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GRAND MASTER'S Corner

Worthy of the Level as I Travel This Road

My Brothers,

As builders, we have been entrusted with the tools of character and made custodians of our ancient Craft. The Level stands as one of the most profound. Even though the level might look simple in form yet immeasurable in meaning, it reminds us that every human being, regardless of station, title, or circumstance, stands equal before the Grand Architect of the Universe.

The Level calls us back to the foundational truth that binds us as Masons: we meet upon the Level because we are made of the same dust, breathe the same breath, and share the same divine spark. As leaders, we must model this principle with unwavering consistency. The Level should challenge us to listen before we speak, to understand before we judge, and to serve before we seek to be served.

When we stand upon the Level:

- We honor and respect the dignity of every Brother, from the newly initiated to the most seasoned Past Master.
- We bring individuals together in unity, recognizing that harmony is not the absence of differences but the respectful handling of them.
- We should strengthen our Lodges one brick at a time, for no structure can endure unless its foundation is true and its builders work as equals.
- We must reflect on the character of the Craft, demonstrating that Masonry is not a relic of the past but a living force for good in the present.

My Brothers, let us recommend walking worthy of the Level. Let our words be measured, our actions be fair, and our hearts be open. Let us be known not only for the ritual we recite, but for the lives we build—lives that testify to the enduring power of equality, humility, and brotherly love.

May the Great Architect guide our steps as we labor together upon the Level and part upon the Square.

MW Bryan K. Johnson 33°/66°/95°
Most Worshipful Grand Master
MW King Solomon Grand Lodge of Texas

Past Master
Hourglass Lodge #1

GRAND MATRON'S Corner

From the Desk of Grand Matron Sherri Davis

As we enter the month of February, a season often associated with love, let us be reminded that the truest expression of love is shown through compassion, kindness, and service to one another. As members of Queen Sheba Grand Chapter, we are called to walk in love—not only in words, but through our actions, our patience, and our willingness to uplift one another.

May this month inspire us to extend grace, strengthen our bonds of sisterhood and brotherhood, and show heartfelt compassion within our Chapters and our communities. When we lead with love, we reflect the very principles upon which our Order is built. Let us continue to be a shining example of unity, care, and faithful service.

With love and appreciation,

Grand Matron Sherri Davis

Solomon's Study



The Sower's Parable

My Brothers,

In Matthew 13, Jesus teaches the parable of the Sower.

A man goes out to sow seed, and the seed falls on four types of ground: the wayside, the stony places, the thorny ground, and the good soil. The seed represents the Word, the truth, and the principles that lead to growth. The soil represents the condition of the heart. But today, I want us to look at this parable not only as soil, but as Sowers.

Every member of the M.W. King Solomon Grand Lodge is a Sower. Each of us carries a seed: the seed of Brotherhood, the seed of Light, the seed of leadership, the seed of good works, and the seed of Masonic character. The question is not whether we have seeds. The question is how we sow it.

Becoming a Good Sower

A good Sower is intentional. He understands that a seed does not grow by accident. Growth requires preparation, patience, and purpose.

To be a good Sower in this Grand Lodge:

- Prepare your own soil first. A Brother cannot sow what he does not possess.
- Cultivate humility, discipline, and integrity so that your life becomes fertile ground for others to learn from.
- Carry your seed everywhere. Whether in the Lodge room, at home, or in the community, your conduct should reflect the Light you've received.
- Sow consistently. A good Sower doesn't scatter seed once and walk away. He sows daily through words, actions, and examples.

Sheba's Scrolls



The Sower's Love

Sisters and Brothers, when we reflect upon The Sower's Heart, we are drawn to the quiet yet powerful role that love plays within our chapters and lodges. Love is the guiding light that governs our conduct and gives meaning to our labor.

In the Order of the Eastern Star, love is not spoken lightly—it is demonstrated through fidelity to our obligations, charity toward one another, and patience in our work. Love is the spirit in which we sow. It determines whether the seed we scatter will take root and bring forth fruit worthy of our teachings.

Our founding principles remind us that every lesson taught, every office held, and every duty performed must be grounded in love. It is love that tempers correction with kindness, leadership with humility, and service with compassion. Without love, our labor becomes mechanical; with love, it becomes sacred.

In Matthew 13:1–23, we are reminded that a GOOD Sower must be mindful not only of the seed, but also of the condition of the soil. In our jurisdiction, we are both Sowers and caretakers—responsible for nurturing membership, strengthening our chapters, and ensuring that our daily operations reflect the principles we profess.

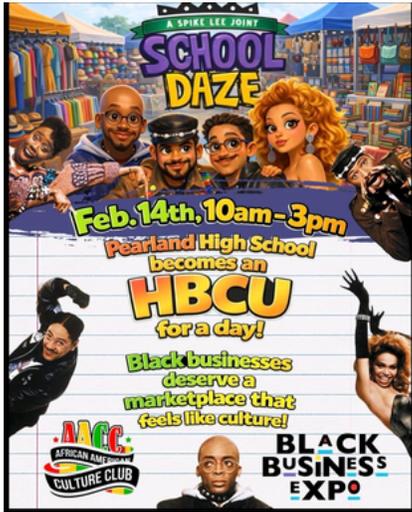
Love prepares the soil of the heart. It removes the stones of misunderstanding, guards against the thorns of discord, and softens places where growth has been hindered. When we sow GOOD seeds—seeds of unity, instruction, encouragement, and faithful service—we do so trusting that God will grant the increase in His time.

Let us, therefore, labor together with willing hearts and loving hands, mindful that the harvest we seek is not only growth in numbers, but growth in spirit, harmony, and devotion to our Order.

Associate Grand Matron
Shametta Benson

JURISDICTION

Calendar



Pearland High School's HBCU for a day is the perfect event for you to showcase your black owned business Saturday Feb 14th! Contact Grand Associate Matron Shametta Benson for more information



Support our Grand Associate Conductress Karicia Hill this Saturday Feb 7th, at the Love & Marriage Celebration Luncheon

Tickets can be purchased at eesministries.org

February Birthdays



- Asa W.
- Eric S.
- Brandi R.
- Jasmine S.
- Chantia T.
- Althea G.
- Carla R.
- Trina L.
- Thalia R.
- Valerie B.
- Robert M.



Support A1's Valentines Day Raffle Fundraiser. From now until Feb 12th

Tickets are \$10 each. [Click here to purchase](#)

SDCCE EVENTS

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2026 SDCCE SUPREME CONVENTION

July 16th - July 23rd, 2026

Palace Station Hotel in Las Vegas, NV
Hotel Registration opened November 1st, 2025

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Moses Terrell Scholarship & Charity Inc
Scholarship Gala Weekend
Friday & Saturday
February 27th-28th, 2026
**We Are Walking The Red Carpet
Celebrating Academic Success**

Crowne Plaza O'Hare Hotel
5540 North River Road
Rosemont IL 60018

Please visit our website at mosesterrell.org for gala tickets, hotel reservations, journal ads, to apply for a college scholarship or high school award, and donate to support academic success

In appreciation of our out of town guest for their support, Moses Terrell Scholarship & Charity will recognize the top 2 organizations that purchase the highest number of banquet tickets. The gala tickets may be purchased individually or as a group, but to be counted, the group name must be noted on the purchase. The winners will be announced during the Gala Weekend. We cannot thank you enough for your continued support. We look forward to seeing you in February 2026!

For questions contact: Brother Michael Haythorn, Brother Stan Simmons, or Brother Anthony Pugh
We will be rocking the color RED

BLACK HISTORY MONTH

Black History Month is a time to recognize and celebrate the profound contributions of Black individuals to history, culture, science, politics, and social progress. Observed each February in the United States, it originated from historians Carter G. Woodson's vision to ensure that Black history was studied, valued, and fully woven into the broader American story. This month serves not only as a celebration, but also as a reminder that Black history is American history deeply shaping the nation's ideals, struggles, and achievements.

Throughout Black History Month, attention is given to the resilience and creativity of Black communities in the face of systemic oppression and inequality. From the leadership of figures such as Harriet Tubman, Martin Luther King Jr., and Malcolm X, to the artistic brilliance found in music, literature, and visual arts, Black Americans have continuously transformed society. Their contributions have influenced civil rights, labor movements, education, and popular culture, leaving a lasting impact both nationally and globally.

Beyond honoring the past, Black History Month encourages reflection on the present and future. It invites ongoing conversations about equality, justice, and representation while inspiring younger generations to learn, lead, and innovate. By engaging with Black history year-round not only in February society can more fully appreciate the depth of these contributions and work toward a more inclusive and informed future.

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Membership Spotlight



Associate Grand Matron
Shametta Benson

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The Grand Master and Grand Matron want to thank you both for your hard work and dedication to this jurisdiction.



Temple News



Committee

Dear Brothers and Sisters,

The News Committee still encourages you to be active participants in this journey. If you have announcements, accomplishments, photos, or inspiring stories to share, we warmly invite you to submit your news. Feedback and submissions can be shared via the **form linked below** or by email to **mwksgl.and.mwqsgc.tx@gmail.com**

[Temple News Submission Form](#)



Additionally all Matrons and Worshipful Masters please use the link above to submit chapter and lodge pictures.

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