

TOAST NO. 1 (STANDARD BEARER)

SIR KNIGHTS, TO THE CROSS

**TO _____ THE MOST
EMINENT GRAND MASTER,**

**GRAND ENCAMPMENT OF KNIGHTS TEMPLAR OF
THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.**

**CHRISTMAS SHOULD BE A JOYFUL HOLIDAY. LET US
CELEBRATE IT JOYFULLY, AND REALLY MEAN IT
WHEN WE SAY "MERRY CHRISTMAS". YOU ARE
THE "TORCH BEARERS" OF TODAY. THE FUTURE
AND DESTINY OF OUR BELOVED FRATERNITY IS IN
YOUR HANDS. CARRY THE TORCH PROUDLY AND
HIGH AND PASS IT ALONG TO YOUR SUCCESSORS
WITH DIGNITY AND AUTHORITY. ONLY BY DOING
SO WILL OUR SUCCESSORS HAVE THE OPPORTUNITY
OF PERPETUATING THE GOOD WORKS OF OUR INSTI-
TUTION.**

**MAY THE THOUGHTS OF CHRISTMAS FILL YOUR
HOME WITH WARMTH AND CHEER, AND MAY
YOUR HOPES AND DREAMS COME TRUE IN THE
NEW YEAR**

I PROPOSE A TOAST! PARTICPATE!

TOAST NO. 2 (JUNIOR WARDEN)

**TO _____ RIGHT EMINENT GRAND
COMMANDER,**

**GRAND COMMANDERY OF KNIGHTS TEMPLAR OF
THE STATE OF GEORGIA.**

**AS KNIGHTS TEMPLAR ASSEMBLE TOGETHER THIS
MONTH FOR THEIR ANNUAL CHRISTMAS OBSER-
VANCE, PAYING HOMAGE TO EMMANUEL, AND ONCE
AGAIN RE-LIVE THE CHRISTMAS STORY - LET ME
ENCOURAGE EACH OF YOU TO REMEMBER YOUR
VOWS OF CHRISTIAN KNIGHTHOOD AND RE-
DEDICATE YOURSELVES TO THE LOVE THAT MANI-
FESTS ITSELF IN THE WORD OF GOD.**

**MAY THIS SEASON BE ONE OF JOY AND HAPPINESS
FOR YOU AND YOUR FAMILY.**

I PROPOSE A TOAST!

PARTICIPATE!

TOAST NO. 3 (SENIOR WARDEN)

TO _____ MOST ILLUSTRIOUS GRAND MASTER,

GRAND COUNCIL OF ROYAL AND SELECT MASTERS OF THE STATE OF GEORGIA.

THE PROPHECY WAS FULFILLED AND AS WE ONCE AGAIN LISTEN TO THE CHRISTMAS STORY, WE ARE REMINDED OF HIS LIFE AND HIS SACRIFICES FOR US.

LET NOT HIS SACRIFICE BE IN VAIN - FOLLOW HIS COMMANDMENTS AND LOVE YE ONE ANOTHER AS HE DIRECTED. THE TURMOIL THAT NOW FACES THE WORLD WOULD SETTLE ITSELF IF ALL PEOPLES WOULD

PRACTICE THE LOVE FOR ONE ANOTHER AS HE LOVED US.

MAY YOU FIND PEACE AND PROSPERITY FOR YOU AND YOUR LOVED ONES

DURING THE COMING YEAR.

I PROPOSE A TOAST! PARTICIPATE!

TOAST NO. 4 (CAPTAIN GENERAL)

**TO _____ THE MOST EXCEL-
LENT GRAND HIGH PRIEST, GRAND CHAPTER OF ROYAL
ARCH MASONS OF THE STATE OF GEORGIA.**

**LET US REJOICE THIS DAY AS THE OLD STORY OF
WHY WE CELEBRATE CHRISTMAS BECOMES A NEW
STORY FOR EACH OF US, TO BE REMINDED ONCE AGAIN
THAT WE HAVE LIFE ETERNAL THROUGH HIS SAVING
GRACE. WE OFFER HIM THANKFULNESS AND GRATITUDE
FOR THE OPPORTUNITY TO BELIEVE IN OUR HEARTS
THAT GOD'S LOVE IS CONTINUOUS - EVEN FOR THE
LEAST OF US.**

**MAY HIS LOVE WARM YOUR HEARTS AND HOMES AND
MAY YOUR FAMILY ENJOY THE PEACE THAT ONLY HIS
LOVE CAN BRING.**

I PROPOSE A TOAST!

PARTICIPATE!

TOAST NO. 5 (GENERALISIMO)

TO: _____

**THE MOST WORSHIPFUL GRANDMASTER FOR
THE GRAND LODGE OF FREE AND ACCEPTED MA-
SONS OF THE STATE OF GEORGIA.**

**AS THE THOUSANDS OF MASONS THROUGHOUT
GEORGIA AND THE WORLD LIGHT THEIR YULE
LOGS, AND PREPARE TO CELEBRATE THE BIRTH OF
OUR LORD AND SAVIOR, JESUS CHRIST; WE ARE
ALL REMINDED, NOT ONLY OF HIS LOVE FOR ALL OF
US, BUT OF HIS TEACHINGS AND THAT OF FREEMA-
SONRY — OF CHARITY.**

**MAY WE EXTEND TO THOSE LESS FORTUNATE THE
GIFTS OF LOVE AND CHARITY, GIVEN IN HIS NAME;
LOVE AND CHARITY ARE GIFTS UNEQUALED SINCE
THE BEGINNING OF TIME.**

**MAY THE BLESSINGS OF ALMIGHTY GOD ABIDE
WITH YOU, YOUR FAMILY, AND LOVED ONES DURING
THE SEASON AND THROUGHOUT THE COMING
YEAR.**

I PROPOSE A TOAST!

PARTICIPATE!

TOAST NO: 6 (COMMANDER)

**TO THE MEMORY OF OUR DEPARTED SIR
KNIGHTS.**

THE CHRISTMAS HOLIDAYS AND THE CELEBRATION OF CHRIST'S BIRTH IS A TIME FOR FAMILY AND LOVED ONES. IN THE HOMES OF SOME OF OUR SIR KNIGHTS THERE IS AN EMPTY CHAIR AT THE TABLE, AN EMPTY PLACE IN THE HEART, FOR THAT SIR KNIGHT WHO HAS DEPARTED THIS LIFE TO THAT ETERNAL TEMPLE IN THE HEAVENS - "THAT HOUSE NOT MADE WITH HANDS."

IT IS OUR PRAYER THAT THE LOVED ONES OF OUR DEPARTED SIR KNIGHTS BE COMFORTED, THAT THEIR BURDEN OF SORROW BE LIFTED WITH THE KNOWLEDGE THAT HE IS NOW IN THE SERVICE OF THE GREATEST COMMANDER OF ALL OF US -

OUR LORD AND SAVIOR,

JESUS CHRIST!

I PROPOSE A TOAST!

PARTICIPATE!