

# PRELIMINARY PROCEEDINGS

*One Hundred Seventy-Fifth*

*Annual Convocation*

OF THE

*Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons*

OF THE

*State of Missouri*

HELD

JUNE 9, 2022

CAPITOL PLAZA HOTEL  
JEFFERSON CITY, MISSOURI





# GRAND CHAPTER OF ROYAL ARCH MASONS OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI 175<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL CONVOCATION SCHEDULE (SUBJECT TO MODIFICATION AS NECESSARY)

Vendor will be on site for the whole event, Wednesday through Saturday, second floor, Springfield room

Joplin Room (conference room) will be available for small meetings as needed throughout the session except as otherwise scheduled on Friday and Saturday

## Wednesday, June 8, 2022

9:30 p.m.      **“Old Goats” Meeting** (Past Grand High Priests) (*Joplin Room*)

## Thursday, June 9, 2022

6:30 a.m.      **Red Cross of Constantine Breakfast Meeting** – Members Only (*Lincoln*)  
Others, Breakfast – On Your Own

7:00 a.m.      **Registration** (Credentials Committee) – Chapter and Commandery – until 10:30 am (*Atrium*)

8:00 a.m.      **Annual Meeting of Palmyra Historical Chapter No. 2** – Open to All Royal Arch Masons  
(*Capitol/Truman*)

9:00 a.m.      **Grand Chapter Reception of Distinguished Guests** – Open to Ladies and Guests  
(*Capitol/Truman*)

Introduction of the Grand Lecturer and the District Deputy Grand Lecturers

Introduction of the District Deputy Grand High Priests

Introduction of the 2021-2022 Grand Chapter Officers

Brief Welcoming Comments by the Grand High Priest

Reception of the Past Grand High Priests of Missouri

Reception of the Out of State Grand Chapter Officers

Roll Call of the Grand Representatives

Reception of Heads of Missouri York Rite Bodies

Reception of National Body Representatives

Reception of the General Grand Chapter Officers

Reception of the General Grand High Priest or Representative & brief remarks

Reception of Grand Lodge Officers

Reception of the Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Missouri & brief remarks

Summary Address of the Grand High Priest

Necrology: Part of the Grand High Priest’s Address

Dismissal of the Ladies and Non-Member Guests

10:15 a.m.      **Formal Opening of the 175<sup>th</sup> Annual Convocation of the Grand Chapter of Royal Arch  
Masons of the State of Missouri**

Preliminary Report of the Credentials Committee

Report of Search Committee

10:30 a.m.      **Election of the Grand Secretary**

Report of Special Committee on Grand Line Officers

**Election of the 2022-2023 Grand Chapter Officers**

Report of the Committee on the Address of the Grand High Priest

Report of the Jurisprudence Committee

Report of the Finance Committee

**Thursday, June 9, 2022 (continued)**

- Report of the Grand Treasurer
- Report of the Grand Secretary
- Report of the Grand Lecturer
- Routine Business & Additional Committee Reports (as needed)
- Report of the Election Committee
- Acceptance of the Grand Chapter Officers Elect
- Report of the Grand High Priest Elect – w/Appointments
- Report of the Committee on Time and Place
- Address of the General Grand High Priest or Representative
- Address of the Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Missouri or Representative
- 12:00 p.m. **Grand Chapter Closed or Called from Labor** until 3:00 p.m.
- 12:00 p.m. **Lunch Sponsored by Yeomen of York** – Open to All – Special Presentation by Coyote Hill  
Christian Children’s Home (*Lincoln*)
- 1:30 p.m. **Order of High Priesthood** (*Missouri*)
- 3:00 p.m. **Grand Chapter Resumes Labor** (concludes remaining business, if any)  
**All Grand Chapter Awards will be given at the Friday Grand York Rite Awards Banquet**
- 3:30 p.m. **Installation of the 2022-2023 Grand Chapter Officers** – Open to Ladies and Guests
- 4:30 p.m. **Close of the 175<sup>th</sup> Annual Convocation** of the Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons of the State  
of Missouri  
Pictures
- 5:30 p.m. **Highland Games** (*Capitol/Truman*)
- 6:30 p.m. **Distinguished Guests Banquet/Entertainment** (Highland Dance) – Cash Bar – Open to All  
(*Jefferson and Missouri*)
- 9:00 p.m. **Grand Commandery Practice** – Grand Line Officers (*Capitol/Truman*)
- 9:30 p.m. **“Old Buzzards” Meeting** (*Joplin Room*)

**Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons of the State of Missouri  
2021-2022 Elected and Appointed Officers**

Kyle R. Palacios.....	Grand High Priest
( <i>Vacant/Resigned</i> ).....	Grand King
Mark A. Bean.....	Grand Scribe
Donald L. Trabue, HPGHP .....	Grand Treasurer
Kevin B. Sample, HPGHP .....	Grand Secretary
John S. Lambros.....	Grand Captain of the Host
Michael L. Dodd.....	Grand Principal Sojourner
Kevin M. Ritter.....	Grand Royal Arch Captain
( <i>Vacant/Resigned</i> ).....	Grand Master of the 3rd Veil
W. Larry Wilson .....	Grand Master of the 2nd Veil
Donald E. Gilkerson.....	Grand Master of the 1st Veil
Daniel R. Quesenberry.....	Grand Chorister
Steven C. Monrotus, PGHP .....	Grand Organist
Roy L. Gilkey, PGHP .....	Grand Historian
Gregory J. Walker.....	Grand Lecturer
Roy L. Gilkey, PGHP. ....	Grand Chaplain
Nathan G. Coughlin .....	Assistant Grand Chaplain
Richard L. Nelms.....	Grand Sentinel
Dennis E. Fetter .....	Assistant Grand Sentinel
John R. Reiter.....	Assistant Grand Sentinel

Larry F. Walters ..... Grand Photographer  
William R. Brantley ..... Assistant Grand Photographer  
Debbie L. Hanson ..... Executive Assistant to the Grand Secretary

**District Deputy Grand High Priests**

Richard A. Taylor ..... District Deputy Grand High Priest, Region 1  
Richard G. Jones ..... District Deputy Grand High Priest, Region 2  
Donald E. Gilkerson..... District Deputy Grand High Priest, Region 3, District A  
F. Brad Fowler ..... District Deputy Grand High Priest, Region 3, District B  
W. Stuart English..... District Deputy Grand High Priest, Region 4  
Nicholas R. Young..... District Deputy Grand High Priest, Region 5  
Tim Morgan ..... District Deputy Grand High Priest, Region 6  
James E. McManigle..... District Deputy Grand High Priest, Region 7, District A  
Paul L. Daniels..... District Deputy Grand High Priest, Region 7, District B

**District Deputy Grand Lecturers**

Harley L. Kropf, PGHP ..... District Deputy Grand Lecturer, Region 1  
Douglas H. Reece..... District Deputy Grand Lecturer, Region 2  
Lloyd G. Lyon..... District Deputy Grand Lecturer, Region 3, District A  
Richard A. Riepe..... District Deputy Grand Lecturer, Region 3, District B  
Wayne B. Fryer..... District Deputy Grand Lecturer, Region 4  
John C. Caraker..... District Deputy Grand Lecturer, Region 5  
Charles J. Ortiz, Jr..... District Deputy Grand Lecturer, Region 6  
Gregory J. Walker..... District Deputy Grand Lecturer, Region 7, District A  
William J. Sherman..... District Deputy Grand Lecturer, Region 7, District B

**Standing Committees**

**Address of the Grand High Priest**

David L. Leirer, Chairman

**Credentials**

Phillip W. Engel, Chairman  
Roger D. Fler  
Robert L. Schmidt

**Education**

W. Larry Wilson, Chairman  
Mark A. Bean  
Michael S. Smith  
Clifton W. Wofford  
Nicholas R. Young

**Budget/Finance/Investment**

Mark A. Bean, Chairman  
Elected Grand Chapter Officers  
Kevin B. Sample (Ex-Officio)  
Russell S. Hanson (Ex-Officio)  
Donald L. Trabue (Ex-Officio)

**Jurisprudence**

Todd A. Schulze, Chairman  
William G. Snyder, Vice Chairman  
Aaron E. Rose  
Kevin B. Sample  
Aaron M. Shoemaker

**Returns of Chapters**

Phillip W. Engel, Chairman  
Roger D. Fler  
Robert L. Schmidt

**Time and Place**

Mark A. Bean, Chairman  
Kevin B. Sample  
Donald L. Trabue

**Triennial**

John W. Siscel, III, Chairman  
Mark A. Bean  
Harley L. Kropf

## Special Committees

### Audit

Mark T. Schmidt, Chairman  
Grand Chapter Line Officers

### Charity

Harley L. Kropf, Chairman  
Ralph S. Cantrell, Jr.  
David L. Leirer  
Donald L. Trabue

### Condition and Stability of the Grand Chapter Line

Kevin B. Sample, Chairman  
Harley L. Kropf  
Robert W. Schlichter

### Endowed Membership

Donald L. Trabue, Chairman  
Roy L. Gilkey  
E. Allen Kohler

### Investments

Terry D. Coppotelli  
Stanton T. Brown, II

### Membership Recruitment

Kyle R. Palacios, Chairman  
Nicholas R. Young  
W. Larry Wilson  
District Deputy Grand High Priests  
District Deputy Grand Lecturers

### Program Book

Russell S. Hanson, Chairman

### Regional York Rite Conferences

Mark A. Bean, Chairman  
John S. Lambros  
District Deputy Grand High Priests

### Ritual

Gregory J. Walker, Chairman  
Michael L. Dodd  
Bill A. Humble  
Clarence L. Jennings

John S. Lambros

District Deputy Grand Lecturers

### Royal Arch Mason Magazine

Roy L. Gilkey, Chairman/Editor

### Royal Arch Research Assistance

John S. Lambros, Chairman  
Mark A. Bean  
Ralph S. Cantrell, Jr.  
Steven C. Monrotus

### Search Committee

Kevin B. Sample, Chairman  
Russell S. Hanson  
Donald MacCormick  
Kyle R. Palacios

### Social Media/Communications/Internet

Kevin B. Sample, Chairman  
Donald MacCormick, Web Master

### Condition of the Grand Chapter Officer Line

Kevin B. Sample, Chairman  
Robert W. Schlichter  
Harley L. Kropf  
John W. Siscel, III  
David L. Leirer  
Mark A. Bean

### Strategic Planning

Kyle R. Palacios, Chairman  
Mark A. Bean  
Dennis E. Fetter

### Youth Activities

Adam M. Iwanow, Chairman  
Michael L. Smith  
W. Larry Wilson  
Clifton W. Wofford

### Order of High Priesthood

Terry D. Coppotelli, Secretary

## Living Past Grand High Priests

Charles A. Bottermuller (1971-1972)  
E. Allen Kohler (1976-1977)  
Gene M. Zinn (1981-1982)  
David A. Watson (1983-1984)  
Richard D. Carroll (1987-1988)  
Robert W. Schlichter (1998-1999)  
Ralph S. Cantrell, Jr. (2000-2001)  
Roy A. Welshon, Sr. (2002-2003)  
Kevin B. Sample, Honorary (2005)  
Donald L. Trabue, Honorary (2005)

Harley L. Kropf (2005-2006)  
Steven C. Monrotus (2011-2012)  
Claude M. Eckert, Honorary (2012)  
John E. Schofield (2012-2013)  
Roy L. Gilkey (2013-2014)  
Roy N. Thomas (2014-2015)  
Loren D. Lloyd (2015-2016)  
John W. Siscel, III (2016-2017)  
Jerry L. Miles (2018-2019)  
David L. Leirer (2019-2021)

### Grand Representatives

**Jurisdiction ..... To Missouri  
United States of America**

- Alabama ..... Claude M. Eckert
- Alaska ..... Alfred L. Mason
- Arizona ..... Vacant
- Arkansas ..... Lionel J. Goede
- California ..... Louis L. Monken
- Colorado ..... Scott Crawford
- Connecticut ..... Vacant
- Delaware ..... Kyle R. Palacios
- District of Columbia ..... Vacant
- Florida ..... Vacant
- Georgia ..... Roy N. Thomas
- Hawaii ..... Steven C. Monrotus
- Idaho ..... Vacant
- Illinois ..... Vacant
- Indiana ..... Vacant
- Iowa ..... Vacant
- Kansas ..... Vacant
- Kentucky ..... Gale B. Morrison
- Louisiana ..... Robert W. Schlichter
- Maine ..... E. Allen Kohler
- Maryland ..... William W. Mier
- Massachusetts ..... Norman G. Schlagenhauf, Jr.
- Michigan ..... George M. Merkle
- Minnesota ..... Loren D. Lloyd
- Mississippi ..... Daniel R. Quesenberry
- Missouri, PHA ..... Robert R. Anderson, Jr.
- Montana ..... Vacant
- Nebraska ..... Guy D. Ross
- Nevada ..... Clark McLemore
- New Hampshire ..... Vacant
- New Jersey ..... Vacant
- New Mexico ..... Roy L. Gilkey
- New York ..... David A. Watson
- North Carolina ..... John E. Schofield
- North Dakota ..... Ralph S. Cantrell, Jr.
- Ohio ..... Vacant
- Oklahoma ..... Bobby L. Detherow
- Oregon ..... James E. McManigle
- Pennsylvania ..... Phillip W. Engel
- Rhode Island ..... Vacant
- South Carolina ..... Clifton W. Wofford
- South Dakota ..... Vacant
- Tennessee ..... Charles A. Bottermuller
- Texas ..... Vacant
- Utah ..... J. Joseph Hayes
- Vermont ..... Roy A. Welshon, Sr.
- Virginia ..... Vacant

- Washington ..... Dennis N. Vogel
- West Virginia ..... Roy N. Thomas
- Wisconsin ..... Vacant
- Wyoming ..... Vacant

**Jurisdiction ..... To Missouri**

**Canada/Mexico**

- Alberta Canada ..... Vacant
- British Columbia and Yukon ..... David L. Leirer
- Manitoba ..... Harley L. Kropf
- Mexico ..... Vacant
- New Brunswick Canada ..... Harry C. Reed, Jr.
- Newfoundland and Labrador ..... Matthew Quesenberry
- Nova Scotia ..... Bill A. Humble
- Ontario Canada ..... Kevin B. Sample
- Quebec Canada ..... Robert W. Schlichter
- Saskatchewan Canada ..... Vacant

**Jurisdiction ..... To Missouri**

**Other Jurisdictions**

- Argentina ..... Vacant
- Austria ..... Vacant
- Belgium ..... Gary A. Phillips
- Brazil ..... Marion L. Briggs
- Central America ..... Dennis E. Fetter
- Croatia ..... Jerry L. Miles
- England ..... Stanton T. Brown, II
- Finland ..... Rocky E. Weaver
- France ..... Michael L. Dodd
- Greece ..... Ronnie E. Green
- India ..... Vacant
- Ireland ..... Larry F. Walters
- Israel ..... Vacant
- Italy ..... Russell S. Hanson
- Netherlands ..... Vacant
- New South Wales, Australia ..... Aaron M. Shoemaker
- New Zealand ..... Vacant
- Panama ..... Vacant
- Paraguay ..... Dennis L. Hammack
- Philippines ..... Vacant
- Portugal ..... Vacant
- Queensland, Australia ..... Vacant
- Romania ..... Vacant
- Scotland ..... John W. Siscel, III
- South Australia, Australia ..... Edgar D. Piles
- Spain ..... Steven C. Monrotus
- Togo ..... Mark T. Schmidt
- Venezuela ..... William W. Mier
- Victoria, Australia ..... Vacant
- Western Australia ..... Vacant



**Kyle Ramon Palacios**  
**Grand High Priest, 2021-2022**

### **BIOGRAPHY OF THE GRAND HIGH PRIEST**

Most Excellent Companion Kyle R. Palacios was born December 9, 1958, in St. Louis, Missouri to José and Selma Palacios. Theirs being a blended family, he is one of nine boys and a girl.

His Masonic career started in 1971 two weeks after his 13<sup>th</sup> birthday when he was initiated into Gardenville DeMolay. The first in his family to make the journey, he was followed by his brother Gene and ultimately by his father who was exalted into Gardenville Lodge No. 655 in 1975. That same year he became Master Councilor.

DeMolay introduced him to Yvette Relich, a Rainbow Girl, whom he married in 1985. They will celebrate 37 years in just a couple of weeks. They had their daughter Cassidy in 1992 who is now an LMSW. In 2020 they added their rescue kitten Laney.

DeMolay set the stage for leadership for the rest of his life. He found himself in a management position at every job he's held. Very successful in sales positions, he ultimately landed in the entrepreneurial world.

He and his brother Gene had a side business as mobile disc jockeys for weddings and parties. He and his wife opened a shoe store in 1987, but ultimately his calling came in 1998 when his eldest brother Joseph, introduced him to the world of Voice Broadcasting: taking one pre-recorded message and calling an unlimited number of recipients.



In 2002, they launched their own business called GroupCast with an emphasis on school communications and soon were assisting schools in all fifty states with mass communications. They designed an anti-bully tip-line to assist schools in eliminating bullying. They were also responsible for product recalls from America's largest companies like Costco, so if you received a call recalling bad peanut butter about 15 years ago, that was Kyle's voice telling you not to eat it!

Your Grand High Priest's hobby for most of his life has been entertaining as a singer in numerous rock and roll bands culminating with a magazine cover in 2000 about musicians that work in IT and play clubs at night. He also has recordings available for the asking.

Currently, his life revolves around his five-point starfish – his family, his work, his Masonic life, his music and his alma mater, Affton High School, where he was inducted into their Hall of Fame in 2014 and shares that honor with the likes of Actor John Goodman. He is now serving as Vice President of the Affton Education Foundation, and they hold fund raisers to provide college scholarships to students and teacher grants to assist the faculty in the Affton School District.

In 1999, Kyle was raised to the sublime degree of Master Mason at the first Chance to Advance Class held by MWB Wilfred G. Soutiea, Jr. Over 500 new Masons were raised that day. MEC José Palacios, then the Grand King of the Grand Chapter raised him, also present were MEC James Miller and MEC Harry Maenner. A premonition of future endeavors?

A member of Gardenville Lodge which a few months later merged with Cache Lodge to form Gardenville-Cache No. 455, he served as Master in 2002-2003 and again in 2009.

A member of Keystone Chapter No. 146 Royal Arch Masons, he served as High Priest in 2009-2010. He is also a member of Jeremiah Council No. 48 and Ascalon Commandery No. 16.

His Masonic career is punctuated with being a Past Excellent Chief of Limmerick Council No. 88 Knight Masons; Past Sovereign Master of Ray V. Denslow Council No. 102 Allied Masonic Degrees; Past Puissant Sovereign of St. Louis Conclave of Red Cross of Constantine; a member of Court of Discovery No. 80, Masonic Order of Athelstan; a member of Bruce Harmon Hunt York Rite College No. 162; the Missouri Ambassador for the General Grand Royal Arch Masons International, 2017-2020; the Grand Sword Bearer for MWB David Haywood in 2015; and various appointments to committees.

In 2015 he was elected to the Grand Line of the Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons of the State of Missouri, which eventually led to this published bio!

His time in the Grand Chapter has been the jewel of his Masonic career...so far.

### **ADDRESS OF THE GRAND HIGH PRIEST**

*To the Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons of the State of Missouri,*

Grand Officers, Past Grand High Priests, Companions, and Guests, good morning. I would like to welcome you to the One Hundred Seventy-Fifth Annual Convocation of the Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons of the State of Missouri.

This shall be a year in the life like no other  
Companion to companion, brother to brother

Traveling the state from Chapter to town  
Presenting 25, 50 and 75 year pins all around

A wink of the eye and flags with twirls  
Took us to Springfield with the Rainbow Girls

Approving mergers and By Law change updates  
Enjoying fish at Triune and Chapter food by the plate!

Grand Masters Breakfast and Regional Meetings galore  
Excellent turn out from the companions, cause that's who it's for!

There was Grand Lodge, the Truman Dinner and installing Jeff City  
And the South Central Regional where Kevin was witty

A Red Coat Blitz in Crestwood and Haggis in KC  
Regionals in Four and another in Five, the places to be!

On a cold November day we met  
To say our prayer goodbyes to Margaret...

Grand Masters Invitational was in full preparation  
62 new members was cause for celebration

There was much hard work from all involved  
Hurdles were jumped and puzzles were solved

The best ritualists came from statewide  
And delivered their inspiring parts, boasting of pride

It was just a dream from a very lucky boy  
Who spent March 5th overwhelmed with joy

Celebrating Veterans in St. Chuck and Rolla  
And as I left, I told them I'd holla

Sitting with the GM watching what the first class would bring  
Then singing with him at the Christmas Party, the Five Golden Rings!

In Cape Girardeau, 9 more candidates were fine  
With overwhelming support from the Grand Officer Line

Iced out for two days with Kevin and Mark  
Games and stories and dogs that would bark

Installed #32, #78, #146 and Number One  
It's obvious we had a lot of fun!

Finally, hanging with the DeMolays on Memorial Day  
Let's do it all again next year boys... what do you say?

### **Necrology**

Companions, I regret to report that since we last assembled, we lost three past Grand Chapter Officers, namely MEC Frank Pindall Wilfley, Jr., PGHP, on May 10, 2021 (*not previously reported*), MEC Ronald Lee Barrett, PGHP, on January 12, 2022, and REC Ronald E. Wood, Jr., Past Grand Secretary, on May 25, 2021. We also lost a total of 112 members during the 2021 Capitular year.

A Memorial Service will be conducted by our Grand Chaplain, Most Excellent Companion Roy L. Gilkey, Past Grand High Priest.

## Memorial Service

In recent years, I have gone back to doing the masonic funeral service for departed brethren. That wonderful service, though its wording is fixed, is a beautiful tribute and a comfort to those who mourn the brother's passing. It starts with these words:

One by one they pass away, the brothers of our adoption, the companions of our choice. Brethren and Companions whose hand we have clasped in the bonds of fraternal fellowship have now passed from our sight. We shall meet them on earth no more.

Often in counseling people in grief, I have told them that the hardest thing our Creator asks us to do is to give back to Him our loved ones until we meet them again in His eternal kingdom. That we must spend the rest of our days without them is the greatest sorrow we can experience in these our days on earth.

We mourn the passing of our Companion York Rite Masons across this great state whom our Lord has called to their eternal home. They have been our friends and brothers. We offer our prayers for the comfort of their families—the comfort that only our God can provide. In our meetings we will keep our memory of them alive. We give thanks to our God for their friendship, fellowship, companionship, and their brotherhood with us.

In the year since our last Grand York Rite sessions, we have lost 112 York Rite Masons across the state. All of these companions and Sir Knights deserve our heartfelt tribute if time would permit. In noting the passing of the following leaders, we also honor all of them.

Most Excellent Grand High Priest, during your time of leadership, we have lost three of those who have served before you as Grand High Priests:

MEC Frank P. Wilfley who led this Grand Chapter in 1990-1991. He was one of our senior Past Grand High Priests.

MEC Christopher Columbus "C.C." McLemore Grand High Priest, 2010-2011

MEC Ronald L. Barrett our Grand High Priest in 2017-2018.

We are deeply saddened at the passing of Lady Margaret Bean, the wife of our Grand Scribe Mark Bean. It is the love and support of our wives that make what we do as Freemasons possible. Their love encourages us. Their love and good counsel help to guide us. Behind those who have led in Masonry, there have been our wives who have been our strength.

It was during your tenure, Most Excellent Grand High Priest, that Rev. Louis C. Odneal was called home to be with his Lord. He was a four-star Grand Chaplain having served as Grand Chaplain of the Grand Lodge of Missouri and as Grand Chaplain of all three York Rite bodies of Missouri.

We also note the passing of Rev. Ronald E. Wood, Jr. who also held the distinction of being a four-star Grand Chaplain. He was a Mason of national and international renown.

This year we lost the Senior Past Grand Master of Cryptic Masons of Missouri, Most Illustrious Companion Everette L. Gloyd, Grand Master of Cryptic Masons of Missouri, 1978-1979.

We also lost Former First Lady of Cryptic Masons of Missouri, Lady Johnnie Brown, wife of MIC Stanton T. Brown, 2004-2005 and mother of MWB Stanton T. Brown II, Past Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Freemasons AF & AM of Missouri.

We also note the passing of two Grand Commanders of Knights Templar of Missouri since our last necrology report: RE Sir Knight Jerry F. Ward, Grand Commander in 1990-1991 and RE Sir Knight James E. Snavely, Grand Commander in 2005-2006. At the time of his passing, RE Sir Knight Ward was our senior Past Grand Commander.

It is appropriate that we pause and remember these who were so dear to us, to honor them and thank our Lord and our Eternal Father for the gift of their friendship. The measure of our lives on this earth is how we love and how we serve others. It is loving and caring service that makes us leave the world a better place. Those companions we honor by name today and those across this great state which time does not allow us to honor by name have made this world and our communities better places to live. They were what Freemasonry is all about. We honor them today--the brothers of our adoption, the companions of our choice.

Most Excellent Grand High Priest, will you please call us to an attitude of reverence for prayer?

Companions, let us unite our hearts together before our Lord as we pray:

Dear Lord, when we consider Your majesty which we can only begin to measure by the vastness of Your creation, we can merely stand before you in reverent awe. When we see the infinite detail of every element and realize that there is a relative universe in the very molecule, we know your care for all that you have called into being. We know that you care for us. We know that we exist because you love. Because you love us, you created us and you want us to be yours forever. We know you gave us a purpose here on earth and we will have a place and purpose in your eternal kingdom. We also know from the very shortness of our life on earth how much we need you every moment as our Sustainer. Our every breath and every beat of our heart is your gift of love.

Across the state of Missouri those 112 Companions who have passed from our earthly presence to our Lord's eternal kingdom brought their lives to share with us as our brothers and friends. We remember them and honor them, and we thank You, Lord, for them.

As we remember these dear brethren who are with you, we thank you for their time among us. We thank you even more for the sureness of your promise that when we see them again, time will not be a factor, and we will never part from them again. We thank you that it will be in the glory of Your loving presence that we will meet them.

We offer a special prayer for those Companions who need your healing touch and your comfort at this hour.

We love you, Lord, with all our being—heart, mind, and soul. We trust always in your perfect love—your love that created us and sustains us and wants us to be with you eternally.

This we pray in Your Most Holy Name. – Amen

Fraternally submitted,  
Roy L. Gilkey, PGHP, Grand Chaplain

*(Reporting period 1/1/2021-12/31/2022)*

<b>Full Name</b>	<b>Date of Birth</b>	<b>Date of Death</b>	<b>Chapter</b>
Austin, Bruce R.	12/17/1930	12/29/2021	75 - Wilson
Bittner III, Frank O.	06/22/1928	10/05/2021	1 - St. Charles Missouri
Bradley, Wilbur H.	01/20/1930	06/14/2021	64 - Lebanon
Brandon Jr., Carl Conrad	09/25/1929	10/06/2021	52 - Tyrian
Brault, Henry A.	01/25/1930	04/29/2021	{ 284 - Harry D. Brown Jr. }
Brim, George E.	08/06/1933	08/12/2021	102 - Orient
Brown, Cecil Gail	09/01/1943	04/30/2021	99 - Shelbina
Campbell, Galeon Paul	11/12/1926	12/03/2021	32 - Rolla
Cohrs Jr., William Henry	07/27/1927	06/26/2021	10 - Lexington
Coleman, Thomas Lester	12/03/1932	10/29/2021	102 - Orient
Compton, Lonnie E.	12/26/1930	01/22/2021	{ 110 - Vincil }
Crawford, Charles Walter	06/24/1934	11/04/2021	17 - Columbia
Davidson, Kenneth N.	09/29/1943	02/20/2021	17 - Columbia
Delvalle, Robert Keith	09/28/1976	08/22/2021	17 - Columbia
Doss Jr., Frank J.	03/10/1928	07/15/2021	25 - Bellefontaine
Drewing, Ervin A.	10/07/1931	01/27/2021	78 - Oriental-Rabboni
Emery, Leon K.	01/14/1934	03/19/2021	56 - Nevada
Faircloth, Cletus	09/27/1929	09/05/2021	129 - Uel
Faith, James A.	10/15/1926	09/29/2021	56 - Nevada
Frey, Elmer R.	04/02/1938	03/27/2021	61 - Meridian Sun
Frieze, Joe Bryant	10/25/1926	01/07/2021	5 - Bolivar
Furman, Dr. James	01/09/1947	01/01/2021	53 - Caldwell
Gingrich, Wesley Edwin	05/31/1927	06/23/2021	17 - Columbia

Grisham, Richard R.	09/23/1925	04/12/2021	1 - St. Charles Missouri
Guinn, William Harry	05/21/1931	06/01/2021	91 - Joplin
Gunn, Clement G.	02/07/1939	11/07/2021	99 - Shelbina
Haberichter, Jean Phillips	01/01/1925	04/19/2021	14 - Mitchell
Hardester, Robert Eugene	02/21/1936	03/02/2021	146 - Keystone
Hensley, Norris D.	01/01/1925	04/14/2021	10 - Lexington
Holder, Jimmie R.	02/25/1939	06/23/2021	102 - Orient
Holifield, Michael Floyd	05/06/1939	01/18/2021	114 - Poplar Bluff
Howell, Thomas Eugene	08/30/1940	10/21/2021	129 - Uel
Hunt, Howard E.	01/29/1929	02/15/2021	43 - Wyoming
Hurt, Rodney Wayne	03/05/1958	03/27/2021	43 - Wyoming
Iselin, Charles Albert	02/03/1931	09/28/2021	1 - St. Charles Missouri
Jewett, John Gilman	10/16/1930	10/19/2021	17 - Columbia
Ker, Houston Corbin	03/04/1941	09/04/2021	15 - Springfield
King, Larry L.	11/05/1954	01/01/2021	12 - Independence
Koerber, Kenneth Richard	09/06/1929	11/16/2021	78 - Oriental-Rabboni
Lawrence, Kevin Anthony	09/17/1953	12/31/2021	102 - Orient
Marts, Charles Dicki	10/02/1928	04/22/2021	53 - Caldwell
Matthews, Jack N.	05/27/1926	01/17/2021	75 - Wilson
Maunce, William E.	01/01/1914	01/01/2021	1 - St. Charles Missouri
McClaran Jr., Ray Eugene	11/22/1926	09/18/2021	12 - Independence
McCullom, Bufford Marlin	12/18/1938	12/28/2021	3 - Liberty
McGinley, Phillip L.	11/16/1936	05/19/2021	3 - Liberty
McLemore III, Christopher Columbus	11/15/1928	06/04/2021	38 - Greenfield
Miller, Albert H.	07/08/1934	02/26/2021	129 - Uel
Morgan, George Allen	04/18/1936	03/04/2021	3 - Liberty
Morrill, Robert Layne	06/02/1939	01/30/2021	15 - Springfield
Morris, Charles Alonzo	07/24/1939	08/31/2021	53 - Caldwell
Piles, Edgar Doyle	03/20/1940	10/23/2021	78 - Oriental-Rabboni
Price, Daryl L.	03/31/1934	11/11/2021	14 - Mitchell
Pruitt, Thomas Lewis	03/30/1940	06/14/2021	114 - Poplar Bluff
Ragan, Norman Everett	06/03/1936	05/09/2021	32 - Rolla
Ramsey, Dustin Dale	03/20/1984	08/12/2021	114 - Poplar Bluff
Ratcliff, Bruce Enloe	03/16/1931	01/08/2021	{ 110 - Vincil }
Reed, Jimmy Nicholas	01/01/1940	08/20/2021	102 - Orient
Reinhard, James R.	01/01/1929	11/11/2021	99 - Shelbina
Rhoades, Sammie Joe	04/13/1931	06/18/2021	102 - Orient
Ritchie, George M.	02/28/1936	05/18/2021	61 - Meridian Sun
Roloff, Bobby Gene	12/21/1931	09/15/2021	75 - Wilson
Sayles, William Eugene	06/30/1941	09/09/2021	28 - Kansas City
Schultz, Jubal Wiiston	06/02/1999	10/13/2021	1 - St. Charles Missouri
Sherard, Bert D.	10/25/1930	04/24/2021	14 - Mitchell
Smith, Neal	09/04/1955	02/25/2021	56 - Nevada
Staggs, John William	01/01/1924	11/07/2021	99 - Shelbina
Stanley, Edward L.	05/10/1924	11/19/2021	102 - Orient
Staton, Roy Barclay	11/25/1939	12/13/2021	10 - Lexington

Steelman, Jerry Francis	08/19/1936	03/28/2021	15 - Springfield
Strickland, Donald K.	07/27/1939	12/27/2021	64 - Lebanon
Thompson, Samuel Frank	02/28/1943	06/02/2021	53 - Caldwell
Trimble, Rodney L.	08/01/1936	08/05/2021	91 - Joplin
True, Harlan Jerome	09/03/1934	06/26/2021	53 - Caldwell
Tucker, Wayne Gorman	03/08/1935	02/05/2021	114 - Poplar Bluff
Wampler, Francis L.	10/19/1927	05/23/2021	14 - Mitchell
Ward, Jerry Francis	08/05/1939	11/07/2021	3 - Liberty
Weaver, Robert H	12/04/1946	01/20/2021	14 - Mitchell
Wheeler, Billy Eugene	09/22/1927	01/14/2021	3 - Liberty
White D.D., Dr. Thomas W.	01/01/1923	08/15/2021	14 - Mitchell
Wilfley Jr., Frank Pindall	04/10/1920	05/10/2021	93 - Triune
Wommack, Clarence McLee	03/11/1935	07/18/2021	15 - Springfield
Wommack, Jerroll Ray	08/03/1932	07/18/2021	{ 110 - Vincil }
Wood Jr., Ronald Everett	07/06/1930	05/25/2021	14 - Mitchell
Wright, John Wayne	10/07/1928	10/27/2021	{ 22 - Macon }
Yeager, Wendell L.	10/11/1936	04/16/2021	43 - Wyoming

### Visitations

June 10, 2021	Grand Session Installation
June 14, 2021	Keystone No. 146 Visit / 50 YR presentation to MEC John W, Siscel III, Not an official visit. Won a TV Raffle, way to start off a term!
June 27, 2021	Attended and Presented Grand Chapter Award and Check at Grand Assembly of Rainbow Girls, Introduced my Lifetime Rainbow Girl Yvette
July 11, 2021	Grand Chapter Officer WebEx First WebEx to include DD's... successful
August 1, 2021	Zoom Meeting W/ Region 7 Discuss upcoming Area Meeting
August 8, 2021	GC WebEx
August 21, 2021	Regional Meeting 3A/3B Kansas City, Well attended
August 22, 2021	Grand Masters Breakfast – Shrine St. Louis Great to be feeling Masonically ‘Normal’ again
August 22, 2021	Grand High Priest Reception – Freedom Temple Well attended, kinda bizarre for me...
September 11, 2021	Regional Conference in Bolivar 7A and 7B Well attended – played Red and Purple Rain
September 12, 2021	Grand Chapter WebEx Preparation for GM Letter
September 13, 2021	GHP Official Visit – Keystone No. 146. Well attended, presentation by DDGHP Nick was well received
September 16-17, 2021	GGRAMI South Central Regional Overland Park, KS - MO well represented, great speech by Robert Davis
September 20, 2021	GHP Installs Members of Jefferson City Chapter RAM Hot dogs for dinner, almost entire line installed, missing two. All YR bodies installed
September 25, 2021	Truman Dinner Columbia Country Club, well attended after missing a year
September 26, 2021	Grand Lodge Distinguished Guest Banquet, Michael Flagg appointed to Grand Line, issues with hotel
September 27, 2021	Grand Lodge Grand appended bodies recognized, KBS gave excellent Oration, well received
October 2, 2021	GIM MacCormick Reception Kansas City, Drove to KC for Haggis....
October 4, 2021	Triune Chapter Fish Fry Montgomery City, MO raised \$575 for RARA

October 10, 2021 Monthly Grand Chapter Officer Meeting Decent attendance. Prep for GM Invitational  
 October 11, 2021 Keystone Meeting  
 October 14, 2021 Red Coat Blitz on Crestwood/Anchor Lodge Great Turnout, Myself, Nick Young, Mike Dodd, John Caraker, Rick Bauer, Dick Nelms, Mike Kassel... I spoke on Royal Arch and Nick gave a great presentation on Royal Arch being the next step. Adam Iwanow- Master. Well received!

October 16, 2021 Region 4/1 York Rite Conference - Jefferson City Lodge Decent turnout, very good instructions on York Rite Protocols. Good video and pics. MIGM Donny Mac read relating ritual.

October 23, 2021 Region 5 York Rite Conference – Webster Groves Lodge Great turnout, Commandery section ran long. Great lunch afterward at CJ Muggs with 10

October 31, 2021 Gardenville/Cache Centennial Celebration My Home Lodge, I spoke as well as MWB Ty and the Grand Officers

November 1, 2021 Official Visit to Rabboni/Oriental Good Visit, Well attended, stoked for GM Invites  
 November 6, 2021 GHP Rock and Roll Show Grand Secretary had fun  
 November 8, 2021 Keystone Meeting  
 November 10, 2021 Official Visit to St. Charles No. 1 Very well attended, inspired speech call to action, they held a Red Coat Blitz and got a member from it!

November 14, 2021 WebEx with GC Officers GM Invitation prep  
 November 15, 2021 Official Visit to Rolla Chapter Well attended, did Veterans Day presentation  
 November 30, 2021 GGCرامي Zoom meeting Nothing special  
 December 6, 2021 Attended First Class of new initiates in St. Louis Region Webster Groves – Oriental/Rabboni hosted, 4 new members, Grand Master Accompanied, Springfield did 7!

December 8, 2021 York Rite Christmas Party at St. Charles No. 1 Best attended one yet, total fun, GM sang! Grand Officers participated, raised \$477 in quarters!

December 11, 2021 Regional Conference in Cape Girardeau Nicely attended, good meeting  
 December 12, 2021 WebEx with GC Officers Discussed GM Invitation (AKA Bicentennial Invitation) the rest of the team finally coming around to participate!

January 9, 2022 WebEx with Grand Line Audit with Russell  
 January 12, 2022 MM and PM degrees at Cape Girardeau 9 candidates!  
 February 13, 2022 WebEx Grand Line  
 February 19, 2022 Rehearsal for Grand Masters Class Jefferson City  
 February 23, 2022 Head to Kevin Sample’s for going to Shreveport with Kevin and Mark, SNOWED AND ICED OUT!

March 5, 2022 Grand Masters Bicentennial Invitational at Webster Groves Best Royal Arch Day in History!

March 26, 2022 50 Year Pin presentation in KC Area Cancelled!

April 4, 2022 Installed Oriental/Rabboni No. 78 Great night, three new members from GM Class installed!

April 11, 2022 Installed Keystone No. 146 Great Morning, two new members from GM Class installed!

April 13, 2022 Installed St. Charles No. 1 Great Evening, two new members from GM Class installed!

May 12, 2022 Grand Session, Grand Council PHA Attended with Donald and Kevin who is very popular.

May 29, 2022 Attended DeMolay Conclave Banquet Speech and Award  
 June 9, 2022 175<sup>th</sup> Annual Convocation of the Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons of the State of Missouri

**Edicts Issued**  
**Edict No. 1**

November 12, 2021

**WHEREAS**, following extensive consultation with the Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of the State of Missouri, A.F. & A.M., the Grand High Priest, in conjunction with the Advancing Line Officers of the Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons of the State of Missouri, the Grand High Priest and the Grand Master have concluded that the Bicentennial Celebration is the appropriate occasion for an extraordinary opportunity for the Master Masons of the State of Missouri; and,

**WHEREAS**, that opportunity is comprised of an Invitation from the Grand Master to all Master Masons within his jurisdiction to receive the Mark Master and Past Master Degrees under the supervision of the Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons of the State of Missouri;

**THEREFORE**, the Grand High Priest shall designate Chapters within his jurisdiction, including any Chapters determined by the Grand High Priest to be deemed to be under the auspices of Missouri Chapter No. 0, consistent with Section 159K of the By-Laws of the Grand Chapter of Missouri, with the authority to undertake the Special Conferral of these Degrees at no initial cost to any invited Master Mason; and,

**FURTHER**, that any invited Master Mason who receives the Mark Master and Past Master Degrees as part of the Special Conferral shall be eligible to receive the Most Excellent Master and Royal Arch Degrees in due course, upon tendering of all of the requisite fees and a completed petition to the designated Chapter.

**Charters Arrested**

None

**Decisions**

July 11, 2021

Realigned Region 3A and 3B, specifically, moving Wyoming Chapter No. 43 to Region 3, District B and moving Orient Chapter No. 102 to Region 3, District A.

July 25, 2021

Approved the Consolidation of Harry D. Brown Chapter No. 284 with Wyoming Chapter No. 43 effective July 12, 2021.

September 4, 2021

Issued following statement to all Missouri Chapters regarding Traveling Keystone Award:

Companions All, In 2011, M.:E.:C.: Steven C. Monrotus introduced a new Traveling Keystone Award. Each Region has received a visitation trophy. The rules are simple, any three or more Companions from a Chapter may visit the Chapter holding the Keystone Award and claim it for their Chapter. This can only be done within your home region. Example: A Chapter from Region 1 cannot go to a Chapter in Region 2 and claim their Keystone Award. Each Traveling Keystone Award must stay in its home Region. In addition, if the Chapter that holds the award cannot officially open, the visiting Chapter cannot claim the Keystone. In the event that TWO or more Chapters visit the same Chapter Convocation, then the visiting Chapter represented by the largest number of Companions wins the ability to take the Keystone back to their Chapter. In the event of a tie, the Chapter that travels the furthest, from Temple to Temple, shall earn it.

In order to claim the points on the Distinguished Chapter Award application, a document signed by the High Priest and Secretary attesting that the trophy was retrieved shall be given. This receipt shall include the name of the visiting Chapter, date the visit was made,



and names of the visiting Companions. This shall be kept by the visiting Chapter and forwarded to the DDGHP on or before April 1 each year. If anyone has any further questions, they may be directed to:

W. Larry Wilson, Chairman, Education Committee  
10 Inverness Court, St. Peters, MO 63376-1247  
Home: 636-970-3010 / Cell: 636-262-9196  
210wander@gmail.com

Your Education Committee is always looking for new and inventive ways to provide Capitular education. If you have any suggestions or questions, please feel free to contact us. I wish you all a great Masonic Year and look forward to seeing you in Chapter.

This communication is to be read aloud in all Chapters and included in their trestleboards.

- November 20, 2021 Approved the Consolidation of Mt. Nebo Chapter No. 148 with Bellefontaine Chapter No. 25, effective October 27, 2021.
- December 23, 2021 Approved the consolidation of Macon Chapter No. 22 with Shelbina Chapter No. 99 effective December 4, 2021.
- December 23, 2021 Approved the consolidation of Trenton Chapter No. 66 with Mitchell Chapter No. 14 effective September 1, 2021.
- December 23, 2021 Approved the consolidation of Vincil Chapter No. 110 with Greenfield Chapter No. 38 effective October 28, 2021.
- December 30, 2021 Granted a Waiver of Jurisdiction for Brother Eric See in order for him to be able to join the York Rite Bodies in Mt. Home, Arkansas.
- February 6, 2022 Accepted the resignation of REC Clifton W. Wofford, Grand King, due to health reasons.
- March 6, 2022 Issued PSA to be published in the Royal Arch Mason Magazine regarding Missouri's Grand Master's Invitational.
- April 12, 2022 Accepted resignation of VEC Dennis N. Vogel, Grand Master of the 3<sup>rd</sup> Veil, due to health reasons.

### **Dispensations Granted**

- July 7, 2021 Granted dispensation to Springfield Chapter No. 15 for Temporary Removal from their home at the Masonic York Rite Temple, 1930 W. Catalpa, Springfield, MO to Gate of the Temple Lodge, 1700 N. Booneville, Springfield, MO due to the sale of their building.
- February 23, 2022 Granted dispensation to Bellefontaine Chapter No. 25 RAM to hold a Special Convocation on February 26, 2022 to confer the degrees of Mark Master and Past Master at the West County Masonic Center located at 15977 Clayton Road, Ellisville, MO.
- March 5, 2022 Granted dispensation to Palmyra Chapter No. 2 and Missouri Chapter No. 0 to remove from their domicile to the domicile of Oriental-Rabboni Chapter No. 78 located at 12 East Lockwood Avenue, Webster Groves, MO for the purpose of jointly opening Palmyra

Chapter No. 2 and Missouri Chapter No. 0, and the Grand Master's Bicentennial Royal Arch Invitational degree conferral on Saturday, March 5, 2022.

Additionally, this dispensation permits Palmyra Chapter No. 2 and Missouri Chapter No. 0 to change their meeting dates to March 5, 2022 for this event only but does not preclude their requirement to meet during the Annual Session of the Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons of the State of Missouri.

Additionally, Missouri Chapter No. 2 may receive and ballot on petitions for membership for all Grand Master's Bicentennial Royal Arch Invitational candidates.

Finally, this dispensation permits the opening time to be determined by the Grand Lecturer and the Grand High Priest based on scheduling needs.

### **By Law Changes, Subordinate Chapters**

- July 28, 2021      Approved the proposed by-laws changes of Springfield Chapter No. 15. The proposed change deals with auditing of books and the change is for the purpose of keeping their local by-laws in compliance with Grand Chapter Bylaws.
- December 30, 2021      Approved the proposed by-laws changes of Wilson Chapter No. 75, changing their meeting date and time to be held at 7:00 p.m. on the third Tuesday of each calendar month except July and August at the Cape Girardeau Masonic Temple.

### **Time Capsule**

Unfortunately, I was unable to visit the Time Capsule in Branson, however it is my intent to make this visit as soon as possible following this Grand Convocation.

### **Grand High Priest Coins**

I have designated that all proceeds raised from coin sales this year be split between the Grand Chapter Masonic Youth Fund and RARA. We have sold a great deal of coins, and more are available. Please get yours if you haven't yet!

### **State of the Craft**

We have experienced a very successful year and will celebrate that success this week at Grand Session. We had the largest increase in membership in recent memory. Over 130 new Royal Arch Masons were Exalted during this annual term. We had many excellent York Rite Masons work together and accomplish goals that were challenging to say the least!

We have proved that when like-minded men pull together in harmony, they can truly conquer all obstacles for the betterment of the Craft. Attendance at most functions was increased, members were inspired and lifted Capitular Masonry to new heights. We challenged all Chapters to open and close without the aid of ritual books and they obliged.

We have succeeded in coming out of the darkness of the pandemic and being idle, to being stronger than before. Masons across the state were ready to get back to business and enjoy the brotherhood once again.

My vision is to take the momentum we are experiencing right now and continue to move it forward and ensure our future to be robust and bountiful. We are all fortunate to have the strength of a committed and strong Grand Chapter Line.

### In Conclusion

Finally, Companions, I wish to thank the entire York Rite Body for all the support we received this year. So much commitment was given to deliver a great boost in membership, I will be forever grateful.

I'd like to personally thank MEC Kevin B. Sample, Lady Debbie Hanson, REC Russel Hanson and MEC Donald Trabue, for keeping the engine running and making the extra effort this year.

I'd like to thank EC Todd M. Schulze and the Jurisprudence Committee for resolving issues as they appeared, there were many curve balls!

I'd like to thank my family, my wife Yvette and Daughter Cassidy for their support and encouragement. I could not have succeeded this year without them. I was very fortunate to have parents to light the path and give me the strength to take on such a role and be productive in it. My term is dedicated to Josè and Selma Palacios.

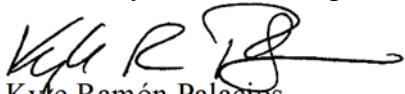
Thank you to the Grand Chapter Line! I'll always remember the loyalty and commitment you have given me this term. One of the greatest lines in recent memory.

And to all companions statewide, thank you for stepping up and being part of a year truly worthy of celebrating! It was humbling to experience meeting such amazing Masons who make up the backbone of this great fraternity.

We have strengthened our Grand Line and we have the momentum to go forward increasing our membership and enjoying each other's companionship for years to come.

Remain committed to the cause and stay the course! Remember, you are Royal Arch Masons...Be the best Royal Arch Mason you can be!

Fraternally and Most Respectfully submitted,



Kyle Ramón Palacios  
Grand High Priest 2021-2022

*Move that this report be received and referred to the Jurisprudence Committee and the Committee on the Grand High Priest's Address.*

**Action Taken: Passed / Failed / Withdrawn / Amended / Tabled / Other**

### REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON THE GRAND HIGH PRIEST'S ADDRESS

*To the Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons of the State of Missouri,*

Companions, the committee on the Address of the Grand High Priest would like to commend MEC Palacios on a very successful year. His ability to work with the Grand Lodge of Missouri has shown the respect and the ability to accomplish his goals. Through his efforts, the Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons of Missouri has been able to add to our fraternity numerous new companions. We find that the Address of the Grand High Priest is in order and well written. He has discharged the duties of his office with care, enthusiasm, and dignity. We wish him all the best in the future.

Fraternally submitted,  
David L. Leirer, PGHP, Chairman

*Move that this report be accepted and referred to the Jurisprudence Committee.*

**Action Taken: Passed / Failed / Withdrawn / Amended / Tabled / Other**

**GRAND CHAPTER OFFICER REPORTS**  
**2021 FINAL REPORT OF THE GRAND TREASURER**  
*June 1, 2020 through May, 2021*

<u>Grand Chapter</u>		***** Investments ** (Amounts)				5/31/2021
					.	(As Reported)
	<u>Bank</u>	<u>Act. No.</u>	<u>Rate</u>	<u>Matures</u>	<u>Balance</u>	
<b>General Fund</b>						
Interest Checking	R Jefferson Bank	58915	0.04%		\$ 502.98	
Interest Checking	C Jefferson Bank	74544	0.05%		\$ 1,007.10	
Interest Checking	O Jefferson Bank	74325	0.05%		\$ 23.09	
Money Market	Jefferson Bank	463929	0.07%		\$10,498.20	
CD	Jefferson Bank	146740	0.50%	3/9/2022	\$50,000.00	<b>0.9798%</b>
Business Invest.	Providence Bank (GYR)	30000211	0.08%		\$ 211.78	
Securities	* Investor Services	17284332			\$19,505.73	
	(Jefferson Bank)	154865				<b>\$ 81,748.88</b>
<b>General Fund (Special Account)</b>		<b>(Temporarily Restricted - Base Only (\$113,403.36))</b>				
Money Market	Jefferson Bank	463929	0.07%		\$ 5,896.19	
Business Invest.	Providence Bank (GYR)	30000211	0.08%		\$ 209.63	
Securities	* American Balanced	BALBX			\$95,720.68	
	(Jefferson Bank)					
Securities	* Investor Services	17284332			\$49,646.97	
	(Jefferson Bank)	154865				
CD	Hawthorn Bank	480630	0.60%	7/15/2021	\$23,090.35	
CD	Hawthorn Bank	473677	0.60%	1/3/2022	\$11,211.13	
CD	Jefferson Bank	146740	0.50%	3/9/2022	\$ 1,030.77	<b>0.0202%</b>
						<b>\$ 186,805.72</b>
<b>Endowed Membership Fund</b>						
Money Market	Jefferson	463929	0.07%		\$ 3,540.28	
Business Invest.	Providence Bank (GYR)	30000211	0.08%		\$ 1.72	
Securities	* American - Income				\$73,597.88	
	(Jefferson Bank)					
Securities	* American Balanced	BALBX			\$37,663.45	
	(Jefferson Bank)					
CD	Providence Bank	1265605	0.90%	7/3/2021	\$17,879.41	
CD	Providence Bank	1243915	0.90%	7/22/2021	\$32,018.22	
CD	Providence Bank	1264225	0.90%	8/23/2021	\$21,641.36	
						<b>\$ 186,342.32</b>
<b>Foundation Fund</b>						
Money Market	Jefferson Bank	463929	0.07%		\$36,956.87	
Business Invest.	Providence Bank (GYR)	30000211	0.08%		\$ 92.38	
CD	Hawthorn Bank	516139	0.60%	3/23/2022	\$54,757.56	
CD	Providence Bank	1243920	0.90%	7/22/2021	\$27,313.49	
CD	Jefferson Bank	146017	0.90%	9/3/2021	\$37,873.73	
						<b>\$ 156,994.03</b>
<b>Palmyra Fund</b>						
Money Market	Jefferson Bank	463929	0.07%		\$ 164.13	
Business Invest.	Providence Bank (GYR)	30000211	0.08%		\$ 131.57	
Securities	* American - Income				\$ 3,275.57	
	(Jefferson Bank)					<b>\$ 3,571.27</b>

<b>Supply Fund</b>						
Money Market	Jefferson Bank	463929	0.07%		\$ 3,360.36	
Securities	* Investor Services (Jefferson Bank)	17284332 154865			\$ 13,030.69	
Securities	* American - Income (Jefferson Bank)				\$ 5,508.38	
						<b>\$ 21,899.43</b>
<b>Triennial Fund</b>						
Money Market	Jefferson Bank	463929	0.07%		\$ 999.56	
						<b>\$ 999.56</b>
<b>Leadership Fund</b>						
Money Market	Jefferson Bank	463929	0.07%		\$ 1,648.99	
						<b>\$ 1,648.99</b>
<b>Total =</b>						<b>\$ 640,010.21</b>

Fraternally submitted,  
Donald L. Trabue, HPGHP, Grand Treasurer

**Action Taken: Passed / Failed / Withdrawn / Amended / Tabled / Other**

**PRELIMINARY REPORT OF THE GRAND TREASURER**  
*June 1, 2021 through March 31, 2022*

To the Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons of the State of Missouri,

Companions, due to computer problems, this is the only way that I could complete the basic information in time to print for inclusion in the Proceedings for the 2022 Grand session.

Shortly after completion of the 2022 Grand Session, I plan to complete a report that will show the financial happenings from June 1, 2021 thru May 31, 2022, as was a custom for several years.

<b>Grand Chapter</b>		<b>***** Investments *****</b>					<b>3/31/2022 As Reported</b>
	<b>Bank</b>	<b>Act. No.</b>	<b>Rate</b>	<b>Matures</b>	<b>Balance</b>		
<b>General Fund</b>							
Interest Checking	<b>R</b> Jefferson Bank	58915	0.04%		\$ 420.25		
Interest Checking	<b>C</b> Jefferson Bank	74544	0.05%		\$ 236.69		
Interest Checking	<b>O</b> Jefferson Bank	74325	0.04%		\$ 23.08		
Money Market	Jefferson Bank	463929	0.05%		\$ (12,498.59)		
CD	Jefferson Bank	148090	0.50%	3/9/2023	\$ 50,249.67	<b>0.9798%</b>	
Business Invest.	Providence Bank (GYR)	30000211	0.05%		\$ 212.23		
Securities	* Investor Services (Jefferson Bank)	17284332 154865			\$ 22,349.05		
						<b>\$ 60,992.38</b>	
<b>General Fund (Special Account)</b>		<b>(Temporarily Restricted - Base Only (\$113,403.36))</b>					
Money Market	Jefferson Bank	463929	0.05%		\$ 5,898.55		
Business Invest.	Providence Bank (GYR)	30000211	0.05%		\$ 210.07		
Securities	* American Balanced (Jefferson Bank)	BALBX			\$ 103,139.85		
Securities	* Investor Services (Jefferson Bank)	17284332 154865			\$ 56,883.93		
CD	Hawthorn Bank	480630	0.60%	7/15/2022	\$ 23,212.34		
CD	Hawthorn Bank	473677	0.60%	1/3/2023	\$ 11,270.36		
CD	Jefferson Bank	148090	0.50%	3/9/2023	\$ 1,035.97	<b>0.0202%</b>	
						<b>\$ 201,651.07</b>	

<b>Endowed Membership Fund</b>						
Money Market	Jefferson	463929	0.05%			\$ 21,481.61
Business Invest.	Providence Bank (GYR)	30000211	0.05%			\$ 1.72
Securities	* American - Income (Jefferson Bank)					\$ 87,927.65
Securities	* American Balanced (Jefferson Bank)	BALBX				\$ 40,185.08
CD	Providence Bank	1243915	0.10%	7/22/2022		\$ 32,135.98
CD	Providence Bank	1264225	0.10%	8/23/2022		\$ 21,715.60
						<b>\$ 203,447.64</b>
<b>Foundation Fund</b>						
Money Market	Jefferson Bank	463929	0.05%			\$ 36,971.69
Business Invest.	Providence Bank (GYR)	30000211	0.05%			\$ 92.60
CD	Providence Bank	1243920	0.10%	7/22/2022		\$ 27,413.94
CD	Jefferson Bank	147495	0.50%	9/2/2022		\$ 38,082.30
CD	Hawthorn Bank	516139	0.60%	3/23/2023		\$ 55,086.85
						<b>\$ 157,647.38</b>
<b>Palmyra Fund</b>						
Money Market	Jefferson Bank	463929	0.05%			\$ 557.94
Business Invest.	Providence Bank (GYR)	30000211	0.05%			\$ 131.88
Securities	* American - Income (Jefferson Bank)					\$ 3,717.33
						<b>\$ 4,407.15</b>
<b>Supply Fund</b>						
Money Market	Jefferson Bank	463929	0.05%			\$ 3,621.53
Securities	* Investor Services (Jefferson Bank)	17284332 154865				\$ 14,930.15
Securities	* American - Income (Jefferson Bank)					\$ 6,251.26
						<b>\$ 24,802.94</b>
<b>Triennial Fund</b>						
Money Market	Jefferson Bank	463929	0.05%			\$ 1,090.17
						<b>\$ 1,090.17</b>
<b>Leadership Fund</b>						
Money Market	Jefferson Bank	463929	0.05%			\$ 1,773.79
						<b>\$ 1,773.79</b>
					<b>Total =</b>	<b>\$ 655,812.53</b>

Fraternally submitted,  
Donald L. Trabue, HPGHP, Grand Treasurer

*Move that this report be accepted, subject to correction and audit.*

**Action Taken: Passed / Failed / Withdrawn / Amended / Tabled / Other**

### REPORTS OF THE GRAND SECRETARY

*To the Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons of the State of Missouri,*

Companions, following this narrative you will find the statistical reports of the Grand Secretary's office. Although the same recommendations are made every year, again, it would be of great benefit to the grand officers and committees to actually review and study these reports as they provide much institutional information as to the overall financial and physical health of the subordinate Chapters of the Grand Chapter of Missouri.

**Annual Returns – Late:** As of the time of this report, the following Chapters filed late returns and were assessed penalties: Bolivar Chapter No. 5; Bellefontaine Chapter No. 25; Kansas City Chapter No. 28; Rolla Chapter No. 32; Jefferson City Chapter No. 34; Lebanon Chapter No. 64; Triune Chapter No. 93; Orient Chapter No. 102; Poplar Bluff Chapter No. 114; and Keystone Chapter No. 146.

**Annual Returns – No Return:** None

**Annual Returns – Not Received thirty days prior to Annual Convocation:** As of the date of this report, the following Chapter filed an annual return, but not later than thirty (30) days prior to the Annual Convocation, has forfeited all rights and privileges to representation and voting at the Annual Convocation, and will be assessed penalties: None.

**Annual Returns – Financial Statements:** The following Chapters either failed to submit or filed an incomplete Financial Statement, and in one case was completely unintelligible: Greenfield Chapter No. 38; and Putnam Chapter No. 123.

**Annual Returns – RARA Donations (according to the annual returns):** The following Chapters reported no contributions to RARA. It is suspected they are not adhering to the Grand Chapter By-Laws, Article IX, Revenues of the Grand Chapter, Section 40. Annual Dues, Paragraph B, or they are receiving donations and not forwarding them to the Grand Chapter, or they are forwarding them to the Grand Chapter but not keeping accurate financial records of income and disbursements as detailed in the Annual Financial Reports included with the Annual Return, all of which I refer to the Grand Officers to address: Bolivar Chapter No. 5; Hannibal Chapter No. 7; Lexington Chapter No. 10; Bellefontaine Chapter No. 25; Kansas City Chapter No. 28; Greenfield Chapter No. 38; Meridian Sun Chapter No. 61; Wilson Chapter No. 75; Bethany Chapter No. 80, and Uel Chapter No. 129.

In contrast, St. Charles Chapter No. 1 was able to contribute \$5.33 per member for each of their members; Independence Chapter No. 12 contributed \$4.35 per member; Lebanon Chapter No. 64 contributed \$3.38 per member; and Triune Chapter No. 93 once again had the largest contribution of \$6.25 per member for each of their members and had the largest total contribution from all the Chapters.

One item of importance to mention – 2021 RARA donations according to Annual Return Financial Reports show total contributions for the reporting year of \$2,496.64. However total contributions received through our office in the 2021 fiscal year were actually \$3,049.52. Secretaries need to try to report more accurately and examiners need to pay closer attention to what they are looking at.

**Annual Returns – Bonding:** The following Chapters reported that the Treasurer and Secretary are NOT bonded: Columbia Chapter No. 17; Bellefontaine Chapter No. 25; Rolla Chapter No. 32; Jefferson City Chapter No. 34; Greenfield Chapter No. 38; Wyoming Chapter No. 43; Tyrian Chapter No. 52; Caldwell Chapter No. 53; Nevada Chapter No. 56; Meridian Sun Chapter No. 61; Lebanon Chapter No. 64; Wilson Chapter No. 75; Oriental-Rabboni Chapter No. 78; Bethany Chapter No. 80; Joplin Chapter No. 91; Triune Chapter No. 93; Shelbina Chapter No. 99; Orient Chapter No. 102; Poplar Bluff Chapter No. 114; Putnam Chapter No. 123; and Keystone Chapter No. 146. Although there is no requirement by law that bonds be established, there is a necessity of ensuring the organizational officers who are responsible for your financial health are bonded.

**Annual Returns – Inquiries and Examination of Accounts (*Financial Reviews*):** The following Chapters did not file an Inquiry and Examination of Accounts as part of their Annual Return or if they did file an Inquiry and Examination of Accounts, it was incomplete: Lexington Chapter No. 10 – not dated; Greenfield Chapter No. 38 – incomplete; Lebanon Chapter No. 64 – missing HP signature; Keystone Chapter No. 146 – only one committeeman name/signature.

Many reports did not have the seal applied – it is a requirement of this document to provide evidentiary proof that the Chapter Secretary is in possession of the Chapter seal.

I refer all of the above to the Grand Officers to address.

**Annual Returns - Signatories:** The following Chapters report that there is **not** more than one signatory on the accounts of the Chapter: Greenfield Chapter No. 38; Oriental-Rabboni Chapter No. 78; Bethany Chapter No. 80; and Keystone Chapter No. 146. **This failure is an extremely high risk to the Chapter.** I refer these to the Grand Officers to address.

**Annual Returns – Dues:** The following Chapters reported dues charged each member to be less than that required by Grand Chapter (\$35.60): None.

**Annual Returns – 990 Status:** The following Chapters did not file evidence of a completed 990 filing: Hannibal Chapter No. 7; Jefferson City Chapter No. 34; Bethany Chapter No. 80 –Shelbina Chapter No. 99. I refer these to the Grand Officers to address.

**Annual Returns – Chapter Indebtedness:** The following Chapters reported a negative cash on hand as of December 31, 2021: Oriental-Rabboni Chapter No. 78. I refer this to the Grand Officers to address.

**Annual Returns – Summary:** Repeating from previous years, again, (nothing has changed). I would direct the Grand Officers' (as well as appropriate committees') attention to the several items in the written reports above and the statistical reports below – Chapters who report little to no Cash on Hand; no Paraphernalia value; and Chapters who show an indebtedness. DDGHP's should take notice of those Chapters who failed to record any RARA donations and provide education. Any Chapter having only one signature on Chapter accounts is a critical failure of local leadership and audit committees. Finally, I would refer to the Grand High Priest and appropriate committees the list of Treasurers and Secretaries who are not bonded, and whose Chapters failed to submit an annual audit. We must start reviewing and addressing these statistical reports and what appears to be failures on the part of the Chapters, although we are sure most of these items could be remediated through training, education, and accurate reporting of the subordinate officers by the appropriate Grand Chapter officers.

**Growth Awards:** There were only 36 Exaltations during the 2021 reporting year after things started to pick up after the reactivations of the Chapters following the pandemic. A Grand Chapter Growth Award will be presented to Hannibal Chapter No. 7 (9%), the smallest Chapter in the state who gained one Affiliation during the year increasing their membership from 11 to 12; Lebanon Chapter No. 64 (8%) who Exalted 8 new members; and the highest growth award goes to Kansas City Chapter No. 28 (12%) who Exalted 5 new members and reinstated 1. No other Chapter met the 5% growth minimum, consolidations excluded.

**MMS:** We feel all of the Chapters are fully engaged and using MMS, either by the Chapter Secretary or the IT Representative designated for that purpose.

**Secretaries and IT Representatives:** Although the above narrative highlights many opportunities for improvement, the operations of the Subordinate Chapters in Missouri would not exist, nor, I dare say, this Grand Chapter, without the ultimate devotion and hard work of all of the Secretaries and IT Representatives of each and every Chapter around this great state. They have helped improve the business processes of this office, moved us forward in managing membership records, and are even the lifeblood of their Chapters. There is a very fine line between dedication and insanity, and it takes a special kind of crazy to be a fraternal Secretary. We owe each one of them our gratitude and appreciation for keeping us alive. Thank you!

**Search for new Grand Secretary:** See Report of Search Committee.

**Final Report:** Companions, this will be my final report as your Grand Secretary. In 2001, being in the Grand Council line and having advanced to Grand Captain of the Guard at that point in time, I realized something about myself that I hope all can learn from. Not all of us are cut out to be local presiding officers, or regional officers, or even presiding grand officers, let alone be good at any of them. Not all of us are ritualists or good with managing money. It is incumbent upon each of us in this fraternity to recognize our strengths and weaknesses as servants of and to the craft. I knew early on that I could be a good Secretary – I very much enjoyed the work, and there was much to be done. I will go so far to say that as an advancing grand officer, I was critical of the lack of information available to grand line officers – there was this sort of need-to-know mentality that I found most unproductive and unfortunate, especially for someone in training to preside over a state grand body and expected to know what was going on. There was an historical attitude that the Grand Secretary/Grand Recorder's office only shared with grand line officers and even presiding grand officers what they felt was needed to know at any point in time. There appeared to be a lack of transparency with regard to the exercise and implementation of the laws of the grand bodies and there was even a same lack of transparency with regard to the financial health of the bodies. This was unacceptable to me, and I fought for change for several years.

Finally, through the support of past and present Grand York Rite leadership, names like MEC Jose R. Palacios, MEC Robert W. Schlichter, MIC William J. Bowser, MIC Stanton T. Brown, SK Thomas C. Yunick and many others, I was elected Grand Secretary/Recorder of all three Grand York Rite bodies in Missouri.



Actually, that was the easy part.

Now came the call to action – now that I caught this truck, what was I going to do with it. Through hard work and dedication and with the help of my Lady Joyce and many like REC Russell S. Hanson and his Lady Debbie, and some really awesome presiding grand officers, “we” started in small bites, improving those things we felt needed attention. Remember, in those days we barely used email, had no membership database, no web site, no forms and templates, scripts or agendas, the list goes on and on.

I am only the 12<sup>th</sup> in succession of Grand Secretaries since the formation of the Grand Chapter of Missouri, following:

Fred L. Billon who served from 1846-1848 and died in office  
George Myers who served one term in 1849  
John D. Taylor who served from 1850-1853 and died in office  
Anthony O’Sullivan who served from 1853-1866 and died in office  
George Frank Gouley who served from 1866-1876 and died in office  
John W. Luke who served from 1876-1877 and died in office  
William H. Mayo who served from 1877-1904  
Robert F. Stevenson who served from 1905-1922 and died in office  
Ray V. Denslow who served from 1922-1960 and died in office  
Bruce H. Hunt who served from 1960-1995 and died in office  
Ronald E. Wood, Jr. who served from 1995-2001

In 2009 I resigned from office due to personal challenges which could not be resolved. REC Frederick A. Troxel, Jr. graciously took over and served from 2009-2010, REC Russell S. Hanson served from 2010-2014, until I was requested to resume my service in 2014, through to this very day. It was my sincere intent and personal goal to not die in office. If I have made it to this Annual Convocation, then I have met that singular achievement.

The list of improvements I feel we have made over the past 21 years is actually quite long and impressive, even if I am the only one who believes it, but not worth mentioning here. Suffice it to say, Russell and I continue, and will continue as long as we are able, to work towards making the Grand York Rite of Missouri the best possible version of itself.

As was reported last year, and I feel worth reporting again, this does not mean that I am going to fade away. Russell and I are willing to serve in background administrative support of the new Grand Secretary. Moving forward, if acceptable to our officers and membership. Our hope is that five (counting Debbie) can do more and better work than two or three. There is much to be done that remains incomplete: historical records, research projects, proceedings, grand representatives, membership cleanup, archival projects, process improvements, electronic and internet advancements, etc., that Russell and I can and are willing to work on in the background, while helping tutor and support our replacements should they desire such support.

As was additionally reported last year, there is no official process for vetting new candidates for Grand Secretary and Grand Treasurer. The process we had, albeit flawed, was removed from our laws in 2014. Now there is nothing. I feel this was a grievous error on our part and should be corrected.

Again, and worth repeating, there are no words to adequately express my sincere appreciation to Russell and Debbie Hanson, they have stood me up where I have been deficient and I could not and would not be capable of performing the duties and responsibilities of Grand Secretary without each of them, they are priceless.

Although I cannot hold a candle to the likes of many, if not all of my predecessors, I hope and pray that I have served our Grand Chapter well and have made a positive difference in Missouri Capitular Freemasonry.

Fraternally and Most Respectfully submitted,  
Kevin B. Sample, HPGHP, Grand Secretary

*Move that these reports be accepted, subject to correction, and referred to the appropriate committees and to the Grand Officers for follow-up action as deemed necessary.*

**Action Taken: Passed / Failed / Withdrawn / Amended / Tabled / Other**

**Annual Statistical Report – Start: 1/1/2021 End: 12/31/2021**  
**Grand Chapter of Missouri**

Total Working Chapters = 33

The following is a recapitulation of membership activity during the specified reporting period.

Total number members on last return =	<u>2,061</u>
Total number EXALTED =	<u>49</u>
Total number AFFILIATED =	<u>181</u>
Total number REINSTATED =	<u>18</u>
Total number ADD ADJUSTMENT =	<u>0</u>
Total Gain (+)	<u>248</u>
Total number DIMITTED =	<u>210</u>
Total number SUSPENDED =	<u>92</u>
Total number DECEASED =	<u>112</u>
Total number EXPELLED =	<u>0</u>
Total number DELETE ADJUSTMENT =	<u>0</u>
Total Loss (-)	<u>414</u>
Net Gain (Net Loss) =	<u>(166)</u>
Total number members (including Dual/Plural) =	<u>1,895</u>

**Statistical Reports:** The following reports represent the Tabular Returns of the Chapters, and from MMS are the Membership Counts by Chapter and following is the Average Age Report as of May 28, 2022 – pay particular attention to the first line on the Average Age Report – it speaks volumes about our future.

**2021 Annual Returns**

No.	Chapter	Location	Chartered	EIN	Stated Convocations	Annual Return Received	Membership 2020	Exalted	Admitted	Reinstated	Add Adjustment	Total Gains	Dimitted	Suspended	Deceased	Expelled	Del Adjustment	Total Losses	2021 Net Gain / Loss	End Membership 2021 Total Year	
0	Missouri	At Large	June 8, 2016		Grand Session	N/A	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
1	St. Charles Missouri	St. Charles	May 14, 2004	23-7526764	2nd Wednesday	14-Feb-22	82	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	5	0	0	5	-4	78	
2	Palmyra	At Large	September 14, 1848	23-7526765	Grand Session	1-Mar-22	32	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	5	-5	27	
3	Liberty	Liberty	October 16, 1847	43-0968049	3rd Monday	16-Feb-22	72	1	3	1	2	7	3	3	4	0	0	10	-3	69	
5	Bolivar	Bolivar	October 4, 1877	23-7526768	3rd Wednesday	7-Mar-22	35	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	-1	34	
7	Hannibal	Hannibal	May 24, 1861	23-7526769	1st Tuesday	26-Feb-22	11	0	1	1	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	1	1	12	
10	Lexington	Lexington	October 13, 1848	23-7526771	4th Monday	26-Feb-22	73	2	0	0	0	2	6	0	6	0	0	12	-10	63	
12	Independence	Independence	October 13, 1848	23-7526773	2nd Thursday	16-Feb-22	70	2	0	0	0	2	1	0	2	0	0	3	-1	69	
14	Mitchell	St. Joseph	May 23, 1849	23-7526774	1st Wednesday	22-Feb-22	166	2	25	3	1	31	0	8	9	0	0	17	14	180	
15	Springfield	Springfield	May 16, 1851	44-0443935	4th Monday	9-Feb-22	141	6	4	0	0	10	6	11	7	0	0	24	-14	127	
17	Columbia	Columbia	October 10, 1867	23-7526776	2nd Monday	16-Feb-22	79	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	2	0	0	3	-2	77	
22	Macon	Macon	May 23, 1854	23-7526780		Consolidated	13	0	0	0	0	0	12	0	1	0	0	13	-13	0	
25	Bellefontaine	Hazelwood	May 23, 1856	23-7526781	4th Tuesday	3-Mar-22	19	0	49	0	0	49	0	10	1	0	0	11	38	57	
28	Kansas City	Kansas City	May 19, 1859	23-7137508	1st Monday	5-Mar-22	42	5	0	1	0	6	0	0	1	0	0	1	5	47	
32	Rolla	Rolla	May 24, 1866	23-7137509	3rd Monday	21-Apr-22	79	1	2	0	1	4	0	0	2	0	0	2	2	81	
34	Jefferson City	Jefferson City	May 24, 1866	23-7382601	1st Monday	2-Mar-22	80	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	80	
38	Greenfield	Greenfield	October 8, 1868	23-7137510	1st Thursday	28-Feb-22	30	0	46	0	1	47	3	0	1	0	0	4	43	73	
43	Wyoming	Pleasant Hill	October 8, 1868	23-7526790	1st Monday	18-Feb-22	49	2	37	0	1	40	0	3	2	0	0	5	35	84	
52	Tyrian	Neosho	October 7, 1869	23-7189747	3rd Monday	24-Feb-22	48	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	-1	47	
53	Caldwell	Kirksville	October 7, 1869	43-0203985	2nd Thursday	16-Feb-22	109	0	0	0	2	2	1	10	4	0	0	15	-13	96	
56	Nevada	Nevada	October 6, 1870	23-7526796	2nd Monday	22-Feb-22	27	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	4	0	0	5	-4	23	
61	Meridian Sun	Carthage	October 6, 1870	23-7526799	3rd Thursday	28-Feb-22	27	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	6	0	0	6	-5	22	
64	Lebanon	Lebanon	October 6, 1870	23-7526800	3rd Tuesday	18-Mar-22	61	8	1	2	1	12	3	1	3	0	0	7	5	66	
66	Trenton	Trenton	October 6, 1870	23-7526801		Consolidated	29	0	0	0	4	4	28	0	4	0	1	33	-29	0	
75	Wilson	Cape Girardeau	October 11, 1872	23-7526808	1st Wednesday	28-Feb-22	64	3	0	0	0	3	0	0	1	0	0	1	2	66	
78	Oriental-Rabboni	Webster Groves	October 9, 1873	43-0443570	1st Monday	25-Feb-22	87	1	0	1	1	3	3	0	5	0	0	8	-5	82	
80	Bethany	Bethany	October 9, 1873	23-7526812	3rd Tuesday	28-Feb-22	18	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	3	-3	15	
91	Joplin	Joplin	May 7, 1880	23-7526814	1st Tuesday	24-Feb-22	36	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	2	0	0	2	-1	35	
93	Triune	Montgomery City	May 5, 1881	23-7080440	1st Monday	11-Mar-22	49	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	-1	48	
99	Shelbina	Shelbina	May 3, 1883	23-7526817	4th Tuesday	25-Feb-22	56	0	13	0	1	14	1	3	3	0	0	7	7	63	
102	Orient	Kansas City	May 3, 1883	44-0415645	3rd Wednesday	7-Mar-22	48	2	0	4	1	7	0	6	5	0	0	11	-4	44	
110	Vincil	Springfield	May 10, 1888	44-0506699		Consolidated	58	0	0	0	0	0	53	0	5	0	0	58	-58	0	
114	Poplar Bluff	Poplar Bluff	April 27, 1893	23-7526825	2nd Thursday	5-Mar-22	34	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	4	0	0	6	-6	28	
123	Putnam	Unionville	April 26, 1905	23-7526829	4th Tuesday	25-Feb-22	28	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	28	
129	Uel	Farmington		23-7526833	2nd Tuesday	22-Feb-22	68	0	0	2	1	3	1	20	8	0	0	29	-26	42	
146	Keystone	Mehlville	April 27, 1959	23-7149433	2nd Monday	16-Apr-22	35	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	3	-3	32	
148	Mt. Nebo	Robertsville	April 29, 1975	51-0180560		Consolidated	60	0	0	0	0	0	52	6	2	0	0	60	-60	0	
284	Harry D. Brown Jr.	Kansas City		23-7526847		Consolidated	40	0	1	0	0	1	37	0	4	0	0	41	-40	0	
	<b>TOTAL</b>						<b>2055</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>182</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>254</b>	<b>212</b>	<b>89</b>	<b>112</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>414</b>	<b>-160</b>	<b>1895</b>	

No.	Chapter	% of Growth	Exaltation Fees	Per Capita	2020 Debits	Dues Cards	Dues Cards Postage Fees	Total Per Capita, Fees & Debits	Remissions, Inability to Pay	Remissions, 50-year	Living Life Members	Credit for Remissions and Life Members	GG Chapter Perpetual Mbrs & Not Endowed or 50-Yr Mbrs	General Grand Chapter Credit	2020 Credits
0	Missouri	0%	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	0	0	0	\$ -	0	\$ -	\$ -
1	St. Charles Missouri	-5%	0.00	2,386.80	0.00	27.59	9.80	2,424.19	0	7	7	428.40	3	9.00	0.00
2	Palmyra	-16%	0.00	826.20	0.00	11.16	16.08	853.44	2	3	22	826.20	0	0.00	0.00
3	Liberty	-4%	10.00	2,111.40	0.00	24.94	11.10	2,157.44	1	7	19	826.20	1	3.00	0.00
5	Bolivar	-3%	0.00	1,040.40	0.00	13.13	6.80	1,060.33	2	6	16	734.40	0	0.00	0.00
7	Hannibal	9%	0.00	367.20	20.00	6.82	6.10	400.12	0	3	0	91.80	0	0.00	0.00
10	Lexington	-14%	20.00	1,927.80	0.00	23.56	8.95	1,980.31	3	15	8	795.60	0	0.00	0.00
12	Independence	-1%	20.00	2,111.40	0.00	24.80	9.80	2,166.00	1	4	19	734.40	0	0.00	0.00
14	Mitchell	8%	20.00	5,508.00	0.00	62.69	17.20	5,607.89	6	29	31	2,019.60	0	0.00	0.00
15	Springfield	-10%	60.00	3,886.20	0.00	44.85	10.25	4,001.30	17	29	19	1,989.00	2	6.00	0.00
17	Columbia	-3%	0.00	2,356.20	0.00	26.97	1.00	2,384.17	5	23	22	1,530.00	1	3.00	0.00
22	Macon	-100%	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0	0	0	0.00	0	0.00	0.00
25	Bellefontaine	200%	0.00	1,744.20	40.00	44.59	46.98	1,875.77	3	0	24	826.20	0	0.00	0.00
28	Kansas City	12%	50.00	1,438.20	0.00	17.36	8.95	1,514.51	2	8	2	367.20	0	0.00	0.00
32	Rolla	3%	10.00	2,478.60	0.00	27.28	9.80	2,525.68	0	5	19	734.40	2	6.00	0.00
34	Jefferson City	0%	0.00	2,448.00	0.00	27.59	1.00	2,476.59	3	16	11	918.00	0	0.00	0.00
38	Greenfield	143%	0.00	2,233.80	0.00	29.76	14.35	2,277.91	0	9	27	1,101.60	0	0.00	0.00
43	Wyoming	71%	20.00	2,570.40	20.00	28.83	8.95	2,648.18	0	12	4	489.60	0	0.00	0.00
52	Tyrian	-2%	0.00	1,438.20	0.00	17.67	7.55	1,463.42	8	4	3	459.00	5	15.00	0.00
53	Caldwell	-12%	0.00	2,937.60	0.00	35.34	8.95	2,981.89	1	20	10	948.60	1	3.00	0.00
56	Nevada	-15%	10.00	703.80	0.00	10.30	7.40	731.50	0	4	1	153.00	0	0.00	0.00
61	Meridian Sun	-19%	0.00	673.20	0.00	10.30	7.40	690.90	0	6	2	244.80	0	0.00	0.00
64	Lebanon	8%	80.00	2,019.60	30.00	24.63	10.25	2,164.48	0	6	4	306.00	1	3.00	0.00
66	Trenton	-100%	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0	0	0	0.00	0	0.00	0.00
75	Wilson	3%	30.00	2,019.60	0.00	23.25	9.80	2,082.65	5	13	1	581.40	0	0.00	0.00
78	Oriental-Rabboni	-6%	10.00	2,509.20	0.00	29.28	10.25	2,558.73	0	6	6	367.20	2	6.00	0.00
80	Bethany	-17%	0.00	459.00	0.00	7.44	6.10	472.54	0	4	3	214.20	0	0.00	0.00
91	Joplin	-3%	0.00	1,071.00	0.00	14.02	8.10	1,093.12	2	2	13	520.20	0	0.00	0.00
93	Triune	-2%	0.00	1,468.80	0.00	17.67	8.95	1,495.42	0	7	6	397.80	2	6.00	0.00
99	Shelbina	13%	0.00	1,927.80	10.00	26.97	15.05	1,979.82	3	9	2	428.40	0	0.00	0.00
102	Orient	-8%	20.00	1,346.40	0.00	19.19	10.25	1,395.84	4	8	3	459.00	0	0.00	0.00
110	Vincil	-100%	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0	0	0	0.00	0	0.00	0.00
114	Poplar Bluff	-18%	0.00	856.80	0.00	11.78	6.80	875.38	4	0	3	214.20	0	0.00	0.00
123	Putnam	0%	0.00	856.80	0.00	11.47	6.80	875.07	0	1	3	122.40	0	0.00	0.00
129	Uel	-38%	0.00	1,285.20	0.00	20.46	8.95	1,314.61	1	1	9	336.60	2	6.00	0.00
146	Keystone	-9%	0.00	979.20	0.00	12.71	6.80	998.71	0	2	10	367.20	1	3.00	0.00
148	Mt. Nebo	-100%	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0	0	0	0.00	0	0.00	0.00
284	Harry D. Brown Jr.	-100%	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0	0	0	0.00	0	0.00	0.00
	TOTAL	-8%	\$360.00	\$57,987.00	\$ 120.00	\$734.40	\$326.51	\$59,527.91	73	269	329	\$20,532.60	23	\$69.00	\$ -

No.	Chapter	Total Credits	Amount Owed Grand Chapter	Late Fees	Total Amount Owed Grand Chapter	Paid	2nd Payment	Date 2nd Payment	Total All Payments	2021 Credits	2021 Debits
0	Missouri	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$-		\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
1	St. Charles Missouri	437.40	1,986.79	N/A	1,986.79	1,987.00	0.00		1,987.00	0.21	
2	Palmyra	826.20	27.24	0.00	27.24	27.24	0.00		27.24		0.00
3	Liberty	829.20	1,328.24	N/A	1,328.24	1,328.24	0.00		1,328.24		0.00
5	Bolivar	734.40	325.93	10.00	335.93	325.93	0.00		325.93		10.00
7	Hannibal	91.80	308.32	N/A	308.32	308.32	0.00		308.32		0.00
10	Lexington	795.60	1,184.71	N/A	1,184.71	1,184.71	0.00		1,184.71		0.00
12	Independence	734.40	1,431.60	N/A	1,431.60	1,431.60	0.00		1,431.60		0.00
14	Mitchell	2,019.60	3,588.29	N/A	3,588.29	3,588.29	0.00		3,588.29		0.00
15	Springfield	1,995.00	2,006.30	N/A	2,006.30	2,006.30	0.00		2,006.30		0.00
17	Columbia	1,533.00	851.17	N/A	851.17	851.17	0.00		851.17		0.00
22	Macon	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00		0.00		0.00		
25	Bellefontaine	826.20	1,049.57	10.00	1,059.57	1,049.57	0.00		1,049.57		10.00
28	Kansas City	367.20	1,147.31	10.00	1,157.31	1,147.31	0.00		1,147.31		10.00
32	Rolla	740.40	1,785.28	20.00	1,805.28	1,785.28	0.00		1,785.28		20.00
34	Jefferson City	918.00	1,558.59	10.00	1,568.59	1,558.59	0.00		1,558.59		10.00
38	Greenfield	1,101.60	1,176.31	N/A	1,176.31	1,176.31	0.00		1,176.31		0.00
43	Wyoming	489.60	2,158.58	N/A	2,158.58	2,158.58	0.00		2,158.58		0.00
52	Tyrian	474.00	989.42	N/A	989.42	989.42	0.00		989.42		0.00
53	Caldwell	951.60	2,030.29	N/A	2,030.29	2,030.29	0.00		2,030.29		0.00
56	Nevada	153.00	578.50	N/A	578.50	578.50	0.00		578.50		0.00
61	Meridian Sun	244.80	446.10	N/A	446.10	446.10	0.00		446.10		0.00
64	Lebanon	309.00	1,855.48	10.00	1,865.48	1,855.48	0.00		1,855.48		10.00
66	Trenton	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00		0.00		0.00		
75	Wilson	581.40	1,501.25	N/A	1,501.25	1,501.25	0.00		1,501.25		0.00
78	Oriental-Rabboni	373.20	2,185.53	N/A	2,185.53	2,185.53	0.00		2,185.53		0.00
80	Bethany	214.20	258.34	N/A	258.34	258.34	0.00		258.34		0.00
91	Joplin	520.20	572.92	N/A	572.92	572.92	0.00		572.92		0.00
93	Triune	403.80	1,091.62	10.00	1,101.62	1,091.62	0.00		1,091.62		10.00
99	Shelbina	428.40	1,551.42	N/A	1,551.42	1,551.42	0.00		1,551.42		0.00
102	Orient	459.00	936.84	10.00	946.84	936.84	0.00		936.84		10.00
110	Vincil	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00		0.00		0.00		
114	Poplar Bluff	214.20	661.18	10.00	671.18	661.18	0.00		661.18		10.00
123	Putnam	122.40	752.67	N/A	752.67	752.67	0.00		752.67		0.00
129	Uel	342.60	972.01	N/A	972.01	972.01	0.00		972.01		0.00
146	Keystone	370.20	628.51	20.00	648.51	629.51	0.00		629.51		19.00
148	Mt. Nebo	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00		0.00		0.00		
284	Harry D. Brown Jr.	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00		0.00		0.00		
	<b>TOTAL</b>	\$20,601.60	\$38,926.31	\$120.00	\$39,046.31	\$38,927.52	\$-		\$38,927.52	\$0.21	\$ 119.00

No.	Chapter	Cash on Hand 12/31/21	Real Estate & Investments	Paraphernalia	Uncollected Dues	Indebtedness	Total Value of Chapters	Annual Dues	RARA Donations	Treasurer Bonded	Secretary Bonded	Audited	990
0	Missouri	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -				
1	St. Charles Missouri	5,084.44	0.00	5,000.00	0.00	0.00	10,084.44	70.60	415.85	Y	Y	Y	Y
2	Palmyra									Y	Y	Y	Y
3	Liberty	3,317.39	0.00	250.00	802.75	0.00	4,370.14	42.25	150.00	Y	Y	Y	Y
5	Bolivar	12,262.84	33,481.29	0.00	0.00	0.00	45,744.13	43.00	0.00	Y	Y	Y	Y
7	Hannibal	561.36	0.00	0.00	300.00	0.00	861.36	50.00	0.00	Y	Y	Y	N
10	Lexington	6,768.07	0.00	5,000.00	0.00	0.00	11,768.07	55.00	0.00	Y	Y	Y	Y
12	Independence	5,485.94	10,000.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	15,485.94	55.60	300.00	Y	Y	Y	Y
14	Mitchell	7,682.39	141,900.51	200.00	1,015.00	0.00	150,797.90	40.60	71.10	Y	Y	Y	Y
15	Springfield	2,019.13	2,501.82	7,000.00	3,231.60	0.00	14,752.55	86.00	70.90	Y	Y	Y	Y
17	Columbia	1,802.42	0.00	5,000.00	0.00	0.00	6,802.42	40.00	110.00	N	N	Y	Y
22	Macon												
25	Bellefontaine	1,510.78	55,060.00	3,000.00	0.00	0.00	59,570.78	40.60	0.00	N	N	Y	Y
28	Kansas City	3,241.09	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	3,241.09	46.00	0.00	Y	Y	Y	Y
32	Rolla	1,285.25	22,468.64	400.00	0.00	0.00	24,153.89	48.40	181.15	N	N	Y	Y
34	Jefferson City	3,676.69	20,850.60	5,000.00	900.00	0.00	30,427.29	45.00	7.30	N	N	Y	N
38	Greenfield	3,379.78	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	3,379.78	41.00	0.00	N	N	Y	Y
43	Wyoming	13,240.65	1,131.58	10,000.00	192.00	0.00	24,564.23	48.00	200.00	N	N	Y	Y
52	Tyrian	2,865.60	0.00	0.00	243.60	0.00	3,109.20	40.60	23.65	N	N	Y	Y
53	Caldwell	6,338.66	0.00	1,500.00	0.00	0.00	7,838.66	55.00	56.20	N	N	Y	Y
56	Nevada	1,673.52	0.00	500.00	0.00	0.00	2,173.52	42.00	29.20	N	N	Y	Y
61	Meridian Sun	4,315.23	0.00	0.00	121.80	0.00	4,437.03	40.60	0.00	N	N	Y	Y
64	Lebanon	10,378.87	0.00	2,560.00	0.00	0.00	12,938.87	51.00	230.00	N	N	Y	Y
66	Trenton												
75	Wilson	3,610.37	44,808.33	500.00	1,100.00	0.00	50,018.70	50.00	0.00	N	N	Y	Y
78	Oriental-Rabboni	-3,996.32	58,000.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	54,003.68	50.00	36.50	N	N	Y	Y
80	Bethany	515.16	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	515.16	42.93	0.00	N	N	Y	N
91	Joplin	815.30	15,614.99	1,250.00	164.00	0.00	17,844.29	41.00	29.55	N	N	Y	Y
93	Triune	9,486.85	11,902.67	5,000.00	0.00	0.00	26,389.52	50.00	300.00	N	N	Y	Y
99	Shelbina	1,803.82	0.00	2,500.00	0.00	0.00	4,303.82	48.00	116.84	N	N	Y	N
102	Orient	40,835.13	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	40,835.13	45.60	87.60	N	N	Y	Y
110	Vincil												
114	Poplar Bluff	845.99	0.00	5,000.00	0.00	0.00	5,845.99	41.00	10.95	N	N	Y	Y
123	Putnam	1,804.14	0.00	0.00	164.00	0.00	1,968.14	41.00	69.85	N	N	Y	Y
129	Uel	3,564.08	0.00	120.00	860.00	1,314.61	3,229.48	43.00	0.00	Y	Y	Y	Y
146	Keystone	1,264.47	0.00	10,000.00	120.00	0.00	11,384.47	60.00	0.00	N	N	Y	Y
148	Mt. Nebo												
284	Harry D. Brown Jr.												
	TOTAL	\$157,439.09	\$417,720.43	\$69,780.00	\$9,214.75	\$1,314.61	\$652,839.67	\$1,493.78	\$2,496.64				

**Membership Count 01**

Parameter: Missouri, Royal Arch Masonry

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	Active Members	Petitioner	Candidate	Active no DOB	Active with DOB	*Average Age	Active Local Bodies	US Mailable
Missouri	1,925	4	118	10	1,915	68.9	33	1,909
0 - Missouri			73			.0	1	
1 - St. Charles Missouri	79		6		79	64.4	1	79
2 - Palmyra	26			1	25	82.2	1	26
3 - Liberty	75		1		75	70.0	1	75
5 - Bolivar	34		1		34	66.6	1	34
7 - Hannibal	12				12	68.6	1	12
10 - Lexington	63	1			63	71.1	1	63
12 - Independence	67				67	67.0	1	67
14 - Mitchell	175				175	73.3	1	175
15 - Springfield	137				137	67.1	1	136
17 - Columbia	79	1	2		79	70.0	1	79
25 - Bellefontaine	61			2	59	65.3	1	61
28 - Kansas City	49				49	58.1	1	49
32 - Rolla	90		6		90	66.8	1	88
34 - Jefferson City	81			4	77	73.1	1	81
38 - Greenfield	69				69	72.8	1	68
43 - Wyoming	73		3		73	69.4	1	73
52 - Tyrian	48		7	1	47	66.6	1	47
53 - Caldwell	102		1		102	71.0	1	100
56 - Nevada	27				27	67.8	1	27
61 - Meridian Sun	24				24	69.3	1	24
64 - Lebanon	71		3		71	60.7	1	70
75 - Wilson	59		5		59	68.7	1	57
78 - Oriental-Rabboni	89		3	1	88	66.3	1	87
80 - Bethany	15			1	14	69.7	1	15
91 - Joplin	34		1		34	66.6	1	33
93 - Triune	48		1		48	74.3	1	48
99 - Shelbina	65		3		65	67.3	1	64
102 - Orient	45	1			45	67.8	1	45
114 - Poplar Bluff	25				25	69.0	1	25
123 - Putnam	28				28	71.4	1	28
129 - Uel	41		1		41	72.3	1	39
146 - Keystone	34	1	1		34	72.7	1	34
<b>Total Members</b>	<b>1,925</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>118</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>1,915</b>	<b>68.9</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>1,909</b>
<b>Total Plural Members</b>	<b>54</b>							
<b>Total People</b>	<b>1,871</b>							

Average Age - Parameters: Missouri, Royal Arch Masonry

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Chapter	Active		Avg. Age	18-29		30-39		40-49		50-59		60-69		70-79		80-89		90-99		100+		Totals	
	No	DOB		#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
<b>Missouri</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>1915</b>	<b>68.9</b>	31	1.6	79	4.1	169	8.8	263	13.7	365	19.1	473	24.7	371	19.4	155	8.1	9	0.5	1915	100.0
1 - St. Charles Missouri	0	79	64.4	2	2.5	5	6.3	9	11.4	16	20.3	16	20.3	17	21.5	10	12.7	3	3.8	1	1.3	79	4.1
2 - Palmyra	1	25	82.2	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	2	8.0	0	0.0	9	36.0	6	24.0	7	28.0	1	4.0	25	1.3
3 - Liberty	0	75	70	2	2.7	1	1.3	3	4.0	14	18.7	15	20.0	22	29.3	10	13.3	8	10.7	0	0.0	75	3.9
5 - Bolivar	0	34	66.6	1	2.9	3	8.8	2	5.9	9	26.5	3	8.8	6	17.6	7	20.6	2	5.9	1	2.9	34	1.8
7 - Hannibal	0	12	68.6	0	0.0	2	16.7	0	0.0	2	16.7	1	8.3	2	16.7	4	33.3	1	8.3	0	0.0	12	0.6
10 - Lexington	0	63	71.1	0	0.0	2	3.2	3	4.8	9	14.3	21	33.3	11	17.5	8	12.7	9	14.3	0	0.0	63	3.3
12 - Independence	0	67	67	1	1.5	5	7.5	6	9.0	9	13.4	16	23.9	10	14.9	16	23.9	4	6.0	0	0.0	67	3.5
14 - Mitchell	0	175	73.3	0	0.0	1	0.6	9	5.1	18	10.3	38	21.7	50	28.6	41	23.4	18	10.3	0	0.0	175	9.1
15 - Springfield	0	137	67.1	2	1.5	6	4.4	19	13.9	18	13.1	26	19.0	27	19.7	26	19.0	12	8.8	1	0.7	137	7.2
17 - Columbia	0	79	70	2	2.5	3	3.8	6	7.6	8	10.1	15	19.0	19	24.1	17	21.5	9	11.4	0	0.0	79	4.1
25 - Bellefontaine	2	59	65.3	4	6.8	1	1.7	3	5.1	13	22.0	15	25.4	11	18.6	8	13.6	4	6.8	0	0.0	59	3.1
28 - Kansas City	0	49	58.1	2	4.1	5	10.2	12	24.5	13	26.5	5	10.2	4	8.2	2	4.1	6	12.2	0	0.0	49	2.6
32 - Rolla	0	90	66.8	1	1.1	2	2.2	13	14.4	12	13.3	19	21.1	25	27.8	14	15.6	4	4.4	0	0.0	90	4.7
34 - Jefferson City	4	77	73.1	2	2.6	1	1.3	2	2.6	6	7.8	18	23.4	26	33.8	11	14.3	10	13.0	1	1.3	77	4.0
38 - Greenfield	0	69	72.8	0	0.0	1	1.4	1	1.4	11	15.9	13	18.8	18	26.1	24	34.8	1	1.4	0	0.0	69	3.6
43 - Wyoming	0	73	69.4	1	1.4	4	5.5	8	11.0	13	17.8	5	6.8	18	24.7	14	19.2	10	13.7	0	0.0	73	3.8
52 - Tyrian	1	47	66.6	1	2.1	2	4.3	8	17.0	6	12.8	7	14.9	9	19.1	10	21.3	4	8.5	0	0.0	47	2.5
53 - Caldwell	0	102	71	1	1.0	4	3.9	6	5.9	10	9.8	19	18.6	26	25.5	30	29.4	6	5.9	0	0.0	102	5.3
56 - Nevada	0	27	67.8	0	0.0	1	3.7	3	11.1	4	14.8	4	14.8	8	29.6	7	25.9	0	0.0	0	0.0	27	1.4
61 - Meridian Sun	0	24	69.3	2	8.3	0	0.0	3	12.5	1	4.2	5	20.8	5	20.8	4	16.7	3	12.5	1	4.2	24	1.3
64 - Lebanon	0	71	60.7	5	7.0	5	7.0	12	16.9	9	12.7	15	21.1	15	21.1	9	12.7	1	1.4	0	0.0	71	3.7
75 - Wilson	0	59	68.7	0	0.0	1	1.7	12	20.3	8	13.6	9	15.3	15	25.4	7	11.9	6	10.2	1	1.7	59	3.1
78 - Oriental-Rabboni	1	88	66.3	0	0.0	8	9.1	6	6.8	10	11.4	25	28.4	20	22.7	18	20.5	1	1.1	0	0.0	88	4.6
80 - Bethany	1	14	69.7	0	0.0	1	7.1	1	7.1	0	0.0	5	35.7	2	14.3	4	28.6	1	7.1	0	0.0	14	0.7
91 - Joplin	0	34	66.6	0	0.0	2	5.9	4	11.8	3	8.8	9	26.5	9	26.5	5	14.7	2	5.9	0	0.0	34	1.8
93 - Triune	0	48	74.3	0	0.0	1	2.1	2	4.2	5	10.4	7	14.6	15	31.3	14	29.2	4	8.3	0	0.0	48	2.5
99 - Shelbina	0	65	67.3	1	1.5	3	4.6	3	4.6	14	21.5	10	15.4	22	33.8	8	12.3	4	6.2	0	0.0	65	3.4
102 - Orient	0	45	67.8	1	2.2	3	6.7	6	13.3	6	13.3	4	8.9	10	22.2	9	20.0	6	13.3	0	0.0	45	2.3
114 - Poplar Bluff	0	25	69	0	0.0	1	4.0	3	12.0	4	16.0	2	8.0	7	28.0	7	28.0	1	4.0	0	0.0	25	1.3
123 - Putnam	0	28	71.4	0	0.0	1	3.6	1	3.6	5	17.9	5	17.9	7	25.0	5	17.9	4	14.3	0	0.0	28	1.5
129 - Uel	0	41	72.3	0	0.0	1	2.4	3	7.3	3	7.3	8	19.5	14	34.1	8	19.5	2	4.9	2	4.9	41	2.1
146 - Keystone	0	34	72.7	0	0.0	3	8.8	0	0.0	2	5.9	5	14.7	14	41.2	8	23.5	2	5.9	0	0.0	34	1.8
<b>Total</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>1915</b>	<b>68.9</b>	31	1.6	79	4.1	169	8.8	263	13.7	365	19.1	473	24.7	371	19.4	155	8.1	9	0.5	1915	100.0



**REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES**  
**PRELIMINARY REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CREDENTIALS**

*(from the floor)*

Phillip W. Engel, Chairman

**Action Taken: Passed / Failed / Withdrawn / Amended / Tabled / Other**

**REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON BUDGET / FINANCE / INVESTMENT**  
**FINANCE**

*To the Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons of the State of Missouri,*

Companions, the Grand Chapter Finance Committee’s purpose is to maintain and consider any and all options for keeping the Grand Chapter in the black and allowing us to have a financially sound future.

After doing an in-depth report on average investment growth of the past thirty years we feel we are not realizing the benefits of a robust economy. Therefore, the committee is diligently and profoundly exploring options which are more rewarding yet respectfully conservative to our needs and values.

Any changes will be expressed in future communications.

*Move the acceptance of this portion of the report.*

**Action Taken: Passed / Failed / Withdrawn / Amended / Tabled / Other**

**2022-2023 BUDGET**

The budget committee has diligently monitored the expenses during the pandemic and found the Grand Chapter to still maintain a consistent and efficient program. The increased per capita income has resulted in a balanced budget and allowed us to create a new and balanced outlook for the next year. Meeting on a regular basis allows us to keep ourselves in tune with the opportunities afforded us and maintain a streamlined budget.

The Budget Committee met on April 10, 2022 to finalize the Budget for the 2022-2023 capitialar year. The committee is pleased to submit the following proposed budget for the next year.

<b>Income</b>	
Per Capita/Fees, Membership <b>(1,034 @ \$30.60)</b>	\$ 31,640.40
Per Capita, Endowed Membership	\$ 4,000.00
Exaltation Fees <b>(100 @ \$10.00)</b>	\$ 1,000.00
General Fund Interest Income	\$ 600.00
Grand Session, Meal Income	\$ 4,000.00
Grand Session, Program Book Income	\$ 150.00
Miscellaneous	\$ 250.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 41,640.40</b>
<b>Expenses</b>	
Grand High Priest Honorarium	\$ 3,500.00
Royal Arch Mason Magazine Editor Honorarium	\$ 100.00
Grand Treasurer Honorarium	\$ 1,000.00
Grand Secretary Salary	\$ 4,000.00
Clerical Assistant Salary	\$ 7,500.00
Employment Taxes	\$ 1,060.00
Bonding Insurance	\$ 100.00

Audit Committee	\$ 100.00
Ritual Committee	\$ 100.00
Education Committee	\$ 100.00
Office Expenses	\$ 5,000.00
Printing Services	\$ 1,600.00
Office Rent	\$ 2,400.00
Storage Rent	\$ 480.00
General Grand Chapter Per Capita (1,254 @ \$3.00)	\$ 3,800.00
Annual Convocation	\$ 3,000.00
Grand Officer Expenses	\$ 500.00
Past Grand High Priest Regalia	\$ 100.00
Royal Arch Magazine	\$ 5,500.00
Triennial Fund (1,034 @ \$0.07)	\$ 80.00
Grand High Priest Endowment to Palmyra	\$ 500.00
Emerging Leaders Fund (1,034 @ \$0.10)	\$ 105.00
MMS Support	\$ 350.00
Web Master	\$ 250.00
Miscellaneous	\$ 250.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 41,475.00</b>
<b>Total Income</b>	<b>\$ 41,640.40</b>
<b>Total Salaries and Allowances</b>	<b>\$ 41,475.00</b>
<b>Investment Funds</b>	<b>\$ -</b>
<b>Balance</b>	<b>\$ 165.40</b>

*Move the acceptance of this portion of the report, subject to audit.*

**Action Taken: Passed / Failed / Withdrawn / Amended / Tabled / Other**

Fraternally submitted,  
Mark A. Bean, Acting Chairman  
Elected Grand Chapter Officers  
Donald L. Trabue, Ex-Officio

Kevin B. Sample, Ex-Officio  
Russell S. Hanson, Ex-Officio

*Move the acceptance of the report as a whole, subject to correction and audit.*

**Action Taken: Passed / Failed / Withdrawn / Amended / Tabled / Other**

### REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON JURISPRUDENCE

*To the Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons of the State of Missouri,*

Greetings: The Jurisprudence Committee has reviewed the Edicts issued, Dispensations granted, and By-Laws changes approved for subordinate Chapters and all other relevant matters pertaining to the business of the Craft acted upon by the Grand High Priest. In our opinion, the Grand High Priest has complied with the statutory duties, responsibilities, and inherent powers of his office. Our Grand High Priest is to be commended for his specific interest and attention to the Craft over the past year.

The Committee on Jurisprudence thanks the Grand High Priest for the honor and privilege of being selected to serve this Grand Chapter during the past year. His recommendations will be referred to the appropriate committees for review and we express the hope for his continued successes in the years ahead.

Our congratulations to Most Excellent Companion Kyle R. Palacios, Grand High Priest, for a successful year in office. In our estimation, you have performed your duties and responsibilities in an exemplary manner. There is no legislative action for the 2022 Annual Grand Convocation of this Grand Chapter.

Fraternally submitted,  
Todd A. Schulze, Chairman  
Kevin B. Sample  
Aaron Rose

William G. Snyder, Vice Chairman  
Aaron Shoemaker

*Move that Report of the Jurisprudence Committee be received, approved and printed in the Proceedings.*

**Action Taken: Passed / Failed / Withdrawn / Amended / Tabled / Other**

**REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION**

*To the Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons of the State of Missouri,*

Your Committee on Education would like to thank MEC Kyle R. Palacios, Grand High Priest 2021-2022, for his successful year and programs. Additionally, we at your education committee would like to thank you for the opportunity to serve the Grand Chapter and the Craft. As we continue on with the monthly education program, we are pleased with its popularity and success. Your positive feedback on the content, educational value, and entertainment that it has given you has been the spark that has driven us to improve and provide more of what you enjoy. Thank you, my Companions. The following Chapters have received the Distinguished Chapter Award:

Gold Level 1000 point and above:

Springfield Chapter No. 15 .....	Barton Ross Cardetti .....	4289 points
Kansas City Chapter No. 28.....	Benjamin Robert Caimi .....	2137 points
Oriental-Rabboni Chapter No. 78 .....	John Charles Caraker .....	2022 points
Lebanon Chapter No. 64 .....	Timothy Shane Southard.....	1696 points
Bolivar Chapter No. 5 .....	Franklin Edward Merica, Jr. ....	1611 points
St. Charles-Missouri Chapter No. 1 .....	Michael Patrick Hartnett .....	1580 points
Shelbina Chapter No. 99 .....	Michael Leon Dodd .....	1352 points
Independence Chapter No. 12.....	David Barnett Brown .....	1125 points

Congratulations to these Chapters for their hard work and dedication to our Craft. Your work and perseverance have shown your dedication to our Craft. Thank you very much.

As always, your education committee continues to seek out new and innovative ways to educate and entertain you. If anyone is in need of our services or has any suggests, please feel free to contact us. We now respectfully submit this report for your review and consideration.

Fraternally submitted,  
W. Larry Wilson, Chairman  
Mark A. Bean  
Nicholas Young

Clifton W. Wofford  
Michael S. Smith

**Action Taken: Passed / Failed / Withdrawn / Amended / Tabled / Other**

**REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON RETURNS OF CHAPTERS**

*(See Reports of Grand Secretary)*

## REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON TIME AND PLACE

*To the Grand Chapter Royal Arch Masons of the State of Missouri,*

Companions, the committee has determined that the Grand Session for 2023 will be held at the Capitol Plaza Hotel in Jefferson City, Missouri on June 7 thru June 11, 2023, with the Grand Chapter meeting on Wednesday, June 7, 2022.

Fraternally submitted,  
Mark A. Bean, Chairman  
Donald L. Trabue

Kevin B. Sample

***Action Taken: Passed / Failed / Withdrawn / Amended / Tabled / Other***

## REPORT OF TRIENNIAL COMMITTEE

*(No Report Available at Time of Printing)*

John W. Siscel, III, PGHP, Chairman

***Action Taken: Passed / Failed / Withdrawn / Amended / Tabled / Other***

## REPORTS OF SPECIAL COMMITTEES

### REPORT OF AUDIT COMMITTEE

*To the Grand Chapter Royal Arch Masons of the State of Missouri,*

Companions, the Audit Committee meets on a monthly basis with the Grand Secretary, Grand Treasurer and REC Hanson to review and discuss the expenses and income of the Grand Chapter. The spreadsheets were once again balanced and precise. This consistency allows the budget committee to maintain a proficient budget. The dedication and professionalism of the Grand Secretary and Treasurer accounting for each entry of the spreadsheets is nothing short of inspiring.

Fraternally submitted,  
Mark A. Bean, Chairman

Elected Grand Chapter Officers

***Action Taken: Passed / Failed / Withdrawn / Amended / Tabled / Other***

## REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CHARITY

*(No Report Available at Time of Printing)*

Harley L. Kropf, PGHP, Chairman

***Action Taken: Passed / Failed / Withdrawn / Amended / Tabled / Other***

## REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENDOWED MEMBERSHIP

*(No Report Available at Time of Printing)*

Donald L. Trabue, HPGHP, Chairman

***Action Taken: Passed / Failed / Withdrawn / Amended / Tabled / Other***

## REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON INVESTMENTS

*To the Grand Chapter Royal Arch Masons of the State of Missouri,*

Companions, the Investment Committee evolved out of work as part of the Finance Committee. Instead of reviewing the returns in general, the Investment Committee is charged with examining the management of surplus assets, and to offer recommendations to improve the process, and overall returns.

This year's findings focus on three components: Preliminary/Final reporting; responsibility for allocations; and actual fund allocations.

### PRELIMINARY/FINAL REPORTS ANALYSIS

Based on the timing of the Grand Session versus our actual fiscal year, preliminary Grand Treasurer reports are presented at the Grand Session and included in the Preliminary Proceedings. These reports contain only 10 months of financial information. A final report covering all 12 months should be provided once the fiscal year closes.

The investment committee has not received any final annual reports. Any analysis done using the "preliminary report" is incomplete and makes it difficult, if not impossible to determine actual annual returns and results.

**Recommendation:** A final Grand Treasurer's report be made available to the Finance and Investment Committees within 45 days of the close of the Fiscal year.

### ALLOCATION OF SURPLUS FUNDS

Article IX, Section 44 of our bylaws give guidelines for investment allocations. Historically, most masonic bodies were restricted to investing funds in traditional interest-bearing investments such as Certificates of Deposits (CDs) or bonds backed by the Federal Government. While these rates of returns had at one time been significant, they were no longer at the high levels seen in the 1980s. As a result, at the turn of the last century, Chapter bylaws were revised to allow moving from 100 percent of surplus funds in CDs and Bonds, to now permit up to 50 percent of surplus funds to be used to create a long-term growth strategy to maximize overall returns by investing in "highly rated stocks and mutual funds."

This year, 49% of the surplus funds (General Fund and Endowment Fund) have been placed in mutual funds. This is good. However, an opportunity may lie with the types of funds chosen. Mutual funds selected ideally would be primarily comprised of growth investments. Some of the mutual funds currently selected are heavily weighted towards the fixed income objective. Remember that over 50% of surplus funds are already in these types of investments, by way of CDs and bonds. This defeats the earlier purpose of the bylaws change to take advantage of growth opportunities.

**Recommendation:** Those charged with investing the surplus funds meet with the Financial Advisor managing the surplus funds to determine and develop a strategy that will effectively maximize growth while also preserving principal.

### RESPONSIBILITY FOR ALLOCATING SURPLUS FUNDS

Section 44 states that "the Grand Treasurer, Grand Secretary, and the Committee on Finance" are authorized to invest any surplus funds. That is eight people elected to manage the financial affairs of the Chapter. Besides being too large of a number charged with making the allocation decision, what is important to remember is that these eight may be sound leaders, administrators, and ritualists, but they may have NO experience in the field of finance and investments.

Section 44 also does not state who has final decision-making authority on investing surplus funds. Over the years, this responsibility has fallen to the Grand Treasurer alone to make these decisions. This is an undue amount of responsibility for one person.

**Recommendation:** Section 44 needs revision as to who has FINAL decision-making authority, and this authority needs to lie with those who have expertise in this field, much like the Jurisprudence Committee is structured.

The task of determining a suitable long-term strategy for fund management is complicated and much different than managing an individual portfolio. Our Chapter has talented companions who have spent decades in this field, including Financial Advisors and others who have managed hundreds of millions of dollars. Legislation should be put forward that an Investment Policy Committee of three members be created, who working through a FINRA licensed Financial Analyst, will determine the investment strategy for the three bodies of the York Rite

Fraternally submitted,  
Terry D. Coppotelli, Chairman  
Jeffery Parrotte

Stanton T. Brown, II

**Action Taken:** *Passed / Failed / Withdrawn / Amended / Tabled / Other*

### **REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON MEMBERSHIP RECRUITMENT**

*(See Address of Grand High Priest)*  
Kyle R. Palacios, GHP, Chairman

**Action Taken:** *Passed / Failed / Withdrawn / Amended / Tabled / Other*

### **REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON YORK RITE CONFERENCES**

*(See Address of Grand High Priest and Report of Ritual Committee)*  
Clifton W. Wofford, Chairman

**Action Taken:** *Passed / Failed / Withdrawn / Amended / Tabled / Other*

### **REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON RITUAL**

*To the Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons of the State of Missouri,*

On June 10, 2021, when the jewel and collar were placed around my neck and shoulders, a small but powerful piece of advice was whispered to me. It hit me like a ton of bricks at the time and still echoes in my thoughts each and every day. I hope that I have fulfilled and lived up to the expectations of the Grand Line and M::E::C:: Kyle Palacios.

Our directive was simple: “Put down the books.” And we took that message to the Regions and subordinate Chapters. It was received with some weeping and gnashing of teeth, but all agreed that it was time to get back to doing ritual the proper way – for the candidates.

The annual York Rite conferences are always interesting and enjoyable to attend. The first one of the year was in Kansas City and was a joint conference of Region 2 and 3. The Grand Chapter was very well represented – there were more “red coats” than any other in the building that day. VEC Riepe gave a rousing talk as part of the education of the day. The Region 7 meeting was held on the 20<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of 9-11. M::E::C:: Kyle Palacios gave a heartfelt and passionate remembrance of that day in his life as did others over the course of the Chapter portion of the meeting. This meeting will be remembered not only for the anniversary, but also because the Region 7 organizers, along with M::E::C:: Palacios, arranged for the introduction of the Grand Chapter officers to be made like they were the starting lineup of a major league baseball team while Sammy Hagar played “Red” in the background. It was well received, and the remainder of the meeting was lively and entertaining. The Region 1 and 4 Conference gave me the opportunity to exemplify parts of ritual, mainly the grips and signs and it was an honor to learn from and to teach the Companions in attendance.

The Grand Master's Breakfast and Interfaith Service was very well attended by members from across the state and I had the privilege of attending, accompanied by VEC Kevin Ritter. The guest speaker presented information on Missouri's contribution to the building and maintenance of the George Washington Memorial. Later that day VEC Ritter and I attended the official reception of MEC Palacios at his home Chapter in St. Louis. The meal was lovely and the speaker very informative on the life of Abraham Lincoln.

In November masonic life became even more crazy with the fruition of the Bicentennial Offer for all Master Masons to take the Mark Master and Past Master degrees. This joint effort between the Grand Lodge of Missouri and the Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons of Missouri saw immediate success. Within the first two weeks of invites going out, 54 Master Masons had signed up to receive the Mark Master degree. Region 3, 5, and 7 set off to work almost immediately conferring the degrees using their regional degree teams.

In December the Bicentennial Offer kicked off at two Chapters simultaneously – Springfield Chapter No. 15 in Springfield and Oriental-Rabboni Chapter No. 78 in St. Louis. The degree of Mark Master was conferred in Springfield and the degrees of Mark Master and Past Master were conferred in St. Louis. In the spirit of friendly competition, Springfield can boast the fact they were the first to confer the degree of Mark Master in this special year, while St. Louis can boast the fact they were the first to confer the Past Master degree. Springfield holds tight to that crown, but Oriental-Rabboni did have the Grand High Priest and the Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Ancient Free and Accepted Masons of the State of Missouri, M::W::B:: Ty G. Treutelaar, in attendance so it is considered a wash!

Later that month I was able to make a two-day circuit to Liberty Chapter No. 3 and Lebanon Chapter No. 64 to watch the conferral of the Mark Master and Past Master degrees. It was a lot of travel, but well worth the trip. The degree work was proficient and pleasant to watch.

In January I was invited to Columbia Chapter No. 17 for their Stated Convocation and a Mark Master degree practice. The membership there is well-versed, and I had a great time working with Companions from a different part of the State. Many of the members are experienced and incoming Companions are in good hands with this Chapter.

In February, regions 3, 5, and 7 continued to confer the degrees for Brethren across the state. I had the privilege of attending Tyrian Chapter No. 52 in Neosho for the purpose of conferring the Mark Master and Past Master degrees. VEC Bill Sherman, EC Matt Routh, EC "Kip" Davis, and many others were well prepared. I must say here that the amount of time and practice they put in for this one night of degrees is admirable and shows the passion they have for the Craft. Ten Brethren were Inducted into the Oriental Chair that night and the degree work was superb! On a side note, Tyrian Chapter had secured four different backdrops from the old Joplin York Rite building that was going to be sold. They constructed a false wall in their Lodge room, in the East, and installed tracks that allow the backdrops to be moved in and out for different degrees in Chapter, Council and Commandery. The backdrops are from the 1950's, if my memory serves me correctly, and are a thing of beauty. They add a nice touch to the degrees, along with the special care and attention to all of the furniture used in the conferring of the Chapter degrees. It was a wonderful visit and one that will stand out as most memorable during this historic year.

Since February, the work continued around the state culminating in the largest Grand Masters Royal Arch class in the history of Royal Arch Masonry in Missouri. Sixty Past Masters were Received and Acknowledged Most Excellent Masters and more than 60 were Exalted to the Most Sublime Degree of the Royal Arch. The class was attentive and interested and due to the amazing cast of ritualists, they were enthralled with the work. I would like to personally thank everyone who gave of their time and volunteered to serve a roll in one or both of those degrees. I would also like to thank Oriental-Rabboni Chapter No. 78, including VEC Nick Young, VEC John Caraker and Companion Miles Lansing, and all of the help they received from their Chapter members, for hosting and providing us with a wonderful venue for this historic event. Of course, I would be remiss if I didn't mention MEC Kevin Sample in his diligent and fervent efforts to organize and compile all of the data received on all of these prospective members and have it all in place and ready to go on March 5. And all of this was the brainchild of M::E::C:: Palacios in accordance with MWB Treutelaar, without whom it would not have been possible.

From there, we moved on to discuss the remainder of the Masonic year and the need to reach the candidates who could not attend the Grand Master's Royal Arch day festivities. Regional festivals and one-day conferrals

were scheduled around the state. Needless to say, even these efforts did not accommodate the schedules of all the prospective candidates. This, in itself, is a lesson for all to reflect on: our work is rarely, ever done. The diligence with which the Companions across the state worked to make March 5 and this whole endeavor a success, is the same diligence we need to apply day after day – in all aspects of our lives (remember the Twenty-four inch gauge?? 8-8-8). I am still very humbled by this appointment and am grateful for the opportunity not only to serve the state but to get to work with the amazing people I have met over the course of this year.

### Grand Lecturer Visitations

June 10, 2021	Began the assigned task of writing ritual for the Ceremony of Installation for the Grand Lecturer
June 16, 2021	Bolivar Chapter No. 5 Stated Convocation and Past Master degree
June 18, 2021	Springfield Chapter No. 15 Regional York Rite Festival – conferral of Most Excellent Master and Royal Arch degrees
July 20, 2021	Lebanon Chapter No. 64 Stated Convocation and presentation of Proficiency Ritual cards to EC Jim Morgan and EC Tim Southard
August 21, 2021	Attended Region 2 and 3 Annual York Rite Conference in Kansas City
August 22, 2021	Attended Interfaith Service and Grand Master’s Breakfast in St. Louis
August 22, 2021	Attended the official reception for M.:E.:C.: Kyle Palacios in St. Louis
September 11, 2021	Attended Region 7 Annual York Rite Conference in Bolivar
November 15, 2021	Attended Rolla Chapter No.32 for the official visit of M.:E.:C.: Kyle Palacios
December 6, 2021	Attended and conferred the degree of Mark Master at Springfield Chapter No. 15 as part of the Bicentennial Offer
December 13, 2021	Attended and conferred the degree of Past Master at Springfield Chapter No. 15 as part of the Bicentennial Offer
December 20, 2021	Attended Liberty Chapter No. 3 for the conferral of the Mark Master and Past Master degrees as part of the Bicentennial Offer
December 21, 2021	Attended Lebanon Chapter No. 64 for the conferral of the Past Master degree as part of the Bicentennial Offer
January 3, 2022	Attended and conferred the degree of Mark Master at Springfield Chapter No. 15 as part of the Bicentennial Offer
January 10, 2022	Visit to Columbia Chapter No. 17 for the purpose of practicing the degrees of Mark Master and Past Master
January 22, 2022	Attended Columbia Chapter No. 17 for the purpose of conferring the Mark Master Degree and watching the Past Master degree as part of the Bicentennial Offer
February 5, 2022	Attended and conferred the degree of Mark Master and Past Master in a Special Convocation at Springfield Chapter No. 15 as part of the Bicentennial Offer
February 7, 2022	Attended and conferred the degree of Mark Master and Past Master degrees in a Special Convocation at Springfield Chapter No. 15 as part of the Bicentennial Offer
February 15, 2022	Attended and conferred the degree of Mark Master and Past Master at Tyrian Chapter No. 52 as part of the Bicentennial Offer
February 19, 2022	With the assistance of VEC Stuart English, and Jefferson City Lodge, organized and ran a practice, or School of Instruction for the Most Excellent Master and Royal Arch degrees, in preparation for the Grand Masters Royal Arch day
February 28, 2022	Attended and conferred the degree of Past Master at Springfield Chapter No. 15 as part of the Bicentennial Offer
March 5, 2022	Attended and participated in the Grand Masters Royal Arch Class in honor of MWB Ty G. Treutelaar, Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Ancient, Free, and Accepted Masons of the State of Missouri
April 6, 2022	Attended and conferred the degree of Mark Master and Past Master at Springfield Chapter No. 15 as part of the Bicentennial Offer



Fraternally and Most Respectfully submitted,  
Gregory J. Walker, Grand Lecturer

**Action Taken: *Passed / Failed / Withdrawn / Amended / Tabled / Other***

### REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ROYAL ARCH MASON MAGAZINE

*(No Report Available at Time of Printing)*  
Roy L. Gilkey, PGHP, Chairman

**Action Taken: *Passed / Failed / Withdrawn / Amended / Tabled / Other***

### REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ROYAL ARCH RESEARCH ASSISTANCE

*To the Grand Chapter Royal Arch Masons of the State of Missouri,*

Companions: Your Committee on Royal Arch Research Assistance (RARA) is proud to report the activity of our Grand Chapter during this all-important era of CAPD research.

RARA is at the heart of every Royal Arch Mason both here and abroad. Missouri has traditionally been a strong leader in donations to the research efforts from the inception. This, in large part, is due to the leadership of this Grand Chapter and previous leadership. The Penny-a-Day program continues to support and keep this state among the top donors.

RARA has another way of receiving donations through the General Grand website. With the ability to take in donations via a secure online web address we can increase the amount our state gives to this worthwhile cause - <https://www.iatspayments.com>. You may also set up recurring donations that are credited to your Chapter and Missouri in general.

The General Grand has offered another opportunity to fund this great charity by offering a Kilt! This beautiful tartan is registered and the purchase of which proceeds goes to aid our research efforts - <https://ggcrami-kilts.com>.

Thanks to the efforts of our Grand Secretary, you may see the amounts donated to the RARA in our annual reports from our Chapters.

While preparing this report some discrepancies were uncovered in the reporting of figures sent to the Grand Chapter and to the General Grand Chapter RARA. This committee will be working to make these processes better and more streamlined to a more efficient system.

We strongly suggest Chapter Secretaries know and understand the current by-laws regarding RARA contributions to the charity.

Please continue to be a vital part of the ongoing tasks to eliminate Central Auditory Processing Disorders (CAPD)! It is our charity!

Fraternally submitted,  
John S. Lambros, Chairman  
Mark A. Bean  
Michael L. Dodd

Ralph S. Cantrell, PGHP  
Steven C. Monrotus, PGHP

**Action Taken: *Passed / Failed / Withdrawn / Amended / Tabled / Other***

## REPORT OF SEARCH COMMITTEE



### *Grand Chapter Royal Arch Masons*

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Date: February 18, 2022

To: Grand Chapter Officers, Elected and Appointed  
Past Grand High Priests  
Chapter Secretaries and IT Representatives

Subject: Preparation for the 2022 Annual Convocation

Companions,

There are a couple of thoughts to share as we start gearing up for grand session.


Companions are reminded that all legislative proposals must be in the hands of the Grand Secretary no later than March 11, 2022.

The Grand High Priest has authorized me to notify you that this will be my last year as your Grand Secretary, I will not be standing for re-election at the annual convocation in June. As we do not have any official way to recruit potential candidates for the office of Grand Secretary, the Grand High Priest has appointed a Search Committee consisting of Kevin B. Sample, Kyle R. Palacios and Donald MacCormick, and authorized the committee to send this communication requesting anyone interested in presenting themselves as a potential candidate for the office of Grand Secretary to send their resume to the Search Committee no later than April 1, 2022.

Companions, I can honestly say that allowing me to serve as your Grand Secretary has been the highest honor that you could bestow on me. A man must know his strengths, and likewise, his limitations. I truly love being your grand secretary and I think I was good at it, at least for a time. However, it is time for new blood and new ideas. I will continue to make myself available to the Grand Chapter, its officers, and members for as long as you deem me worthy and competent. I will assist whomever you select as my replacement to the extent of his needs and my ability for as long as I live. I have had a good run. I believe we have advanced most all aspects of our processes, procedures and communications.

One final note. No man is an island. I could not have done this job for almost 20 years without the help, aide and assistance from a great many people, namely R.:E.:C.: Russell S. Hanson, Past Grand Secretary, Debbie Hanson, Executive Assistant, E.:C.: Donald MacCormick, Webmaster, M.:E.:C.: Donald L. Trabue, Grand Treasurer, and each and every Chapter Secretary and IT Representative.

For all those who believed in me, even in spite of myself, Thank You!

  
Kevin B. Sample  
Grand Secretary

CC: Kyle R. Palacios, Grand High Priest of Missouri  
Donald MacCormick, Grand Master, Grand Council of Missouri  
Todd A. Schulze, Chairman, Jurisprudence Committee

*To the Grand Chapter Royal Arch Masons of the State of Missouri,*

Companions, as was addressed in the Reports of the Grand Secretary, there is no process for the recruitment and vetting of a new Grand Secretary or Grand Treasurer should those offices become vacant for any reason.

History: Following the untimely death of Grand Secretary Bruce Harmon Hunt and the effort to find his replacement, Grand Secretary Ronald E. Wood, Jr., it was determined that our by-laws were deficient in that process. On May 3, 1996, the following proposal was presented, to lie over until the 1997 Annual Convocation: **ARTICLE III, Powers and Duties of the Grand High Priest**, to add **Section 19A.**, to wit:

*In the event of the Death or Resignation of the Grand Treasurer or Grand Secretary or both, the Grand High Priest, shall appoint, with the approval of the Grand King and Grand Prelate (known typographical error) vacancy or vacancies until such time as the Grand Chapter may elect their successor or successors. In the event the officer because of physical disability, shall be unable to fulfill the duties of his office, the Grand High Priest shall have the authority to make such Emergency Appointments as shall be necessary to expedite the business of the Grand Chapter. Such appointments shall not extend beyond the period of the Disability or the succeeding Grand Chapter session. (Adopted May 3, 1997, Repealed May 9, 1998)*

Also presented, to lie over until the 1997 Annual Convocation: **ARTICLE IV, Grand Officers, Section 26. Grand Officers.**, to add the following sections, which were approved on May 3, 1997 and further amended on May 9, 1998, to wit:

A. *Any Office of the Grand Chapter becomes vacant upon death, by the resignation of the incumbent, or by any case which permanently incapacitates him from the discharge of his duties.*

B. *The Grand High Priest fills all vacancies in the appointive offices by appointment and subsequent installation. But the Grand High Priest may not fill vacancies in the elective offices except the offices of the Grand Treasurer or Grand Secretary.*

C. *In the case of a vacancy in the office of the Grand High Priest, from any cause, the Grand King and Grand Scribe shall in succession assume his prerogatives, powers, and duties for all purposes. Vacancies in the offices of Grand King and Grand Scribe shall be filled at the next annual convocation.*

D. *In case of a vacancy in the Offices of Grand Treasurer or Grand Secretary, the Grand High Priest may make such necessary appointment as necessary to expedite the business of the Grand Chapter until in unison with the Grand Master and Grand Commander, he shall appoint a Special Committee to search for and recommend to the respective Presiding Grand Officers qualified York Rite Masons for the Office of Grand Treasurer and Grand Secretary/Recorder. The Search Committee shall be composed of three Capitular Masons, three Cryptic Masons, and three Chivalric Masons named by the Grand High Priest, the Grand Master, and the Grand Commander on a geographical basis.*

E. *At the first meeting the members of the Search Committee, as a union, shall review the duties of the vacant office and discuss the professional qualifications, as well as the personal characteristics held to be desirable. Further, the search should include the desirability of seeking qualified York Rite Masons who would be prepared to serve for several years.*

F. *In the spirit of Fraternal Unity, the Grand High Priest and the Grand Master, and the Grand Commander shall make official notification of the vacancy in the Office of the Grand Treasurer or Grand Secretary/Recorder by one (1) combined OFFICIAL COMMUNICATION together with the appropriate invitation for the submission of resumes by Companions and Fraters who might be interested in serving as the Grand Treasurer or Grand Secretary/Recorder to all Chapters, all Councils, all Commanderies, District Deputy Grand High Priests, Regional Grand Masters, Regional Grand Commanders, Grand Officers of the Three York Rite Bodies, and Past Presiding Grand Officers of said Grand Bodies.*

G. *Candidates for the vacant offices shall forward their written resumes in sealed envelopes to the Special Search Committee by first class U.S. Mail, addressed as follows:*

*Special Search Committee*

*c/o Grand York Rite Office*

*Other appropriate lines of address information*

*H. Personnel of the Grand York Rite Office shall transmit the sealed correspondence, identified by way of the specified envelope address as prescribed to the Search Committee for consideration at an agreed upon PLACE and TIME. Each member of the Special Committee shall review all as may be deemed appropriate toward the goal of SELECTION of three (3) individuals to be invited to meet the Committee for personal interviews. Following the interviews the Committee will communicate their recommendations to the Grand High Priest, the Grand Master, the Grand Commander, who in UNITY, will select one to fill the vacancy, make the appointment, and subsequently to duly install one whom the COMMITTEE had endorsed to serve as Grand Treasurer or Grand Secretary/Recorder until the next Annual Convention, Assembly, and Conclave when the Grand Chapter, Grand Council, and Grand Commandery will hold election of officers respectively. The Companion and Frater who has been recommended and endorsed by the members of the Search Committee, appointed by the Presiding Grand Officers, and duly installed by them must know and understand that there is no assurance or promise of his being elected by the vote of the membership present at the Grand Chapter Convocation, the Grand Council Assembly, and the Grand Commandery Conclave.*

*I. Finally, the Companions and Fraters who constitute the Special Search Committee must know and understand that their service is ADVISORY ONLY. (Amended May 3, 1997, Amended May 9, 1998)*

On May 9, 1998, for some good and bad reasons, in my opinion, the entire sections of paragraphs D. through I. were repealed, leaving no process in place to fill the vacancy of the Grand Secretary of the Grand Chapter and the Grand Recorder of the Grand Council, who made known in 2021 that he would not stand for re-election in 2022.

This being the case, and for the health and welfare of the Grand Chapter, the Grand High Priest, in unity with the Grand Master of the Grand Council, did appoint a Search Committee who was charged requesting anyone interested in presenting themselves as a potential candidate for the office of Grand Secretary to send their resume to the Search Committee no later than April 1, 2022. Said communication was forwarded to all Grand Chapter Officers, Past Grand High Priests, and Chapter Secretaries and IT Representatives on February 18, 2022. Additionally, said communication was also sent out to known membership with email addresses.

The committee reports that there was only one respondent, EC Donald MacCormick. Donald's qualifications for the role of Grand Secretary of the Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons and Grand Recorder of the Grand Council of Cryptic Masons can be seen from both his professional experience and his Masonic secretarial experience. Masonically, he was the Secretary of Mt. Washington Lodge No. 614 for 5 years, Secretary/Recorder of the Kansas City York Rite Bodies for 6 years and Secretary of Santa Fe AMD Council No. 417 for 6 years. Additionally, he has been the Webmaster for the Grand York Rite for 6 years, overseen the Grand York Rite Social Media Platform for several years, provided technical services to the Grand York Rite, maintained and built our Grand York Rite outbound Email efforts using Mailchimp, and assisted the current Grand Secretary/Recorder in those efforts. His professional career in Management, Sales & Marketing, Engineering, eCommerce and Technology, Database Design, Implementation and more has developed the skills over the last couple of decades necessary for the role as Grand Secretary / Grand Recorder such as Communication – orally, electronically, and written; Organizational and detail-orientation from running a business and departments within business, Technical from running successful growth-oriented commercial eCommerce solutions.

## **DONALD MACCORMICK**

*(Address redacted)*

## **EMPLOYMENT**

ROGERS SPORTING GOODS, WEBMASTER & E-COMMERCE MANAGER, KC 2012-PRESENT  
NUANCE COMMUNICATIONS, ADVERTISING & LEAD GENERATION 2010  
MACSPEECH, INC, VICE PRESIDENT; WORLDWIDE SALES & MARKETING 2005 - 2010  
MACSPEECH, INC, VARIOUS 2000 - 2005  
STF TECHNOLOGIES, INC, CHIEF TECHNOLOGY OFFICER 1995 - 2000  
WORLDSoft CORP, SENIOR SOFTWARE ENGINEER, TEL AVIV 1993 - 1995

UNIFACE B.V., SENIOR SOFTWARE ENGINEER, AMSTERDAM 1992 - 1993  
TETRAPAK, SENIOR SOFTWARE ENGINEER, LONDON 1992  
SERIF SOFTWARE, MANAGING DIRECTOR, GLASGOW 1985-1992  
ICELANDIC SOFTWARE SF, SOFTWARE ENGINEER, REYKJAVIK 1985-1992

**EDUCATION**

University of Stirling, Scotland — Bachelors of Science Computer Science 1985

**MASONIC RESUME**

**ANCIENT CRAFT MASONRY**

AUG 27 2011 MT. WASHINGTON LODGE NO. 614 - RAISED  
AUG 2012 ENDOWED MEMBER  
2014 MISSOURI LODGE OF RESEARCH LIFE MEMBER  
NOV 18 2014 MISSOURI LODGE OF RESEARCH DENSLOW SOCIETY  
2014 - 2015 MT. WASHINGTON LODGE NO. 614 - MASTER  
SEP 2015 MT. WASHINGTON LODGE NO. 614 - SILVER RITUAL AWARD  
SEP 2015 ORDER OF THE PAST MASTER  
2015 - 2017 MT. WASHINGTON LODGE NO. 614 - SECRETARY  
2014 - 2016 IVANHOE MASONIC TEMPLE COMPANY - TREASURER  
JAN 2017 SUB III CARD  
NOV 27 2017 INDEPENDENCE LODGE NO. 76 - DUAL MEMBER  
JAN 2020 SUB III CARD RENEWAL  
2018 -2021 MT. WASHINGTON LODGE NO. 614 - SECRETARY

**YORK RITE OF FREEMASONRY**

OCT 14 2011 INDEPENDENCE CHAPTER NO. 12 - EXHALTED  
OCT 15 2011 INDEPENDENCE COUNCIL NO. 49 - GREETED  
OCT 15 2011 PALESTINE COMMANDERY NO. 17 - KNIGHTED  
2015 KANSAS CITY CHAPTER NO. 28 - HIGH PRIEST  
2015 KANSAS CITY COUNCIL NO. 45 - MASTER  
2015 KANSAS CITY COMMANDER NO. 10 - COMMANDER  
2015 GRAND CHAPTER REGION 3B LEWIS & CLARK AWARD  
2016 GRAND COMMANDERY REGION 3 LEWIS & CLARK AWARD  
2016 - 2021 KANSAS CITY CHAPTER NO. 28 - SECRETARY  
2016 - 2021 KANSAS CITY COUNCIL NO. 45 - RECORDER  
2016 - 2021 KANSAS CITY COMMANDER NO. 10 - RECORDER  
2017 PALESTINE COMMANDERY NO. 17 - COMMANDER  
2017 INDEPENDENCE CHAPTER NO. 12 - HIGH PRIEST  
2018 INDEPENDENCE COUNCIL NO. 49 - MASTER  
2017 WEBMASTER, GRAND YORK RITE OF MISSOURI  
2021 GRAND COUNCIL OF CRYPTIC MASONS - GRAND MASTER

**SCOTTISH RITE OF FREEMASONRY**

2012 KANSAS CITY VALLEY - MASTER OF THE ROYAL SECRET  
2012 SCOTTISH RITE RESEARCH SOCIETY

2015 KNIGHTS OF ST. ANDREW - VENERABLE KNIGHT  
2015 WSB CLUB - CHARTER MEMBER  
2016-2017 SCOTTISH RITE FELLOW  
2016 KANSAS CITY VALLEY AREOPAGUS ROSE CROIX - WISE MASTER  
2019 - PRESENT KNIGHTS OF ST. ANDREW - SECRETARY  
2021 KANSAS CITY VALLEY - KCCH

### **APPENDANT MASONIC MEMBERSHIPS AND HONORS**

Allied Masonic Degrees, Santa Fe AMD Council No. 417, Ye Ancient Order of Corks, Masonic Order of the Bath, DeMolay Honorary Legion of Honor, Independence Chapter of DeMolay, Chapter Dad 2017-current, Ancient and Masonic Order of the Scarlet Cord 1st - 4th Grades, Commemorative Order of St. Thomas of Acon, Holy Royal Arch Knights Templar Priests, Knights of the York Cross of Honor (KYCH) - Missouri Priory No. 17, Red Brand of Erie, Royal Order of Scotland, Ancient Arabic order of the Nobles of the Mystic Shrine, Grand College of Rites - Life Member, Red Cross of Constantine - Mary Concave, Knight Masons Charlemagne Council No. 79, Harry S. Truman York Rite College No. 167, Tall Cedars of Lebanon Harry S. Truman Forest No. 212, Masonic Order of Athelstan – Court of Discovery No. 80, Societas Rosicruciana in Civitatibus Foederatis (SRICF), Sovereign Order of Knights Preceptor, Missouri Lodge of Research Life Member, The Masonic Society: Member, Sword of Bunker Hill, The Philalethes Society, The Phylaxis Society, The Masonic Society

The committee recognizes EC MacCormick as a very well qualified applicant for the office of Grand Secretary and would respectfully endorse any such selection should the craft find the same favorable.

Fraternally submitted,  
Kevin B. Sample, Chairman  
Kyle R. Palacios

Russell S. Hanson  
Donald MacCormick

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### **REPORT OF SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON THE CONDITION OF THE GRAND CHAPTER OFFICER LINE**

*To the Grand Chapter Royal Arch Masons of the State of Missouri,*

Companions, this year has been most difficult for many of our Grand Chapter line officers. On November 9, 2021, Lady Margaret Bean, wife of Grand Scribe Mark A. Bean, passed away. On February 6, 2022, the Grand High Priest accepted the resignation of REC Clifton W. Wofford, Grand King, due to ongoing health issues. On April 12, 2022, the Grand High Priest accepted the resignation of VEC Dennis N. Vogel, Grand Master of the 3<sup>rd</sup> Veil, due to ongoing health reasons. Additionally, as if this was not enough, the pending vacancy in office of the Grand Secretary has been known for over a year. All of these things have combined to form a perfect storm and cause great concern for the Grand High Priest, the grand line officers, and of course all Missouri Royal Arch Masons. For this reason, the Grand High Priest has formed a special committee to review options and make recommendations.

The committee consulted with the Grand High Priest and took note of his concerns. The committee consulted with the Grand Scribe, REC Mark A. Bean, and recognize and respect his determination that he is not of a healthy mindset to potentially advance two stations at this time and has requested another year to recover from his tragic loss and to adequately prepare for his future potential advancement to the office of Grand High Priest. The committee additionally consulted with the Jurisprudence Committee and even with past Jurisprudence Committee Chairman, MEC Robert W. Schlichter. Finally, the committee consulted with all the Grand Chapter line officers to get their input and recommendations, most of whom were concerned with advancing too rapidly without time to properly prepare for unexpected offices and responsibilities.

The committee has determined that considering the lack of procedure as defined in our laws and even precedence to cover our specific unforeseen circumstances, in accordance with **ARTICLE VIII, Powers of the Grand Chapter, Section 1**. The Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons of the State of Missouri (meaning when convened)... “*may consider and do whatever it may regard as necessary or appertaining to the wellbeing and perpetuity of Royal Arch Masonry in the State of Missouri.*” that the Grand Chapter could in fact receive and accept this report and the recommendations contained therein.

The Grand Chapter (*here convened this day*) could decide to receive and approve the report of this special committee appointed by the Grand High Priest. And, the Grand Chapter, for the benefit of the craft, could additionally approve a proposed slate of grand officers for the 2022-2023 Grand Chapter capitular year by acceptance of this report.

The committee therefore respectfully submits the following recommendations: To retain MEC Kyle R. Palacios for another year as Grand High Priest; move the Grand Scribe (Mark A. Bean) and the Grand Captain of the Host (John S. Lambros) up one position to Grand King and Grand Scribe respectively; retain the Grand Treasurer; that EC Donald MacCormick be selected to the office of Grand Secretary; move the Grand Principal Sojourner (Michael L. Dodd) and the Grand Royal Arch Captain (Kevin M. Ritter) up one position to Grand Captain of the Host and Grand Principal Sojourner respectively; that James E. McManigle be selected to the office of Grand Royal Arch Captain; move the Grand Master of the 2<sup>nd</sup> Veil (W. Larry Wilson), Grand Master of the 1<sup>st</sup> Veil (Donald E. Gilkerson) up one position to Grand Master of the 3<sup>rd</sup> Veil and Grand Master of the 2<sup>nd</sup> Veil respectively; and that Grand Master of the 1<sup>st</sup> Veil be elected in accordance with **ARTICLE VI, Officers, Section 1. B.**, to wit: *Nominations for Grand Master of the First Veil shall be entertained at the time called for the election of officers. Past Grand High Priests may collectively select a single individual and introduce that individual to the Grand Chapter by means of a brief, verbally presented biography. Each Chartered Chapter, legally represented and registered with the Credentials Committee, may select and introduce one Companion by means of a brief, verbally presented biography. (Amended May 14, 2009), and*

The committee, therefore, in consideration of all aspects of the state of our craft, respectfully submits the proposed slate of grand officers for the 2022-2023 Grand Chapter capitular year:

- Grand High Priest ..... Kyle R. Palacios
- Grand King..... Mark A. Bean
- Grand Scribe .....John S. Lambros
- Grand Treasurer ..... Donald L. Trabue, HPGHP
- Grand Secretary ..... Donald MacCormick
- Grand Captain of the Host ..... Michael L. Dodd
- Grand Principal Sojourner ..... Kevin M. Ritter
- Grand Royal Arch Captain..... James E. McManigle
- Grand Master of the 3<sup>rd</sup> Veil..... W. Larry Wilson
- Grand Master of the 2<sup>nd</sup> Veil..... Donald E. Gilkerson
- Grand Master of the 1<sup>st</sup> Veil..... by Nomination

The committee additionally recommends that the Grand Chapter Officers immediately begin work with the Jurisprudence Committee to address potential future situations by drafting and proposing legislation to correct the existing oversights in our Constitution and By-Laws concerning any vacancies in office.

Fraternally submitted,  
Kevin B. Sample, Chairman  
Harley L. Kropf, PGHP  
David L. Leirer, PGHP

Robert W. Schlichter, PGHP  
John W. Siscel, III, PGHP  
Mark A. Bean, Grand Scribe

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## REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON SOCIAL MEDIA / COMMUNICATIONS / INTERNET

*To the Grand Chapter Royal Arch Masons of the State of Missouri,*

Companions, the website as a communications tool and document sharing system continued to be stable this year. Changes were minor in nature and were primarily related to system and plug-in updates.

We continue to encourage everyone to subscribe to the Grand York mailing lists where timely event notices and updates can be shared with all.

The Events Calendar is open to everyone to post their events of import, Official Visits by Grand Officers, and especially degree work, all of which will be moderated and if approved by the committee members, posted usually in less than 24 hours.

I would direct everyone to the very useful forms and documents located in the Document Library. If you find something missing, let us know and we will bring it up to date and post it for everyone's use.

Our social media platform continues to grow in reach and content. We encourage all Chapters to send event information, pictures of newly Exalted Companions and Degree Teams, etc., to share with everyone.

Fraternally submitted,  
Kevin B. Sample, Chairman

Donald MacCormick, Web Master

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## REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON STRATEGIC PLANNING

*To the Grand Chapter Royal Arch Masons of the State of Missouri,*

Companions, the Strategic Planning Committee began meeting again toward the end of the COVID-19 pandemic shutdown. Our objective for the 2021 and 2022 years is simply a time of revitalization of our fraternity.

As more Companions get vaccinated and restricted meeting edicts are lifted, we must all pull together to rejuvenate and inspire our populations to get back out and get involved in our Chapters.

We ask that all members join us in this endeavor. Should you or your Chapter have ideas in doing so, please share them with all of us as we will do the same with all of you.

Now is the time for all of us to commit to getting involved and do the right thing!

Fraternally submitted,  
Kyle R. Palacios, Chairman  
Dennis E. Fetter

Mark A. Bean

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## REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON YOUTH ACTIVITIES

*To the Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons of the State of Missouri,*

The Masonic Youth *Movement* is back in full swing. Missouri's Tri-Youth – Missouri DeMolay, Missouri Rainbow and Missouri Job's Daughters have been leveraging both in-person and virtual or hybrid-attendance event formats to support state-wide engagement and participation. The Grand Chapter Youth Activities Committee has actively supported our Masonic Youth and has been in attendance at various Masonic Youth functions across the state, including Masonic Youth installations, initiations, district visits, regional events and various local fun and fellowship events.

In June of 2021, both Missouri Job's Daughter and Missouri Rainbow held their respective Grand Session and Grand Assembly. Missouri DeMolay will be holding their 2022 Convention in May.

Below is a brief outline of updates and key events for the Missouri Masonic Youth Groups.

### **Missouri DeMolay**

Missouri DeMolay is Moving Forward –



Missouri DeMolay's State Master Councilor, Alex Tjaden, has chosen Move Forward as the organization's vision statement for the current term. Missouri DeMolay, along with the rest of Missouri Freemasonry has felt the significant impact of the restrictions, limitations and impediments of COVID-19. This has caused lingering effects on membership, engagement and consistency – some of which we still do not fully understand. In the face of all this uncertainty, one thing is clear, Missouri DeMolay is ready to take action, Move Forward and embrace these challenges. Missouri DeMolay has changed the name of its Annual Session from *Conclave* to *Convention* as part of the process to re-energize and re-engage the Youth Movement. In the words of Missouri DeMolay's Executive Officer, Jeff Kitsmiller, Jr., "this is not your grandfather's DeMolay." It is safe to say, this year's Convention will be unlike any Missouri DeMolay Convention before.

Your Grand High Priest, MEC Kyle Palacios – Grand High Priest of the Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons of the State of Missouri will be presenting the Grand High Priest's Youth Award to a deserving Missouri DeMolay representative who exemplifies the values we hold dear in Freemasonry and Capitular Masonry in particular.

Missouri DeMolay will announce its new State Master Councilor, Deputy State Master Councilor and Jurisdictional Officers in the early weeks of May. They will thereafter be installed during Missouri DeMolay's Convention on Sunday, May 29.

### **Upcoming Missouri DeMolay events:**

Missouri DeMolay's 2022 Annual Convention will be held in Jefferson City at the Capitol Plaza Hotel May Friday, June 27 – Monday Jun 30, 2022.

### **Missouri Rainbow**

Missouri Rainbow's Grand Officers, chaired by Grand Worthy Advisor Elayna Mottaz, have demonstrated true servant leadership throughout this past year in supporting their communities, local assemblies and state programs. Missouri Rainbow has been hard at work creating opportunities for its members to actively participate and engage with state and local events. Missouri Rainbow and the International Order of the Rainbow for Girls are in the midst of a historic year. The Organization celebrated its 100-year anniversary in April. To highlight the importance of this tremendous milestone, Missouri Rainbow hosted a 100-year Celebration event at the Grand Lodge building in Columbia, MO. The 100-year celebration was well attended by Missouri Rainbow members, advisors, state leaders and Masonic dignitaries who gave various speeches and presentations concerning Rainbow and its successes over the past Century. Further, there was a "fashion show" highlighting *Dresses Through the Decades* where dresses from Past Grand Worthy Advisors and Past State Deans were worn by current active Rainbow girls and presented to those in attendance.

Your Grand High Priest, MEC Kyle Palacios – Grand High Priest of the Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons of the State of Missouri, exceptionally presented the Grand High Priest's Youth Award during Missouri Rainbow's 2021 Grand Assembly. MEC Kyle represented the Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons extremely well as he re-asserted the Grand Chapter's continued passion and support for Missouri Masonic Youth and discussed his personal connection to Rainbow, as he met his wife through the Rainbow for Girls organization.

Ms. Elayna Mottaz will be serving in the Grand East during Missouri Rainbow's Grand Assembly in June and Missouri Rainbow's new leadership will be elected and selected during their annual session on Sunday, June 26.

### **Upcoming Missouri Rainbow events:**

Friday June 24 – Monday June 27 (Oasis Convention Center in Springfield, Missouri)

### **Missouri Job's Daughters**

Missouri Job's Daughters Grand Officers are led by Grand Bethel Honored Queen Megan Kemery. Megan has been a true servant leader and an exceptional representative of poise, grace and consistency throughout the continued challenges and obstacles regarding Job's Daughters International's requirements and restrictions on their ability to participate in public ceremonies and events. However, Missouri Job's daughters in recent

months has been able to get back to “normal.” Missouri Freemasonry is very glad to see the young women of Missouri Job’s Daughters traveling the state again – participating in bible ceremonies, public events, pageants and meeting more regularly. The Grand Bethel Officers have been hard at work leveraging every opportunity for its members to actively participate and engage with state and local events either in-person or through virtual attendance.

Your Grand Captain of the Host, VEC John S. Lambros attended Missouri Job’s Daughter’s 2021 Grand Session on behalf of MEC Kyle Palacios and provided a wonderful presentation of the Grand High Priest’s Youth Award. VEC Lambros represented the Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons extremely well as he re-asserted the Grand Chapter’s continued passion and support for Missouri Masonic Youth.

Ms. Megan Kemery will be serving in the Grand East during Missouri Job’s Daughter’s Grand Assembly in June and Missouri Job’s Daughters new leadership will be elected and selected during their annual session.

**Upcoming events for Missouri Job’s Daughters**

Friday June 24 – Sunday, June 26 Missouri Job’s Daughters Grand Session (Capitol Plaza Hotel – Jefferson, City, MO)

Fraternally submitted,

Adam M. Iwanow, Chairman  
Clifton W. Wofford  
W. Larry Wilson

Terry D. Coppotelli  
Michael S. Smith

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**REPORTS OF DISTRICT OFFICERS**

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**REPORTS OF GRAND REPRESENTATIVES**

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**AWARDS – HISTORICAL  
CHAPTER LEWIS & CLARK**

**1987-1988**

- 1 - Clarence Houser (Hannibal 7)
- 2 - Wade Miller (Tabernacle 54)
- 3 - Donald Venable (Liberty 3)
- 4 - Roy Davidson (Rolla 32)
- 5 - Hugh Roy (Rabboni 131)
- 6 - Howard Brewington (Solomon 130)
- 7 - Wallace Hamilton (Lebanon 64)

**1988-1989**

- 1 - Arthur Carlson (Shelbina 99)
- 2 - Robert Irwin (Mitchell 14)
- 3 - Harold Baker (William F. Kuhn 139)
- 4 - Harry Schmid (Orion 49)
- 5 - Verble Johnson (Oriental 78)
- 6 - George Miller (Uel - Median 129)
- 7 - B. K. Swingle (Bolivar 5)

**1989-1990**

- 1 - Emery Welsh (Putnam 123)
- 2 - Delbert Gentry (Trenton 66)
- 3 - Denver Kennedy (Grandview 145)
- 4 - Abner Gwinn (Jefferson City 34)
- 5 - Carl Hoening (St. Louis - Mo 1)
- 6 - H. Cline Carter (Kingsway 144)
- 7 - Robert Hughes (Greenfield 38)

**1990-1991**

- 1 - Woodrow Dodson (Canton 88)
- 2 - Wilfred Beckett (Cameron 67)
- 3 - Joseph Nolte (DeMolay 26)
- 4 - Joseph Murtagh (Fayette 94)
- 5 - Oscar Hageman ( )
- 6 - Kenneth Sample (Poplar Bluff 114)
- 7 - C. C. McLemore (Greenfield 38)

**1991-1992**

- 1 - Kenneth Ward (Pike 86)
- 2 - Robert Kottman (Weston 4)
- 3 - Ralph Cantrell (Independence 12)
- 4 - Luther Fryer (Rolla 32)
- 5 - Lester Williams (Oriental 78)
- 6 - Roy Welshon (Cope Stone 33)
- 7 - Sam Shafer (Mountain Grove 137)

**1992-1993**

- 1 - None
- 2 - Arland Haynes (Gallatin 11)
- 3 - Steve Anderson (Kansas City 28)
- 4 - Stewart Sinclair (Triune 93)
- 5 - David Cook (Rabboni 131)
- 6 - None
- 7 - James Nunn (Vincil 110)

**1993-1994**

- 1 - William Bruce (Putnam 123)
- 2 - William Arney (Bethany 80)
- 3 - Mark Schroer (Lexington 10)
- 4 - Robert Hudson (Jefferson City 34)
- 5 - Jack Durham, Sr. (Rabboni 131)
- 6 - None
- 7 - Grant John (Lebanon 64)

**1994-1995**

- 1 - Ronald Miller (Caldwell 53)
- 2 - Bernie Cabra (Gallatin 11)
- 3 - George Blansett (William F. Kuhn 139)
- 4 - Robert Bray (Fayette 94)
- 5 - Floyd Ward (Rabboni 131)
- 6 - Roger Schlime (Wilson 75)
- 7 - James Loomis (Meridian Sun 61)

**1995-1996**

- 1 - John Mendenhall (Marceline 118)
- 2 - Robert Hogan (Mitchell 14)
- 3 - Danny Ferguson (Clinton 73)
- 4 - Michael Glawson (Orion 49)
- 5 - Theodore Buckwick (St. Louis - Mo 1)
- 6 - Douglas Bothmann (Cope Stone 33)
- 7 - Leland (Pete) Pyle (Bolivar 5)

**1996-1997**

- 1 - Russell Kohl (Macon 22)
- 2 - Richard Remelius (Mitchell 14)
- 3 - Dean Wisemore (Independence 12)
- 4 - Kenneth Dingman (Rolla 32)
- 5 - Richard Behr (Oriental 78)
- 6 - Cecil O. Blaylock (Wilson 75)
- 7 - Carroll Hendrickson (Meridian Sun 61)

**1997-1998**

- 1 - Amos G. Asmussen (Hannibal 7)
- 2 - Leo G. Whitaker (Trenton 66)
- 3 - James C. Rodgers (East Gate 136)
- 4 - James G. Wade (Columbia 17)
- 5 - Wayne E. Wilson (Bellefontaine 25)
- 6 - None
- 7 - Joe E. Hunt (Greenfield 38)

**1998-1999**

- 1 - Clyde Bondy (Putnam 123)
- 2A - Glenn Chandler (Trenton 66)
- 2B - Herman Collins (Mitchell 14)
- 3A - Robert Whitney (Independence 12)
- 3B - Harry D. Brown (William F. Kuhn 139)
- 3C - Jack Timmons (Wyoming 43)
- 4A - Robert Schmidt (Triune 93)
- 4B - Larry D. Wyatt (Jefferson City 34)
- 5 - James W. Elam (Keystone 146)
- 6 - None
- 7 - Donald Doss (Springfield 15)

**1999-2000**

- 1A - Charles Lee (Caldwell 53)
- 1B - Clement Gunn (Shelbina 99)
- 2A - None
- 2B - John Thraillkill (Bethany 80)
- 3A - Melvin J. Sanders (Independence 12)
- 3B - Frank B. Chester (William F. Kuhn 139)
- 3C - James W. Williams (Wyoming 43)
- 4A - Will Brantley (Columbia 17)
- 4B - Edward Poecker (California 58)
- 5 - Kenneth Green (Keystone 146)
- 5 - Lionel J. Goede (Keystone 146)
- 6 - Bobby Roloff (Wilson 75)
- 7A - Joseph Slater (Mountain Grove 137)
- 7B - Jack Brown (Joplin 91)

**2000-2001**

- 1A - Barry Cundiff (Caldwell 53)
- 1B - Rodger D. Goings (Shelbina 99)
- 2A - Don Peyton (Trenton 66)
- 2B - Carroll Henson (Mitchell 14)
- 3A - Joseph Bittiker (Mt. Washington 142)
- 3B - Quinten D. Hinton (William F. Kuhn 139)
- 3C - None
- 4A - Marvin L. Painter (Columbia 17)
- 4B - Breck Summerford (California 58)
- 5A - William Townley (St. Charles 111)
- 5B - Ronnie E. Green (Oriental 78)
- 6 - Chester Herrington (Wilson 75)
- 7A - Leslie P. Rea (Vincil 110)
- 7B - Everett Felkner, Jr. (Lamar 101)

**2001-2002**

- 1A - None
- 1B - Darrell A. Wilham (Shelbina 99)
- 2A - Berl Williams (Lone Star 30)
- 2B - None
- 3A - Ronald L. Barrett (Liberty 3)
- 3B - None
- 3C - None
- 4A - None
- 4B - Nelson Morgan (Rolla 32)
- 5A - David H. Lewis (Oriental 78)
- 5B - Stanley Dugan (Cope Stone 33)
- 6 - Ronald G. Cunningham (Wilson 75)
- 7A - Winston Allison (Bolivar 5)
- 7B - James R. Leonard (Nevada 56)

**2002-2003**

- 1A - None
- 1B - Carl W. Lasswell (Shelbina 99)
- 2A - Donald G. O'Dell (Lone Star 30)
- 2B - None
- 3A - None
- 3B - William E. Rodgers (William F. Kuhn 139)
- 3C - None
- 4A - Phillip W. Engel (Triune 93)
- 4B - Columbus Craft (Rolla 32)
- 5A - Richard G. Grisham (St. Louis - Missouri 1)
- 5B - James L. Inukai (Rabboni 131)
- 6 - Bill A. Humble (Poplar Bluff 114)
- 7A - Loyd V. Wagner (Greenfield 38)
- 7B - Ted W. Blanchard (Lamar 101)

**2003-2004**

1A - Loren D. Lloyd (Putnam 123)  
1B - Roger McGregor (Hannibal 7)  
2A - Larry T. Odom (Trenton 66)  
2B - J B Seevers (Mitchell 14)  
3A - Lester J. Brown (Liberty 3)  
3B - Robert W. Brizendine (East Gate 136)  
3C - John Pfeffer (DeMolay 26)  
4A - Walter D. Straight (Columbia 17)  
4B - George E. Ornsbey (Rolla 32)  
5 - David R. Vogler (Oriental 78)  
6 - Arthur C. Highman (Uel - Midian 129)  
7A - Arthur A. Whitman (Mountain Grove 137)  
7B - Floyd G. Eaves (Lamar 101)

**2004-2005**

1A - None  
1B - Michael L. Dodd (Shelbina 99)  
2A - None  
2B - Lloyd F. Waller (Mitchell 14)  
3A - Frank von Geyso, III (Liberty 3)  
3B - None  
3C - Michael R. Lundeen (Grandview 145)  
4A - Richard A. Mills (Mexico 27)  
4B - Stephen C. Derendinger (California 58)  
5 - Wilfred G. Soutiea, Jr. (Keystone 146)  
6 - None  
7A - G. Stanley Greene (Springfield 15)  
7B - Bill D. Spiva (Tyrian 52)  
7B - Gary L. Jones (Nevada 56)

**2005-2006**

1A - None  
1B - None  
2A - None  
2B - William F. Maugh (Mitchell 14)  
3A - William G. Snyder (Independence 12)  
3B - None  
3C - Russell L. Helmig (Wyoming 43)  
4A - None  
4B - Andrew L. Wyatt (Jefferson City 34)  
5 - Kevin E. Weaver (Mt. Nebo 148)  
6 - James L. Woodfin, Jr. (Uel 129)  
7A - None  
7B - Orvie L. Conner (Tyrian 52)

**2006-2007**

1A - Thomas C. Yunick (Caldwell 53)  
1B - Fred F. Stuecken (Moberly 79)  
2A - George T. Teeter (Lone Star 30)  
2B - William W. Mier (Mitchell 14)  
3A - Glenn E. Means (Independence 12)  
3B - Orville Newberry (East Gate 136)  
3C - Roy N. Thomas (Grandview 145)  
4A - Russell S. Hanson (Columbia 17)  
4B - Wesley C. Schneider (California 58)  
5 - Eugene H. Sam (Mt. Nebo 148)  
6 - Harold J. Richardson (Uel 129)  
7A - Michael E. Day (Lebanon 64)  
7B - Henry A. Freund (Tyrian 52)

**2007-2008**

1A - David A. Lloyd (Putnam 123)  
1B - Richard A. Taylor (Shelbina 99)  
2A - Dan Daniel (Bethany 80)  
2B - Daryl L. Price (Mitchell 14)  
3A - Clayton Riley (Liberty 3)  
3B - David E. Miller (East Gate 136)  
3C - Ferrell D. Sexson (Wyoming 43)  
4A - Jerry Bradford (Triune 93)  
4B - George R. Shelley (California 58)  
5 - Terry F. Kraft (Keystone 146)  
6 - John V. Crampton (Wilson 75)  
7A - John W. Shoemaker (Greenfield 38)  
7B - Lee W. Smith (Joplin 91)

**2008-2009**

1A - Clyde Francis Bondy, III (Putnam 123)  
1B - Joe Peter Elsen (Shelbina 99)  
2A - None  
2B - Elbert Franklin Turner, Jr. (Mitchell 14)  
3A - Stanton Thayer Brown, II (Independence 12)  
3B - Forrest Gilbert Lowe (East Gate 136)  
3C - Richard Lee Alexander (Wyoming 43)  
4A - Jerry W. Hunter, Sr. (Columbia 17)  
4B - William Clyde Woolsey (Rolla 32)  
5 - Edward J. Fesenmeyer, Jr. (Keystone 146)  
6 - Charles Matthew Huey (Wilson 75)  
7A - Larry Roy Clemens (Lebanon 64)  
7B - David Allen Smothers (Greenfield 38)

**2009-2010**

1A - Kenneth Darrell Rongey (Caldwell 53)  
1B - Jerry Dwayne Hartel (Shelbina 99)  
2A - None  
2B - Loyd LeRoy Salmon (Mitchell 14)  
3A - Forest Wayne Dugan (Liberty 3)  
3B - William Bryant Van Meter (East Gate 136)  
3C - Glen Roy Osborn (Wyoming 43)  
4A - Matthew Wayne Price (Columbia 17)  
4B - Ralph Lenwood Davis (Rolla 32)  
5 - Robert Leon Wright (Mt. Nebo 148)  
5 - Walter Lawrence Wilson (St. Charles Missouri 1)  
6 - Harry Lee Tripp, Jr. (Uel 129)  
7A - Jeffrey Franklin Boyce (Bolivar 5)  
7B - None

**2010-2011**

1A - Melvin L. Hall (Putnam 123)  
1B - Jerry Lynn Miles (Shelbina 99)  
2A - None  
2B - Edward L. Colvin (Mitchell 14)  
3A - None  
3B - None  
3C - Donald Joseph Donovan (Wyoming 43)  
4A - Matthew Bert James (Columbia 17)  
4B - None  
5 - Richard J. Holmes (Bellevue 25)  
6 - Mark Randell Stevens (Uel 129)  
7A - Clark Andrew McLemore (Greenfield 38)  
7B - Paul Lee Daniels (Nevada 56)

**2011-2012**

1A - Richard L. Mansfield (Caldwell 53)  
1B - Gene W. Wescott (Shelbina 99)  
2A - None  
2B - Dennis N. Vogel (Mitchell 14)  
3A - None  
3B - None  
3C - Clarence L. Jennings (Wyoming 43)  
4A - None  
4B - Clifford R. Dobbins (Jefferson City 34)  
5 - Norman G. Schlagenhauf, Jr. (Keystone 146)  
6 - J. Joseph Hayes (Uel 129)  
7A - Bradley T. Hicks (Lebanon 64)  
7B - John C. Kuehn (Webb City 119)

**2012-2013**

1A - Matthew Jacob McAuley (Caldwell 53)  
1B - Doug Lewis (Shelbina 99)  
2A - None  
2B - Harry Wayne Vogel (Mitchell 14)  
3A - F. Wayne Dugan (Liberty 3)  
3B - Charles A. Farris (Harry D. Brown Jr 284)  
3C - None  
4A - None  
4B - Timothy Lehnhoff (Rolla 32)  
5 - Gale Morrison St. Charles Missouri 1)  
6 - James E. Snavely (Uel 129)  
7A - None  
7B - Alvin Wellington Shaw, III (Webb City 119)

**2013-2014**

1A - None  
1B - Donald E. Sanford (Shelbina 99)  
2A - None  
2B - Marion H. Boydston (Mitchell 14)  
3A - None  
3B - Kenneth D. Best, Sr. (Harry D. Brown Jr 284)  
3B - Timothy J. Holmes (Harry D. Brown Jr 284)  
3C - None  
4A - None  
4B - Sam L. Land (Jefferson City 34)  
4B - Donald Vandergriffe (Rolla 32)  
5 - Thomas T. Herek (Keystone 146)  
6 - Clifton W. Wofford (Uel 129)  
7A - Gary L. Walden (Lebanon 64)  
7A - David W. O'Dell (Lebanon 64)  
7B - None

**2014-2015**

1A - None  
1B - None  
2A - None  
2B - Larry Chambers (Mitchell 14)  
3A - None  
3B - Donald MacCormick (Kansas City 28)  
3C - None  
4A - None  
4B - None  
5 - Dennis L. Hammack (Keystone 146)  
6 - Ernie D. Wilson (Poplar Bluff 114)  
7A - None  
7B - None

**2015-2016**

- 1A - Abdon R. Navarro (Caldwell 53)
- 1B - James D. Mozingo (Shelbina 99)
- 2A - Clifford W. Addison (Bethany 80)
- 2B - James D. Jeffers (Mitchell 14)
- 3A - Michael Wheeler (Liberty 3)
- 3B - Richard Riepe (Wyoming 43)
- 4A - None
- 4B - Wayne B. Fryer (32)
- 4B - Obed Wayne Brown (32)
- 5 - Charles G. Coy (Mt. Nebo 148)
- 5 - Dwight E. Wyatt (Keystone 146)
- 6 - Anthony Tomlinson (Uel 129)
- 7A - James E. Portwood (Lebanon 64)
- 7A - Andres Dawson (Mt. Grove 137)
- 7B - None

**2016-2017**

- 1A - None
- 1B - Martin Eugene Lund, Jr. (Shelbina 99)
- 2A - None
- 2B - Patrick C. Squires (Mitchell 14)
- 3A - Matthew L. Quesenberry (Independence 12)
- 3B - None
- 4A - None
- 4B - James B. Stephenson (Rolla 32)
- 5 - Louis L. Monken (Keystone 146)
- 6 - None
- 7A - Daniel Hartley (West Plains 108)
- 7B - None

**2017-2018**

- 1A - None
- 1B - None
- 2A - None
- 2B - Alvin K. Patterson (Mitchell 14)
- 3A - None
- 3B - Aaron E. Rose (Orient 102)
- 4A - None
- 4B - None
- 5 - David W. Getty (Mt. Nebo 148)
- 6 - None
- 7A - None
- 7B - None

**2018-2019**

- 1 - Kenneth L. Shumard (Shelbina 99)
- 2 - Emmett J. Bryson (Mitchell 14)
- 3A - Jon F. Abshier (Lexington 10)
- 3B - Jeffery A. Fielder-Bey (Kansas City 28)
- 4A - Frank Lukenbill (Columbia 17)
- 4B - James W. Woods (Rolla 32)
- 5 - Michael S. Smith (St. Charles Missouri 1)
- 6 - Dennis W. Houck (Wilson 75)
- 7A - Gregory J. Walker (Springfield 15)
- 7B - Mathew D. Ruth (Tyrian 52)

**2019-2020**

- 1 - None
- 2 - Douglas Hastings Reece (Mitchell 14)
- 3A - Larry Fred Walters (Independence 12)
- 3B - Adam Anthony James (Kansas City 28)
- 4A - None
- 4B - None
- 5 - None
- 6 - None
- 7A - Daniel Patrick Dubree (Springfield 15)
- 7B - None

**2020-2021**

- 1 - None
- 2 - None
- 3A - None
- 3B - None
- 4 - James Edward Ashby (Rolla 32)
- 5 - Nicholas Young (Oriental-Rabboni 78)
- 6 - Alfred Lavern Mason (Wilson 75)
- 7A - Jeff Allen Stokes (Lebanon 64)
- 7B - None

**GENERAL GRAND CHAPTER BRONZE AWARD**

1952	Harley L. Wilson	1986	Joseph H. Collison
1953	Richard H. Ramsey	1987	Emory J. Hampel
1954	Grover C. Layne	1988	Elmer C. Owens
1955	Earnest E. Browning	1989	John B. Browning
1956	Emmitt L. Robinson	1990	Hurbert R. Baumgarth
1957	E. Jere Deal	1991	Woodrow W. Blunt
1958	Russell L. Dearmont	1992	Cletus E. Kueffer
1959	R. H. Amberg	1993	Michael W. Klipp
1960	John J. Bowman	1994	Melvin I. Weems
1961	Henry Egbert Miller	1995	Paul W. Kittle
1962	Henry W. Fox	1996	Paul A. Delozier
1963	John Burle	1997	George A. Blansett
1964	John S. Smarr	1998	D. Keith Duren
1965	Francis A. Ely	1999	George L. Duncan
1966	Harry S. Kline	2000	James C. Keethler
1967	Rex. M. Whitton	2001	Unknown
1968	Robert H. Arnold	2002	Unknown
1969	George V. Welch	2003	Unknown
1970	H. Roe Bartle	2004	Unknown
1971	Leif J. Sverdrup	2005	William R. Probst
1972	M. Graham Clark	2006	Arthur E. Carlson
1973	William Wilmer Martin	2007	Kevin E. Weaver
1974	Cal Hubbard	2008	John E. Crites
1975	Elden J. Loveland	2009	Russell S. Hanson
1976	Joseph W. Nickle	2010	Ronald L. Barrett
1977	Lester Williams	2011	Walter W. Doyle
1978	Howard McHenry	2012	James E Snavely
1979	Ambers L. "Red" Dalton	2013	Bob L. Detherow
1980	Ernest C. Cottle	2014	Fred M. Harle
1981	Charles C. Bybee	2017	Dennis E. Fetter
1982	James Craig Rhea	2018	Donald Eugene Gilkerson
1983	Alfred Whitfield Griffith	2019	W. Larry Wilson
1984	Fred F. Stuecken	2020	Gregory J. Walker
1985	Howard D. Watkins	2021	Carlin Lorane Smittle