

We invite all visiting Grand Royal Matrons, Grand Royal Patrons, Royal Matrons and Royal Patrons under Supreme Council Jurisdiction, Supreme Floor Officers, Past Supreme Royal Matrons, Past Supreme Royal Patrons, Grand Representatives to Louisiana and Amaranth Diabetes Board Members to share the Throne, Northeast or Northwest Sections with us.

HOTEL RESERVATIONS

Please make your room reservations directly with
Comfort Suites
249 Rushing Rd. West,
Denham Springs, La
225-243-7210
Rate - \$109.00 (not including tax)
Continental Breakfast included
Mention Order of the Amaranth
Deadline is July 16, 2023

TRANSPORTATION

The hotel is approximately 1 mile from the Lodge. A van will be available for those who do not have transportation. Please contact GRM if transportation is needed from the airport.

PRE-REGISTRATION

(one form per person)
\$15 Donation
Make Check Payable to
Grand Court of Louisiana, Oof A
Deadline July 25, 2023

Mail to:

HL Jane McDaniel
205 Oak Street, Denham Springs, La. 70726

DIRETORIES AND PROCEEDINGS

(\$5 each)

May be ordered by sending enclosed forms to:
HL Jane McDaniel, Grand Secretary
205 Oak St.

Denham Springs, La. 70726
Make Check Payable to:
Grand Court of Louisiana
Deadline – July 25, 2023

MEAL RESERVATIONS

**PLEASE COMPLETE ONE FORM
PER PERSON**
Deadline – July 25, 2023
NO REFUNDS AFTER THIS DATE

“FREEDOM’

Luncheon
Honoring PGRM, PGRP, &
Visiting Grand Representatives
Thursday, August 3, 2023
12Noon - \$15
Denham Springs Masonic Lodge

“LOUISIANA STYLE”

Honoring, GRM, GRP, SRM, SRP
Thursday, August 3, 2023
6:30 PM – \$32
Dukes Restaurant
2591 Range Ave.
Denham Springs, La.

Luncheon

“The Light of Hope”
Honoring Newly Elected Grand Officers
Friday, August 4, 2023
12:30PM - \$15
Denham Springs Masonic Lodge

Send Remittance and Title for all banquets to:

HL Melanie Jackson
3025 Murphy Dr.
Baton Rouge, La. 70809-1529
225-928-3206
miakitten@cox.net

****Please specify Dietary Restriction****



GRAND COURT OF LOUISIANA ORDER OF THE AMARANTH

*Extends Fraternal Greetings and a
Cordial Invitation to Attend*
The
74th Annual Session

“The Cost of Freedom”

Denham Springs Masonic Lodge
313 Benton St. North
Denham Springs, La.

Hotel – Comfort Suites
249 Rushing Rd. West
Denham Springs, La. 70726
225-243-7210

August 2,3,4, 2023

HL Chris Padon **SK James Duncan**
Grand Royal Matron **Grand Royal Patron**
(817-999-0886 texanna.padon@gmail.com)

HL Jane McDaniel
Grand Secretary
225-939-0465 mimimacdaniel@gmail.com

SESSION CHAIR
HL Jane McDaniel, PGRM

Wednesday, August 2, 2023

1:00 PM REHEARSALS
6:00 PM Musical Prelude
6:30 PM Escort of Distinguished Guests
7:00 PM INFORMAL OPENING
9:00 PM RECEPTION honoring, Grand Royal Matron, Grand Royal Patron, Supreme Royal Matron, Supreme Royal Patron, and Guest

Thursday, August 3, 2023

8:15 AM Escort of Distinguished Guests
8:30 AM Ritualistic Opening of Grand Court Escort Reports
12:00 Noon "Freedom" Luncheon (Denham Springs Masonic Lodge) Honoring, Past Grand Royal Matrons, Past Grand Royal Patrons & Visiting Grand Representatives to Louisiana
2 PM CALL TO ORDER – HL's MUST WEAR WHITE Reports (continue) Necrology Committee Report Memorial Service
6:00 PM "Louisiana Style" Dukes Restaurant Honoring GRM, GRP, SRM, SRP
8:00 PM "FUN NIGHT "Boogie Woogie" in the Comfort Suites Lobby/Breakfast Room Wear War Time costumes.

FRIDAY, AUGUST 4, 2023

8:30 AM CALL TO ORDER Report of Committee on Credentials Election of Grand Court Officers Escort of LATE Arrivals Reports (continued) Addresses of:
SUPREME ROYAL PATRON
SUPREME ROYAL MATRON
12:30 PM "The Light of Hope" Luncheon Honoring 2023-2024 Grand Officers
2:00 PM CALL TO ORDER (if necessary)
6:00 PM Escort of Distinguished Guests Retiring of 2022-2023 Gand Officers INSTALLATION OF 2023-2024 Grand Officers CORONATION Ceremony CLOSING CEREMONY of Grand Court RECEPTION

**REGISTRATION AND CREDENTIALS
And Country Store
At Denham Springs Masonic Lodge**

**Wednesday, August 2, 2023
9AM – 12PM
1 PM – 4PM**

**THURSDAY, August 3, 2023
7AM – 8:15AM
3:30 PM – 4:30 PM**

**FRIDAY, August 4, 2023
7:00AM – 8:15AM**

A donation of \$15.00 Pregistration or \$20 on-site, will be accepted. Please present a current, signed dues card to the Registration Committee. Delegates, please present a Credential Card and Dues Card to the Credentials Committee. (Credentials must be presented before 8:15am on Friday, August 4, 2023 in order to vote.)

REHEARSALS

Rehearsals will be under the direction of H.L. Melanie Jackson, PGRM, Grand Lecturer – Pro-tem. Participants are requested to be in the Court Room 15 minutes early, ladies in skirts. Rehearsals are Required and are for Louisiana Grand Court Officers and Pro-Tems ONLY. ALL GRAND OFFICERS, ROYAL MATRONS AND ROYAL PATRONS, ARE REQUIRED TO ATTEND REHEARSALS. Please memorize your charges for Informal and Formal Opening (pages 235-250) and Memorial (pages 254-261).

Wednesday, August 2, 2023

1:00 PM All Grand Elected and Appointed Floor Officers and Pro-Tems
2:30PM Necrology – Royal Matrons and Royal Patrons

Friday, August 4, 2023

2:00PM Installation and Coronation (Immediately following Luncheon)

GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS

HONORED LADIES: Please wear Navy or Gold dresses Wednesday Informal Opening and Friday Session. Wear White for both Sessions on Thursday. Please wear full-fingered gloves for all sessions. **No black gloves or dresses.**

SIR KNIGHTS: Please wear dark tuxedo, white shirt and black vest/tie for all Sessions. If you have Navy or Gold vest/tie, please wear for Informal Opening and Friday Session. **Please bring a sword.**

ROYAL MATRONS: Please wear your Crown during all Sessions and Necrology. White gown is required for Necrology Service. No black gloves or dresses.

ROYAL PATRONS: Please bring a sword.

ALL REPORTS, WELCOMES AND RESPONSES: Please submit three typed and signed copies for inclusion in the Proceedings to the Address & Distribution Committee Chairman, HL Jane McDaniel , (mimimacaniel@gmail.com) by July 20, 2023 Please leave one-inch margins using Arial Narrow 10 font. Begin reports with Grand Royal Matrons & Delegates.

GRAND OFFICERS: If you are unable to attend Grand Court, please notify the Grand Royal Matron in writing by July 15, 2023. If you have your jewel or office badge , please return to Grand Trustees before Installation

SUBORDINATE COURT SECRETARIES: Please send the names and date of death of deceased members to: HL Judith Duncan, Chairman of Necrology,

ORDER OF BUSINESS: Please refer to pages 249 and 250 of the Ritual. This Order of Business will be followed and reports will be called in that order. Please attend the session or have a committee member present to report when called upon. **ALL REPORTS MUST BE SIGNED**