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Probably this came from someone on this list but it's on my computer and since I know that you are a clever OES member, you could adapt it for a tribute to the outgoing WM and WP...just wanted you to have choice so searched the computer this morning.

Past Grand Matrons and Past Grand Patrons we adore,
 From the top of your head, down to the floor.
 Honoring you is our delight;
 We are so happy you're here tonight.

You set up Chapter the whole year through,
 You swept, dusted, and mopped too.
 You saw that the officers were proficient in their work,
 And never a duty did you shirk.

You worked from morning until late at night,
 Sometimes your house and yard looked a sight.
 You spent hours and hours on the phone, and
 Hardly ever were at home.

You visited the sick and those in sorrow,
 You always thought you could rest tomorrow;
 But when morning came, the phone rang,
 And you were up and going again.

There were people to honor, a program to plan,
 The good you served was the best in the land.
 You visited other Chapters, and always took a load,
 Seems you were always on the road.

Off to Grand Chapter you went in the fall,
 To take care of business for one and all.
 You arose early and went to bed late,
 You marched, listened, voted and sometimes ate.

Grand Offices you did not shirk,
 You accepted them proudly even though more work.
 If now, you had all the money you've spent,
 You would have a good sized mint.

All of you to the Grand East have been,
 Which meant meetings over and over and over again.
 You are the Stars that lead the way,
 And guided us from day to day.

There was never a poem written, nor a song sung,
 That could begin to tell all that you have done.

We know your strength came from above,
And your magic formula was that word, Love.

We honor you tonight, the best in the nations,
You lovely Past Grand Matrons, and Wonderful Past Grand Patrons.
Our love and best wishes are with you always;
God bless you the rest of your days.

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