



York Rite Legend

The Orlando York Rite Bodies meet on the 2nd & 4th Thursdays at Eola Lodge No. 207 Located at 3200 E. Grant St, Orlando, FL 32856

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Sir Knights and Companions, you should have received your 2018 dues notice by now. Please remit your dues as soon as possible to avoid suspension.

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News and Events

June 13 - York Rite Practice at Orlando 69 at 6:00 PM

June 14 - Assembly of Orlando Council No. 5 Royal & Select Masters at Eola Lodge, dinner 6:30 PM, Assembly 7:30 PM

June 23 - Grand Master's Official Visit to the Proud 16th Masonic District. 5:00PM at the Apopka VFW 519 S Central Ave, Apopka, FL 32703

June 27 - York Rite Practice at Orlando 69 at 6:00 PM

June 28 - Conclave of Olivet Commandery No. 4 at Eola Lodge, dinner 6:30 PM, Assembly

MOST EXCELLENT GRAND HIGH PRIEST HARRY V. EISENBERG

Greetings Companions and welcome to the Grand Chapter. I humbly thank you for electing me to lead you this year and pledge that along with myself, our Grand Officers, District officers and Committee Chairmen are here to serve you in your pursuit of increased light in Capitular Masonry. But we can only do this if we have feedback from you as to your needs and desires. This you can do by attending our area meetings (only 5 this year) and my official visitations to your individual Chapters. I hope to visit every Chapter during the course of my term in office. Please come out and shake my hand and say hello.



My Theme this year is "Walk in Grace" and will be delivered by my District Deputy Grand High Priests on their first official visitation to your Chapter. Basically my message is that we should try to be aware of the presence of the Almighty within us, and when we do two things happen. First we experience and therefore live the essence of what a true York Rite Mason is all about. And second we find that there is nothing that we cannot accomplish.

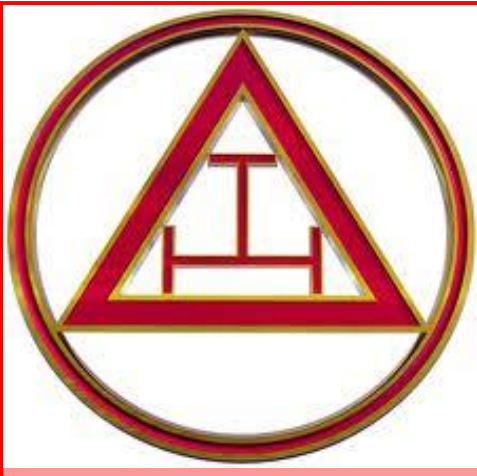
My charity for the year is RARA, Royal Arch Research Assistance, which you know has been dear to my heart for many years. RARA helps support research in two areas, Central Auditory Processing Disorder (CAPD) and Autism. Great strides in understanding the causes and treatments of these condition has been made over the years because of the contributions to RARA and I hope every Capitular Mason and Chapter will do their utmost to support it.

Best regards,

Harry Eisenberg

Eureka Chapter No. 7 Royal Arch Masons

Convocations held on the second Thursday of each odd month (Jan, Mar, May, Jul, Sep, Nov) at 7:30 PM



Joseph M. Crum, Excellent High Priest, 727-492-2239, Joseph.Crum@gmail.com

2018 OFFICERS

Excellent High Priest	Joseph M. Crum
King	Wendell Tommimbang
Scribe	Francisco Lopez
Treasurer	Michael Hatcher
Secretary	Erik B. Andersen
Captain of the Host	Barton Patria
Principal Sojourner	G. Frank Woods
Royal Arch Captain	Manny Lozada
Chaplain	James D. Dickinson
Master of the 3rd Veil	Jose Fernandez
Master of the 2nd Veil	Jerry Clark
Master of the 1st Veil	Ken Mueller
Sentinel	Scott Penvose

Greetings Companions,

If you were not able to make the Florida Grand York Rite Convention, you missed out on some very good fellowship. And there was great representation of our Orlando York Rite Bodies, not only in Chapter but in Council and Commandery as well.

Most Excellent Companion, Harry V. Eisenberg, is now the Grand High Priest for the Grand Chapter of the Royal Arch Masons of Florida. His theme this year is "Walk in Grace" and will be delivered by each of the District Deputy Grand High Priests on their first official visits to each Chapter.

In Eureka Chapter No. 7 of Royal Arch Masons, this will be delivered by our Right Excellent Companion, Edward L. Smallwood, who is now the District Deputy Grand High Priest for District 5.

And completing the great representation of our Orlando York Rite Bodies is Right Excellent Companion, James D. Dickenson, is now Grand Assistant Chaplain for the Grand Chapter of the Royal Arch Masons of Florida.

Excellent Companion, William Miller, Past High Priest and myself as Excellent High Priest for Eureka Chapter No. 7 of Royal Arch Masons, participated in the "Order of the High Priesthood", sometimes referred as a chair degree, at the Grand York Rite Convention. It was very esoteric and I believe it was an enlightening experience for both of us.

Again congratulations is in order for our Eureka Chapter No. 7 Royal Arch Masons in their efforts and diligence in becoming Florida Grand York Rite Officers!

Yours In The Fraternity,

Companion Joseph M. Crum
Excellent High Priest

2018 COMMITTEES

CHARITY:
Joseph Crum, Chm, Wendell Tomimbang, Francisco Lopez

FINANCE:
Michael Hatcher, Chm, Erik Andersen, Manuel Lozada

VISITATION AND SICKNESS:
Frank Woods, Chm, James Dickenson, Jose Fernandez

ENTERTAINMENT:
Erik Andersen, Chm, Wendell Tomimbang, Bart Patria

VIGILANCE:
James Dickenson, Chm, Harry Eisenberg, Gerald Favor

DELINQUENCY:
Jose Fernandez, Chm, Manuel Lozada, Craig Frazier

CAPITULAR MASONRY:
Edward Smallwood, Chm, Erik Andersen, Francis Lopez.

RARA: Harry Eisenberg

GRAND CHAPTER

Harry V. Eisenberg, R. E. Grand King, 2017

Wayne E. Parks, M. E. Past Grand High Priest, 2001/02

Phillip Moffses, Past District Deputy High Priest, 2015/2016

Phillip E Moffses, Treasurer Emeritus

Orlando Council No. 5 Royal and Select Masters

Assemblies held on the second Thursday of each even month (Feb, Apr, Jun, Aug, Oct, Dec) at 7:30 PM



Nelson Bonet, *Illustrious Master*, 321-276-7843, travelbonet@gmail.com

2018 OFFICERS

Illustrious Master	Nelson Bonet
Deputy Master	Wendell Tommimbang
Princ. Cond. of the Work	Joseph Crum
Treasurer	Michael Hatcher
Recorder	Erik B. Andersen
Captain of the Guard	Many Lazoda
Cond. Of the Council	Frank Lopez
Steward	TBD
Chaplain	TBD
Sentinel	TBD

Greetings Companions:

Those of you that missed the Grand Convention must know that the new District Deputy is Right Illustrious Edgar E. Ortiz, from Sanford Council No 20.

This month the Council meeting is June 14. Special thanks to the Companions that attended last meeting and the Grand Convention. This month we need to vote in some candidates, your attendance is important.

Currently we are trying to get everyone to attend practices. Is important for everyone to be proficient with the opening and closing for business thus making for shorter meetings. We will be meeting for practice on the 1st Wednesday of the month at Orlando 69 Lodge please do your best to come.

I am calling upon all the companions to come and join us again and see what you have been missing. If you are unable to attend, due to distance or health reasons, please help us promote and support our York Rite. Feel free to contact me in person by phone or email if you have any suggestions or want to participate in any activity.

Let fraternal love remain with Us and bless Us.

Fraternally
Companion Nelson Bonet
Illustrious Master

2018 COMMITTEES

FINANCE:
Nelson Michael Hatcher, Chm, Craig Frazier, Erik Andersen

BY-LAWS COMMITTEE:
Erik Andersen, Chm, Craig Frazier , Ed Smallwood

VIGILANCE:
Many Lozada, Chm, Joseph Crumb, Wendell Tommimbang

FELLOWSHIP: (sickness & distress)
Joseph Crumb, Chm, Francisco Lopez, G. Frank Woods

CRYPTIC MASONARY:
Erik Andersen, Chm, Craig Frazier, Phillip Moffses

CMMRF:
Harry Eisenberg

GRAND COUNCIL

Robert E. Burleson, Most Illustrious Past Grand Master, 1992

Phillip E. Moffses, Treasurer Emeritus

Olivet Commandery No. 4 Knights Templar

Conclaves held on the fourth Thursday of every month at 7:30 PM



2018 OFFICERS

Eminent Commander	Nelson Bonet
Generalissimo	Craig Frazier
Captain General	Wendell Tommimbang
Treasurer	Michael Hatcher
Recorder	Erik B. Andersen
Prelate	James D. Dickinson
Senior Warden	G. Frank Woods
Junior Warden	Joseph Crum
Standard Bearer	Many Lozada
Sword Bearer	Jose Fernandez
Warder	TBD
Sentinel	TBD

Nelson Bonet, Eminent Commander, 321-276-7843, travelbonet@gmail.com

Greetings Sir Knights:

I want to give thanks to all of you that attended the Grand Conclave. This was very eventful however it was not as tiresome as other years, mainly because there was no pause. Only the introductions had a long pause this time. I believe it was because the Commandery was the first meeting this year.

For those of you that did not attend, we witnessed the installation from Olivet Commandery as Eminent Grand Sentinel, Erik B. Anderson. Also from Taylor Commandery as District Instructor, Right Eminent Edgar E. Ortiz.

I want to give thanks to all Sir Knights that attended the Grand Conclave. This event had an inspiring message that will be passed along by the District Deputy, Daniel L. Hobson, during his visit.

This month we need to vote on some candidates, your attendance is important. I encourage for you to please help promote and support the York Rite, with out you, we cease to exist, Help Us wile you still can. Talk York Rite in your Lodges, let others know we are here and that we support and defend the Christian religion and by faith we will be saved.

We will be meeting for practice on Wednesday at Orlando 69 or Thursday at Eola 207, contact me to ensure when and where we will meet to maximize attendance. Please do your best to come. Feel free to contact me in person by phone or email if you have any suggestions or want to participate in any activity.

Fraternally;

Sir Knight Nelson Bonet

Eminent Commander

2018 COMMITTEES

- CHARITY:**
Nelson Bonet, Chm, Ervin Janssen, William Miller
- FINANCE:**
Michael Hatcher, Chm, Erik Andersen, Craig Frazier
- VISITATION:**
G. Frank Woods, Chm, Ervin Janssen, Jim Dickenson
- ENTERTAINMENT:**
Erik Andersen, Chm, Wendell Tommimbang, Joseph Crumb
- VIGILANCE:**
Wendell Tommimbang, Chm, Joseph Crumb, Many Lozada
- DELINQUENCY:**
Jose Fernandez, Chm, Manuel Lozada, Wendell Tomimbang, Bart Patria
- K.T.E.F.:**
Harry Eisenberg

GRAND COMMANDERY

- Robert E. Burleson, R. E. Past Grand Commander, 2002/03
- Erik B. Andersen, R.E. District Deputy Eminent Commander 2017/18
- Phillip E. Moffses, Treasurer Emeritus
- GRAND ENCAMMEMNT OF KNIGHTS TEMPLAR USA**
- Robert E. Burleson, Right Eminent Past Southeastern Department Commander. 2006-2009

Grand Master's Visit

The
Grand Master's Official Visit
to the "Proud" 16th Masonic District

**"INTEGRITY IS THE STRENGTH
OF OUR FRATERNITY"**

Saturday, June 23, 2018

5:00pm Registration

6:00pm Dinner

7:00pm Meeting



M.:W.: JOHN E. KARROUM



At The Apopka VFW

519 S Central Ave, Apopka, FL 32703



LIVING PAST PRESIDING OFFICERS

NAME	HONORS	CHAPTER	COUNCIL	COMMANDERY	DISTRICT DEPUTY
Phillip E. Moffses	KYCH	1976	1975	1981	CH 2015, CO 1993, CM 2003
James E. Rowland*		1975	1974	1982	
Julian E. Whigham*		1982	1981		
William E. Cook	KYCH	1984	1982	1983	
Robert E. Burleson	KCT, KYGCH	1988	1985	1987	CM 1988
Clay H. Oehlert	KYCH	1990	192	1989	CM 1992
Wayne E. Parks	KYGCH	1993	2010	1993	CH 2011, CM 1994
Gerald H. Favor	KYCH	1996	1995	1997	CH 1997
Fred G. McNabb		2000	1996	1999	
Keith W. Albright			2001		
John D. Davis				2004	
Thomas S. Rice	KYCH	2002	2003	2008	
Miguel A. Arteaga		2003	2004	2009	
James D. Dickenson	KYCH	2004	2006	2005	CH 2007, CO 2009, CM 2008
Harry V. Eisenberg	KYCH	2006	2005	2007	CH 2008, CO 2014, CM 2009,2010
Patrick M. Biggs -		2007			
Richard A. Overbee*			2007		
Samuel A. Tish	KYCH	2008	2009	2006	
Rex C. Cain		2009	2008		
Erik B. Andersen	KYCH	2012	2013	2010	CO 2016, CM 2016, 2017
Jerry McKinnon -		2010	2011	2011	CM 2013
Ricardo Parente		2011	2012	2012	CH 2012
Leibnitz P. Soares				2013	
Theodore Hammond		2013	2014	2015	
Edward L Smallwood		2014	2015	2014	
William J Miller		2015	2017	2016	
Nelson Bonet		2016			
Craig Frazier		2017	2016		
Ervin Janssen				2017	

* Demitted from Orlando York Rite Bodies, + District Deputy - Suspended