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Right Eminent Grand Commander

May 17, 2021

To the Very Eminent Deputy Grand Commander, Sir Knight John Waters, all Past R.E. Grand Commanders, all elected and appointed Eminent Grand Officers, all Past Eminent Commanders, all Eminent Commanders, Generalissimos, Captain Generals, Officers and Sir Knights of the subordinate Commanderies owing allegiance to the Prince Hall Grand Commandery of Knights Templar State of Ohio and Jurisdiction.

PROCLAMATION BTJ 2021-008

Pursuant to the Statutes and Regulations of the Prince Hall Grand Commandery of Knights Templar, State of Ohio and Jurisdiction and by the power and authority in me vested as the Right Eminent Grand Commander of said Order, I do hereby **Proclaim the convening** of the 148th Annual Grand Conclave of the Prince Hall Grand Commandery of Knights Templar and the 36th Annual Grand Conclave of the David V. Moore Grand Guild of Heroines of Templar Crusades State of Ohio and Jurisdiction for all Knights Templar Commanderies and Heroines of Templar Crusades Guilds owing allegiance to the afore mentioned bodies on July 17th and 18th, 2021.

I do further hereby **SUMMON ALL** Grand Commandery officers elected and appointed, all Past R.E. Grand Commanders, all Past Eminent Commanders, all Eminent Commanders, all Generalissimos, all Captain Generals and all other officers and Sir Knights owing allegiance to this Magnanimous Order to convene with me to transact and dispatch all business that may regularly come before our Order at 8:30AM ET.

I do further hereby **DIRECT** that all Commanderies are to be present and that the eight (8) principal elected officers of every Commandery be present and pre-registered, i.e. Eminent Commander, Generalissimo, Captain General, Excellent Prelate, Senior Warden, Junior Warden, Recorder and Treasurer. No proxies will be allowed unless the registration for the absent officer

is paid in full. Commanderies that are delinquent with their taxes will also forfeit their voting rights. Please adhere to this Directive and govern yourselves accordingly.

This year's 148th Annual Grand Conclave will be convened virtually via the Zoom platform. The registration is **\$20.00** per Sir Knight. Please submit registration forms and fees as soon as possible. **All registrations should be postmarked no later than July 3, 2021.** Make checks or money orders payable to **PHGCKTOH** and mail to the **Eminent Acting Grand Recorder SK Terry Grooms, Post Office Box 42073, Cincinnati, OH 45242.** His email is: **mastermasonpha107@outlook.com.** A registration form is attached to this Proclamation. Take due and timely notice and govern yourselves accordingly.

I do further **DIRECT** that all Elected Grand Officers and Committee Chairmen forward your annual reports to the office of the **Eminent Acting Grand Recorder SK Terry Grooms** no later than **June 30, 2021.** Please adhere to this date and take due and timely notice.

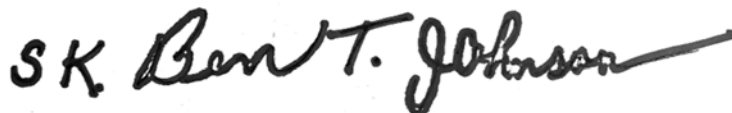
I do further **PROCLAIM** that the official Dress and proper attire for the Grand Conclave will be your Knight Templar uniform jacket (or black suit jacket) and Fatigue cap. No gloves or side arms are to be worn.

I do further hereby **PROCLAIM** that on Sunday, July 19, 2020, the Eminent Grand Prelate SK Melvyn Hugelley and his assistants shall host an Upper Room Devotional Service at 8:00 AM. Each Commandery shall have a list of those Sir Knights and Princesses for whom we shall solicit prayers. Immediately following will be the opening of the 148th Annual Grand Conclave. After the opening, the Very Eminent Deputy Grand Commander SK John Waters will be received at 8:45 AM, the Elected and Appointed Grand Officers at 9:00 AM and the Right Eminent Grand Commander SK Ben T. Johnson will be received at 9:30 AM sharp.

I do further **PROCLAIM** that there will be no awards given this year. Furthermore, there will be no Past Eminent Commanders degree conferred or dubbing held during this year's Annual Grand Conclave.

I do hereby **DIRECT** that this Proclamation be read in your next local Conclave meetings. May God continue to Bless this Grand Commandery and may all of you Sir Knights and your families have safe travel to and from the Grand Conclave. Given under my hand and seal of the Right Eminent Grand Commander at Indianapolis, IN this seventeenth day of May 2021 A.D. A.O. 903.

Yours in Knightly Courtesy, Truth and Honor



Ben T. Johnson, KYCH
Right Eminent Grand Commander 2019-2021



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REGISTRATION FORM FOR GRAND COMMANDERY CONCLAVE
MUST BE POSTMARKED NO LATER THAN SATURDAY, JULY 3, 2021

COMMANDERY NAME _____ NO. _____

REGISTRATION \$20.00 PER SIR KNIGHT

NAME _____ TITLE _____

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MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO: PRINCE HALL GRAND COMMANDERY KT OF OHIO
MAIL THIS FORM AND MONEY TO: **SK Terry Grooms**
Post Office Box 42073
Cincinnati, Ohio 45242



DATE RECEIVED _____ AMOUNT _____ CHECK NO. _____

148th Grand Conclave
Prince Hall Grand Commandery Knights Templar
State of Ohio and Jurisdiction



July 17-18, 2021
Virtual Convening

Sir Knight: Registration Deadline: Postmarked no later than July 3, 2021

PLEASE PRINT

Commandery _____ **No.** _____

Name _____ **Title** _____

Address _____
(Street) (City) (State) (Zip Code)

Telephone No. (____) - _____ - _____

Email _____

	<u>Cost</u>	<u>Amount</u>
<u>Registration</u>	\$20.00	\$ _____

TOTAL AMOUNT ENCLOSED

\$ _____

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