

Red Cross of Constantine, Eastern Regional Assembly

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Dear Knight Companion,

We cordially invite you to the **59th Annual Eastern Regional Assembly**, which will be held at the Holiday Inn, Harrisburg/Hershey (Grantville) on **November 3 - 5, 2017**. Please remember any Knight Companion, regardless of his state or region, and his Lady are welcome.

Last year, approximately 200 Knight Companions (representing 36 conclaves from 14 different states, the District of Columbia, and Canada) and 55 Ladies attended. We continue to offer and enjoy warm Constantinian fellowship, outstanding ritualistic work, and welcoming hospitality.

Our committee is working diligently to provide another enjoyable weekend for you. This year, we have two additions – the website <http://www.redcrossconstantine.net/er/> for your registration and a trolley tour of Hershey, including a stop at Chocolate World, for our Ladies to enjoy on Saturday afternoon. The following is our tentative schedule:

Friday, November 3, 2017

2:00 - 4:30 PM Registration (lobby)
5:30 - 6:15 PM Registration (lobby)
5:30 - 6:30 PM Reception & Get-Together (Majestic)
6:30 PM - Dinner (travel attire) (Majestic)
following dinner - 11:00 PM Hospitality Room (Pennsylvania Suite)

Saturday, November 4, 2017

6:30 - 9:30 AM Breakfast Buffet (Majestic)
7:30 - Noon Registration (lobby)
8:00 AM - Meeting of Sovereigns, Viceroys, Recorders, and Intendant
Generals (Grande I, II)
9:00 AM Candidates (in tuxedo) for Senate of Sovereigns (Grande III)
9:15 AM - Senate of Sovereigns (Grande I, II)
9:45 AM Candidates (in tuxedo) for College of Viceroys (Grande III)
10:00 AM - College of Viceroys (Grande I, II)
11:00 AM - Introduction of Dignitaries followed by Necrology Service
(Ladies are welcome to both.) (Grand I, II)
12:00 - 1:00 PM Luncheon Buffet (Majestic)
1:00 PM - Candidates (in business suit) for the Order of the Red Cross of
Constantine (Grande III)
1:15 PM - Order of the Red Cross of Constantine (Grande I, II)
2:00 - 5:00 PM Hospitality Room (Pennsylvania Suite)
2:15 PM - Candidates (in business suit) for Appendant Orders (Grande III)
2:30 PM - Appendant Orders (Grande I, II)
1:30 PM Departure of Trolley for tour of Hershey (Ladies, lobby)
6:00 - 7:00 PM Reception (Majestic)
7:00 PM - Banquet and Entertainment (tuxedo and jewel for gentlemen;
after-six attire for ladies) (Majestic)
following dinner - 11:00 PM Hospitality Room (Pennsylvania Suite)

Sunday, November 5, 2017

7:00 - 9:30 AM Breakfast Buffet (Majestic)

We look forward to greeting you at our 59th Annual Regional Assembly.

Yours in Faith, Unity, and Zeal,

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Thomas F. Miller, Chairman