

## REGISTRATION

Current dues card and \$10.00 donation.  
Delegates present Credential Card to the  
Credential Committee.

**Thursday, October 17, 2024**  
1:00 P.M. to 4:00 P.M.

**Friday, October 18, 2024**  
7:30 A.M. to 8:30 A.M.

**Saturday, October 19, 2024**  
7:30 A.M. to 8:30 A.M.

**CLOSES PROMPTLY AT 8:30 A.M.**

**THURSDAY MORNING**  
October 17, 2024

### REHEARSALS

Directed by:  
H.L. Linda McLendon, Grand Lecturer

**PLEASE BE PROMPT!  
THE SESSION ROOM WILL BE CLOSED TO ALL  
EXCEPT THOSE REHEARSING.**

**9:00 A.M.** Bible Ceremony

**9:30 A.M.** Grand Conductresses,  
Grand Marshal, GME, GMW

**10:00 A.M.** **ALL Grand Officers**

**11:00 A.M.** Draping the Altar

**12:00 P.M. - 1:00 P.M.** Lunch

**1:30 P.M.** Necrology  
Royal Matrons and Royal Patrons report to  
S.K. Logan Rodgers , Necrology Chairman.

**2:30 P.M.** Uncrowning

**THURSDAY EVENING**  
October 19, 2024

**6:00 P.M.** Reception for Guests  
**6:30 P.M.** Musical Prelude

Escort of Distinguished Guests

Grand Representatives, Royal Matrons and  
Royal Patrons Assume Stations

**7:00 P.M.** **BIBLE CEREMONY**

**INFORMAL OPENING**

**RECEPTION**

**Honoring 2023-2024 Grand Officers**

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**FRIDAY MORNING**  
October 18, 2024

**BE PREPARED TO GIVE YOUR REPORT AT  
ANY TIME AFTER START OF SESSION**

**8:00 A.M.** Musical Prelude  
Escort of Distinguished Guests

**FORMAL OPENING**

**8:30 A.M.** **CALL TO ORDER**

**REPORTS OF GRAND ELECTED OFFICERS**

**12:30 P.M. "Friend In Me" Luncheon Buffet**  
*Honoring North Carolina Past Grand Royal Matrons  
and Past Grand Royal Patrons.*

**2:00 P.M.** **CALL TO ORDER**

**REPORTS, NECROLOGY, MEMORIAL**

**6:00 P.M. "Maidens and Scallywags" Banquet:**  
*Honoring Grand Royal Matron, Grand Royal  
Patron, Supreme Royal Matron, Supreme Royal  
Patron and Grand Representatives to North  
Carolina.*

**SATURDAY MORNING**  
October 19, 2024

**8:00 A.M.** **Musical Prelude**

Escort of Distinguished Guests

**8:30 A.M.** **CALL TO ORDER**

- Report of Credential Committee
- Report of Election Committee
- Election of Grand Officers

**REPORTS CONTINUED**

**12:30 P.M. "Harmony and Balance" Luncheon**  
*Honoring Grand Royal Matron-Elect, Grand Royal  
Patron-Elect, Newly Elected and Appointed Grand  
Officers*

**1:45 P.M.** (if necessary) **RECONVENE**

**2:00 P.M.** **CALL TO ORDER**

- Unfinished Business
- Address of Supreme Royal Patron
- Address of Supreme Royal Matron

**Call from Labor to Recreation**

**REHEARSAL**

**INSTALLATION AND CORONATION**

**7:00 P.M.** **UNCROWNING**

**INSTALLATION OF 2024 - 2025 OFFICERS**

**Closing of 58<sup>TH</sup> Annual Session**

**RECEPTION**

*Honoring our newly installed Grand Royal Matron,  
Grand Royal Patron and Grand Officers.*

## GENERAL INFORMATION

**GRAND FLOOR OFFICERS** – Please memorize your charges for the Ritualistic Opening on Pages 243-249 and for Memorial Ceremony on pages 253-259. If you are unable to attend the Session, please contact the Grand Royal Matron as soon as possible, but no later than September 1, 2024.

**Grand Officers – Honored Ladies** wear your Official Gown for the Informal Opening and Friday morning session. Friday afternoon wear your white gown for Memorial. Gloves or mitts should be appropriate length. **Sir Knights** wear black tuxedo, white shirt, black tie and cummerbund or vest for the Memorial Service Friday afternoon.

**Royal Matrons** wear your crown for all sessions. On Friday afternoon, wear a white gown and train for the Memorial Service. Gloves or mitts should be appropriate length. **Royal Patrons** wear black tuxedo, white shirt, black tie and cummerbund or vest for the Memorial Service Friday afternoon. Colors of your choice may be worn for the other Sessions. **Royal Patrons remember to bring your sword.**

**COURT SECRETARIES:** Please send the names of your deceased members to S.K. Logan Rodgers Chairman of Necrology, by September 1, 2024.

**REPORTS:** Grand Officers, Committee Chairmen, Hosts and Hostesses, **Present four (4) typed and signed copies** of Reports, Welcomes, and Responses to the Addresses and Distribution Committee: H.L. Carolyn Harrell. ONLY those copies turned in before Grand Court closes on October 19, 2024 (except the Session Report) will be printed in the proceedings. Please email a copy to the Grand Royal Matron and Grand Secretary no later than October 21, 2024, thank you, to: grsec\_nc@yahoo.com

**Grand Representatives**, your report is important too. You may turn in (4) four copies at the Session or email a copy of your report to the Grand Secretary.

**Grand Pages and Grand Sentinels** please come early for each Session.

**We invite all visiting** GRM's, GRP's, Supreme Officers, PSRM's, PSRP's, JR. PGRM's, JR. PGRP's, and Grand Representatives to NC to share the Throne.

## MEALS CUT OFF DATE:

**September 23, 2024**

Friday Lunch \$30.00  
Friday Banquet \$45.00  
Saturday Lunch \$30.00  
All meals are at Fayetteville Masonic Center

**MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO:  
GRAND COURT of N.C. SESSION FUND**

### MAIL TO:

H.L. Kathy Spain, DSRM  
5175 Edgebaston Dr.  
Kernersville, NC 27284-7881

*Special plates are available for those with special needs. Please advise on meal reservation sheet.*

*Meal Questions: H. L. Kathy Spain*

*Phone: 336-908-1094*

*Email: krspain@hotmail.com*

**MAKE YOUR ROOM RESERVATIONS DIRECTLY  
WITH THE HOTEL: Using group name  
Amaranth Session 2024**

Country Inn & Suites I-95 Fayetteville  
1925 Cedar Creek Road  
Fayetteville, NC 28312  
910-433-2666

Continental Breakfast free at Hotel

**ROOM RATE: \$109.00 PLUS TAX**

*Problems with Hotel Reservations contact  
H.L. Linda McLendon, Phone: 828-808-5979  
Email: ldmclendon@yahoo.com*

**CUT OFF DATE FOR AMARANTH RATE IS  
September 23, 2024**

**NOTE: All flowers will be delivered to the  
Fayetteville Masonic Center  
Cut-off date for flower orders:  
September 28, 2024**

*Amaranth Fights Diabetes*

# THE GRAND COURT OF NORTH CAROLINA ORDER OF THE AMARANTH

**Cordially invites you to  
the  
Fifty-Eighth Annual  
“FRIENDSHIP and GROWTH”**



**SESSION  
October 17,18,19, 2024**

**Fayetteville Masonic Center  
2860 Village Drive  
Fayetteville, NC 28304**

**H.L. Laura Smith  
Grand Royal Matron**

**S.K. Brian Smith  
Grand Royal Patron**

**H.L. Linda Woolard  
Grand Secretary**