

Tarrant County York Rite



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Degrees and Events Schedule

March 5 – Rose Upon the Altar at TMRC – Starting at 11:30 am – All Invited

March 8 – Temple Council Stated Meeting and Council Degrees, dinner at 6:30 pm

March 12 – Houston Conference and SEM degree – 9 am registration, 10 am conference

March 16 – TMRC Pecan Grove Council Royal Master's Degree, 7 pm

March 22 – Texas Chapter PM and MEM Degrees– 6:30 pm

March 23 – Worth Commandery Order of the Temple– 6:30 pm

March 26 – Borger Conference and SEM degree – 9 am registration, 10 am conference

April 2 – Arlington Conference and SEM degree – 9 am registration, 10 am conference

April 16 – Newton Kansas, Butch Blackman PGC Kansas w/ Texas Team – Commandery Orders 7am

April 20 – TMRC Pecan Grove Council Select Master's Degree, 7 pm

April 23 – Tyler York Rite Chapter/Council Festival – Start time TBD

UPCOMING CALENDAR OF EVENTS – March and April

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Feb 27	Feb 28 Stephenville York Rite 7 pm	Mar 1 Southside and Texas Chapter and Council	Mar 2 Tarrant York Rite eat 6pm Weatherford Commandery eat 6:30 pm	Mar 3 Southside and Worth Commanderies	Mar 4	Mar 5 TMRC Pecan Grove 9 am Cleburne Stated 9 am Rose Play TMRC 11:30
Mar 6	Mar 7	Mar 8	Mar 9 Goodnight- Loving 7 pm	Mar 10	Mar 11 Grand Prairie Chapter and Council 7 pm	Mar 12 York Rite Conference Houston
Mar 13	Mar 14 York Rite Riverside 7 PM Arlington 6:45pm Meal 6 pm Hillsboro 7 pm	Mar 15 7:30 pm Denton Commandery Dinner 6:30 pm	Mar 16 Ridglea York Rite Eat 6:30 Meeting 7:30 TMRC Pecan Grove Royal Master's 7 pm	Mar 17 Cleburne Commandery 7 pm	Mar 18	Mar 19 Sweet Home Lodge at the TMRC 1:30
Mar 20	Mar 21 N.E. Tarrant York Rite 7:00PM Arlington and Stephenville Commanderies	Mar 22 Grandview York Rite 6:30 pm Texas Chapter PM and MEM degrees 6:30 pm	Mar 23 Worth Commandery Order of the Temple 6:30 pm	Mar 24	Mar 25	Mar 26 York Rite Conference Borger
Mar 27	Mar 28 Stephenville York Rite 7 pm	Mar 29 TCYRA and York Rite College Meeting 6:45 pm	Mar 30	Mar 31	Apr 1	Apr 2 TMRC Pecan Grove 9 am Cleburne Stated 9 am
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Apr 10 Grand Cmd Waco	Apr 11 York Rite Riverside 7 PM Arlington 6:45pm Meal 6 pm Hillsboro 7 pm	Apr 12	Apr 13 Goodnight- Loving 7 pm	Apr 14	Apr 15 	Apr 16 Sweet Home Lodge at the TMRC 1:30 Newton Kansas, Commandery Orders 8 am
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Grand Master Brad Billings



Bradley Scott Billings, the only son of Lee and Pam Billings was born 2 July 1983 in the small West Texas town of Seagraves where he and his older sister T.J. grew up in the shadows of their parents and grandparents.

He attended school at Seagraves High School. While in high school, in addition to participating in a variety of UIL activities, he served as Vice President of his class and served his fellow students as President of the student council. He was very proud to have been inducted into the National Honor Society.

Upon graduating, he enrolled in Texas Tech University, where he resumed his usual practice of participation in student-related activities including one daring appearance as Raider Red, the school's mascot. Grand Master Billings rose through the ranks of student associations and served as President for the top two student organizations on campus; the Ambassadors and the Leadership Council of the Rawls College of Business. Grand Master Billings graduated from Texas Tech University in 2006 with a Bachelor Degree in International Business and Finance.

Professionally, his first venture was with Comerica Bank as a commercial underwriter, but he soon changed direction and joined the pharmaceutical industry. Today he is employed by Althera Inc., a small company focused on cardiovascular health.

Inspired by his Great Grand Father W.P. 'Pa' Scott, Grand Master Billings took his first step into the Masonic fraternity when he petitioned Trinity Valley Lodge No. 1048 in Dallas for membership. He was raised a Master Mason in February of 2007 and endowed his membership at that time. He was appointed Senior Steward later that year, and progressed through various places and stations over the next several years. He was installed as Worshipful Master in 2011, and was proud to preside over Trinity Valley Lodge during the lodge's Centennial Year. He is an Endowed Member of Trinity Valley Lodge, and holds Plural Membership in Northern Star Lodge No. 377, Grapevine Lodge No. 288, Claud L. Austin Lodge No. 1450, Sweet Home Lodge No. 576, Crawford Lodge No. 585, Huffman Lodge No. 1428, Blanco Lodge No. 216, and Tyrian Lodge No. 187; as well as Tranquility Lodge No. 2000 and Texas Lodge of Research. He is also a Past President of the Masters', Wardens' and Secretaries' Association of the Fourteenth Masonic District of Texas, and a Past President of the District 14 Masonic Service Bureau. Grand Master Billings is proud to have earned (and continued to renew) a Class A Certificate from the Grand Lodge Committee on Work.

It was Brother Billing's keen interest in the history of The Grand Lodge of Texas which influenced him to petition Texas Lodge of Research. He became a Full Member of the lodge after presenting his first research paper, entitled "The Beginnings of Texas Lodge of Research." On 21 March 2015, at a meeting of Texas Lodge of Research held at Milam Lodge No. 2 in Nacogdoches, he was installed as the fifty-sixth, and so far the youngest, Worshipful Master. Subsequent papers presented by Grand Master Billings explored the history of the Lubbock Study Committee and the Heraldry of Texas Lodge of Research.

Grand Master Billings' planning and execution of his plans as Worshipful Master of Trinity Valley Lodge, and later his term as Worshipful Master of Texas Lodge of Research, have contributed to his active service in the Grand Lodge of Texas. His appointment by Grand Master Jerry Martin in 2013 to the Purposes and Policies Committee gave him new insights concerning the structure of the organization and the many activities which turn the wheels of the Grand Lodge. He continued to serve on the Purposes and Policies Committee until January of 2019, serving as Vice Chairman in 2018. Grand Junior Warden Tommy F. Chapman appointed him to serve as Grand Junior Steward in 2015. He was appointed by Grand Master Jerry Kirby as District Deputy Grand Master of Masonic District No. 64-B in 2017. Additionally, he served on Grand Master Chapman's planning team and was appointed to the Special Assignments Committee that year. His interest in Masonic education resulted in his participation in several projects of the Grand Lodge Masonic and Education Committee, including the "Between Friends" video in 2014, the Brotherhood of Light program in 2015, and the update of *Masonry and the Mason* in 2016, as well as being appointed as District Education Officer of Masonic District No. 14-E in 2018.

Grand Master Billings became a Scottish Rite Mason in the Valley of Dallas in 2007. He soon became an active member of the Knights of St. Andrew, and served as Worthy Master of that organization in 2010. He served as Degree Master of the 13th Degree, and Orator in the 18th Degree. In October 2011, Grand Master Billings was elected by the Supreme Council to receive the Rank and Decoration of Knight Commander of the Court of Honour. Subsequently, he had the opportunity to serve as the Grand Minister of State on the Orient of Texas KCCH Investiture Team. He was honored to serve the Dallas Valley as a Fellow to the Scottish Rite Leadership Conference held in New Orleans. Residing in Tarrant County, the Grand

Master is also an affiliated member of the Fort Worth Scottish Rite Valley, where he served as Venerable Master of the Lodge of Perfection in 2019.

Grand Master Billings also became a member of the York Rite of Freemasonry in 2007. He joined Love Field Chapter No. 478, Royal Arch Masons, where he was elevated to the office of High Priest in 2012. In 2014 he was selected to serve as District Deputy Grand High Priest of Capitular District No. 13. He was appointed in 2015 as Grand Master of the 3rd Veil of the Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons, and served as a member of the Purposes and Policies Committee. He was anointed, consecrated, and set apart as a member of the Order of High Priesthood and served for two years as the Grand High Priest of the Order.

Being greeted a Royal and Select Master in Love Field Council No. 396, Royal and Select Masters in 2007, Grand Master Billings assumed leadership of the Council in 2012, when he served as Thrice Illustrious Master. He was exemplar candidate when the Order of the Silver Trowel in 2012. His activities in the Grand Council of Royal and Select Masters include serving as District Deputy Grand Master in 2015, Illustrious Grand Captain of the Guards in 2018, and service on the Investments Committee, the Purposes and Policies Committee, and the Awards and Recognitions Committee.

In 2007 Brother Billings was created and dubbed a Knight Templar in Alexander C. Garrett Commandery No. 103, serving as a member of the drill and ritual teams and as its Commander in 2011. Later that year he joined the Texas Chapter, Sovereign Order of Knights Preceptor. He was a member of the Grand Commandery Finance Committee in 2014 and 2016. As a result of his service as presiding officer of all four York Rite bodies, Brad was awarded admission to Texas Priory No. 23 of the Knights of the York Cross of Honor in 2015.

He is an active member in other Masonic bodies as well, including Grand Arcanum Council No. 447, Allied Masonic Degrees; Lyle L. Cross York Rite College No. 147; Rose of Sharon Council No. 89, Knight Masons; Odessa Chapel No. 18 and Thomas Becket Chapel No. 31 of The Commemorative Order of St. Thomas of Acon, including service as Grand Cellarer of the Grand Province of Texas; Royal Order of Scotland; Masonic Order of the Bath, Grand College of Rites, SRICF, Red Cross of Constantine and Holy Royal Arch Knight Templar Priests.

Grand Master Billings is not a man who joins any group only to carry a membership card. Quite to the contrary, his motive is to be of service, to gain more knowledge, and to make use of that knowledge to better serve the Fraternity. Grand Master Billings and his charming wife Brittany, and their loving son Grayson reside in Euless, Texas, a wonderful location from which to serve the Masons of Texas.

GRAND LODGE OFFICERS



Right Worshipful G. Clay Smith

Deputy Grand Master



Right Worshipful H. Bart Henderson

Grand Senior Warden



Right Worshipful Raborn Lovelace Reader, Jr.

Grand Junior Warden



Right Worshipful Richard Chaney Townsend

Grand Treasurer



Right Worshipful Justin B. Duty

Grand Secretary



Right Worshipful David Gene Rogers

Grand Chaplain



Right Worshipful Christopher David Livingston

Grand Orator



Right Worshipful Tommy Chance Chapman

Grand Marshal



Worshipful Ricky Wayne Cliatt

Grand Senior Deacon



Worshipful Ricardo Diego Gonzalez

Grand Junior Deacon



Worshipful Troy James Shugart

Grand Senior Steward



Worshipful Kevin Todd Binder

Grand Junior Steward



Worshipful Kenneth Bernard Fischer

Grand Pursuivant



Worshipful A. Craig Enderli, Jr.

Grand Musician



Worshipful Gregory Michael Wright

Grand Photographer



Worshipful Corey Michael Harris

Grand Tiler

Ricky Cox History Lesson 02/22



Guess what time it is????

It's time for Another episode of **HISTORY THEY DIDNT TEACH YOU IN SCHOOL:**

You learned it was GW birthday and that he wasn't a tree hugger due to his supposed cherry tree fiasco but here is some info you may not know ... it and 7.00 will get you a coffee at the local diner 😊

George Washington (1732-1799) First President of the United States; supreme commander of Continental forces in American Revolution and "father of his country." Born February 22, 1732 (by present calendar) at Bridges Creek, Westmoreland Co., Va. Inasmuch as his biography is readily available, this sketch will deal only with the Masonic facets of his life. He was initiated in 1752 in the lodge at Fredericksburg, Va., and the records of that lodge, still in existence, show that on the evening of Nov. 4 "Mr. George Washington was initiated as an Entered Apprentice" and the entrance fee of £2 3s was acknowledged. On March 3, 1753 he received the Fellow Craft degree, and on Aug. 4, same year, was raised to Master Mason. Each of the above days fell on Saturday and he was last in the Fredericksburg lodge on Saturday, Sept. 1, 1753. It is possible that he received some additional degree or was re-obligated during the French War in a military lodge attached to the 46th Regiment. It might have been the Mark Master's degree. It is also speculated that he received the Royal Arch degree in Fredericksburg Lodge as it was being worked by that lodge at the time Washington was raised.

This claim is aided by the fact that in Aug. 1784 Lafayette presented Washington with a Masonic apron which had been embroidered by Madame Lafayette and contained emblems of the Royal Arch with the letters H.T.W.S.S.T.K.S. in a circle and a beehive within the circle to indicate that it was the wearer's mark. In 1777 a convention of Virginia lodges recommended Washington to be Grand Master of the Independent grand lodge of that commonwealth. Washington, however, declined.

Soon after the start of the Revolution, there was a movement to throw off the authority of the mother country, and several of the provincial grand lodges assumed an independent character. The idea of a grand master for all the colonies also became popular. On Feb. 7, 1780, a convention of delegates from Army lodges met at Morristown, N.J. and suggested to several grand lodges that "one Grand Lodge in America" be established.

On Jan. 13, 1780, the Grand Lodge of Pennsylvania held a session, and declaring that Freemasonry would benefit by "a Grand Master of Masons throughout the United States," they elected Washington for the position. They then sent minutes of the election to the different grand lodges, but when Mass. failed to come to any determination on the question, the matter was dropped. The next Masonic record of Washington is in 1788 when Lodge No. 39 of Alexandria, Va., which had previously been working under the Grand Lodge of Pennsylvania, transferred its allegiance to Virginia. On May 29 of that year the lodge adopted the following resolution: "The Lodge proceeded to the appointment of Master and Deputy Master to be recommended to the Grand Lodge of Virginia when George Washington, Esq., was unanimously chosen Master; Robert McCrea, Deputy Master; Wm. Hunter, Jr., Senior Warden; John Allison, Junior Warden.

The charter to the lodge was issued by Edmund Randolph, then governor of Virginia and grand master of the Grand Lodge of Virginia and named Washington as master. It also designated the lodge as Alexandria Lodge No. 22. In 1805 the lodge was permitted to change its name to that of Washington Alexandria Lodge in honor of its first master. Washington served in the capacity of master a total of 20 months. Throughout his career, Washington visited a number of lodges and attended many Masonic functions. His correspondence has many references to Freemasonry. In 1797 he wrote the Grand Lodge of Massachusetts, "My attachment to the Society of which we are members will dispose me always to contribute my best endeavors to promote the honor and prosperity of the Craft." In an earlier letter to the same body, he expressed his idea that the Craft's "grand object is to promote the happiness of the human race."

In answering a letter from the Grand Lodge of South Carolina in 1791, he said: "I recognize with pleasure my relation to the Brethren of your Society," and "I shall be happy, on every occasion, to evince my regard for the Fraternity." He also referred to the fraternity as "an association whose principles lead to purity of morals and are beneficial of action." Writing to the officers and members of St. David's Lodge at Newport, R.I. in 1791 he stated: "Being persuaded that a just application of the principles on which the Masonic fraternity is founded must be promotive of private virtue and public prosperity, I shall always be happy to advance the interests of the Society, and to be considered by them as a deserving Brother." In November 1798, only 13 months before his death, he wrote to the Grand Lodge of Maryland; "So far as I am acquainted with the doctrines and principles of Freemasonry, I conceive them to be founded in benevolence, and to be exercised only for the good of mankind. I cannot, therefore, upon this ground, withdraw my approbation from it."

Sir Knight **Ricky Cox**, Eminent Grand Sword Bearer, Grand Commandery of Texas

GRAND COMMANDERY SESSION INFORMATION



Sir Knights,

Registration for the 169th Grand Conclave is now open. A link is provided on the Grand Commandery website that will register you for the session meeting.

The information below is on the website <http://gc2022.gcktt.org/>



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REGISTRATION OPTIONS 169th ANNUAL GRAND CONCLAVE

Online Registration now available for payment by credit or debit card for all functions, meals and activities. Online cutoff dates will vary but **meal requests must be completed by MARCH 25th**. You will be emailed a receipt that you should bring with you, you will not receive "tickets" or "ballots". You may register online until registration closes at the Grand Commandery Conclave.

Download Registration, Download the form, fill out and return with your check to the address listed. No credit or debit cards are accepted with the download or paper registration. All download forms **MUST** be received 30 days prior to the event.

Onsite Registration will be for the conclave only. No food or other activities included. Since meals and activities must be ordered prior to the event there will be no allowance for onsite purchases.

Vendor Registration - Vendors are encouraged to attend, but must be approved in advance by the Grand Commander. Follow the links to vendor registration. There is no fee for exhibiting. Vendors and their representatives are invited to participate in meals with an additional cost for each person wanting to attend a meal function.

No Packets Will Be Mailed. All Materials Will Be Available Onsite

HOTEL INFORMATION



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Courtyard COURTYARD WACO

101 Washington Avenue, Waco, Texas 76701 USA
254-752-8686

Registration for the hotel must be done directly with the hotel.

The cost per night is \$149.00 plus any applicable taxes

The cutoff for our room block and pricing is March 25 or until sold out. After that date, room pricing will increase and availability may be limited.

Be sure to mention Grand Commandery of Texas when you register.

Other hotels are in the area but we have not contracted with any of these.

SOOB - Ladies Registration 169th Grand Annual Conclave

For SOOB Brunch

- Click below to download a form to your computer.
- Print the Form and Mail as instructed on the form

NO CREDIT CARD PAYMENTS

For Ladies Luncheon:

Registration is on the main form, or you can print from here and mail payment as directed

169th Annual Conclave

Grand Commandery of Knights Templar of Texas

Thursday, April 07, 2022 – Sunday, April 10, 2022

Schedule for 2022 Grand Commandery Session

The 169th Conclave of the Grand Commandery of Texas will be held at the Waco Convention Center, 100 Washington Ave., Waco, TX 76701. The hotel block is at the Waco Courtyard Marriott located at **101 Washington Avenue, Waco, Texas 76701 USA.**

Thursday, April 07, 2022

12:00 Noon to 5:00 pm Registration and Credentials (Ballots) Open [**Grand Lodge Registration Desk**]

1:00 pm – 3:00 pm Joint meeting of Jurisprudence/Purposes and Policies Committees [**Grand Lodge Basement Auditorium**]

3:00 pm – 4:00 pm Templar Instruction Committee Meeting (Committee only) [**Grand Lodge Basement Classroom**]

4:00 pm – 5:00 pm Ritual Competition – Competitor's Briefing [**Grand Lodge Basement Classroom**]

5:00 pm – 6:00 pm Field Drill Committee Meeting (with Judges and Captains) [**Grand Lodge Basement Classroom**]

6:00 pm – 10:00 pm Field Drill Practice [**Grand Lodge Parking Lot**] or [**Lee Lockwood East Parking Lot**]

7:00 pm – 11:00 pm Grand Commandery Hospitality Room [**Hotel Meeting Room 1**]

Friday, April 08, 2022

7:00 am – 12:00 Noon Registration and Credentials (Ballots) Open [**Grand Lodge Registration Desk**]

8:30 am – 11:30 am 169th Grand Conclave Convened [**Grand Lodge Upper Auditorium**]

Grand Commandery Morning Business Session [**Grand Lodge Upper Auditorium**]

11:30 am -12:00 pm Sir Knights to assemble in Upper Auditorium for Panoramic Picture

12:00 pm - 1:15pm Local Restaurants or [**Grand Lodge Basement Cafe**]

12:00 pm Ladies Luncheon (All ladies welcome) [**Lee Lockwood Museum Lower Atrium**]

12:00 pm Credentials will close

1:00 pm – 5:00 pm Registration Open [**Grand Lodge Registration Desk**]

1:30 pm – 4:30 pm Grand Commandery Afternoon Business Session [**Grand Lodge Upper Auditorium**]

Election of Grand Commandery Officers

5:00 pm – 6:30 pm Knights Preceptor Meeting & Conferral (Members Only) [**Grand Lodge Basement Auditorium**]

7:00 pm – 9:00 pm Ritual Competition Practice [**Grand Lodge Basement Classroom**]

7:00 pm – 8:00 pm Past Grand Commanders' Dinner (Invitation Only) [**Lee Lockwood Lower Level**]

7:00 pm – 8:00 pm Past Grand Commanders' Wives Dinner (Invitation Only) [**Lee Lockwood Lower Level**]

6:00 pm – 11:00 pm Grand Commandery Hospitality Room [**Hotel Meeting Room 1**]

Saturday, April 09, 2022

7:00 am – 11:00 am Field Drill Competition [**Lee Lockwood East Parking Lot**]

8:00 am – 11:00 am Registration Open [**Grand Lodge Registration Desk**]

11:00 am – 12:00 pm Drill Teams & Commanderies – Pass-in-Review [Lee Lockwood East Parking Lot]
 10:00 am – 12:00 pm Texas S.O.O.B. Luncheon (All ladies welcome) [Lee Lockwood Museum Lower Atrium]
 1:00 pm – 5:00 pm Registration Open [Grand Lodge Registration Desk]
 1:00 pm – 4:00 pm Ritual Team Competition (Members Only) [Grand Lodge Basement Classroom]
 4:00 pm – 5:30 pm Texas Priory No. 23, KYCH Meeting and Conferral (Members Only)[Grand Lodge Basement Auditorium]
 6:00 pm – 9:00 pm Awards Banquet (Ticket Required) [Lee Lockwood Museum Lower Ballroom]
 9:00 pm – 11:00 pm Grand Commandery Hospitality Room [Hotel Meeting Room 1]

Sunday, April 10, 2022

6:45 am – 8:00 am KTCH Breakfast (Members Only) [George's Banquet Hall]
 8:30 am – 8:45 am Drill Teams and Commanderies Assembly [Grand Lodge Grand Hall]
 8:45 am – 9:00 am Opening Processional Begins [Grand Lodge Grand Hall]
 9:00 am – 10:30 am Memorial and Divine Service [Grand Lodge Upper Auditorium]
 10:30 am – 12:00 Noon Installation of Grand Commandery Officers [Grand Lodge Upper Auditorium]
 12:00 Noon 169th Grand Conclave Adjourned

Updated Tarrant County York Rite Life Certificates

Certificate Holder	Year Earned	Home Chapter
Barkley, B. B.	2017	Riverside Chapter No. 468
Bell, Billy Ray	2003	Grand Prairie Chapter No. 489
Collier, Robert Davis	2006	Arlington Chapter No. 376
Hall, Floyd Edward	2024	Arlington Chapter No. 376
Henley, Jimmy M.	2007	Tarrant Chapter No. 416
Manley, James D.	2020	Ridglea Chapter No. 485
Orona, Joe, Sr.	2011	Tarrant Chapter No. 416
Parker, Gerald E.	2007	Ridglea Chapter No. 485
Windle, Danny Wayne	2004	Riverside Chapter No. 468
Wolfe, Charles Steven	2015	Texas Chapter No. 362

TMRC – Texas Masonic Retirement Community News

Celebrating Valentine's Day at the TMRC





WOW! 76 years of wedded bliss! **C. B. Jack and Elgie Wood**, residents of Texas Masonic Retirement Community, celebrated recently. We salute the power of love! Want to read the story of their lives together? Here it is:

<https://yourtmrc.org/.../stories-of-hope-and.../ben-anna/>



James Kirkpatrick, Editor
May the God of Love and Peace delight to dwell with and bless you.