

(Time Approximate)

GENERAL INFORMATION

HEADQUARTERS

Sonesta Nashville Airport
600 Marriott Drive
Nashville, TN 37214

HOUSING CHAIRMAN: Barbara Steinhauer
415 Springview Dr., Franklin, TN 37064
Home 615-794-4500 Cell 615-585-3991
email barbara449@bellsouth.net

All individuals MUST make their own reservations with the Sonesta Nashville Airport. Deadline for reservations is April 4, 2023, by 5 p.m. Reservations made after the deadline will be provided on a space available basis.

REPORTS, ADDRESSES, WELCOMES, AND RESPONSES

Should be put on a disc using Word and font-size 10 Times New Roman font. The disc and two (2) printed copies should be filed with the Grand Secretary immediately after reading. Please limit Greetings and Responses to 2-3 minutes.

MEAL FUNCTIONS: Deadline for all meal reservations is

March 31, 2023. Send a Self-Addressed Stamped Envelope (SASE) for payment when making reservations. UNLESS OTHERWISE INDICATED, MAKE ALL RESERVATIONS FOR BREAKFASTS, LUNCHEONS, AND BANQUETS with:

Ruth Norris, PM – Ticket Chairman
713 Chestnut St., Livingston, TN 38570
Home 931-823-6793 Cell 931-387-1536
ruthnorris1949@gmail.com

Make checks payable to the Arrangements Committee, Grand Chapter of TN.

CREDENTIALS AND REGISTRATION will be held at Sonesta Nashville Airport and Out-of-State Distinguished Guests and Members may register at the following times:

Sunday, April 23 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM
Monday, April 24 9:00 AM-12:00 PM & 1:00-4:00 PM
Tuesday, April 25 9:00 AM-12:00 PM & 1:00-4:00 PM
Wednesday, April 26 9:00 AM - 9:30 AM

You must present your signed Dues Card and Credentials Card at the time of registration. If you have lost your Credentials Card, please contact the Grand Secretary before coming to the Registration area.

TIMES AND LOCATIONS SUBJECT TO CHANGE

COURTESIES AND DRILLS: The Worthy Grand Matron and the Worthy Grand Matron-Elect have requested no drills on Tuesday and Wednesday evenings.

All voting delegates (WM, WP, AP, AM, PM, PP) or the Elected Proxy must register with Credentials prior to 9:00 A.M. Tuesday, April 25, to be eligible to vote in the election of the Grand Officers for 2023.

2023 Dues Card and Identification will be required for admittance to each closed session.

Grand Representatives, Grand Instructors, and Grand Committee Members who are unable to attend Grand Chapter should notify the Worthy Grand Matron by **March 31, 2023.** All Committee Members should report to their Chairman upon arrival.

CHAPTER REPRESENTATIVES

No Subordinate Chapter shall fail to be represented in the Grand Chapter for three (3) consecutive Annual Sessions. (Constitution, Article III, Section 1b and Penal Code, Chapter 9, Section 5.3)

Your 2023 Chapter Packets may be picked up after the Wednesday morning session. It must be picked up by the Secretary of the Chapter. If the Secretary is not present, the Worthy Matron or the highest legal representative may pick it up.

TO OUR DISTINGUISHED GUESTS

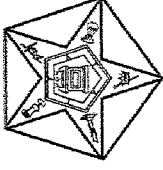
We welcome you and are pleased to have you here.

The Most Worthy Grand Matron, Most Worthy Grand Patron, Past Most Worthy Grand Matrons, and Past Most Worthy Grand Patrons shall receive lodging and complimentary tickets to all luncheons and banquets.

Visiting General Grand Chapter Officers shall receive two (2) nights lodging (proportionate share of room if others share the room) and complimentary tickets to the Sunday night banquet one time during the Triennium.

Past Grand Matrons and Past Grand Patrons of Tennessee shall receive complimentary tickets to the Sunday night banquet.

**The Grand Chapter
Of Tennessee
Order of the Eastern Star**



Extends Fraternal Greetings

and

Cordially Invites You to Attend the
121st ANNUAL SESSION

*Patchwork Legacy
of Love*

To be held at the
Sonesta Nashville Airport
600 Marriott Drive
Nashville, TN 37214

Sunday, April 23, 2023 Registration Begins
Monday, April 24, 2023 Informal Opening
Tuesday, April 25, 2023 Business Session
Wednesday, April 26, 2023 Business Session &
Installation of 2023 Grand Officers

Linda Edens Jerry Paul Vanatta
Worthy Grand Matron Worthy Grand Patron

Mary Wolfe, PGM
Grand Secretary
2153 Highway 411
Vonore, TN 37885

SUNDAY, APRIL 23, 2023

9:00 A.M. **Required REGISTRATION COMMITTEE AND CREDENTIALS MEETING** at the Sonesta Nashville Airport Hotel with the Grand Secretary. Location to be announced.

ALL GRAND PAGES AND DEPUTY GRAND SENTINELS will meet with their Chairperson following their rehearsal as listed below for instructions, carrying pieces, etc. Location to be announced.

9:30 A.M. **"Other Half's Brunch"** for spouses or trailers of PGM's and PGP's and current Grand Line Officers at Jere Baxter Chapter. Make reservations with: Gay Vanatta, PM 615-408-2697
vanatta123@dtccom.net
Marsha Reeves 901-275-4309
marshareeves@oldhamchem.com

**REHEARSALS..... Convention Center
Please Be On Time!**

12:00 Noon.....Grand Officers
1:00 P.M.....Emblem Presentation
1:30 P.M.....Flag Tributes
2:00 P.M.....Grand Representatives,
Grand Instructors, Grand Committees,
Grand Pages, Deputy Grand Sentinels
3:00 P.M.Grand Representatives with Flag
Escorts for the Cavalcade of Flags with the
Fraternal Correspondent
1:00 P.M. - 3:00 P.M.**Registration/Tickets**

5:00 P.M. **Vesper and Memorial Service**
Sonesta Nashville Airport Cumberland Ballroom

6:30 P.M. **"This Magic Moment"** Banquet
Sonesta Nashville Airport
Honoring: Eddie Yaun, Worthy Grand Chaplain, PGP
and General Grand Chapter Committee Members
Kay Southern, Distribution; Jane Bowne, ESTAR; Sheila
Allison, International Headquarters; Phyllis Lacki,
Membership; Bob Collins, Scottish Rite Charities; Glen
Chaote, Service Dogs; Daryl Isham, Shrine Charities; Charlie
Mixon, Youth; Johnnie Mae Bixler, Unfinished Business; Ruth
Graves, Triennial Special Assembly Faithful Note; Greg Lacki,
Triennial Other Assembly Colorful Note
Host: Arrangements Committee \$69.00

MONDAY, APRIL 24, 2023

7:30 A.M. **"The Wolfe Pack"** Breakfast
Sonesta Nashville Airport
Honoring: Mary Wolfe, Grand Secretary, PGM \$40.00
Host: Middle TN Area Secretary's Assoc. Add \$2.00 Dues
Make reservations by sending a SASE to
Pat Gunn at 3313 Fairfield Pk., Bell Buckle, TN 37020.
615-390-3393 email: pgunndgunn@live.com
Make checks payable to Pat Gunn.

10:00 A.M. **JURISPRUDENCE COMMITTEE MEETING**
Sonesta Nashville Airport
11:30 A.M. **"Thoughts and Blessings"** Luncheon
Sonesta Nashville Airport
Host: Tennessee Past Grand's Association \$58.00
Make reservations by sending a SASE to **Barbara
Steinhauser** at 415 Springview Dr., Franklin, TN 37064.
615-794-4500 email: barbara449@bellsouth.net
Make checks payable to Past Grand's Association.

We welcome Out-of State Past Grand Matrons and Past
Grand Patrons, including their spouse or traveling
companions to attend the Luncheon.

9:30 A.M. **Grand Choir Rehearsal**
Sonesta Nashville Airport
11:30 A.M. **"On the Road Again"** Luncheon
Sonesta Nashville Airport
Honoring: Grand Representatives
Host: Former and Present Grand Representatives of
Middle Tennessee \$58.00

GROUP PICTURES/OFFICIAL PHOTOGRAPHER ONLY
Sonesta Nashville Airport
3:45 P.M.Grand Pages
4:00 P.M. Deputy Grand Sentinels
4:15 P.M.Grand Representatives
4:30 P.M.Grand Instructors
4:45 P.M.Grand Committees
5:00 P.M. Sew 'N Sews
5:15 P.M.Grand Officers
5:45 P.M.Musical Prelude
6:00 P.M. **Informal Opening of Grand Chapter**

TUESDAY, MAY 11, 2021

7:30 A.M. **"Early Riser"** Breakfast
Sonesta Nashville Airport
Honoring: Grand Committees & Grand Choir
Host: Middle TN Grand Committees & Choir \$40.00
9:15 A.M.Musical Prelude
9:30 A.M. **Formal Opening**

Election of 2021 Grand Officers
12:00 Noon **"Flower Power"** Luncheon
Sonesta Nashville Airport

Honoring: Rita Hill, Grand Conductress and Phyllis
Matherly, PGM, Associate Grand Conductress
ProTem
Host: Middle TN Conductresses and Associate
Conductresses

1:30 P.M.Musical Prelude \$58.00
1:45 P.M. **Business Session**
5:30 P.M. **"Quilted Memories"** Banquet

Sonesta Nashville Airport
Honoring: Linda Edens, Worthy Grand Matron;
Jerry Paul Vanatta, Worthy Grand Patron;
and the 2022-2023 Grand Officers

Host: Middle TN Worthy Matrons & Worthy Patrons
\$67.00

7:15 P.M.Musical Prelude
7:30 P.M. **Business Session**
Presentation of 2022-2023 Worthy Matrons & Worthy
Patrons, Grand Representatives, Grand Instructors, and
Grand Committees

WEDNESDAY, MAY 12, 2021
7:30 A.M. **"The Quilting Bee"** Breakfast
Sonesta Nashville Airport

Honoring: Grand Instructors
Host: Middle TN Area Grand Instructors \$40.00
9:15 A.M.Musical Prelude
9:30 A.M. **Business Session**
12:30 P.M. **"We've Only Just Begun"** Luncheon
Sonesta Nashville Airport

Honoring: Worthy Grand Matron-Elect, Worthy Grand
Patron-Elect, and 2023-2024 Grand Officers
Host: Middle TN Associate Matrons and
Associate Patrons \$58.00

**Meet & Greet the 2023 Grand Officers Immediately
following the luncheon. Location to be announced.**
5:45 P.M.Musical Prelude
6:00 P.M. **Closing Session**
7:30 P.M. **Installation of 2023 Grand Officers**

"Patchwork Legacy of Love" April 23 – 26, 2023

2023 Grand Chapter Session Meal Reservation Form

Please PRINT all information.

DEADLINE for Ordering Tickets: MARCH 31, 2023

Chapter and Number: _____

Name: _____

Mailing Address: _____

Phone: (H) _____ (C) _____

City, State & Zip Code: _____

Email: _____

Event	Price	Number of Tickets	Names and Title of individual(s) tickets are being purchased for
Sunday, April 23, 2023 Sonesta Nashville Airport 6:30 p.m. Honoring: GGCO and GGCCMs "This Magic Moment" Banquet	\$69		
Monday, April 24, 2023 Sonesta Nashville Airport 7:30 a.m. Honoring: Mary Wolfe, Grand Secretary "The Wolfe Pack" Breakfast	\$40		Send Payment and Self Addressed Stamped Envelope to: Pat Gunn , 3313 Fairfield Pk., Bell Buckle, TN 37020 Phone 615-390-3393 email: pgunndgunn@live.com Make checks payable to: Pat Gunn
Monday, April 24, 2023 Sonesta Nashville Airport 11:30 a.m. Honoring: Past Grand Matrons and Past Grand Patrons "Thoughts and Blessings" Luncheon	\$58		Send Payment and Self Addressed Stamped Envelope to: Barbara Steinhauer , PGM, 415 Springview Dr., Franklin, TN 37064 Phone 615-794-4500 email: barbara449@bellsouth.net Make checks payable to: Past Grand's Association
Monday, April 24, 2023 Sonesta Nashville Airport 11:30 a.m. Honoring: Grand Representatives "On the Road Again" Luncheon	\$58		
Tuesday, April 25, 2023 Sonesta Nashville Airport 7:30 a.m. Honoring: Grand Committees and Grand Choir "Early Riser" Breakfast	\$40		
Tuesday, April 25, 2023 Sonesta Nashville Airport 12:00 noon Honoring: Grand Conductress and Associate Grand Conductress "Flower Power" Luncheon	\$58		
Tuesday, April 25, 2023 Sonesta Nashville Airport 5:30 p.m. Honoring: WGM, WGP, and 2022-2023 Grand Officers "Quilted Memories" Banquet	\$67		
Wednesday, April 26, 2023 Sonesta Nashville Airport 7:30 a.m. Honoring: Grand Instructors "The Quilting Bee" Breakfast	\$40		
Wednesday, April 26, 2023 Sonesta Nashville Airport 12:30 p.m. Honoring: 2023-2024 Grand Officers "We've Only Just Begun" Luncheon	\$58		
Unless otherwise indicated, send Self Addressed Stamped Envelope to:			
Ruth Norris, Ticket Chairman Phone 931-823-6793 email: ruthnorris1949@gmail.com 713 Chestnut St., Livingston, TN 38570 Make Checks payable to: Arrangements Committee, Grand Chapter of TN			

Housing Form Grand Chapter 2023

Reservations:

Make your reservation directly with the Sonesta Nashville Airport online by going to the link – <https://www.sonesta.com/sonesta-hotels-resorts/tn/nashville/sonesta-nashville-airport/> It should bring up BNA Nashville International Airport Hotel / Sonesta Nashville Airport / Sonesta which will initially flash today's date then change automatically to Apr 21 -> Apr 27 with group code 042123STAR. Choose your dates and type room. Or make your reservation by calling the hotel at 1-800-228-9290 or 615-889-9300. Give group code 042123STAR and specify that you are with Order of the Eastern Star and give the dates so we get credit for your stay in our room commitment.

Pricing:

Rooms are \$163.00 per night plus state and local taxes and city occupancy fee.

Complimentary parking for overnight guests.

Deadline for reservations by **5pm EST, 4pm CST on Tuesday, April 4, 2023**

Amenities:

A few handicap rooms available. Make your reservation early if you require a handicap room.

Room features include a small refrigerator, hair dryer and coffee.

See website for more information.

Should you require assistance or encounter a problem, notify the Housing Chairman as soon as possible.

Barbara Steinhauser, PGM, Housing Chairman

415 Spring View Drive

Franklin, TN 37064

Home: 615 794-4500

Cell: 615 585-3991

Email: barbara449@bellsouth.net

OUT-OF-STATE PRE-REGISTRATION FORM

**GRAND CHAPTER OF TENNESSEE
121ST ANNUAL SESSION
"PATCHWORK LEGACY OF LOVE"
Sonesta Nashville Airport
600 Marriott Drive
Nashville, TN 37214**

PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

CITY: _____ **STATE:** _____ **ZIP:** _____

PHONE: _____ **GRAND JURISDICTION:** _____

CHAPTER & NUMBER: _____

****TITLE: (as of April,2023)** _____

Please indicate your title for introductions

****You must be registered to be introduced Monday Night at the informal opening.**

COMPLETE THE FORM AND MAIL WITH FEE BY MARCH 15, 2023.

PRE-REGISTRATION IS \$10.00 & \$20.00 AFTER MARCH 15, 2023.

**PLEASE ONLY ONE NAME PER FORM. MAKE AS MANY COPIES AS NEEDED.
YOUR CHECK IS YOUR RECEIPT. PRE-REGISTRATION IS NON-REFUNDABLE.**

MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO: GRAND CHAPTER OF TENNESSEE

**MAIL TO: MARY WOLFE, PGM
GRAND SECRETARY
2153 HWY 411
VONORE, TN 37885**

PRE-REGISTRATION FORM

**GRAND CHAPTER OF TENNESSEE
121ST ANNUAL SESSION
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600 Marriott Drive
Nashville, TN 37214
April 23-26, 2023**

PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT

NAME: (as it appears on your dues card) _____

ADDRESS: _____

CITY: _____ STATE: _____ ZIP: _____

PHONE: _____

CHAPTER & NUMBER _____

CREDENTIAL YOU WILL REGISTER WITH AT GRAND CHAPTER: _____

Your 2023 title Worthy Matron, Worthy Patron, Associate Matron,
Associate Patron, Past Matron, Past Patron, Proxy or Member.

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