



Old Dominion Commandery No. 11

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Commander's Orders – July 2007

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Crusade 2006: “*ad maiorem Dei gloriam*”

A.D. 2007-2008

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Sir Knights,

Thank you to each and everyone who came to last months Stated Conclave. I understand how tough summers are with everyone out of town on vacation. Last month we had just enough members to be able to open. I appreciate you making the effort to come out and be part of Old Dominion Commandery. This is the part of the year when we concentrate on collecting money for the Holy Land Visit for young pastors. Think of how much this simple trip could impact the life of a young minister. The congregation could reap the benefits of this trip for the rest of his life in ministry.

This month I came upon this quote by Phillip Schaff. This was published by The American Tract Society in 1913 it was titled “*The Person of Christ*”. This speaks to me of the center of what the Commandery is about and should help inspire us to work to bring honor and glory to His name.

This Jesus of Nazareth, without money and arms, conquered more millions than Alexander, Caesar, Mohammed, and Napoleon; without science and learning, He shed more light on things human and divine than all philosophers and scholars combined; without the eloquence of schools, He spoke such words of life as were never spoken before or since, and produced effects which lie beyond the reach of orator or poet; without writing a single line, He set more pens in motion, and furnished themes for more sermons, orations, discussions, learned volumes, works of art, and songs of praise than the whole army of great men of science and modern times.

Sir Knights this is who we stand up ready to defend, our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. There are many members of our lodges who have not joined the York Rite. Let's go to our lodge meetings and talk about York Rite Masonry. We need to help bring new masons into the Royal Arch and then on into the Commandery.

If you have not been able to visit with the other Commanderies this year please start now and show them the support that they have been showing us. One of the most important things that we can do this year is to spread the Brotherly Love and Affection from one to another. There are some of you who have not been to your Commandery in a while. Please examine your cabletow and see if it is long enough for you to come back to a meeting. We miss you and want to reconnect with you.

This month our **Stated Conclave** will be held on **July 25th, 2007**. We will begin at **6:30pm with dinner** to be followed by our **Conclave at 7:30pm**. We hope to have a good turnout for each of these home cooked meals. **We would like to have an approximate headcount for our dinners so that we know how much to prepare.** Next month our Stated Conclave will be on the 22nd of August. Sir Knights, in the Orders I have included the Stated Conclave Dates for the other Commanderies in our District. Please go and visit with them as often as you can.

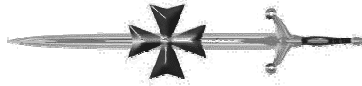
I am, in our Lord, yours,

Thomas

Sir Knight Thomas G. Little,
Commander 2007-2008

GUARDS

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PRELATE

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EVERYTHING WE DO IS FOR THE GREATER GLORY OF GOD

ARE YOUR DUES OVERDUE?

Please check your dues card. If it does not read "December 31, 2007," then it is out of date. You can upgrade your card by sending in your dues (\$45.00) to our Recorder. Or, better yet, come out to the next Stated Conclave and pay in person, then stay for the fellowship.

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TRUSTEES

Frank R. Dunaway, Jr.* 2007
Mark W. Underwood, GCG 2008
David C. Morris, PC 2009



MEMBERSHIP PROGRAM

Membership Committee- EVERY Sir Knight is a member of THIS Committee!
Don't replace yourself, CLONE YOURSELF.

HOLY LAND PILGRIMAGE CHAIRMAN

George D. Gilbreath, KTCH, KCT*

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Lorance D. Lisle, PC

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Frank R. Dunaway, Jr.*

"EVERY CHRISTIAN MASON SHOULD BE A KNIGHT TEMPLAR"

TENTATIVE UPCOMING EVENTS

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July 25th, 2007 – Stated Conclave – Old Dominion #11 – GWMNM – Official visit of the DDGC, Eminent Sir Knight James Barry Bartley. Dinner at 6:30PM and Conclave at 7:30PM.

Order of Malta
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July 26th, 2007 – Stated Conclave – Piedmont #26 – Manassah Lodge #182, 9810 Cockrell Rd., Manassas, VA. Dinner at 6:30PM and Conclave at 7:30PM.

Order of the Temple
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August 3rd, 2007 – Stated Conclave – Arlington #29 – Arlington Centennial-Glebe #81, 1 South George Mason Drive, Arlington, VA. Dinner at 6:30PM and Conclave at 7:30PM.

LIVING PAST COMMANDERS

Harold E. Hodge 1962
Robert D. McMarlin, KCT, PGC 1968
Jason W. Snyder* 1971
Richard L. Parler 1973
Abner F. Teague 1982
Ervin S. Becker* 1985
George D. Gilbreath, KTCH, KCT*
Carl R. Gagliardi* 1988
Walter P. Benesch 1990
Granville C. Canard, Jr. 1993
Lorance D. Lisle 1994
Frank R. Dunaway Jr.* 1995
George D. Seghers 1996
Mark W. Underwood, GCG 1997
F. J. Pepper 1998
Pablo A. Rocha 1999
Matthew T. Szramoski* 2000
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Douglas J. Snow 2002
David C. Morris 2003
John Shroeder, Jr. 2004
Mark F. Arbeen 2005
Jason W. Lotz 2006
* Past District Deputy Grand Commander

August 22nd, 2007 – Stated Conclave – Old Dominion #11 – GWMNM – Dinner at 6:30PM and Conclave at 7:30PM.

October 24th, 2007 – Stated Conclave – Old Dominion #11 – Knight Templar Eye Foundation Ingathering.

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