. Reyes 65 Arellano Street Davao City, 8000
South Carolina	Roger A. Simmons P. O. Box 268 Newton, AL 36352	D. Samuel Tennyson 1225 Twin Lakes Road Rock Hill, 29732
South Dakota	Lewis L. Childs 2251 Senator Street Mobile, AL 36606	Michael S. Gilleland 4909 Copper Hill Court Rapid City, 57702
Tennessee	Billy A. Rikard 2236 2 <sup>nd</sup> Place NE Birmingham, AL 35215	Robert W. Yahola 4144 Meadow Court Drive Bartlett, 38135-5162
Texas	Marion Pate George, Jr. 1200 Falcon Dr. Birmingham, AL 35235	Michael H. Shively 17114 Theiss Mail Road Spring, TX 77379
Utah	Ronald G. Self 1145 Cheyenne Blvd. Birmingham, AL 35215	Kevin Hill 6287 Dewdrop Dr. West Jordan, 84084
Vermont	Thomas F. Craig 1000 Lexington Street SE Huntsville, AL 35801	Carl D. Shoemaker 159 State Street Windsor, 05089
Virginia	Charles W. McDonald 615 Morgan Avenue Mobile, AL 36606	Bradford F. Burnett 1007 Westbriar Drive Richmond, 23233
Washington	Jamie A. Smith 156 Wood Place Court Ozark, AL 36860	Floyd L. Snyder 2225 Bluejay West Richland, 99357

**REGISTER OF GRAND REPRESENTATIVES  
FOR GRAND COMMANDERY OF KNIGHTS TEMPLAR OF ALABAMA  
(Continued)**

Grand Commandery	Representative from Address and Town	Representative to Address and Town
West Virginia	Teddy R. Grogan, Jr. 83 Crimson Tide Drive Piedmont, AL 36272	Robert L. Caldwell 303 Church Street Lewisburg, 24901
Wisconsin	Greg Battles 1049 Shelane Circle Birmingham, AL 35215	Leland Burlison 823 Washington Avenue Oshkosh, 54901
Wyoming	Charles L. Ingram, Sr. 270 Lee Road #897 Salem, AL 36874	James K. Hibird 613 Osburn Drive Douglas, 82633

**REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON  
CREDENTIALS AND REGISTRATION**

*To the Right Eminent Grand Commander, Grand Officers and Sir Knights of the Grand Commandery of Alabama:*

We your Committee on Credentials and Registration, submit the following report:

There are present and registered with this Committee 12 Grand Officers and 14 Past Grand Commanders of the Grand Commandery of Alabama.

There are 15 Constituent Commanderies which comprise the Grand Commandery of Knights Templar of Alabama, and of these 15 Commanderies are registered with this Committee for this 150<sup>th</sup> Annual Conclave.

We have examined the credentials of Commandery Officers or their Proxies, and the following is our conclusion:

TOTAL OFFICERS OR PROXIES PRESENT..... 65  
 TOTAL PAST COMMANDERS..... 54  
 TOTAL QUALIFIED TO VOTE IN THIS CONCLAVE..... 119

We wish to thank the Grand Recorder and the Right Eminent Grand Commander for their support and assistance in making our work easier at this Grand Commandery. We have enjoyed the privilege of serving the Grand Commandery on this Committee.

Respectfully submitted,

Ronald G. Self, Chairman

++ a correction of the number qualified to vote was adjusted by 26 because the Grand Line and Past Grand Commanders was not added to the total. Originally report at 93 qualified but should be 119.

*Adopted:*

## GRAND COMMANDERY OF KNIGHTS TEMPLAR OF ALABAMA

*Commanders, Generalissimos, Captain Generals, and/or proxies  
present from Constituent Commanderies:*

2.	Mobile	Michael Haller	Commander
		John Reamer	Generalissimo
		Joseph Owen	Captain General
4.	Montgomery	*Frank Roton	Commander
		*H. Spencer Stewart	Generalissimo
		*Arthur Lee Campbell	Captain General
7.	Huntsville	*Emory J Ferguson	Commander
		*Wayne D Jordan	Generalissimo
		*Thomas F Craig	Captain General
10.	Cyrene	O B Brand, M.D.	Commander
		Winston Each	Generalissimo
		B Wayne Sparks	Captain General
13.	Tuscaloosa	*Ray Dotson	Commander
		*William Carter	Generalissimo
		*Ray Dotson	Captain General
14.	DeMolay	*George F Mills	Commander
		*Phillip Sherman	Generalissimo
		*Virgil Weaver	Captain General
15.	Etowah	*Not Represented	Commander
		*Not Represented	Generalissimo
		*Not Represented	Captain General
23.	Anniston	Richard C Beck	Commander
		*Kenneth Baker	Generalissimo
		*Richard Beck	Captain General
25.	Dothan	*Ronald L Thomas	Commander
		*Thomas H Nesbit	Generalissimo
		*Ronald L Thomas	Captain General
29.	Piedmont	*Teddy R. Grogan, Jr.	Commander
		*Teddy R. Grogan, Jr.	Generalissimo
		*Teddy R. Grogan, Jr.	Captain General
31.	Woodlawn	Billy H Murdoch	Commander
		*John W Jones	Generalissimo
		*Billy H Murdoch	Captain General
39.	Florence	*Robert B. Dixon, Sr.	Commander
		*Ned Cox	Generalissimo
		*Ned Cox	Captain General
45.	Lee	Not Represented	Commander
		Not Represented	Generalissimo
		*Charles K. Wilson	Captain General
47.	Monroeville	Robert A. Mayer	Commander
		*MacArthur Davis	Generalissimo
		*MacArthur Davis	Captain General
UD.	High Mountain	Clairence Ballard	Commander
		Not Represented	Generalissimo
		Not Represented	Captain General

\*Denotes Proxy.

## PAST EMINENT COMMANDERS PRESENT

2. Mobile: Charles W. McDonald, Harold Worthington, Brent Haller
4. Montgomery: Arthur Lee Campbell, III, H. Spencer Stewart, Larry W. Stinson, Frank Roton.
7. Huntsville: James S. Blanteno, Wayne D. Jordan, Emory J. Ferguson, George Marshall, William J. Burfitt, Raymond Dunn, Thomas F Craig.
10. Cyrene: John R. Maynard, Jr., Jack C. Wade, Owen E. Gore, L. G. Eads, Jack C. Elliott, McMurry L. Griffith, Rev. Daniel E. Gore, Marion P George, B Howard.
13. Tuscaloosa: William Carter, Ray Dotson, Rev. Richard Losch.
14. DeMolay: George F. Mills, Phillip J. Sherman, Bobby C. Park, Virgil Weaver, Roy Wilkerson.
15. Etowah: Edward L. Mason
23. Anniston: Jimmy D. O'Dell, Paul Drinkard.
25. Dothan: Maurice C. Himes, Ronald Thomas, Sterling Hughes, James A. Smith, T. H. Nesbit, Larry Walker.
29. Piedmont: Teddy R. Grogan, Jr.
31. Woodlawn: Hiram O. Williams, Jr., Arthur C. Harding, Billy A. Rikard, Ronald Self, Arnold L Traweek, Robert C Grigsby.
39. Florence: Robert B. Dixon, James C. McGee, Ned Cox.
45. Lee: Robert Moseson, Sam L. Garrett, Lance Anthony, William Snyder, Charles Ingram.
46. Clairence L Ballard
47. Monroeville: MacArthur Davis.

## REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON RITUALISTIC WORK

*To the Right Eminent Grand Commander, Grand Officers, and Sir Knights of the Grand Commandery of Knights Templar of Alabama:*

We, your Committee on Ritualistic Work, make the following report:

This Committee has received no request for clarification or assistance of the Commandery Orders this past year.

The Commanderies that had candidates were able to perform the orders in a satisfactory manner.

This committee thanks the Right Eminent Grand Commander for asking us to serve in this capacity for the year 2009-2010.

Respectfully submitted,

McMurray Griffith, K.Y.G.C.H., Chairman  
Michael L. Jones., K.Y.G.C.H.  
Teddy R. Grogan, Jr., K.Y.G.C.H.

*Adopted:*

## REPORT OF KNIGHT TEMPLAR MAGAZINE STATE EDITOR

*To the Grand Commander, Grand Officers and Sir Knights of the Knights Templar of Alabama:*

As always, I truly appreciate the support I've received from several Sir Knights, particularly Sir Knights Jack Wade, with his Birmingham Metro newsletters, Sir Knight MacArthur Davis with his Scholarship article, with his Grand Prelate's messages as well as submissions on various other bodies, who have helped make my job so much easier. I have also received an article from Sir Knight Ronald L. Thomas, which will appear in one of the next supplements. We have had about 45% of the past year's supplements devoted to these state communications. Please send any articles to [tfcraig@aol.com](mailto:tfcraig@aol.com). Sir Knight John Palmer, who has taken over as national editor, has sent out several communications regarding the supplements. One in particular received many replies with suggestions on improving supplements. Several have had the same difficulty I have had in getting articles to fill the supplement and also have to resort to the use of filler material. One was able to get the line officers in his Grand Commandery to submit articles and another gets regular articles from the KTEF chairman in his state. One has no trouble getting articles from his Grand Commander, although he considers him a very good friend. The editor from Tennessee has created a Facebook group so we can compare notes (at the time, I was not a member of Facebook, but I am now since the grandkids came, although I haven't joined the group yet). One runs educational articles which are quite popular. Several have the Grand Prelate prepare articles - some for just Christmas, but at least one for the other annual events, Easter and Ascension Day. At least one other provides space for the Grand Master of his state for an article upon his installation. One asks for inputs from some to of the younger Sir Knights on their points of view (although he noted that the opportunity should be limited to them). Some of our Grand Commanders have submitted articles over the years, but I probably should have been more aggressive about requesting inputs from them. Sir Knight Ferguson sent me an article for every issue - way back before we had e-mail to make it easy. Sir Knight Marshall and Lee Campbell also contributed, and I may have forgotten others who did so. Sir Knight Marshall also contributed articles as Grand Prelate and started a regular "Grand Prelate's Apartment" during his term in that office. I ran some articles I downloaded from the KTEF site, but I've used those up; however, it would be informative for the Sir Knights if we could have some inputs from the KTEF. Some of the filler material I run from other Masonic publications, so perhaps that can be considered "educational" but perhaps the Sir Knights themselves would be interested in providing short articles on their viewpoint of Templary - or Masonry in general

Respectfully Submitted

Thomas F. Craig, PGC, KCT Chairman

*Adopted:*

## REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON RIGHT EMINENT GRAND COMMANDER'S ADDRESS

*To the Grand Commander, Grand Officers and Sir Knights of the Knights Templar of Alabama:*

We recommend approval of that portion of the Address concerning Welcome and recognition of Distinguished Guest and visitors.

We recommend approval of that portion of the Address concerning State of The Craft.

We recommend that portion of the Address concerning Necrology be referred to the Grand Prelate.

We recommend that portion of the Address referring to Dispensations granted be referred to the Jurisprudence Committee.

We recommend that portion of the Address concerning Audit be referred to the Finance Committee.

We recommend that all other portions of the address, not herein referred to, be approved.

Respectfully submitted,

Bobby C. Park, K.Y.G.C.H., PGC, Chairman

Wayne D. Jordan, K.Y.G.C.H., PGC.

*Adopted:*

## REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON JURISPRUDENCE

*To the Right Eminent Grand Commander and Sir Knights of the Grand Commandery of Knights Templar of Alabama:*

We your Committee on Templar Jurisprudence are pleased to submit the following report:

We recommend that the portion of the Grand Commanders Address regarding appointments to be approved.

We recommend that portion concerning the Audit to be approved.

We recommend that portion concerning recommendations be approved.

We find the proposed changes to the Constitution were presented in proper form and in a timely manner.

We feel that it is our duty to point out that, if adopted; it would allow business to be conducted on Sunday. Since we are a Masonic Body we have always conformed to the Grand Lodge of Alabama Constitution and Edicts. The Grand Lodge of Alabama has an Edict which prohibits the conduct of Business except for a Lodge of Sorrow or a Funeral.

Although our Chairman Roger A. Simmons, PGC, MEGHP, MIGM, K.Y.G.C.H., MWPGM, was unable to be with us because of a prior commitment, he is aware of what is contained in this report and concurs with it.

We wish to thank the Right Eminent Grand Commander for the opportunity to serve on this committee.

Respectfully submitted,

Arthur C. Harding, PGC, K.Y.G.C.H.

George L. Marshall, Jr., PGC, K.Y.G.C.H.

*Adopted:*

## REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON FRATERNAL CORRESPONDENCE

*To the Right Eminent Grand Commander and Officers of the Grand  
Commandery of the State of Alabama:*

Your Committee on Fraternal Correspondence submits the following report:

I have been happy to receive a couple of report from you all about your talks with some of our companions across the country. I know that more of you could give me some information on this and continue to ask for your help in making this report better. I have had a few reports from some Sir Knights but it seems that they have been few and far between. I apologize to the Grand Commander for not making this report any better this year and vow to try and get more done in this next year .

Thank you for the opportunity to serve this Grand Commandery. I move for the adoption of this report.

Fraternally submitted,  
Phillip J. Sherman, PGC, K.Y.G.C.H., Chairman

Adopted:

## REPORT OF THE STATE CHAIRMAN OF THE KNIGHTS TEMPLAR EYE FOUNDATION

*To the Grand Commander, Grand Officers and Sir Knights of the Grand  
Commandery of Knights Templar of Alabama:*

Sir Knights, congratulate your self. The Commanderies of Alabama were number 10<sup>th</sup> in total contributions for 2009 41<sup>st</sup> Annual Voluntary Campaign for the Knights Templar Eye Foundation. Thanks to a great number of our Sir Knights who joined the Grand Commander's club and the Grand Master's club and the nice contribution of our York Rite Ladies Craft Room, our total contributions for the campaign was \$25,476.00. The primary reason that Alabama was number 10 in contributions to the Foundation was a one time single donation of \$10,000 by Sir Knight William Snyder and his wife Dorothy.

We had five Commanderies that contributed more than \$10.00 per member and those were: DeMolay #14, Etowah #15, Anniston #23, Florence #39, and Lee #45. We had four Commanderies that contributed more than \$5.00 per member and those were: Montgomery #4, Huntsville #5, Tuscaloosa #13, and Dothan #25. Those Commanderies making no contributions were Piedmont #29, Monroeville #47 and High Mountain U.D.

While you are congratulating your selves for being number 10 in total giving let me burst your bubble. Alabama was also in the top five for total spending. In exchange for our \$25,476.00 we expended \$309,984.00 in the months of January through November.



**REPORT OF THE STATE CHAIRMAN  
OF THE KNIGHTS TEMPLAR EYE FOUNDATION**

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I have not yet received the numbers for December so I don't know what the total will be for the entire year.

I know that it is hard to raise funds in these trying times that we are experiencing right now with the economy as it is but with as many of the people in this country who are falling on hard times the Eye Foundation will more than likely have more people calling on us for help. Please do all you can to support our Eye Foundation. With the losses that the Eye Foundation has experienced in the decline of the stock market your continued support is sorely needed.

Respectfully submitted,  
Emory J. Ferguson, PGC  
State Chairman / Alabama

Adopted:

**42<sup>nd</sup> VOLUNTARY CAMPAIGN COMMITTEE REPORT  
GRAND COMMANDERY OF ALABAMA CONCLAVE 2010**

To the Right Eminent Grand Commander and Sir Knights of the Grand Commandery of Knight Templar of Alabama we your Committee submit the following report.

This report includes all contributions received and processed as of January 2010. The Grand Commandery of Alabama has 2,184 members that have contributed \$5,510.00 for a per capita rate of \$2.52. The Grand Commandery of Alabama is ranked 19<sup>th</sup> in the Grand Encampment for cumulative total with the \$5,510.00. The Grand Commandery of Alabama is ranked 17<sup>th</sup> in the Grand Encampment relative to per capita rate of \$2.52. Of the 15 Commanderies that comprise the Grand Commandery of Alabama, eight Commanderies have made contributions to through the 42<sup>nd</sup> Voluntary Campaign. The following is a breakdown of the contributions:

Commandery Number	Name	Amt Contributed	Members	Per Capita
#2	Mobile	\$180.00	184	\$ 0.98
#4	Montgomery	140.00	130	1.08
#7	Huntsville	\$3,460.00	199	17.39
#10	Cyrene	810.00	600	1.35
#13	Tuscaloosa	700.00	88	7.95
#31	Woodlawn	10.00	233	0.04
#45	Lee	90.00	69	1.30
#47	Monroeville	120.00	59	2.03

**42<sup>nd</sup> VOLUNTARY CAMPAIGN COMMITTEE REPORT  
GRAND COMMANDERY OF ALABAMA CONCLAVE 2010**

(Continued)

For the week ending February 5<sup>th</sup>, 2010, all of the bodies contributing to the 42<sup>nd</sup> Annual Voluntary Campaign of The Knights Templar Eye Foundation, Inc. have received \$789,709.70. The good news is the contributions are \$242,151.96 greater than this same time in the campaign last year. Last Year, we were in week 27 before we had about the same amount of money that we have in the first 18 weeks of this year. With a little extra support, we can help the Knights Templar Eye Foundation, Inc. to have a record setting year for contributions.

Your 42<sup>nd</sup> Voluntary Campaign Committee would like to suggest three ways to increase the funding for our charities and more especially, the Knights Templar Eye Foundation, Inc. If someone is looking for something to buy for your birthday or another occasion, please ask them to make a contribution to the KTEF in your name. Ask all your new Knights Templar members to purchase a life membership, there is no better deal in Masonry than the \$30.00 for a life time of magazines and you get to help someone in need as well. If you are making contributions to non-Masonic charities, like the United Way for Red Cross, continue to support them, but save a little and send the money to your favorite Masonic Charity, such as the Knights Templar Eye Foundation, Inc.

Right Eminent Grand Commander, we thank you for the honor and privilege of serving you and this Grand Commandery as the 42<sup>nd</sup> Voluntary Campaign Committee, during your term in office.

Respectfully submitted,

Arthur Lee Campbell, III, K.Y.C.H., Chairman  
Thomas H. Nesbit, K.Y.C.H.

Adopted:

**REPORT ON KNIGHTS TEMPLAR  
EDUCATIONAL FOUNDATION**

*To the Right Eminent Grand Commander, Grand Officers and Sir Knights of the Grand Commandery of Alabama:*

We your Educational Foundation Committee submit the following report:

During the year ending December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2009, your committee processed no student loans. There are six (6) loans outstanding on our books totaling \$8,385.25

Under the Grand Encampment rules and regulations it is required that a budget be submitted within a short time after our conclave for approval by the National Chairman. Because of the drastic reduction in the interest rates, a reduction in what we are allowed to spend in this area has occurred. We have had a drop in interest from approximately 6.5% to approximately 1.25%. This budget is for the following year in compliance with this we are submitting this budget for 2010 for your approval.

Review of Books_ _ _ _ _	\$ 0.00
<u>Expense for Secretary and Office Help_ _ _ _ _</u>	<u>300.00</u>
Total Budget for 2010	<u>\$300.00</u>

Respectfully submitted,

Joe D. Lee, Chairman  
James H. Brazil  
Karl F. Reed, II  
McMurray L. Griffith  
Arthur C. Harding  
Hiram O. Williams, Jr.

Adopted:

**REPORT ON MEMBERSHIP**

*To the Right Eminent Grand Commander and Sir Knights of the Grand Commandery of Knights Templar of Alabama:*

The membership committee would like to make the following report:

We realize that suspensions are still causing loses that have devastated our membership numbers.

Sir Knights take a look at our Commanderies, How many members have quit attending and eventually will go suspended. All of us are aware of this problem. Does anyone try to make contact with these members to find out why they don't attend Lodge, or York Rite?

All of us should seek these members out and show them that we care about them and need them sorely. Perhaps they have been offended by someone, or they feel neglected or unwanted. Sir Knights, we should reach out to them and show them that Brotherly Love still exists in Masonry. People will sometimes forget what you say, or what you might do, but they will never forget how you made them feel.

## REPORT ON MEMBERSHIP

(Continued)

As York Rite Masons, we should always strive to love our brothers, and make them fee welcome, wanted, and appreciated. Perhaps with concerted efforts and prayer, our membership rolls will start growing and the future will be better for Free Masonry. We need to show the membership that our obligations are not merely words, but Landmarks of Masonry, a real driving force to make us a stronger organization, dedicated to serving GOD and mankind.

Respectfully submitted

Jimmy D. O'Dell, K.Y.G.C.H., Chairman  
William J. Loerch, K.Y.C.H.  
James C. McGee, K.Y.C.H.

Adopted:

## REPORT ON NECROLOGY

*To the Right Eminent Grand Commander and Sir Knights of the Grand Commandery of Knights Templar of Alabama:*

The committee on Necrology has the sad duty of reporting the loss by death of 67 Sir Knights in Alabama this year. Right Eminent Grand Commander, would you cause this Grand Commandery to arise and bow their heads while I offer a prayer for our departed Sir Knights.

"God our Father, Your power brings us to birth, your providence guides our lives, and by your command we return to dust. Lord, those who die still live in your presence, their lives change but do not end. We pray in hope for the families, relatives and friends, of our beloved Fraters who have gone before us. In company with Christ, who died and now lives, may they rejoice in your kingdom, where all our tears are wiped away. Unite us together again in one Family, to sing your praise forever and ever." AMEN.

I move the acceptance of this report.

Respectfully submitted,

Ricky C. Kilgore, Grand Prelate.

Adopted:

**BY-LAWS**

*To the Right Eminent Grand Commander and Grand Commandery of Alabama:*

To the Right Eminent Grand Commander, Officers, and Members:

We, your committee on By-Laws, report that nothing has been presented to this committee either from the subordinate Commanderies or the Grand Commandery for its review and/or recommendations.

Please read the constitution and by-laws proposal listed in the proceedings of the Grand Council of Royal and Select Masters of Alabama as these changes affect not only the Grand Commandery of Knight Templar of Alabama as well as the Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons of Alabama. This proposal will be voted on at our Annual Conclave in February 2011 which will need a 51% vote to be adopted.

We thank the Grand Commander for the privilege of serving on this committee.

Fraternally submitted

George L. Marshall, Jr., PGC, K.Y.G.C.H., KCT, Chairman  
Wayne D. Jordan, PGC, K.Y.G.C.H., KCT  
Bobby C. Park, PGC, K.Y.G.C.H., KCT

Adopted:

A MOMENT OF SILENCE IN MEMORY OF

**WILLIAM HIRAM EALY**

**K.Y.G.C.H.**

**MOST EXCELLENT GRAND HIGH PRIEST**

**1978-1979**

**MOST ILLUSTRIOUS GRAND MASTER**

**1987-1988**

**RIGHT EMINENT GRAND COMMANDER**

**1983-1984**

**BORN: APRIL 1<sup>ST</sup>, 1926**  
**HUNTSVILLE, ALABAMA**

**DIED: APRIL 25<sup>TH</sup>, 2009**  
**HUNTSVILLE, ALABAMA**

**INSCRIBED TO THE MEMORY  
OF  
OUR HONORED DEAD  
AND IN MEMORY  
OF THE  
DECEASED SIR KNIGHTS  
IN  
OTHER GRAND JURISDICTIONS**

## MINUTES OF LAST CONCLAVE

Sir Knight Hiram O. Williams, Jr., moved that the minutes as published in the Proceedings of 2009 be accepted as the minutes, and those be approved as printed with corrections.

*Motion seconded and carried.*

## GRAND COMMANDERY OF KNIGHTS TEMPLAR CONCLAVE - 2011

It was moved that the next Grand Commandery of Knights Templar of Alabama conclave be held in Birmingham, Alabama on February 27<sup>th</sup>, 28<sup>th</sup>, and March 1<sup>st</sup>, 2011.

*Motion seconded and carried.*

## GRAND ENCAMPMENT OF KNIGHTS TEMPLAR Of the United States of America

### KNIGHTS TEMPLAR CROSS OF HONOR

"The Knights Templar Cross of Honor shall be awarded only for exceptional and meritorious service to the Order of Knights Templar, far beyond the call of duty, and beyond the service usually expected of an Officer or Member. In deciding upon the award, precedents shall be entirely ignored and each case shall be decided upon its own merits. No posthumous awards may be made."  
(*Grand Encampment regulation.*)

## PRESENTATION OF THE GRAND ENCAMPMENT KNIGHTS TEMPLAR CROSS OF HONOR AWARD

The Right Eminent Grand Commander, Owen E. Gore, selected Sir Knight Arthur Lee Campbell, III of Montgomery Commandery No.4 to receive the Grand Encampment Knights Templar Cross of Honor Award. The presentation was made at the Grand York Rite Banquet on Sunday Night by Sir Knight Terry Plemons, Southeastern Department Commander and Sir Knight Jeffrey Nelson Grand Encampment Representative of Right Excellent Grand Master Koon. Sir Knight Campbell's name is added to the list of previous recipients of this prestigious award.

### RECIPIENTS IN ALABAMA KNIGHTS TEMPLAR CROSS OF HONOR

*Alexander Murray Weems .....	1960
*Charles Curtis McCoy .....	1967
*Horace Richard Batchelor .....	1968
+William G. Caffey, Jr. ....	1969
*John F. Welch, Sr. ....	1970
*James Merlin Christopher, Sr. ....	1971
*Earl Pervine Woodall .....	1972
*John Sebastian Gamundi .....	1973
*Arlie Eldon Blackburn .....	1974
*James Allen Bradford .....	1975
*Norman Curtis Wilkinson .....	1976
*Johnnie H. Ray, Sr. ....	1977
*Charles Carl Graham .....	1978
*Lawrence Kline .....	1979
*John Doyal Prince, Jr. ....	1980
*Lloyd D. Durden .....	1981
Charles William McDonald .....	1982
Charles Robert Pate .....	1983
*Richard A. Chapman .....	1984
Bobby Clyde Park .....	1985
#Robert Lee Byars, Jr. ....	1986
*James Paul Gray .....	1987
*Ernest Latroy Bishop, Sr. ....	1988
Thomas Franklin Craig .....	1989
MacArthur Davis .....	1990
James F. Vaughan .....	1991
*Homer Lee Tidwell .....	1992
Walter J. Krueger .....	1993
Billy Allen Clark .....	1994
*William Jesse Bice .....	1995
Dan Maddox .....	1996
Robert Frank Elkin .....	1997
Patrick B. Bleakley .....	1998
Henry B. Tyra, Jr. ....	1999
*Howard Enoch Hayes .....	2000
Brent R. Haller .....	2001
Raymond C. Dunn .....	2002
Jimmy D. O'Dell .....	2003
George F. Mills .....	2004
Ronald L. Thomas .....	2005



RECIPIENTS IN ALABAMA  
KNIGHTS TEMPLAR CROSS OF HONOR

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Dennis Peterson.....	2006
Robert Patrick Donahey.....	2007
William Jerry Burfitt.....	2008
James C. McGee.....	2009
Arthur Lee Campbell, III.....	2010

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- \*Denotes deceased.
- +Denotes suspended
- #Renounced Masonry

RECIPIENTS IN ALABAMA  
GRAND ENCAMPMENT KNIGHT COMMANDER OF THE TEMPLE AWARD

*Joseph D. Brackin	*Thomas W. Mann
Thomas F. Craig	*Fred W. McCluskey, Jr.
*Robert T. Crawford	Charles W. McDonald
MacArthur Davis	James C. McGee
Ray E. Dotson	George F. Mills
Emory J. Ferguson	William M. Newsome, Jr.
Sam L. Garrett, Sr.	Bobby C. Park
Owen E. Gore	Karl F. Reed, II
Teddy R. Grogan, Jr.	Roger A. Simmons
Arthur C. Harding	Phillip J. Sherman
#William C. Havens	*Bobby R. Terry
Maurice C. Himes	*Henry G. Terry
Michael L. Jones	Henry B. Tyra, Jr.
Wayne D. Jordan	*Fred W. Vaughn
W. Malcolm Killingsworth	L. Patrick Wetzel
Joe D. Lee	Brent R. Haller
Jimmy D. O'Dell	Hiram O. Williams, Jr.
George L. Marshall, Jr.	Erskin K. Smith
Billy A. Rikard	Raymond C. Dunn
Robert F. Elkin	Arthur Lee Campbell, III
James Edward Qualls	William J. Burfitt
Gregory L. Battles	Ron Andress
Ronald Thomas	Larry W. Stinson
Jack C. Wade	Thomas H. Nesbit
H. Spencer Stewart	

- \*Denotes Deceased
- #Renounced Masonry

**RECIPIENTS IN ALABAMA  
GRAND ENCAMPMENT COMPANION OF THE TEMPLE AWARD**

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Sarah B. Garrett	Brenda Wade
Bobbie N. Ferguson	Gayle Thomas
Charlotte B. Harding	Priscilla Sherman
Ramona McDonald	Lynn Grogan
Sally Simmons	Nancy C. Davis
Betty Krueger	Peggy Gore
Cindy Williams	Margarette Qualls
Shirley Hughes	Helanne Jordan
Louise Moats	Lena Burfitt
Libby Marshall	Stephanie O'Dell
Violet Spencer	

**ELECTION OF GRAND COMMANDERY OFFICERS  
FOR 2010 - 2011**

There being no further business to come before this Annual Conclave of the Grand Commandery, the Grand Commandery proceeded to the election of officers for the ensuing year. All the officers, except the Eminent Grand Warder, were elected by acclamation and advanced one station.

Sir Knight James C. McGee of Florence Commandery #39 was elected by secret ballot to the station of Grand Warder. Sir Knight McGee accepted election to his station of the Grand Commandery.

This Grand Commandery was declared at recess for open installation at 11:00 A.M on Tuesday.

**INSTALLATION OF GRAND COMMANDERY OFFICERS  
FOR 2010 - 2011**

At the conclusion of the Grand Chapter, Grand Council, and the Grand Commandery annual business sessions on Tuesday, February 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2010, at an open meeting, the Grand Commandery Officers were duly installed by Right Eminent Past Grand Commander, Emory J Ferguson. with Sir Knight Arthur Lee Campbell, III. as Installing Marshal and Right Eminent Sir Knight Frederick H. Stephens (Mississippi) as Installing Prelate.

Right Eminent Owen E. Gore, Junior Past Grand Commander, was then escorted to the East and Grand Commander O'Dell presented Sir Knight Gore with his Past Grand Commander's Certificate and Past Grand Commander's Jewel which was pinned on his uniform by his Lady, Peggy. A presentation of a Past Grand Commander's plaque from the Grand Encampment, stating that he is a permanent member of the Grand Encampment of the United States of America had been previously presented to Right Eminent Sir Knight Gore.

Attest: *Hiram O. Williams, Jr., KCT, OPC*  
Grand Recorder

**ADJOURNMENT**

All business of this Annual Conclave being concluded, Right Eminent Sir Knight O'Dell declared the 150<sup>th</sup> Conclave of the Grand Commandery of Knights Templar of Alabama adjourned after the Prelate had pronounced the benediction.

*Attest: Hiram O. Williams, Jr., KCT, OPC  
Grand Recorder*



Jimmy D. O'Dell  
Right Eminent Grand Commander  
2010 - 2011

**Jimmy D. O'Dell**  
**Right Eminent Grand Commander**  
**2010-2011**

Sir Knight Jimmy D. O'Dell was born May 19<sup>th</sup>, 1943 in Anniston, Alabama. His parents were J. D. O'Dell and Dora Lou O'Dell (both deceased). He graduated from Walter Wellborn High School in Anniston in 1961. He served in the United States Air Force from 1961 to 1984, retiring at the rank of Master Sergeant. He was married to Stephanie A. O'Dell on September 27<sup>th</sup>, 1968. This marriage resulted in two children a son Douglas and a daughter Janice. They have been blessed with five grandchildren. A retired firefighter, Jimmy now serves on the Board of Registrars, Chairman of the Board of Directors at the Anniston Water Works and Sewer. Jimmy and Stephanie are active in Kiwanis and Vietnam Veterans of America.

**Masonic History**

Sir Knight O'Dell is a member of Anniston Masonic Lodge #443, serving as Worshipful Master in 1993-1994, As a dual member he is presently serving as chaplain at Lozahatchee #97 in Piedmont. He has been active in the York Rite Bodies, serving as High Priest, Thrice Illustrious Master and Eminent Commander in the Anniston York Rite Bodies and is a dual member of the Piedmont York Rite Bodies. He is a member of Alabama Priory #31, K.Y.C.H. and is Past prior. He is a member of Emrys W. John York Rite College #179 in Birmingham. He is a member of Vulcan Council of Knight Masons #22 serving as Excellent Chief in 2008. In 2003 he was ordained in Jerusalem Tabernacle XXXII Royal Arch Knight Templar Priest and is serving as Fourth Pillar. He is Past Puissant Sovereign of Benjamin Franklin Conclave, Red Cross of Constantine serving 2005 -2006. He is a member of Alabama College of Societies Rosicruciana in Civitabulas Foederatis located in Huntsville, Alabama. He served as Most Excellent Grand High Priest of the Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons of Alabama in 2005-2006. He is currently Principle Conductor of the Work in the Grand Council of Royal and Select Masters of Alabama. Sir Knight O'Dell received the Knight Templar Cross of Honor in 2003 and Knight Commander of the Temple in 2007. He served as Prophet Monarch of Dinar Grotto, Mystic order of Veiled prophets of the Enchanted Realm located in Hoover, Alabama in 2009. He is a member of Birmingham Valley, Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite Masons and received the honor of being knighted as Knight Commander of the Court of Honor in November 2009



**GRAND COMMANDERY OFFICERS FOR 2010- 2011**

*Seated left to right:*

*James S. Blanteno, Jack C. Wade, Jimmy D. O'Dell (Grand Commander), Ronald L. Thomas, Paul Drinkard.*

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**GRAND COMMANDERY OFFICERS FOR 2010- 2011**

*(Continued)*

Standing from left to right:

Joe D. Lee, Raymond C. Dunn, George F. Mills, George Marshall, Jr., Jamie A. Smith, James C. McGee, Thomas H. Nesbit, Hiram O. Williams, Jr.

**GRAND COMMANDERY OFFICERS 2010 - 2011**

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**FOR 2010 - 2011**

Grand Commandery of Knights Templar of Alabama

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FOR 2009 - 2010**

Grand Commandery of Knights Templar of Alabama  
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KNIGHT CRUSADERS OF THE CROSS OF ALABAMA

The Thirty-First Annual conclave of the Knight Crusaders of the Cross of Alabama was held at the Birmingham Metro York Rite Temple on February 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2010. Knight Commander of the East pro tem Bobby Park opened the Conclave in short form, and named Knight Crusaders MacArthur Davis, Jamie Smith and Arthur Lee Campbell, III to the election committee and Knight Crusaders James C. McGee and Ned Cox to the audit committee.

The regular order of business for the Conclave was deferred until after the election and initiation of the candidates. The Order was conferred on the following candidates: Robert A. Mayer, Richard Beck, Frederick Stephens, Billy H. Murdoch and Michael J. Haller. The conferring team consisted of:

- Thomas H. Nesbit Knight Crusader of the East
- Jerry Burfitt Knight Crusader of the West
- George L. Marshall Knight Crusader of the South
- Emory Ferguson Knight Crusader of the North
- Jack Wade Knight Crusader of the Holy Cross
- Virgil Weaver Knight Crusader Sentinel

The minutes were adopted as printed in the 2009 proceedings. The audit committee reported that the books were in order and the report accepted. Knight Crusader Treasurer-Recorder Ron Thomas gave a report on the financial status of the three orders, after which a motion was adopted to reimburse Knight Crusader Thomas \$591.53 for his purchase of a case of Bibles in 2008. Upon proper motion and second, the Council donated \$100.00 to the Knights Templar Eye Foundation, Inc.

Knight Crusader Jeffrey N. Nelson of North Dakota and Terry L. Plemmons of Tennessee were elected honorary members of the Alabama Conclave.

The following officers were elected and installed by Knight Crusader MacArthur Davis:

- Bobby Park.....Knight Crusader of the East
- Jimmy D. O'Dell.....Knight Crusader of the West
- Raymond Dunn.....Knight Crusader of the South
- Jack Wade.....Knight Crusader of the North
- Ronald Thomas.....Knight Crusader Treasurer-Recorder
- Kelly McMichael.....Knight Crusader of the Holy Cross
- Sterling Hughes.....Knight Crusader of the Temple
- Arthur Lee Campbell.....Knight Crusader Sentinel

All business having been completed, this Prior of Knight Crusaders of the Cross was closed by Sir Knight Bobby Park, Knight Crusader of the East.

Respectfully submitted,

Ronald L. Thomas, K.Y.C.H.  
Knight Crusader Treasurer/Recorder

REGISTER OF CONSTITUENT COMMANDERIES UNDER THE JURISDICTION OF THE  
GRAND COMMANDERY OF ALABAMA  
JUNE 2009-2010

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- ++ Deceased

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Right Eminent Department Commander Sir Knight Terry L. Plemons  
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**65<sup>th</sup> GRAND ENCAMPMENT TRIENNIAL CONCLAVE  
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**2012**

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## TABULAR VIEW OF THE GRAND COMMANDERY OF ALABAMA SINCE ITS FORMATION

ON FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 30, 1860 IN MONTGOMERY, ALABAMA

Year - Meeting Place	1860 Montgomery	1861 Montgomery
Grand Commander	*Richard F. Knott	*Richard F. Knott
Deputy Grand Commander	*William Field	*Sterling A.M. Wood
Grand Generalissimo	*James B. Harrison	*James B. Harrison
Grand Captain General	*Peleg Brown	*Peleg Brown
Grand Recorder	*Edmund M. Hastings	*Edmund M. Hastings
Number of Commanderies	5	5
Total Members	144	144
Year - Meeting Place	1862 Montgomery	1863 Montgomery
Grand Commander	No Quorum Present	*Richard F. Knott
Deputy Grand Commander	adjourned to	*Henry P. Lee
Grand Generalissimo	Dec 5, 1863	*James B. Harrison
Grand Captain General		*Peleg Brown
Grand Recorder	*Edmund M. Hastings	*Edmund M. Hastings
Number of Commanderies		5
Total Members		127
Year - Meeting Place	1864 Montgomery	1865 Montgomery
Grand Commander	*Richard F. Knott	*Richard F. Knott
Deputy Grand Commander	*James B. Harrison	*James B. Harrison
Grand Generalissimo	*Peleg Brown	*Peleg Brown
Grand Captain General	*William S. Knott	*William S. Knott
Grand Recorder	*Edmund M. Hastings	*Edmund M. Hastings
Number of Commanderies	5	6
Total Members	141	113
Year - Meeting Place	1866 Montgomery	1867 Montgomery
Grand Commander	*Richard F. Knott	*Richard F. Knott
Deputy Grand Commander	*James R. Harrison	*Peleg Brown
Grand Generalissimo	*Peleg Brown	*George D. Norris
Grand Captain General	*George D. Norris	*Abram J. Walker
Grand Recorder	*Edmund M. Hastings	*Edmund M. Hastings
Number of Commanderies	7	7
Total Members	207	227
Year - Meeting Place	1868 Montgomery	1869 Mobile
Grand Commander	*Peleg Brown	*Peleg Brown
Deputy Grand Commander	*Abram J. Walker	*Joseph H. Johnson
Grand Generalissimo	*George D. Norris	*William W. Harder
Grand Captain General	*Abram J. Walker	*John N. Browder
Grand Recorder	*Edmund M. Hastings	*Daniel Sayre
Number of Commanderies	8	9
Total Members	242	249
Year - Meeting Place	1870 Mobile	1871
Grand Commander	*Abram J. Walker	No Meeting
Deputy Grand Commander	*Joseph H. Johnson	Adjourned in Dec 1870
Grand Generalissimo	*William H. Harder	to meet in Feb 1872
Grand Captain General	*Walter L. Bragg	
Grand Recorder	*Daniel Sayre	
Number of Commanderies	9	
Total Members	235	
Year - Meeting Place	1872 Marion	1873 Huntsville
Grand Commander	*Joseph H. Johnson	*Walter L. Bragg
Deputy Grand Commander	*Walter L. Bragg	*George P. I. Reid
Grand Generalissimo	*Porter Knight	*John J. Dement
Grand Captain General	*Andrew J. Blair	*Stephen H. Beasley
Grand Recorder	*Daniel Sayre	*Daniel Sayre
Number of Commanderies	9	9
Total Members	283	286

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Year - Meeting Place	1874 Montgomery	1875 Selma
Grand Commander	*Walter L. Bragg	*Felix G. Norman
Deputy Grand Commander	*John G. Smith	*Benjamin H. Riggs
Grand Generalissimo	*James B. Luckie	*William S. Foster
Grand Captain General	*Stephen H. Beasley	*Stephen H. Beasley
Grand Recorder	*Daniel Sayre	*Daniel Sayre
Number of Commanderies	10	9
Total Members	264	234
Year - Meeting Place	1876 Montgomery	1877 Mobile
Grand Commander	*John G. Smith	*John G. Smith
Deputy Grand Commander	*William H. Foster	*William H. Foster
Grand Generalissimo	*Stephen H. Beasley	*Stephen H. Beasley
Grand Captain General	*Daniel Smith	*Daniel Smith
Grand Recorder	*Daniel Sayre	*Daniel Sayre
Number of Commanderies	9	9
Total Members	236	209
Year - Meeting Place	1878 Eufaula	1879 Montgomery
Grand Commander	*William S. Foster	*William S. Foster
Deputy Grand Commander	*Stephen H. Beasley	*Stephen H. Beasley
Grand Generalissimo	*Daniel Smith	*Daniel Smith
Grand Captain General	*Robert Moulthrop	*Robert Moulthrop
Grand Recorder	*Daniel Sayre	*Daniel Sayre
Number of Commanderies	9	9
Total Members	210	206
Year - Meeting Place	1880 Birmingham	1881 Montgomery
Grand Commander	*Stephen H. Beasley	*Stephen H. Beasley
Deputy Grand Commander	*Daniel Smith	*Daniel Smith
Grand Generalissimo	*Robert Moulthrop	*James T. Holtzclaw
Grand Captain General	*Francis P. O'Brien	*Francis P. O'Brien
Grand Recorder	*Daniel Sayre	*Daniel Sayre
Number of Commanderies	7	8
Total Members	212	215
Year - Meeting Place	1882 Tuskegee	1883 Montgomery
Grand Commander	*Daniel Smith	*Daniel Smith
Deputy Grand Commander	*James T. Holtzclaw	*James T. Holtzclaw
Grand Generalissimo	*William T. Atkins	*William T. Atkins
Grand Captain General	*John H. Higley	*John H. Higley
Grand Recorder	*Daniel Sayre	*Daniel Sayre
Number of Commanderies	9	10
Total Members	222	245
Year - Meeting Place	1884 Montgomery	1885 Selma
Grand Commander	*James T. Holtzclaw	*James T. Holtzclaw
Deputy Grand Commander	*John H. Higley	*John H. Higley
Grand Generalissimo	*John D. Wilkins	*John D. Wilkins
Grand Captain General	*Henry C. Davidson	*Henry C. Davidson
Grand Recorder	*Daniel Sayre	*Daniel Sayre
Number of Commanderies	10	7
Total Members	321	209
Year - Meeting Place	1886 Montgomery	1887 Mobile
Grand Commander	*Daniel Smith	*John D. Wilkins
Deputy Grand Commander	*John D. Wilkins	*Henry C. Davidson
Grand Generalissimo	*Henry C. Davidson	*William A. Alexander
Grand Captain General	*William F. Aldrich	*James B. Luckie
Grand Recorder	*Daniel Sayre	*Adam R. Baker
Number of Commanderies	6	6
Total Members	195	202

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Year - Meeting Place	1888 Birmingham	1889 Montgomery
Grand Commander	*Henry C. Davidson	*Henry C. Davidson
Deputy Grand Commander	*William A. Alexander	*William A. Alexander
Grand Generalissimo	*John A. McKinnon	*John A. McKinnon
Grand Captain General	*Charles Wheelock	*Charles Wheelock
Grand Recorder	*Edmund R. Hastings	*Edmund R. Hastings
Number of Commanderies	6	5
Total Members	220	209
Year - Meeting Place	1890 Huntsville	1891 Mobile
Grand Commander	*William A. Alexander	*John A. McKinnon
Deputy Grand Commander	*John A. McKinnon	*Charles Wheelock
Grand Generalissimo	*Charles Wheelock	*George S. Obear
Grand Captain General	*George S. Obear	*William H. Long
Grand Recorder	*Edmund R. Hastings	*Edward R. Hastings
Number of Commanderies	8	9
Total Members	266	308
Year - Meeting Place	1892 Selma	1893 Gadsden
Grand Commander	*John A. McKinnon	*Charles Wheelock
Deputy Grand Commander	*Charles Wheelock	*William H. Long
Grand Generalissimo	*William H. Long	*Fletcher J. Cowart
Grand Captain General	*Charles Hann	*Robert L. Douglas
Grand Recorder	*Edmund R. Hastings	*Edmund R. Hastings
Number of Commanderies	9	9
Total Members	342	357
Year - Meeting Place	1894 Birmingham	1895 Mobile
Grand Commander	*Charles Wheelock	*Fletcher J. Cowart
Deputy Grand Commander	*Fletcher J. Cowart	*Robert L. Douglas
Grand Generalissimo	*Robert L. Douglas	*Henry B. Matthews
Grand Captain General	*Milton C. Baldrige	*Phillip Milhous
Grand Recorder	*William B. Phillips	*H. Clay Armstrong
Number of Commanderies	10	10
Total Members	368	376
Year - Meeting Place	1896 Montgomery	1897 Birmingham
Grand Commander	*Robert L. Douglas	*Henry H. Matthews
Deputy Grand Commander	*Henry H. Matthews	*Phillip Milhous
Grand Generalissimo	*Phillip Milhous	*William E. Oakley
Grand Captain General	*William E. Oakley	*Rus M. Cunningham
Grand Recorder	*H. Clay Armstrong	*H. Clay Armstrong
Number of Commanderies	9	10
Total Members	382	380
Year - Meeting Place	1898 Selma	1899 Mobile
Grand Commander	*Phillip Milhous	*William E. Oakley
Deputy Grand Commander	*William E. Oakley	*Rus M. Cunningham
Grand Generalissimo	*Rus M. Cunningham	*Robert Moulthrop, Jr.
Grand Captain General	*Robert Moulthrop, Jr.	*George F. Wheelock
Grand Recorder	*H. Clay Armstrong	*H. Clay Armstrong
Number of Commanderies	7	6
Total Members	288	298
Year - Meeting Place	1900 New Decatur	1901 Tuscaloosa
Grand Commander	*Rus M. Cunningham	*Robert Moulthrop, Jr.
Deputy Grand Commander	*Robert Moulthrop, Jr.	*George F. Wheelock
Grand Generalissimo	*George F. Wheelock	*Lewis W. Hubbard
Grand Captain General	*Lewis W. Hubbard	*Charles r. Westcott
Grand Recorder	*George A. Beauchamp	*George A. Beauchamp
Number of Commanderies	6	9
Total Members	351	463

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Year - Meeting Place	1902 Mobile	1902 Montgomery
Grand Commander	*George F. Wheelock	*Lewis W. Hubbard
Deputy Grand Commander	*Lewis W. Hubbard	*Charles R. Westcott
Grand Generalissimo	*Charles F. Westcott	*Charles R. Pierce
Grand Captain General	*Charles R. Pierce	*Robert S. Teague
Grand Recorder	*George A. Beauchamp	*George A. Beauchamp
Number of Commanderies	8	8
Total Members	510	516
Year - Meeting Place	1904 Selma	1905 Birmingham
Grand Commander	*Charles R. Westcott	*Robert S. Teague
Deputy Grand Commander	*Robert S. Teague	*Thomas H. Mattocks
Grand Generalissimo	*Thomas H. Mattocks	*Walter Smith
Grand Captain General	*Walter Smith	*Edward S. Gatchell
Grand Recorder	*George A. Beauchamp	*George A. Beauchamp
Number of Commanderies	9	11
Total Members	546	621
Year - Meeting Place	1906 Gadsden	1907 Mobile
Grand Commander	*Thomas H. Mattocks	*Walter Smith
Deputy Grand Commander	*Walter Smith	*William O. Snyder
Grand Generalissimo	*William O. Snyder	*Charles R. Patterson
Grand Captain General	*Charles R. Patterson	*John W. Phillips
Grand Recorder	*George A. Beauchamp	*George A. Beauchamp
Number of Commanderies	13	14
Total Members	743	824
Year - Meeting Place	1908 Tuscaloosa	1909 Andalusia
Grand Commander	*William O. Snyder	*Charles R. Patterson
Deputy Grand Commander	*Charles R. Patterson	*John W. Phillips
Grand Generalissimo	*John W. Phillips	*Louis J. Wright
Grand Captain General	*Lewis J. Wright	*Alexander D. Simpson
Grand Recorder	*George A. Beauchamp	*George A. Beauchamp
Number of Commanderies	17	18
Total Members	1,013	1,085
Year - Meeting Place	1910 Anniston	1911 Montgomery
Grand Commander	*John W. Phillips	*Louis J. Wright
Deputy Grand Commander	*Louis J. Wright	*Louis M. Moseley
Grand Generalissimo	*Louis M. Moseley	*Charles P. Martin
Grand Captain General	*Charles P. Martin	*William E. Bingham
Grand Recorder	*George A. Beauchamp	*George A. Beauchamp
Number of Commanderies	20	20
Total Members	1,210	1,305
Year - Meeting Place	1912 Selma	1913 Dothan
Grand Commander	*Louis M. Moseley	*Charles P. Martin
Deputy Grand Commander	*Charles P. Martin	*William E. Bingham
Grand Generalissimo	*William E. Bingham	*Hartsford L. Isom
Grand Captain General	*Hartsford L. Isom	*William W. Ransom
Grand Recorder	*George A. Beauchamp	*George A. Beauchamp
Number of Commanderies	20	21
Total Members	1,475	1,473
Year - Meeting Place	1914 Talladega	1915 Troy
Grand Commander	*William F. Bingham	*Hartsford L. Isom
Deputy Grand Commander	*Hartsford L. Isom	*William W. Ransom
Grand Generalissimo	*William W. Ransom	*Julian F. Spearman
Grand Captain General	*Julian F. Spearman	*Duncan C. Carmichael
Grand Recorder	*George A. Beauchamp	*George A. Beauchamp
Number of Commanderies	21	22
Total Members	1,663	1,808

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Year - Meeting Place	1916 Birmingham	1917 Tuscaloosa
Grand Commander	*William W. Ransom	*Julian F. Spearman
Deputy Grand Commander	*Julian F. Spearman	*Duncan C. Carmichael
Grand Generalissimo	*Duncan C. Carmichael	*John V. Falck
Grand Captain General	*John V. Falck	*Water H. Trimby
Grand Recorder	*George A. Beauchamp	*George A. Beauchamp
Number of Commanderies	24	25
Total Members	2,032	2,367
Year - Meeting Place	1918 Birmingham	1919 Dothan
Grand Commander	*Duncan C. Carmichael	*John V. Falck
Deputy Grand Commander	*John V. Falck	*Walter H. Trimby
Grand Generalissimo	*Walter h. Trimby	*Lawrence H. Lee
Grand Captain General	*Lawrence H. Lee	*John Phillip Melvin
Grand Recorder	*George A. Beauchamp	*George A. Beauchamp
Number of Commanderies	26	27
Total Members	2,661	3,559
Year - Meeting Place	1920 Mobile	1921 Selma
Grand Commander	*Walter H. Trimby	*Lawrence H. Lee
Deputy Grand Commander	*Lawrence H. Lee	*John Phillip Melvin
Grand Generalissimo	*John Phillip Melvin	*Woolsey Finnell
Grand Captain General	*Woolsey Finnell	*L. E. Gellerstedt
Grand Recorder	*George A. Beauchamp	*George A. Beauchamp
Number of Commanderies	30	33
Total Members	5,183	6,669
Year - Meeting Place	1922 Gadsden	1923 Birmingham
Grand Commander	*John Phillip Melvin	*Woolsey Finnell
Deputy Grand Commander	*Woolsey Finnell	*L. E. Gellerstedt
Grand Generalissimo	*L. E. Gellerstedt	*Joseph D. Matlock
Grand Captain General	*Robert H. Wolcott	*Robert T. Ward
Grand Recorder	*George A. Beauchamp	*George A. Beauchamp
Number of Commanderies	36	38
Total Members	7,427	8,258
Year - Meeting Place	1924 Huntsville	1925 Troy
Grand Commander	*L. E. Gellerstedt	*Joseph D. Matlock
Deputy Grand Commander	*Joseph D. Matlock	*Robert T. Ward
Grand Generalissimo	*Robert T. Ward	*Phillip S. Meyer
Grand Captain General	*Phillip S. Meyer	*Robert C. Williams
Grand Recorder	*George A. Beauchamp	*George A. Beauchamp
Number of Commanderies	40	39
Total Members	8,867	8,638
Year - Meeting Place	1926 Tuscaloosa	1927 Albany
Grand Commander	*Robert T. Ward	*Phillip S. Meyer
Deputy Grand Commander	*Phillip S. Meyer	*Orlando S. Finch
Grand Generalissimo	*Orlando S. Finch	*William C. Davis
Grand Captain General	*William C. Davis	*Henry F. Williamson
Grand Recorder	*George A. Beauchamp	*George A. Beauchamp
Number of Commanderies	39	39
Total Members	8,772	8,683
Year - Meeting Place	1928 Montgomery	1929 Mobile
Grand Commander	*Orlando S. Finch	*William C. Davis
Deputy Grand Commander	*William C. Davis	*Henry F. Williamson
Grand Generalissimo	*Henry F. Williamson	*Franklin L. Milhous
Grand Captain General	*Franklin L. Milhous	*Tully A. Goodwin
Grand Recorder	*George A. Beauchamp	*George A. Beauchamp
Number of Commanderies	38	38
Total Members	8,463	7,810

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Year - Meeting Place	1930 Dothan	1931 Huntsville
Grand Commander	*Henry F. Williamson	*Franklin L. Milhous
Deputy Grand Commander	*Franklin L. Milhous	*Tully A. Goodwin
Grand Generalissimo	*Tully A. Goodwin	*David W. Crosland
Grand Captain General	*David W. Crosland	*John W. Jones
Grand Recorder	*George A. Beauchamp	*George A. Beauchamp
Number of Commanderies	38	35
Total Members	7,305	6,378
Year - Meeting Place	1932 Birmingham	1933 Anniston
Grand Commander	*Tully A. Goodwin	*John W. Jones
Deputy Grand Commander	*David W. Crosland	*William D. Hawkins
Grand Generalissimo	*John W. Jones	*T. Gaines St. John
Grand Captain General	*William D. Hawkins	*Robert Strong
Grand Recorder	*Guy T. Smith	*Guy T. Smith
Number of Commanderies	35	34
Total Members	5,459	4,308
Year - Meeting Place	1934 Tuscaloosa	1935 Montgomery
Grand Commander	*William D. Hawkins	*T. Gaines St. John
Deputy Grand Commander	*T. Gaines St. John	*Robert Strong
Grand Generalissimo	*Robert Strong	*Henry J. Porter, Jr.
Grand Captain General	*Henry J. Porter, Jr.	*James M. Frazier
Grand Recorder	*Guy T. Smith	*Guy T. Smith
Number of Commanderies	31	31
Total Members	3,316	3,121
Year - Meeting Place	1936 Mobile	1937 Montgomery
Grand Commander	*Robert Strong	*Henry J. Porter, Jr.
Deputy Grand Commander	*Henry J. Porter, Jr.	*James H. Frazier
Grand Generalissimo	*James H. Frazier	*John Heard Saxton
Grand Captain General	*John Heard Saxton	*William W. Waldo
Grand Recorder	*Guy T. Smith	*Guy T. Smith
Number of Commanderies	28	26
Total Members	2,814	2,633
Year - Meeting Place	1938 Montgomery	1939 Birmingham
Grand Commander	*James H. Frazier	*John Heard Saxton
Deputy Grand Commander	*John Heard Saxton	*William W. Waldo
Grand Generalissimo	*William W. Waldo	*Frank W. Gaines
Grand Captain General	*Frank W. Gaines	*Robert T. Sheppard
Grand Recorder	*Guy T. Smith	*Guy T. Smith
Number of Commanderies	25	25
Total Members	2,482	2,384
Year - Meeting Place	1940 Montgomery	1941 Montgomery
Grand Commander	*William W. Waldo	*Frank W. Gaines
Deputy Grand Commander	*Frank W. Gaines	*Robert T. Sheppard
Grand Generalissimo	*Robert T. Sheppard	*Newman S. Cryer
Grand Captain General	*Newman S. Cryer	*Hoyt McClendon
Grand Recorder	*Guy T. Smith	*Guy T. Smith
Number of Commanderies	23	23
Total Members	2,295	2,265
Year - Meeting Place	1942 Montgomery	1943 Montgomery
Grand Commander	*Robert T. Sheppard	*Newman S. Cryer
Deputy Grand Commander	*Newman S. Cryer	*Hoyt McClendon
Grand Generalissimo	*Hoyt McClendon	*Pleasant W. Gay
Grand Captain General	*Pleasant W. Gay	*A. Parker Mize
Grand Recorder	*Guy T. Smith	*Guy T. Smith
Number of Commanderies	23	22
Total Members	2,310	2,526

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Year - Meeting Place	1944 Montgomery	1945 Birmingham
Grand Commander	*Hoyt McClendon	*Pleasant W. Gay
Deputy Grand Commander	*Pleasant W. Gay	*A. Parker Mize
Grand Generalissimo	*A. Parker Mize	*Clifford H. Williams
Grand Captain General	*Clifford H. Williams	*Archelus F. Campbell
Grand Recorder	*Guy T. Smith	*Guy T. Smith
Number of Commanderies	22	25
Total Members	3,152	4,494
Year - Meeting Place	1946 Birmingham	1947 Montgomery
Grand Commander	*A. Parker Mize	*Clifford H. Williams
Deputy Grand Commander	*Clifford H. Williams	*Archelus F. Campbell
Grand Generalissimo	*Archelus F. Campbell	*James B. Patterson
Grand Captain General	*James B. Patterson	*Julius L. Layman
Grand Recorder	*Guy T. Smith	*C. H. Stubinger
Number of Commanderies	25	25
Total Members	5,198	5,785
Year - Meeting Place	1948 Gadsden	1949 Montgomery
Grand Commander	*Archelus f. Campbell	*James B. Patterson
Deputy Grand Commander	*James B. Patterson	*Julius L. Layman
Grand Generalissimo	*Julius L. Layman	*Robert Strong PT
Grand Captain General	*Newman S. Cryer PT	*Llewellyn R. Hillyer
Grand Recorder	*C. H. Stubinger	*C. H. Stubinger
Number of Commanderies	24	24
Total Members	6,133	6,499
Year - Meeting Place	1950 Birmingham	1951 Mobile
Grand Commander	*Julius L. Layman	*Llewellyn R. Hillyer
Deputy Grand Commander	*Robert Strong, PT	*Edgar M. Gober
Grand Generalissimo	*Llewellyn R. Hillyer	*Emrys W. John
Grand Captain General	*Edgar M. Gober	*William W. Glass
Grand Recorder	*C. H. Stubinger	*C. H. Stubinger
Number of Commanderies	25	25
Total Members	6,651	6,887
Year - Meeting Place	1952 Selma	1953 Florence
Grand Commander	*Edgar M. Gober	*Emrys W. John
Deputy Grand Commander	*Emrys W. John	*J. Collier Foster
Grand Generalissimo	*Archelus F. Campbell	*George G. Rees
Grand Captain General	*J. Collier Foster	*Lonnie H. Teele
Grand Recorder	*C. H. Stubinger	*C. H. Stubinger
Number of Commanderies	26	27
Total Members	7,131	8,101
Year - Meeting Place	1954 Huntsville	1955 Tuscaloosa
Grand Commander	*J. Collier Foster	*George G. Rees
Deputy Grand Commander	*George G. Rees	*Lonnie H. Teele
Grand Generalissimo	*Lonnie H. Teele	*V. A. Meadows, Sr.
Grand Captain General	*V. A. Meadows, Sr.	*Holden B. Norwood
Grand Recorder	*C. H. Stubinger	*C. H. Stubinger
Number of Commanderies	28	28
Total Members	8,935	9,272
Year - Meeting Place	1956 Montgomery	1957 Birmingham
Grand Commander	*Lonnie H. Teele	*V. A. Meadows, Sr.
Deputy Grand Commander	*V. A. Meadows, Sr.	*Holden B. Norwood
Grand Generalissimo	*Holden B. Norwood	*George W. Sorrell
Grand Captain General	*George W. Sorrell	*Claud Stallworth
Grand Recorder	*C. H. Stubinger	*C. H. Stubinger
Number of Commanderies	27	27
Total Members	9,584	9,835

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Year - Meeting Place	1958 Montgomery	1959 Decatur
Grand Commander	*Holden B. Norwood	*George W. Sorrell
Deputy Grand Commander	*George W. Sorrell	*Claud Stallworth
Grand Generalissimo	*Claud Stallworth	*George W. Crook
Grand Captain General	*George W. Crook	*Arthur C. Wilson
Grand Recorder	*C. H. Stubinger	*C. H. Stubinger
Number of Commanderies	26	26
Total Members	9,975	10,073
Year - Meeting Place	1960 Birmingham	1961 Tuscaloosa
Grand Commander	*Claud Stallworth	*Arthur C. Wilson
Deputy Grand Commander	*Arthur C. Wilson	*Thomas W. Oliver
Grand Generalissimo	*Thomas W. Oliver	*Earl D. Holmes
Grand Captain General	*Earl D. Holmes	*A. F. Campbell, PT
Grand Recorder	*Gordon L. Evatt	*Gordon L. Evatt
	*T. L. Cochran	
Number of Commanderies	26	26
Total Members	10,084	10,075
Year - Meeting Place	1962 Mobile	1963 Birmingham
Grand Commander	*Thomas W. Oliver	*Earl D. Holmes
		*Julian P. Butler
Deputy Grand Commander	*Earl D. Holmes	*Julian P. Butler
		*John S. Robinson
Grand Generalissimo	*Julian P. Butler	*John S. Robinson
		*Charles L. Campbell
Grand Captain General	*John S. Robinson	*Charles L. Campbell
Grand Recorder	*Gordon L. Evatt	*Thomas W. Oliver
Number of Commanderies	26	27
Total Members	10,085	9,974
Year - Meeting Place	1964 Birmingham	1965 Sylacauga
Grand Commander	*John S. Robinson	*C. L. Campbell
Deputy Grand Commander	*Charles L. Campbell	*Bruce W. Phelps
Grand Generalissimo	*Bruce W. Phelps	*Anthony V. Janett
Grand Captain General	*Anthony V. Janett	*Ray B. Hartwell
Grand Recorder	*Thomas W. Oliver	*Thomas W. Oliver
Number of Commanderies	27	27
Total Members	9,847	9,808
Year - Meeting Place	1966 Tuscaloosa	1967 Birmingham
Grand Commander	*Bruce W. Phelps	*Anthony V. Janett
Deputy Grand Commander	*Anthony V. Janett	*Ray B. Hartwell
Grand Generalissimo	*Ray B. Hartwell	*Charles L. Jones
Grand Captain General	*Charles L. Jones	*Clifford J. Turner
Grand Recorder	*Thomas W. Oliver	*Thomas W. Oliver
Number of Commanderies	27	26
Total Members	9,692	9,494
Year - Meeting Place	1968 Birmingham	1969 Mobile
Grand Commander	*Ray B. Hartwell	*Charles L. Jones
Deputy Grand Commander	*Charles L. Jones	*Clifford J. Turner
Grand Generalissimo	*Clifford J. Turner	*Frank M. James
Grand Captain General	*Frank M. James	Samuel F. Jackson, Jr.
Grand Recorder	*Thomas W. Oliver	*Thomas W. Oliver
Number of Commanderies	26	26
Total Members	9,295	9,226



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Year - Meeting Place	1970 Birmingham	1971 Gadsden
Grand Commander	*Clifford J. Turner	S. F. Jackson, Jr.
Deputy Grand Commander	Samuel F. Jackson, Jr.	*Thomas W. Mann
Grand Generalissimo	*Thomas W. Mann	Michael L. Jones
Grand Captain General	Michael L. Jones	*Charles D. Miller
Grand Recorder	*Thomas W. Oliver	*Thomas W. Oliver
Number of Commanderies	26	26
Total Members	9,116	8,971
Year - Meeting Place	1972 Tuscaloosa	1973 Birmingham
Grand Commander	*Thomas W. Mann	Michael L. Jones
Deputy Grand Commander	Michael L. Jones	*Charles D. Miller
Grand Generalissimo	*Charles D. Miller	McMurray L. Griffith
Grand Captain General	McMurray L. Griffith	Wm. M. Newsome, Jr.
Grand Recorder	*Thomas W. Oliver	*Thomas W. Mann
Number of Commanderies	26	26
Total Members	8,687	8,439
Year - Meeting Place	1974 Gulf Shores	1975 Birmingham
Grand Commander	*Charles D. Miller	McMurray L. Griffith
Deputy Grand Commander	McMurray L. Griffith	Wm. M. Newsome, Jr.
Grand Generalissimo	Wm. M. Newsome, Jr.	*Milton L. Fegenbush
Grand Captain General	*Milton L. Fegenbush	*Oscar L. Ledbetter
Grand Recorder	*Thomas W. Mann	*Thomas W. Mann
Number of Commanderies	25	25
Total Members	8,608	8,465
Year - Meeting Place	1976 Birmingham	1977 Phenix City
Grand Commander	Wm. M. Newsome	*M. L. Fegenbush
Deputy Grand Commander	*Milton L. Fegenbush	*Fred W. Vaughan
Grand Generalissimo	*Fred W. Vaughan	Arthur C. Harding
Grand Captain General	Arthur C. Harding	*Joseph D. Brackin
Grand Recorder	*Thomas W. Mann	*Thomas W. Mann
Number of Commanderies	25	25
Total Members	8,516	8,215
Year - Meeting Place	1978 Birmingham	1979 Birmingham
Grand Commander	*Fred W. Vaughan	Arthur C. Harding
Deputy Grand Commander	Arthur C. Harding	*Joseph D. Brackin
Grand Generalissimo	*Joseph D. Brackin	*Robert E. Shipp
Grand Captain General	*Robert E. Shipp	Erskine K. Smith
Grand Recorder	*Thomas W. Mann	*Thomas W. Mann
Number of Commanderies	25	24
Total Members	8,092	7,834
Year - Meeting Place	1980 Birmingham	1981 Dothan
Grand Commander	*Joseph D. Brackin	*Robert E. Shipp
Deputy Grand Commander	*Robert E. Shipp	Erskine K. Smith
Grand Generalissimo	Erskine K. Smith	William H. Ealy
Grand Captain General	William H. Ealy	*Richard Sim Hamilton
Grand Recorder	*Thomas W. Mann	*Thomas W. Mann
Number of Commanderies	24	24
Total Members	7,631	7,278
Year - Meeting Place	1982 Birmingham	1983 Birmingham
Grand Commander	Erskine K. Smith	William H. Ealy
Deputy Grand Commander	William H. Ealy	*Richard S. Hamilton
Grand Generalissimo	*Richard S. Hamilton	*W. Sterling Roberts
Grand Captain General	*W. Sterling Roberts	*George E. Tremelling
Grand Recorder	*Thomas W. Mann	*Thomas W. Mann
Number of Commanderies	23	22
Total Members	7,117	6,993

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Year - Meeting Place	1984 Huntsville	1985 Birmingham
Grand Commander	*Richard S. Hamilton	*W. S. Roberts
Deputy Grand Commander	*W. Sterling Roberts	*G. E. Tremelling
Grand Generalissimo	*George E. Tremelling	*James L. Allen
Grand Captain General	*James L. Allen	*James H. Lee
Grand Recorder	*Thomas W. Mann	*Thomas W. Mann
Number of Commanderies	22	21
Total Members	6,681	6,614
Year - Meeting Place	1986 Birmingham	1987 Birmingham
Grand Commander	*G. E. Tremelling	*James H. Lee
Deputy Grand Commander	*James H. Lee	Emory J. Ferguson
Grand Generalissimo	Emory J. Ferguson	Charles W. McDonald
Grand Captain General	Charles W. McDonald	*Ray R. Morgan, Jr.
Grand Recorder	*Thomas W. Mann	*Thomas W. Mann
Number of Commanderies	20	19
Total Members	6,653	6,526
Year - Meeting Place	1988 Sheffield	1989 Mobile
Grand Commander	Emory J. Ferguson	Charles W. McDonald
Deputy Grand Commander	Charles W. McDonald	*Ray R. Morgan, Jr.
Grand Generalissimo	*Ray R. Morgan, Jr.	Charles R. Pate
Grand Captain General	Charles R. Pate	Bobby C. Park
Grand Recorder	*Thomas W. Mann	*Thomas W. Mann
Number of Commanderies	18	18
Total Members	6,369	6,260
Year - Meeting Place	1990 Birmingham	1991 Birmingham
Grand Commander	*Ray R. Morgan, Jr.	Charles R. Pate
Deputy Grand Commander	Charles R. Pate	Bobby C. Park
Grand Generalissimo	Bobby C. Park	Sam L. Garrett, Sr.
Grand Captain General	Sam L. Garrett, Sr.	†Robert L. Byars, Jr.
Grand Recorder	*Thomas W. Mann	*Thomas W. Mann
Number of Commanderies	18	Arthur C. Harding
Total Members	5,945	18
Year - Meeting Place	1992 Birmingham	1993 Decatur
Grand Commander	Bobby C. Park	Sam L. Garrett, Sr.
Deputy Grand Commander	Sam L. Garrett, Sr.	†Robert L. Byars, Jr.
Grand Generalissimo	†Robert L. Byars, Jr.	George L. Marshall, Jr.
Grand Captain General	*Teddy R. Grogan, Sr.	*Ray Rutledge
Grand Recorder	Arthur C. Harding	Arthur C. Harding
Number of Commanderies	18	17
Total Members	5,334	4,965
Year - Meeting Place	1994 Dothan	1995 Birmingham
Grand Commander	†Robert L. Byars, Jr.	*Ray Rutledge
Deputy Grand Commander	George L. Marshall, Jr.	George L. Marshall, Jr.
Grand Generalissimo	*Ray Rutledge	James R. Vaughan
Grand Captain General	James R. Vaughan	*Bobby Ray Terry
Grand Recorder	Arthur C. Harding	Arthur C. Harding
Number of Commanderies	17	16
Total Members	4,716	4,598
Year - Meeting Place	1996 Birmingham	1997 Huntsville
Grand Commander	George L. Marshall, Jr.	James R. Vaughan
Deputy Grand Commander	James R. Vaughan	*Bobby Ray Terry
Grand Generalissimo	*Bobby Ray Terry	Joe D. Lee
Grand Captain General	Joe D. Lee	Jesse W. Locke
Grand Recorder	Arthur C. Harding	Arthur C. Harding
Number of Commanderies	15	15
Total Members	4,356	4,177

**TABULAR VIEW OF THE GRAND COMMANDERY OF ALABAMA SINCE  
ITS FORMATION**

ON FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 30, 1860 IN MONTGOMERY, ALABAMA

(Continued)

Year - Meeting Place	1998 Birmingham	1999 Mobile
Grand Commander	*Bobby Ray Terry	Joe D. Lee
Deputy Grand Commander	Joe D. Lee	Jesse W. Locke
Grand Generalissimo	Jesse W. Locke	Wayne D. Jordan
Grand Captain General	Wayne D. Jordan	Robert T. Crawford
Grand Recorder	Arthur C. Harding	Arthur C. Harding
Number of Commanderies	15	15
Total Members	4,037	3,861
Year - Meeting Place	2000 Birmingham	2001 Birmingham
Grand Commander	Jesse W. Locke	Wayne D. Jordan
Deputy Grand Commander	Wayne D. Jordan	Robert T. Crawford
Grand Generalissimo	Robert T. Crawford	Phillip J. Sherman
Grand Captain General	Phillip J. Sherman	Roger A. Simmons
Grand Recorder	Arthur C. Harding	Arthur C. Harding
Number of Commanderies	15	15
Total Members	3,703	3,522
Year - Meeting Place	2002 Birmingham	2003 Mobile
Grand Commander	Robert T. Crawford	Phillip J. Sherman
Deputy Grand Commander	Phillip J. Sherman	Roger A. Simmons
Grand Generalissimo	Roger A. Simmons	Thomas F. Craig
Grand Captain General	Thomas F. Craig	Teddy R. Grogan, Jr.
Grand Recorder	Arthur C. Harding	Arthur C. Harding
Number of Commanderies	15	15
Total Members	3,238	2,966
Year - Meeting Place	2004 Decatur	2005 Dothan
Grand Commander	Roger A. Simmons	Thomas F. Craig
Deputy Grand Commander	Thomas F. Craig	Teddy R. Grogan, Jr.
Grand Generalissimo	Teddy R. Grogan, Jr.	MacArthur Davis
Grand Captain General	MacArthur Davis	Billy A. Rikard
Grand Recorder	Arthur C. Harding	Arthur C. Harding
Number of Commanderies	15	15
Total Members	2,767	2,589
Year - Meeting Place	2006 Decatur	2007 Dothan
Grand Commander	Teddy R. Grogan, Jr.	MacArthur Davis
Deputy Grand Commander	MacArthur Davis	Billy A. Rikard
Grand Generalissimo	Billy A. Rikard	Owen E. Gore
Grand Captain General	Owen E. Gore	Jimmy D. O'Dell
Grand Recorder	Hiram O. Williams, Jr.	Hiram O. Williams, Jr.
Number of Commanderies	15	14
Total Members	2,375	2,192
Year - Meeting Place	2008 Decatur	2009 Birmingham
Grand Commander	Billy A. Rikard	Owen E. Gore
Deputy Grand Commander	Owen E. Gore	Jimmy D. O'Dell
Grand Generalissimo	Jimmy D. O'Dell	Jack C. Wade
Grand Captain General	Jack C. Wade	Ronald L. Thomas
Grand Recorder	Hiram O. Williams, Jr.	Hiram O. Williams, Jr.
Number of Commanderies	14	15
Total Members	2,132	2076
Year - Meeting Place	2010 Birmingham	2011 Birmingham
Grand Commander	Jimmy D. O'Dell	
Deputy Grand Commander	Jack C. Wade	
Grand Generalissimo	Ronald L. Thomas	
Grand Captain General	James Blanteno	
Grand Recorder	Hiram O. Williams, Jr.	Hiram O. Williams, Jr.
Number of Commanderies	15	15
Total Members	1958	

\* Denotes Deceased  
† Renounced Masonry

First Annual Conclave was held in Montgomery, Alabama on Friday November 30, 1860

Grand Commandery office moved from Montgomery to Birmingham after election of Thomas W. Oliver as Grand Recorder in 1962

At the Annual Conclave, April 1963, Earl D. Holmes was elected and installed as Grand Commander, but he died before he could serve.

At the Annual Conclave, April 1973 Thomas W. Mann was elected Grand Recorder. Thomas W. Oliver was elected Grand Recorder Emeritus, and the Annual Conclave Date was changed from April each year to the last Monday in February to correspond with Grand Chapter and Grand Council.

As proof of continual effort of Alabama to promote York Rite unity, the first combined meeting of The Grand Chapter, Grand Council and Grand Commandery was held in February 1974.

On November 1, 1974 the Grand York Rite office was moved to 3621 South Fifth Avenue Birmingham.

In September 1979 the Grand York Rite office was moved to 5504 ½ North First Avenue Birmingham 35212.

On May 16, 1980, James A. Kile was appointed Grand Treasurer to succeed Hoyt McClendon who resigned.

At the Annual Conclave February 1981, Hoyt McClendon was elected Grand Treasurer Emeritus.

On September 1, 1981 Thomas W. Mann and James A Kile resigned as Grand Recorder and Grand Treasurer. Arthur C. Harding was appointed as Grand Recorder and Fred W. McCluskey, Jr. was appointed Grand Treasurer.

At the Annual Conclave February 1992, Arthur C. Harding was elected Grand Recorder and Fred W. McCluskey, Jr. was elected Grand Treasurer. Thomas W. Mann was elected as Grand Recorder Emeritus and James A. Kile was elected Grand Treasurer Emeritus.

On June 23 1997, Past Grand Commander Robert L. Byars, Jr. renounced York Rite Masonry and is no longer a member.

On January 13, 1999 the Grand York Rite office moved to 3430 Ratliff Road, Irondale, AL 3510

On December 31, 2005, Arthur C. Harding and Fred W. McCluskey, Jr. resigned as Grand Recorder and Grand Treasurer, Hiram O. Williams, Jr. was appointed Grand Recorder and Robert C. Grigsby, Jr. was appointed Grand Treasurer.

At the Annual Conclave February 2006, Arthur C. Harding was elected Grand Recorder Emeritus and Fred W. McCluskey, Jr. was elected Grand Treasurer Emeritus. Joe D. Lee was elected Grand Treasurer and Hiram O. Williams, Jr. was elected Grand Recorder. Also Fred W. McCluskey, Jr. was elected Grand Commander Honorary.

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## CHRONOLOGY

### Titles of Meetings and Dates of Bodies Composed Exclusively of Masons.

The ordinary Calendar, or vulgar era, is not generally used by Freemasons in dating their official documents. They have one peculiar to themselves, differing according to their various Rites.

ANCIENT CRAFT MASONS in all parts of the World, add 4,000 years to the Christian era, calling it Anno Lucis-Year of Light; abbreviated A.L. (This fact has a symbolic reference, not because they believe Freemasonry is, but that the principles and light of the institution are coeval with the creation. (See below.) F&AM Lodges hold "Communications."

ROYAL ARCH MASONS date from the building of the second Temple-530 B.C. Their style is, therefore, Anno Inventionis-A. Inv. - in the year of the discovery. Royal Arch Chapters hold "Convocations."

ROYAL AND SELECT MASONS date from the completion of Solomon's Temple 1000 B.C. Their style is Anno Depositionis-A. Dep.-in the year of Deposit. Royal and Select Councils hold "Assemblies."

KNIGHTS TEMPLAR date from the organization of the Order in 1118 A.D. Their style is, therefore, Anno Ordinia-A.O.-in the year of the Order. Knight Templar Commanderies hold "Conclaves."

ORDER OF THE HIGH PRIESTHOOD dates from the blessing of Abraham by the High Priest Melchizedak, which occurred 1914 B.C. Their style is Anno Benedictionis-A.B.-in the year of the Blessing. Councils of Anointed High Priest hold "Convocations."

ANCIENT AND ACCEPTED SCOTTISH RITE MASONS use the Jewish Calendar, which adds 3760 to the Christian era, styled Anno Mundi-A.M.-year of the World. Or, they sometimes use the Hebrew year which begins on the seventeenth of September or feast of Tisri, using the initials A.H.-Anno Hebraico.

TEMPLES, A.A.O.N. MYSTIC SHRINE; Each thirty years from the Hejira, or July 15th, A.D. 602 constitutes a cycle. Nineteen of these years contain 355 days, Eleven, 356.

### RULES FOR MASONIC DATES

ANCIENT CRAFT MASONS - Add 4,000 years.

Thus: 2010 + 4,000 = A.L. 6010

ROYAL ARCH MASONS - Add 530 years.

Thus: 2010 + 530 = A..Inv. 2540

ROYAL AND SELECT MASTERS - Add 1,000 years.

Thus: 2010 +1,000 years = A. Dept. 3010

KNIGHTS TEMPLAR - subtract 1,118 years.

Thus: 2010 - 1,118 = A.O. 892

ORDER OF HIGH PRIESTHOOD - Add 1,913 years.

Thus: 2010 + 1,913 = A.B. 3,923

SCOTTISH RITE MASONS - Add 3,760 years.

Thus: 2010 + 3,760 = A.M. 5770