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A MUSICAL JOURNEY

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Worthy Grand Matron Cheryl

Greetings from our and

Worthy Grand Patron Keith



It is hard to believe that I have been Installed as Worthy Grand Matron. The thought is somewhat daunting and yet it is very exciting as well. After a beautiful installation and "A Musical Journey" Grandparents Breakfast, I was homeward bound. House is now in order, laundry done, groceries bought, and "most" everything put away and/or organized so that I can get to the work I need to handle.

I hope that you will join me and Keith as we travel Colorado for our Official Visits. OR -- We may stop in for a visit and/or to announce Grand Representative appointments. We have a wonderful travel program, where you can earn prizes and gifts at Grand Chapter next September. Sharon Furukawa is the chairperson for this program and can answer your questions and keep you informed as to your progress. It will be a lot of fun to see how many miles you can travel. Please also remember our special projects - Colon Cancer Research, COPS, and always - Service Dogs. More information to come regarding these projects and fun ways to participate and help these very important groups.

During our Official Visits we hope you will be serious when needed, laughter is always needed and entertainment and fun meetings are the goal. We are one big family, please treat each other with Loving Kindness and let's move forward to the betterment of Eastern Star, remembering our Obligation at the Altar, and helping our communities and those in need. See you all soon!!!

Music is the Laughter of the Soul!

Hello Everyone and Greetings -

It seems strange to say that, as I never thought I would actually ever hold this office in the Grand Chapter of Eastern Star. I considered it, but then things would get in the way and it was just not the right time. The right time did come along, but then so did Covid and the Pandemic, so again, life got in the way. Finally, on September 25, 2021, Cheryl Williams and I were installed as your Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron. I sincerely hope I can do the job you have entrusted me to do.

I want to congratulate JPGM Anna, JPGP Bob, and their "Rhythm of Life" Grand Family on a wonderful Grand Chapter Session. After a year of postponements, they were able to have their time at Grand Chapter. I also want to say congratulations to the new members who were initiated at Grand Chapter. We hope you all stay active in your respective chapters and hope your initiation at Grand Chapter will be one of your special memories.

As we start off this "A Musical Journey" year, I would like to tell you about why I chose Colorado COPS (Concerns of Police Survivors) as my benevolent project for the year. I am choosing to do this in writing as I find it very difficult to talk about it.

As many of you know, I served in Law Enforcement with the Colorado State Patrol for forty five years, retiring in July of 2020. I knew nothing of the COPS organization until one day in 2001 when my entire family became members. We did not ask to join and we pay no dues, as our dues became paid when we made the ultimate sacrifice of losing a family member in the line of duty.

Our Son-in-law, Jason Manspeaker, fulfilled his dream of having a career in Law Enforcement, when he graduated from the Colorado State Patrol Academy in December 1999. He and our daughter, Stephanie moved to Frisco for his first duty assignment, after his graduation. On December 24, 2000, seven inmates escaped from a Texas prison and murdered an Irving Texas police officer. Those seven men then came to Colorado where they lived in a Woodland Park campground and held Bible Studies. A nationwide search was underway and an episode of America's Most Wanted aired on TV. The Woodland Park campground manager saw the episode and reported them to the local authorities. Four of the escaped inmates were soon captured, one committed suicide. The other two had been in town during the arrest of the others, so escaped arrest at that time. It was broadcast on news stations throughout the State to be on the lookout for the remaining two convicts.

On January 23, 2001, the Silverthorne Police Department office was contacted about a sighting of van matching the description of the vehicle being driven by the convicts. Jason was still on duty, having worked late on a DUI arrest, when that call came in. He and another Trooper responded to the call. They were eastbound on I-70, travelling through Eisenhower tunnel. While exiting the icy off ramp to Loveland Pass, Jason lost control of his Patrol Jeep and crashed into a parked semi-trailer. He died serving and protecting the citizens of Colorado. The remaining two convicts were captured later the same day in Woodland Park.

The days after he died were filled with grief, Stephanie had lost her husband two days before their fourth wedding anniversary, and we had lost our son-in-law. It was hard to imagine how life would go on without him in it. He had been around our house what seemed like forever and now he was gone.

A few months went by and we were contacted by a member of an organization lo co called COPS. A fellow trooper, who was also a member of COPS, invited us to come to a picnic. He said, we would be introduced



other to

members of the organization, and together they would help us with our loss.

He explained that National COPS was founded in 1984 by a group of Law Enforcement widows, who had lost their husbands in the line of duty. These women were able to come together, giving each other emotional support, after realizing they were all experiencing similar things in their lives. From that small meeting of ten wives, a nationwide organization was founded, which now has over 30,000 members. The entire organization offers support to all groups of family members; spouses, children. siblings. extended family parents. members and to co-workers. I fit into the last two categories, as I was an in-law and a co-worker. We became close friends with the Colorado members and they gave us hope that one day, we too, would be able to cope with our loss and in turn, we would be able to help others do the same.

National COPS gives survivors the opportunity to attend retreats, thus getting the help they need to rebuild their shattered lives. Here in Colorado, we have been hosting a family retreat at YMCA of the Rockies and a Spouses retreat. These retreats are a place we can all be together, talk about our loved ones and heal from a very emotional and traumatic event in our lives. The funds raised by Colorado Eastern Star will be used to continue these programs as well as help send our Colorado survivors to the various retreats offered by National COPS, as well as National Police Week in Washington DC. While in Washington, the survivors meet others from throughout the Nation, and honor the officers who died protecting all of us.

I hope when you are given a Colorado COPS magnet this year, you will remember the sacrifices made by these families and donate to this organization. The donations will assure us that we can continue the programs that COPS has to offer.

In parting, I wish all of you safe travels, and have a good day.

Thank You and Star Love, Keith Hoey, WGP



Look at what a year in the Grand East Can do to a young energetic person.

Not Really !!!!! Trick or Treat Happy Halloween !!!

So Long – Farewell Auf Wiederschauen to you, from our Junior Past Grand Matron



WE DID IT. After two years with all the ups and downs, ins and outs, and challenges we faced during the pandemic, the 128th Grand Session came together - full of fun and fellowship and a renewed positive attitude. There are not any words in the English language that can adequately express how grateful I was and am for all the love, kindness and support that the members of this Grand Chapter have given me over these past two years culminating in the "Rhythm of Life" Grand Session.

I would be remiss if I didn't mention a few people who went over and above when it came to helping me and our organization survive the pandemic and have such a wonderful Grand Session. At the top of the list is my husband. Thank you for the countless hours spent over these past two years putting together the decorations, creating our Session pins and cute little Twinkle pins, for designing the drill, working with the hotel and General Arrangements and working with Brother George (IT) on the lighting and sound, and so many other little tasks and details that needed attention. I especially want to thank you for helping me to be all that I could be; all my love always.

I also want to thank the WM's & WP's who remained steadfast and constant during the past two years as well as all those who held their office, served on committees and continued the work that was necessary for us to come through the challenges of isolation and separation that became such a part of our lives during the pandemic. I owe a special debt of gratitude and thanks to Sister Carol and Brother John Peck, our General Arrangements Co-Chairs and all those wonderful and dedicated sisters and brothers who worked so hard on the various committees. Without you we would not have had the successful Grand Session that we had. You all are amazing.

To those sisters who volunteered to serve as Pages for Brother Bob, myself and our Grand Officers; thank you for supporting us and for being willing to be part of our marches. You all added a spirit of fun and humor as we went around in circles. I particularly enjoyed the last march complete with a flashing tail light. Likewise I want to thank those brothers who served as Grand Guards; you guarded our doors from interruption when necessary, helped the membership find their way and assisted our Grand Sentinel. Brother CT you and your crew were exceptional.

There were so many people that worked behind the scene, without them this Grand Session would not have happened. PGM CherylAnn for her work with Distinguished Guests and the goody bags. I also want to thank you and Gary, your crew and the volunteers who helped setting up the risers and taking them down. I know most people have no idea how much work it takes. You did an amazing job.

I also want to thank Brother George Benson and the IT Committee, Sister Sara Hady and her helpers in registration, Debra Knott and Lauren Hanson who worked so hard on the banquet registration as well as those special sisters who hosted the various banquets and all those who helped in so many other ways. We couldn't have done it without you.

Brother Bob and Sister Tish, these past four years have demonstrated the value of true friendship. The many phone calls and in person meetings, the cooperative decisions that we made, the joys and frustrations we shared, I can never thank you enough. You were definitely the right people at the right time.

And to my wonderful Grand Family, I know that it hasn't been easy and I'm sure that when you agreed to be part of the "Rhythm of Life" Grand Family, you never imagined it would be a two year proposition, but I want you to know you have been my inspiration. The Zoom meetings helped us stay in touch with one another but more importantly were all the phone calls, messages, cards and the intangible feeling of love and support. Every Worthy Grand Matron that I've ever known always hopes that their

Grand Family will stay together as the years go by. I don't need to hope because I know we still have way too much fun to have and life to share and I look forward to every moment of it. God bless each and every one of you.

As I close this article, I'm a little sad, a little relieved but most of all eternally grateful that 43 years ago God lead me to join this organization and bless my life in so many special ways. I love you all.

To the "A Musical Journey" Grand Family, we wish you safe travels, wonderful memories and happiness.

In Faith & Love, Anna Peterson, JPGM



Farewell from our Junior Past Grand Patron

Dear Sisters and Brothers,

It was wonderful seeing so many of our Sisters and Brothers at our 128th Grand Chapter Session and those that traveled from other Grand Jurisdictions, and of course our General Grand Chapter Officers, Worthy Grand Marshal, Karla Dimond and Worthy Grand Martha, Julie Birrer. Thank you all for being with us.

The time passed quickly with everything we had scheduled to accomplish. I think that may be the norm for most Worthy Grand Matrons and Worthy Grand Patrons during the Grand Session.

To the members of the "Rhythm of Life" Grand Family, I want to say you have risen above time and time again, and will always remain in my heart. We have truly grown into being a family, and I hope we will remain close always.

I again want to welcome our new members and say it was my honor and a pleasure to perform the Initiation Ceremony. I hope you enjoyed it and will remember it always with special memories. I encourage you to become active participants in your Chapters. If you learn the Ritual Work, hold an office, assist with the projects your Chapter's perform, then you will feel the personal pride and rewards of being an active member.

It was a pleasure to introduce so many Distinguished Guests and members of Appendant and Affiliated Masonic Bodies. I enjoyed listening to their greetings and comments.

I want to thank you again Sisters and Brothers for your kindness and generosity in contributing to my charity the Scottish Rite Foundation of Colorado (RiteCare). It is truly appreciated.

I also want to thank the members of all the different committees; both standing committees and session committees, along with the Board of Directors, for all your support and hard work in making the extended term and Grand Session the best it could be. Without your hard work and dedication neither would have achieved the successful completion we have enjoyed.

I thank my Worthy Grand Matron, Anna for including me on this once in a lifetime experience. It was truly an honor and a pleasure.

My wish for the "A Musical Journey" Grand Family is that you enjoy this year, have fun, grow close together and most important have safe travels.

Sisters and Brothers always remember: God didn't promise days without Pain, laughter without Sorrow, nor sun without Rain, But He did promise Strength for the day, Comfort for the tears and Light for the way.

May God Bless you all. Star Love, Bob Harper, *JPGP*

> CHAPTER NEWS REEL

> > COLORADO #2 - LEADVILLE Robert Trezise, PP - Reporter

Sister Pat and Brother George McCollum were installed as Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron of Colorado 2 for the ensuing year on September 14. The theme for the year is Stars & Constellations. All but two officers were installed. Sales kits for the Chapter's fundraiser of selling Christmas wreaths and garlands were distributed to the members. We anticipate another good sales year.

Colorado 2 was informed that their Official Visit had been postponed to May 21 because of the Worthy Grand Matron's health issues.

At Grand Chapter the following week, Brother Bob Trezise played the Thursday morning prelude and added more background music on Friday morning.

At the Saturday night installation of the "A Musicial Journey" Grand Officers for 2022, Brother Bob Trezise was installed as Grand Organist. He and his escort Sister Myrna Salberg, look forward to a busy and rewarding year.

GARDEN CITY #3 – GREELEY CherylAnn Craven-Líndblad, PGM - Reporter



from the Heart" 2021-Officers installed, followed by a light Our new are:

WP - Gary Lindblad, AM -

CherylAnn Craven-Lindblad, AP – John Trickey, C – Maude O'Connell, AC – Amethyst Nagy, Secretary Zanna Thurow and Treasurer – Jason Deselms. Brother Kent & Sister CherylAnn, JPM & JPP, congratulate the new Officers and wish the elected and appointed officers well, as we venture into another year of our Garden City OES journey, which started off with a presentation by our Junior Past Matron and Patron.

In Garden City, we take up an offering for those who would like to share "Happy News" in their life. This collection is then donated to a charity of the WM's and WP's choice. Sister CherylAnn and Brother Kent chose "28 Hours of Hope", which was

an annual fund raiser sponsored by 2 DJs on K-99, for three child advocate services. However, this fundraiser is no longer, but "Child Safe" was one of



recipients of the fundraiser. We presented a modest donation to Carol, the Executive Director of "Child Safe", a non-profit group, to help children who are victims of abuse, with counseling, medications and the much needed love and care to cope with their trauma.

Our Chapter morns the loss of the son in law of our members Jerry and Pam Park and husband of their daughter Sister Anita Zamarripa. Sister Sharen "Can See!!!" after finally getting her new glasses after having cataract surgery. Sister Zanna got a brainy idea to climb a ladder to wash her windows and unfortunately fell off it. After a few visits to the Chiropractor, she is on the mend. Sister Amethyst is expecting her 2nd child in April 2022. Sister Genie saved up her energy so she could attend our Installation. It was great to see her out and about after almost 2 years of being homebound.

The ensuing year will be filled with lots of fundraisers, including our annual Harvest Dinner in November, the Smorgasbord in March, a Variety Show & Dinner, and a couple of others. This year we have added a Cajon Boil. Please watch future issues for the dates and details.

PUEBLO #7 - PUEBLO Joanie Briggs, PM - Reporter



What's that wonderful aroma in the air?? Is it the Fall season, pumpkin spice, or brisk cool breezes?? Nope! We've got a whole new year of OES work ahead of us with a new merry band of officers. Just to stir things up a bit, Chapter 7 had installation during the 1st meeting on September 14. Personally, I can't ever

remember Pueblo 7 doing this...but it worked out really well. Sure, it was a long evening, but it gave our officers extra time to prepare for attending Grand Chapter session.

Congratulations to the newly installed WM, Dawn McFall; WP, Brian Bate; AM, Laurie Ward; Cond, Glenda Renoux; Assoc Cond, Mary Biese; Secty, Joan Briggs; Treas, Andrea Smith; Chap, Dolores Wyatt; Organist, Judy Reyher; Adah, Mary Beth Messer; and Sentinel, Don Marshall.

WM Dawn and WP Brian are determined to make this another great year! WP Brian went above & beyond this year to find a song to be used as the

closing ode that sends his message of fun, hard work, and pride. You'll have to attend to find out which song we use! Open invitation to all - 2nd & 4th Tuesdays, 7:30pm at the Pueblo Masonic Center, 126 Broadway, Pueblo, CO, 81004, and only the 2nd Tuesdays in Nov & Dec.

Grand Chapter session was very special this year for us. We were able to have a new candidate initiated by the Grand Family on Thurs evening 9/23/21. Justin Smith, son of Andrea (and Robert) Smith joined the family in Eastern Star. He



accomplished Master Mason at the end of June 2021, and immediately petitioned to Eastern Star for



membership. Mom, Andrea, and Grandpa, Brian Bate, along with many friends from the Chapter were proud to watch his initiation. Andrea was invited to walk alongside him during the initiatory work on the floor. Like many of us, he has grown up in and around the Masons and Eastern Star and fits riaht in! Congratulations Justin!

COLLINS #26 – FT. COLLINS Lydía Shelley, PM - Reporter



Our new Worthy Matron, Collette Wardin, and Worthy Patron, Jim Oldson, PGP, were regularly installed along with all officers, except the Associate Conductress, Warder, and Sentinel. We also had some

sideliners. And we have music again! The theme this year is "Alpine Happiness" with lots of homage paid to the movie "Sound of Music". Fun symbols include goats, cows, sheep, cow bells, and Wildflowers. And of course Garfield the Cat, Jim's side kick has returned!



Motto: 'A life spent helping others is a life with purpose. Have courage & be kind.'

It was a beautiful evening for a new year to start. Our newest member came as well as some of our 50+ year members. Wonderful desserts were enjoyed by everyone.



WAUNITA #37 - GUNNISON Claressa Brigham, PM - Reporter

Waunita Chapter had several virtual events, phone calls and distancing get-togethers during COVID, since March of 2020. This past year and a half has been stressful and lonely for all of our members! We tried to assist our members as best we could, when they needed something. Most of them had family helping, or volunteers doing a great job. Just keeping in touch seemed to be very helpful!

Then in December, we lost one of our newest members, Michell Ferguson. She had fought a hard battle with several different cancers! And just recently we lost a long-time member, Ruth McDonough. Those losses were very tough on the families, and our chapter.

We started back with meetings in April of this year, gave a scholarship to a deserving young lady in May, and we had election of officers in June. We had an end-of-summer Masonic Family cookout where several out-of-town Masons and Eastern Star joined us. We were able to break bread together and get in some much-needed visiting with everyone. We've been missing those events tremendously.

In September we had several Installations happening in our area, and Grand Chapter was a wonderful time. It was enjoyed by all, and we saw our own Ken Ashwood get elected as the new Grand Sentinel. He'll be on a journey with Sharon Parrish from Sunshine Chapter.

We hope everyone stays safe and healthy! Keep the Star Love and Prayers going for all.

SILVER STAR #40 - MONTROSE

Suzanne Teague, PM - Reporter

The way the calendar fell this year, Silver Star #40 was actually able to hold two regular meetings before Grand Chapter. We installed officers on September 2nd with PM, Kathy Ashwood acting as IO; PM, Beth Allen , Installing Marshal; PGP, Lloyd Hannah, Installing Chaplain; PM, Bridget Hannah, Installing Organist; PM, Betty Chapman, Installing Secretary; and PP, Jack & PM, Nadine Ward as Installing Warder & Sentinel. PGM, Cindy Wardlaw and PP, Len Wardlaw were installed as WM & WP and a full slate of officers! It was exciting to gather again for a Pot Luck prior to the meeting and meet and fellowship with our sisters and brothers.

Prior to our September 16th meeting, we shared

an Ice Cream Social in the dining room and a *Sugar-Blitz* was enjoyed by all. (Ice cream is a favorite of our new WGP, Keith Hoey! He sampled every flavor!) DL, Suzanne Teague presented a mini-SOI before the meeting started. All members were present and shared in the instruction.



Several members of our chapter members continue to have serious health problems: Sister

Cindy Wardlaw will be visiting National Jewish Hospital for



consultation and hopefully some help with her lung Sister Amber Holley has injured her issues. shoulder and is awaiting surgical repair. Her mom, Mary Melton, is still recovering from her back/neck surgery but is now able to drive. Lee Casto remains in Valley Manor and we share concerns with Sister Nita as she waits, alone, in assisted living for his return. It is a difficult situation. Carlene Dougan has fallen again, this time fracturing her left arm just below the shoulder. They can't pin the break as it is right at the shoulder. She is in a lot of pain. They will start therapy in about three weeks and try to keep it from "freezing up". Pat Aspenwall's sister, Pam, passed away August 26th in Parker. It has been very difficult for Pat as you can understand. Fortunately, she has been able to catch a ride to the Eastern Slope a couple of times and help with the many related tasks.

Happy news from Bonnie Lou Lamb as she is presently in Ohio with family to bury her husband Tom who passed away the end of October, 2020. She is enjoying the visit (actually extended it!) and her new condo is taking



shape here at home. She and Queenie, her Corgie, are quite comfortable.

Grand Chapter was attended by several members of our Chapter and it was so wonderful to visit and share with our sisters and brothers after the long separation. Of course the Installation of Sister Cheryl Williams and our own Brother Keith Hoey was a highlight for us! With many of their family members and one of our NEW members in attendance, *A Musical Journey* began.

Sgt. Robert Cook, Larimer County Sheriff's Officer, gave a great talk helping all to understand what C.O.P.S. (Concerns of Police Survivors) is about. This charity is near and dear to WGP Keith and Shelley as they lost a son-in-law in the line of duty. It was especially good to learn that generous donations were made that evening to get WGP Keith's charity under way. Thanks to all who donated. It was great driving to and from Grand Chapter from Montrose as the leaves are turning and we saw "Gold in them thar hills!"



We are in the middle of our Annual Pie Sale Fundraiser. We are hoping to get most pies in time for Thanksgiving. The supply, of course, is affected by

COVID as are so many other items. Please stay safe through all of this.

We are hoping to see some of you along the OES Road this year. Don't forget to encourage, care for and love those who are less active due to age or infirmities. We ARE a wonderful family.

> SUNSHINE #53 - GRAND JUNCTION Nancy Eriksen, PM - Reporter

Now that Installations and Grand Chapter are over, we can get on to business.

Which first will be to congratulate our own SHARON PARRISH who was elected Grand Conductress fore 2021-2022! Waunita's Ken Ashwood was elected Grand Sentinel which means we will be spending a lot of time with them and having as blast!

Sharon and Harry's installation was fun and meaningful.

The Installing officers were: WMatron Kathy Ashwood, WP, Alex McIntosh; Marshal, Ken



Ashwood and Chaplain Mandy Sawyer. Alex



McIntosh piped Harry up to the East in grand form.

Gifts were given to the incoming WM and WP (gift certificate for Hi-Fashion and a "Clan Clark" mug) from the Chapter. Sharon's theme is "Sew your Quilt" with that being the Opening Ode. Harry's fun emblem is "Steampunk Teapots" and he received a lovely



machine-embroidered picture from Sharon. His colors are brass and copper; Sharon's are sea-foam green, aqua and silver. Sharon created lovely banners for each Star Point and line officer. Willis Grundvig, PGP, crafted the frames. If you want see more banners and frames you'll have to visit!

Sharon took time out from her sewing schedule to present Anna Page with her 75 year pin. Anna owned Page-Parson's Jeweler's on Main Street in Grand Junction until her retirement at which time her daughter, Peggy, took



the reins. What a wonderful, elegant woman!

Our Chapter's fundraising this year will focus on 2 hand-made quilts. More on this in the November issue

Due to Grand Chapter, our first meeting of the new term will be on October 5 which is also Nevada's Grand Chapter and that is where Sharon will be, so Nancy Eriksen will have the meeting. I'll think of somethin'!

May the winds of September blow softly on your home and may the brightness of October warm your heart.



EXCELSIOR #66 - LAFAYETTE Carol Danford, PM - Reporter

Excelsior held the last meeting of our two year term on September 14th. The line officers were ready to start a new year! All reports were given and accepted. We voted on one petition and received another one! We are VERY happy with the growth we are experiencing.

On Sunday, September 19th, we held our Installation. We had a yummy brunch before holding a practice. Installation began at 2 P.M. We were happy to have Judy Domenico, PGM in from Chandler, AZ. After the ceremony, we enjoyed pulled pork sandwiches with all the trimmings. Some of us are sure we gained 5 pounds that day!

Grand Chapter was held at the Radisson in Aurora. Judy also attended the session. Megan Fritts came from Las Vegas to catch up with all her friends. Two of our candidates were initiated on Thursday evening: Deana and John Klein. He is a member of Lafayette Lodge #91.

The entire Grand Chapter was lovely and helped all of us re-connect after our two year pandemic. We are ready to travel again and enjoy our Eastern Star Family. Looking forward to the coming Term!

LA PLATA #83 - DURANGO Víckí Helms, WM - Reporter

Hi and Star Love to all,

Durango, Colorado La Plata Chapter #83 had its installation on 9-11 at 10am. It was a small event, but was a great day. We stopped and had a moment of silence for those we lost that day and for those in Afghanistan.

This is My first time as Worthy Matron and I am so honored to be elected as their WP. My theme: SOAR TO THE HIGHEST. My moto: Until you spread your wings you will have no idea how far you can fly. My charities: Working with the Hearing impaired and Autism for children. I am also going to be furthering our connection with the Masons and the Shriners with quarterly luncheons or dinners and have them come in and teach us about their part in our lives. I want learn and teach what Eastern Star truly is about. My colors are white with a deep purple scarf. I chose this because when I joined Job's Daughter and put on the white robe, it was a very special and magical night that I still remember. My symbols are Angels and Eagles. My love for these are from my childhood. I felt like an angel when they put the white robe on me and my grandmother always gave me an angel figurine every year for my birthday. The eagle is from a camping trip with my family, we were fishing at a lake when an eagle flew by and gave a loud cry. It felt like a proclamation of Love, Peace and Strength.

Our chapter is starting out with a bang as we have been asked to provide a luncheon for the Colorado Grange Association for 50 of its members on the 24th of September, so that being we will not be able to attend Grand Chapter this year. I know with the help and love from my team and Eastern Star we will have a great year.



MANZANITA #85 - LITTLETON Larry Wullbrandt, PGP - Reporter

WOW – Grand Chapter is over, and a new OES year has begun. Sister Anna, JPGM and Brother Bob, JPGP, the *Rhythm of Life* Grand family, and all involved with the planning and execution of the event are to be congratulated for a very enjoyable session. WGM Cheryl and WGP Keith and the *A Musical Journey* Grand family have begun an exciting year of service to Colorado OES. Enjoy each minute to the fullest, as the time passes guickly.

Manzanita Chapter is very proud that our Sister Rene' Ballinger graciously agreed and was elected Grand Secretary. You are a true example of Eastern Star values and such a great asset to this Grand Chapter!

We are excited to welcome our newest member, Michelle Danielsen, who was initiated at Grand Chapter. She is a delightful lady who will fit right in. WM Jane Wullbrandt, PGM and WP Herb Carr, PP have a busy and fun year planned. At our first meeting, Oct. 14 we will celebrate our 110th year since being Constituted. We will have a soup & salad supper at 6:00 PM with dessert following the meeting. Our Past Matrons & Past Patrons will be honored that evening. If you can join us, please RSVP to Jane via e-mail: jkwullbrandt@q.com

Our second meeting, Oct. 28 will be our Alpha/Pentalpha party. Mt. Zion #133 responds for Alpha & Areme #124 responds for Pentalpha. We hope to have a HUGE crowd.

Be safe & take care of each other. -th-th-that's all folks, 'til next month.

DAWN #125 - AURORA Kay Finnerty, PM - Reporter

Dawn Chapter held its Installation of Officers on September 7. Our new officers are:

Elizabeth (Beth) Spangler, WM; Steve Davis, WP; Kay Finnerty, AM; Bill Young, AP; Sue Schultz, Sec; Wayne Wells, Treas.; Janice Jacobovitz, Cond.; Carrie Andree, AC; Edna Hathorn, Chaplain; Don Shearer, Mar.; Susan Franzen, Org.; Mary Lou Shearer, Adah; Ruth Cobern, Ruth; Joan Velotta, Esther; Sunnye Conaway, Martha; Luda Wells, Electa; and Frank Hathorn, Sentinel. Members of the Installing Team were: Skye Craven-Lindblad, Marshal; Roberta Park, Organist; Gary Lindblad, Warder; and Carissa Snyder, Sentinel.

WM Elizabeth and WP Steve have chosen "Under the Sea" to be their theme, so decorations include Ariel, a ship and anchor, seashells, etc. At the Oct. 5 meeting we will renew our Obligation and on October 19, we will serve dinner prior to the meeting and Read the Redbook.

Dawn Chapter is very proud to be the home of the newly installed Worthy Grand Matron, Cheryl Williams, escorted by Kay Finnerty, and the newly installed Associate Grand Matron, Elizabeth Spangler, as well as the newly installed Grand Ruth, Ruth Cobern, escorted by Carrie Andree. At the Installation, Elizabeth was escorted by PGP Bill Young. Janice Jacobovitz will be the District Lecturer for Metro Chapter #157 and Carrie Andree will be President of both Alpha and Pentalpha Clubs, VP of PAGO, and District Lecturer for Oriental #98.

We are also very proud of our other members who did such a wonderful job in the last <u>two</u> years as they served in the 2019-2021 "The Rhythm of Life" Grand Family: Sue Schultz, Grand Ruth, escorted by Janice Jacobovitz. At the session, Susan Franzen served as Cheryl's Page and Ruth Cobern served as Elizabeth's Page.

We are also very proud that WP Steve was recently installed as the Grand Commander of the Denver, Colorado Grand Commandry No. 1.

Dawn Chapter meets on the 1st and 3rd Tuesday nights of each month at 7:30 p.m. and we LOVE to have visitors, so PLEASE come visit. With Elizabeth and Steve in the East, you know it will be FUN!!



Brunick, WM; John Peck, Chaplain; CherylAnn

LOYALTY #145 - WESTMINSTER Marlene Doyle, PM - Reporter

Aloha from Loyalty Chapter #145 (in case you don't know Aloha means Hello and Good Bye)

Loyalty is very saddened by the passing of our Worthy Matron Elect Judi Schweitzer. Dave is doing as well as he can and is with daughter Becky. The couple lost their daughter Amy to COVID 3 days prior to Judi's passing. Cards can be sent to 8801 Ithaca Way, Westminster, CO 80031-3342

On Sept. 11th Installation wasn't quit what the chapter had planned, although it was nice. Judi and Dave Schweitzer had traveled to Utah to see their daughter and her family over

Labor Day weekend, and came down with COVID-19. We were able to install 12 of our Officers. In the East there were 2 empty chairs decorated with leis and a smile face pillow, waiting for Judi and Dave's return. We had a nice get together downstairs afterwards with



great fellowship. What a bitter sweet day. We plan on following Judi's calendar and

agenda. Ther not be someth

Theme: Everyday may not be good, but there is something good in everyday!

Aim: If you don't see a smile, BE the smile! Emblems: WM Happy Faces, WP

Wyle E. Coyote

Colors: Yellow and Blue

Flowers: White Daisies and Blue Columbine Songs: You Are My Sunshine and Zippity Do Dah Scriptures: WM - Psalms 118:24 This is the day that the Lord has made: We will rejoice and be glad in it.

WP - 1st Samuel 16:7 The Lord does not see as man sees, A man looks at the outward appearance, But the Lord looks at the Heart.

Benevolent Project: Kidney Foundation Our Chapter is gearing up for the fall with a pie sale and our annual Thanksgiving Dinner. The dinner and pie delivery will be on Nov. 19, between 4 p.m. and 7 p.m. Dinner is \$12 and the Pies are \$10 each. You must preorder your pies, the sooner the better. There will only be a certain number of pies made and then we won't be taking any more orders. The dinner is all you can eat turkey and all the fixings. The flyers are attached with all the information.

Grand Chapter has come and gone, but the Officers of the Rhythm Of Life Grand Family should be so proud, it was a beautiful Session. Loyalty is equally as proud of our Grand Chaplain, Grand Marshal and the Soloist Jill Quedenfeld who performed 5 times, beautifully.

Sister Krista Shaner put together the Memorial Service for all of those that have passed away in the last two years. It was such a nice service, with laminar bags forming 3 crosses between the East and Altar. Each having the names of a Sister or Brother and the name of their Chapter on the bag. Not only that, but she said grace at banquets, lunches and breakfasts, along with doing her ritualistic work with charm.

Sister Jodi Muser superintend as a Marshal should, through all the proceedings and ceremonies she was wonderful. The flag ceremony that Jodi wrote was so nice, with lots of meaning to each flag presented. She read the tribute that Brother Ed Peterson wrote for the American Flag with dignity.

Well done Sisters, you make Loyalty very Proud! I'm sure we're all looking forward to the next Grand Chapter Session, what fun it will bring.

SNOWFLAKE #153 - WOODLAND PARK MaryKae Jarvís, PM - Reporter



Pictured 1st Row: Rex Mortensen, Sentinel; Pat Mammenga, PGM, Associate Matron; Virginia Jarvis, Worthy Matron; Jim Jarvis, PGP, Worthy Patron. **2nd Row**: Rita Bucholtz, PGM, Warder; David Wilcox, PGP; Kimberly Jones. **3rd Row**: Harvey Bucholtz; April Allen, JrPM, Adah; Elizabeth Taylor, Conductress; Richard Mammenga, Associate Patron, MaryKae Jarvis, Secretary, Lynette Gustafson, Marshal. Not pictured: Kelly Baines, Treasurer; Gloria Joritz, Chaplain; Ann Battin, Electa.

Snowflake Chapter No. 153 held their Annual Installation of Officers on Saturday, September 18, where Virginia Jarvis was installed as a first time Worthy Matron. Virginia is a math teacher @ Vista Ridge High School where she teaches Algebra & Geometry and is an assistant coach for the Varsity Boys Basketball team. She is a Past Worthy Advisor of Pikes Peak Assembly No. 4 and Past Grand Worthy Advisor for Colorado International Order of the Rainbow for Girls. Virginia's passions are teaching, coaching and making project with her Cricut Die Cutting Machines.

Theme: Purpose of Life Be Strong & Courageous Motto: Cross, Bible, Armor of God, Lion, Salt Symbols:

- & Pepper Shakers, Shield Colors: All Colors
- Scriptures: "Be strong and courageous. Do not be afraid; Do not be discouraged for the Lord your God will be with you wherever you go". -- Joshua 1:9
- 1st Responders; Military **Projects:** Woodland Park School District Woodland Park Community

The theme for this year comes from the Kendrick Brothers and the videos and books they have created.

https://kendrickbrothers.com

Movies – How to relate them to OES Facing the Giants – Adah because of strength Fireproof – Esther because of marriage Courageous – Electa because of parents War Room – Martha because of prayer Overcomer – Ruth because of encouragement





Snowflake Chapter No. 153 is honored to have two Grand Officer Appointments for the 2021 – 2022 "A Musical Journev" Grand Year. Congratulations to MaryKae Jarvis, Grand Marshal and Elizabeth Taylor, Grand Esther.

MaryKae's Escort is her daughter Virginia and husband Jim (when Virginia is unable to attend); Elizabeth's Escort is her best friend April Allen.

Snowflake Chapter is selling PopSockets to raise funds for First Responders and Service Dogs. These PopSockets have the new "Shooting Star" logo on them and are selling for \$10.00, plus \$2.00 shipping OR you can see Virginia Jarvis or PGP Jim Jarvis at the Official Visits to get yours. Virginia and Jim will be honoring First Responders and Military during their year in the East and wanted to raise funds to assist these valuable members of our community. Proceeds will be divided between the two projects. Don't wait! Purchase your Pop-Socket today! These make wonderful gifts for birthdays, Secret Pals, Christmas, etc. Supply is limited.



SNOWFLAKE CHAPTER No. 153 TO HOST FIRST OFFICIAL VISIT

Please join Snowflake Chapter No. 153 on Saturday, October 31, 2021, @ 1:30 p.m. @ the Colorado Springs Masonic Center, 1150 Panorama Drive, Colorado Springs, CO 80904. PLEASE NOTE THE CHANGE IN LOCATION!! We will not be meeting in Woodland Park. Full page Invitation included in the 4U2 Review. Check it out!



Since we are unable to have a meal or refreshments at the Masonic Center, join us at Applebee's 495 Garden of the Gods Road, Colorado Springs, CO 80907 for a "Dining-To-Donate" event. Proceeds will be split equally between WGM Cheryl Williams Colon Cancer Research Project and WGP Keith Hoey's COPS (Concerns of Police Survivors) Project. Fliers will be available at the Official Visit.



FOUNTAIN VALLEY #155 - FOUNTAIN Daisy Saylor, PM - Reporter

Installation at Fountain Valley Chapter #155 was held on September 11, 2021 at Fountain Valley Lodge. The following elected officers were installed: Worthy Matron - Sarah Fuss,

> Worthy Patron - Bill Carlson PGP, Associate Matron - Shirley Day, Associate Patron - Dan Brooks, Secretary - Sharon Heintzen, Troasuror - Daisy Saylor

Treasurer - Daisy Saylor

The rest of the officers were installed in due form, as well. A lunch was served before the installation.

Our next meeting will be on October 7th at 7:30pm at Fountain Valley Lodge.



PEACE & HARMONY #158 - PAGOSA SPRINGS Patsy Troutner, WM - Reporter

On Sunday September 11, 2021, Peace & Harmony #158 installed 13 new officers for the upcoming year.



The following officers were installed: Worthy Matron Patsy Troutner, Worthy Patron Richard Wholf, Associate Matron Aimee Buttons,

Associate Patron, Shawn Smith, Conductress Donna Kummer, Associate Conductress Marilyn Harris, Secretary Gayle Hawkins, Treasurer Dawn Maez, Chaplain Carl Kummer, Marshal Adam Buttons, Adah Carol Smith, Warder, Jim Hawkins, Sentinel Mason Carpenter.

Barbara Harrington, PGM and John Harrington, PP served as Installing Officers with Marion Rodgers,



PGM as Installing Marshal, Jaimee McCullough as Installing Chaplain and Christine Scott, PM as Installing Organist. There were

several out of state guests present who complimented the members and Installing officers on a beautiful Installation. A celebration and social hour with light refreshments followed the Installation. Everyone had a wonderful time.

The Worthy Matron chose the following:

Theme:	A Candle in the Darkness
Symbol:	Candles
WP Symbol	Puma or Mountain Lion
Flowers:	WM: Irises and Aspen Leaves
Colors:	Teal and Black
Scripture <u>:</u>	Leviticus: 19:18,2 "Thou shalt love
thy neighbor as thyself"	

As a new Worthy Matron, Sister Patsy gave the following address:

What is Eastern Star

As a fairly new member of Eastern Star, I have found myself asking what Eastern Star is and what it means to be a member. We have many beautiful Ceremonies, regular meetings with ceremonial openings and closings, numerous social events, with wonderful fellowship. We participate in fundraising for charitable causes and to support our chapters. These are needed activities because they connect us and strengthen the bonds between us. But is this all that Eastern Star is? Other fraternal, social and service clubs do many of the same things. What makes Eastern Star different?

First, to be an Eastern Star member you must have a belief in the existence of a Supreme Being who directs the Universe for good. Eastern Star does not specify a specific belief system or religion.

Then, I looked at the promises that we make to each other when we are initiated. We promise to stand by and support each other

when we experience misfortune, loss, or other troubles. We also promise to treat each other in a respectful and honest manner and to defend each other against deceitful and malicious gossip or actions.

During our initiation, we are lead on a twisting path to remind us that life has many twists and turns. Along this path we are presented with stories to illustrate values and virtues that as Eastern Star members we should strive to incorporate into our lives. We are also reminded that we do not travel this path alone.

What virtues and values do these stories promote? The importance of honoring our promises, obligations, and vows. This is the foundation of respect for, and trust in one another.

We should also be committed to carrying out our duty and obligations to one another and to our families and communities. This is what allows us to work together to accomplish things and allows our society to function.

The next virtue is about leadership and the need for justice, loyalty to ourselves, and each other, and a focus on the welfare of others. This value is essential for the viability of small groups and great civilizations.

The next is about faith in a Supreme Benevolent Being, the uncertainty of life and the need to have a belief system that embraces the sanctity of life, Hope and Immortality. This faith and hope are essential to all Humankind.

The final story on our twisting path is about Charity, Hospitality and the love we should have for each other. This is the basis of all the other virtues and is the great truth of Humanity, that we should "Love one another".

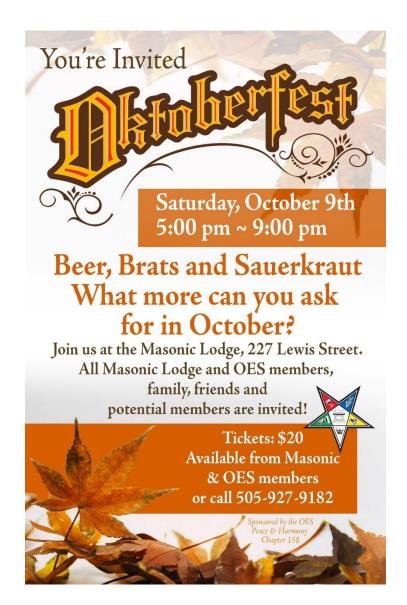
I believe these are the values and foundation on which Eastern Star is based.

We address each other as "Sister" and "Brother" to remind us that we are all part of the Eastern Star Family. As do all families we have our disagreements. However, the values and virtues we aspire to allow us to heal those divisions in the spirit of respect, tolerance, forgiveness, civility, and loving kindness,

As Eastern Star members we are a candle in the darkness of our world.

Peace & Harmony OES Cordially Invites All OES members, Masons, their families, friends and any prospective members to our Octoberfest on Saturday October 9th at the Pagosa Masonic Hall. Social Hour is 3-5 pm, Sauerkraut and Brats will be served at 5pm.. The Beer is free, but we would appreciate a \$20 donation for the Sauerkraut and Brats. Tickets are available from OES members or you can call 505-927-9182.

PLEASE RSVP BY OCTOBER 6TH SO WE KNOW HOW MUCH FOOD TO PREPARE





Halloween is a holiday celebrated each year on October 31. and Halloween 2021 will occur on Sunday. October 31. The tradition originated with the ancient Celtic

festival of <u>Samhain</u>, when people would light bonfires and wear costumes to ward off ghosts. In the eighth century, Pope Gregory III designated November 1 as a time to honor all saints. Soon, All Saints Day incorporated some of the traditions of Samhain. The evening before was known as All Hallows Eve, and later Halloween. Over time, Halloween evolved into a day of activities like trick-or-treating, carving jack-o-lanterns, festive gatherings, donning costumes and eating treats.

On behalf of the Glenn Monroe Youth Scholarship Committee:

Thank you to the members of Colorado for their support. We enjoyed seeing many of you at Grand Chapter and hope to continue to see many of you throughout the year.

The Glenn Monroe Scholarship was officially designated as such during the 1995 Grand Session. Previously it was known as the Youth education fund. Mr. Glenn E. Monroe served the Colorado Grand Chapter as Worthy Grand Patron in 1955. From 1964-1967 Mr. Glenn Monroe served on the General Grand Chapter as a committee member for Education during the "Justice, Harmony, and Beauty in a World of Freedom," triennium. We are thankful for his legacy and are looking forward to keeping his legacy of education alive.

The Glenn Monroe Scholarship is open to all active masonic youth who are Colorado residents and who are graduating seniors or currently attending college. It can be used for any accredited college or licensed trade school. The Committee was pleased to receive 8 applications this year. We hope to receive even more applications next year. Over the past two years we have received 17 applications and awarded 6 scholarships.

All our youth organizations now have protection programs in place, and it is strongly suggested to only use first names in media. We are only using first names to comply. Due to Covid-19 and conflicting schedules none of our recipients were able to make Grand Chapter, but they all sent remarks which were read and will be published in the proceedings. The recipients are as follows.

International Order of Rainbow for Girls, Ms. Emma attending Colorado State University, majoring in Biomedical Sciences and is in her first year.

Demolay International, Mr. Seaghan attending University of Colorado at Colorado Springs, majoring in Computer Science and is entering his final year of undergraduate.

Job's Daughters International, Ms. Emma Lynn attending University of Colorado at Colorado Springs, majoring in Art History and is in her second year of school.

The applicants were all notified of the decisions via letter and a phone call. We would like to thank you brothers and sisters for continuing to support the Masonic youth of Colorado and to continue to donate to the worthy cause of education.

Please continue to help where you can and thank you for continuing support the Masonic Youth of Colorado.

Thank you to the membership for allowing us to serve Colorado in this function.

Star Regards, Glenn Monroe Youth Committee

Ellie Brooks, chair

Joe Paseka

Kelly Baines

SECRETARIES - TREASURERS of COLORADO

Greetings, my fellow Secretaries and Treasurers of Colorado, both current and former.

At our luncheon, during the recently concluded Grand Chapter session, the future of the 'club' was discussed. Those present agreed we all enjoy the social interaction with our counterparts, but that as a club, we really have no purpose. The following decisions regarding the 'club' were approved.

1. We will continue as a SOCIAL group only.

2. We will not have elected officers.

3. We will not host a meal function at future Grand Chapter sessions.

4. The funds on hand (\$153.40) were donated to Grand Chapter in honor of Rene' Ballinger, Acting GS and Cyndie House, GT. The funds are to be used specifically for needs of the Grand Chapter office, as determined by the GS/GT, which are not covered by the Operating fund. The Grand Treasurer will add a new line item for these funds.

I agreed to be the point of contact for the group, temporarily at least. Several ideas for social events were discussed and we will follow up on them. If there is interest, I can set up an e-mail group just for Secretaries/Treasurers. Another thought would be Zoom occasional meetings to discuss duties/procedures of each office. There was interest in having breakout sessions at SOI's again and I will check on that for next year. The S/T Handbook that was gifted to each chapter in 2018 is very helpful to both new and experienced officers. It should be your first place to look when questions arise. And the Gr. Secretary & Gr. Treasurer are always willing to assist when asked.

I welcome your input, so please contact me, and share your thoughts. e-mail: lwullbrandt@q.com Fraternally,

Larry Wullbrandt, PGP Secretary – Manzanita 85



"Plant" ahead for this fun-raising opportunity. Beginning Monday, October 18, order your holiday flowers and bulbs through Flower Power Fundraising and 50% of your purchase will go to support our WGM Cheryl's beneficent project: Colon Cancer research in Colorado. Flower Power Fundraising offers an earth friendly alternative in the fundraising world. Purchase only the finest, best-quality bulbs and plants available from growers in Holland and the U.S. with an unconditional, 100% replacement guarantee!

Orders for the holidays will begin October 18, and, if placed by December 1, will arrive in time for Christmas. More information, and the link for ordering, will "bloom" in your email in-box on Monday October 18.

www.flowerpowerfundraising.com

GRAND CHAPTER SILENT AUCTION HUGE SUCCESS! ! ! ! ACCORDING TO TRUDE DAVIS, CHAIRMAN

I would like to thank all who donated items for the Silent Auction, and all those who bid on items at the Auction. It was a busy Auction this year, as I believe people used the lock down to clean out their homes. There were many excellent items donated.

Again, a special thank you to Nancy Erickson, Sunshine #53 for helping me set up the items and unpack all those boxes; and to Cheryl Archuleta, Mt. Zion #133, who sat in that auction room the entire time while I had running around to do. It was a great time for me, and I appreciate you two so much.

Most of the items sold. The MAKE AN OFFER table did very well with a lot of OES items (jewelry, cups, saucers, etc), and regular jewelry, scarves, and our two 007 Agents. The gift baskets were a big success, of course. This year it wasn't all wine, but a secretary's basket, a child's basket, food basket, chocolate; but then again, that Bourbon Basket was the best!!!!!!! And no, I didn't get it.

I'm happy to report that last counting showed that we made \$2951.00. A big round of applause for those who donated, bid and visited. O.E.S. Hope Chapter #122 invites you to attend our first annual

SCRAPBOOKING WEEKEND

 $\label{eq:December 3, 4 and 5^{th} 2021}$ Westminster Masonic Lodge - 8151 Bradburn Dr., Westminster, CO

Full Weekend \$150 (\$50 non-refundable deposit) Friday: 2pm – 10pm, Saturday: 8am - 11pm and Sunday: 8am - 2pm

Your weekend will include:

Large table space area to work with electrical outlets Beverages and snacks all day long Dinner on Friday & Saturday Continental breakfast on Saturday and hot breakfast on Sunday Free parking, gifts, prizes & much more

This is a fundraiser and all proceeds go to O.E.S. Hope Chapter #122. This is open to the public so please invite all of your friends and family for a fun filled weekend

> Please R.S.V.P to Imogene Musso imohalloweenbaby@yahoo.com or ginamusso@hotmail.com

Please include your Name, who you would like to sit by and if you will need an electrical outlet

Acceptable payment methods are cash, check or Venmo Make Checks payable to: Hope Chapter #122 Send checks to: Imogene Musso 1310 W 100th Ave., Thornton, CO 80260 Venmo @Imogene-Musso

If paid in full by November 15th you will be entered into a special drawing

FOR SALE:

Easy Rest king size bed. Consists of two deluxe Twin beds, they raise at the head and foot of the bed and also have vibrating massage. Each bed is controlled separately, they can be put together as a king or as two separate twin beds. The asking price is \$600.00. If interested please call Daisy Saylor, Home # 719-382-5187 or my cell # 719-337-2166

SNOWFLAKE 153

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 30, 2021 @ 1:30 P.M.

NOTE LOCATION CHANGE!

COLORADO SPRINGS MASONIC CENTER 1150 PANORAMA DRIVE COLORADO SPRINGS, CO 80904

You are cordially invited to join Snowflake Chapter No. 153 As we welcome WGM Cheryl Williams, WGP Keith Hoey and the "A Musical Journey" Grand Family There will be other activities in the building -Please go directly upstairs to the American Room (where Centennial Chapter meets) Social time after the OV will be in the American Room Refreshments will be "Grab & Go" As you leave the building.



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ORDER YOUR HOLIDAY PIES NOW! BAKERY QUALITY PIES ONLY \$10 EACH URBON PUMPKIN DUTCH

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Pick up: Westminster Masonic Center
8151 Bradburn Ave, Westminster, Co 80031
Friday , November 20 from 4pm—7pm
At the Annual Community Thanksgiving Dinner
By Loyalty #145 OES (\$12 all-you-can-eat)

Pre-Order Pies by November 10 to ensure your Order Contact HL Laura Lambird at LJDiver1@aol.com for Amaranth Marlene Doyle at MrBrats@hotmail.com for Loyalty Chapter OES

GRAND CHAPTER MEMORIES



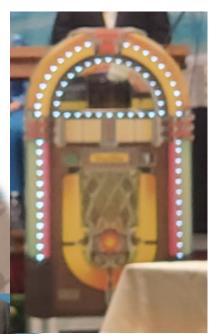


All Member Banquet

These ain't the "real" Village People

But they sure had fun

"A Musical Journey" Grand East



Sgt. Robert Cook, Larimer County Sheriff's Officer Gave a presentation about C.O.P.S

Laura Scheirburg talked about the WGMs Special project - Cancer

"A Musical Journey" Installation

Colleen Vanderpool & Anita Olme Special Musical Tribute