

NEVADA SUPPLEMENT

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Sir Knights of Nevada

THANK YOU for electing me to serve you as your Grand Commander for the 2009-2010 Templar year. It is a great honor and privilege that I do not take lightly. As I embark on this continuing journey, I ask for the assistance of each Sir Knight. Together we can move forward and have each of the Commanderys prosper. Your Grand Officers stand ready to serve you and each Commandery. Please share your ideas, activities and yes, even your frustrations. Remember none of us can be a mind reader, so PLEASE feel free to communicate. We do have traditions; however, there is always room for improvement, new thoughts and ideas. I welcome your input!

Thank You to the elected and appointed officers, and the members of the various committees. Your commitment, and the commitment of those who have preceded us, has sustained this Grand Commandery for more than 135 years. With your help and the help of all Sir Knights, we will make this a memorable year.

This Templar year there are five items that should be priority items. They are:

1. **SUPPORT** your local blue lodge(s). When they prosper, York Rite also prospers.
2. **RITUAL.** Learn your parts. Make a segment of each Conclave a learning experience.
3. **MEMBERSHIP.** Reach out to the Sir Knights in your Commandery that do not attend. Give them a job and give them a reason for attending. Bring in new members, but do not overwhelm them.
4. **PHILANTHROPY.** The Knights Templar Eye Foundation is our Philanthropy. Through our generosity the gift of sight is provided to those who cannot see and research is continuing to cure eye diseases.
5. **FUN.** We have our serious ceremonies and observances which are vital; however we need to enjoy ourselves and each other. Involve our ladies and families

The Grand Commandery of Nevada has been blessed by generations of exceptional leaders. One of those is our now Junior Past Grand Commander Sir Knight Gerald L. Ogle. As most of you know, Gerry spent countless hours in his quest

to enhance the Knight Templar organization in Nevada. Congratulations Sir Knight Gerry for an outstanding year and your untiring devotion to the craft.

May each of you and yours be blessed throughout the Templar Year.

Fraternally,
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