



**GOLDEN STATE NEWSLETTER
GRAND COURT OF CALIFORNIA
ORDER OF THE AMARANTH**

2025 April Edition

Here's the Installation schedule for this year:

1. March 15, 2025 @ 12:00 N
Bee-Hive Sacramento
Mary Lou Calalang & Bert Calalang
2. March 22, 2025 @ 2:00 p.m.
Black Diamond Court
Brigette Najjar & William Nichols
3. March 29, 2025 @ 2:00 p.m.
Serenity Court
Stephenie Chongco & Jeremy Chongco
4. March 29, 2025 @ 7:00 p.m.
Golden Crown Court
Ramona Cantrell & David Cantrell
5. April 5, 2025 @ 1:00 p.m.
Fremont Court
Janet Harrison & Dennis Anderson
6. April 5, 2025 @ 7:00 p.m.
Mission Bell Court
Cindy Renner & John Thomas
7. April 12, 2025 @ 1:00 p.m.
Crescent Court
Carolyn Manry & Donnie Lara
8. April 13, 2025 @ 2:00 p.m.
Eureka Court
JoAnna Matlock & Michael Biesen
9. April 19, 2025 @ 2:00 p.m.
Anchor Court
Sherrie Wilkerson & Joe Tabrisky
10. April 26, 2025 @ 11:00 a.m.
Loyalty Court
Muriel Stettler & John Stettler
11. April 26, 2025 @ 6 or 7:00pm
Candlelight Court
Cathy Rogers & Leland Routt

March Events

Saturday, 15

*Beehive Sacramento Court Installation 12:00 PM
5944 San Juan Ave., Citrus Heights CA 95610*

Saturday, 22

*Black Diamond Court Installation 2:00 PM
185 School Street, Pittsburg, CA 94565-3831*

Saturday, 29

*Serenity Court Installation 2:00 PM
1535 Artesia Blvd., Manhattan Beach, CA 910266
Golden Crown Court Installation 7:00 PM (refreshments at 6:00 PM)
8637 Valley Blvd., Rosemead, CA 91770*

April Events

Saturday, 5

*Fremont Court Installation 1:00 PM
1541 Patricia Ave., Simi Valley, CA 93065*

*Mission Bell Court Installation 7:00 PM
5801 Chicago Ave, Riverside, CA 92506*

Sunday, 6

*Grand Assembly, Visalia 2:00 PM (Pre-register for session by March 15, see attached details) EVERYONE IS ENCOURAGED TO ATTEND
Visalia Convention Center, 303 E. Acequia, Visalia, CA 93291*

Saturday, 12

*Crescent Court Installation 1:00 PM
307 Walnut Ave., South San Francisco, CA 94080*

Sunday, 13

*Eureka Court Installation 2:00 PM
251 Bayside Rd., Arcata, CA 95521-6463*

Saturday, 19

*Anchor Court Installation 2:00 PM
1331 S. Escondido Blvd., Escondido, CA 92025*

Saturday, 26

*Loyalty Court Installation 11:00 AM
340 E. Market St., Stockton, CA 95202
Candlelight Court Installation 6:00 PM
2500 Masonic Dr., San Jose, CA 95125*

Grand Assembly Sunday, April 6, 2025

Our HL Joji, GRM and SK JD, GRP will be escorted and recognized at Grand Assembly on April 6, 2025. They would like as many Grand Officers as possible to attend with them this year. Do not worry if you have never been to Grand Assembly before, this is a great opportunity for Amaranth members to show their support for our California Rainbow Girls.

Follow the link below to register for Grand Assembly.

<https://californiaiorg.ticketspice.com/ga25>

Tickets – One Day Registration \$30

Which Day? Sunday

No Meal selection is necessary

Optional Items:

1. Foundation Pin for \$13 (proceeds support programs for CAIORG members)
2. Donate to CAIORG

Complete Your Information & Payment

Check box “I am representing and organization”

You will receive an immediate ticket with QR code and confirmation email.

If you need housing assistance, email caiorggahousing@gmail.com.

If you need registration assistance, email registrationchair@yahoo.com.

On April 6, arrive at the Visalia Convention Center, at 12:30 PM to meet up and collect registration materials. Wear your official 2025 Uniform dress or barong. (If you do not have these items, formal attire is requested.) Please remember that you are representing Amaranth and this may be your first opportunity to interact with a Rainbow Girl or Rainbow Adult. We want our impression to be the best possible and

representative of Amaranth leaving them the desire to find & join a local Court.



SAVE THE DATES

In addition, kindly include the following events for the “Save the Dates” section:

- May 3, 2025 4:00 p.m. - 10 p.m.
Crescent Court – “Grease Lightnin with a Cause” Dinner Dance for Diabetes Research
- July 20, 2025 @ 5:00 p.m. – 10:00 p.m.
Black Diamond Court - Mardi gras Dinner Dance Fundraising for Diabetes Research
- July 26, 2025 from 10:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.
Exploring the Enchanted Forest North – for Grand Court Ways & Means
- August 9, 2025
Queen Christina Gala – HL Sue Anne, GC revelation of her “Chosen One”
- August 17, 2025
2nd Annual Golf Tournament at Diablo Creek Golf Course, Concord CA, for Diabetes Research
- Sept. 9, 2025 @ 6 :00 p.m. – 10:00 p.m.
SAM & SAP Reception – Luau Dinner Dance @ Embassy Suites, Walnut Creek CA
- Oct. 11, 2025 11:00 a.m.- 3:00 p.m.
Exploring the enchanted Forest South – for Grand Court Ways & Means

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SERENITY COURT

Hello from Serenity Court

Hope you had a great St. Patrick Day.

And wishing you a happy easter.

We will have had our March meeting and our Installation by the time you read this.

Our April meeting is April 15th with dinner before, at 6:15 and our meeting at 7:30. The cost of the dinner is \$10.00.

The theme is Easter, and we encourage you to wear your Easter Bonnet.

We also wish a Happy Easter!

EUREKA COURT

Hello all, I just want to inform you that practice for Eureka Court's Installation will be held on April 13th, 2025 at 11:00 a.m. We appreciate all those traveling from out of the area to help and support us on this special day. Thank you! H.L. JoAnna Matlock, Aspiring RM 🌸

CONGRATULATIONS to Honored Lady Anne Dann, our Court Recipient of the "Beverly Gay Duba Service Award". And to Sir Knight Rod Betham who was Beehive Sacramento's Recipient this year. S.K. Rod also celebrates 25 years of membership this year.

MISSION BELL COURT

"Mission Bell Court No. 156 Installation on April 5th will be hosting a dinner at 5:00 pm prior to our Installation.

If you would like to attend, please RSVP to HL Lorene St. John, GAC at 951-492-1408 via text or phone call."

In Service,
HL Kelly Padilla, Secretary
Mission Bell Court No. 156
Riverside, CA
951-323-6634



**BEEHIVE SACRAMENTO COURT NO. 85
MARCH 15, 2025 ACTIVITY REPORT**

Beehive Sacramento Court 79th Installation of Officers on March 15, 2025 at San Juan Masonic Center, Citrus Heights, CA.



H.L. Marylou Calalang, Royal Matron and S.K. Lamberto Calalang, Royal Patron of Beehive Sacramento Court No. 85, with HL Joji Sayo, Grand Royal Matron, SK JD Hammett, Grand Royal Patron of the Grand Court of California; and SK Richard Marsh, Supreme Royal Patron of the Supreme Council, Inc., Order of the Amaranth.



HL MARYLOU CALALANG, RM & SK LAMBERTO CALALANG, RP AND THE OFFICERS OF BEEHIVE SACRAMENTO COURT NO. 85.

HL CINDI TABRISKY AND SK ELMER GROSPE, RETIRING GRAND ROYAL MATRON & GRAND ROYAL PATRON WITH GRAND OFFICERS 2024-2025.



BEEHIVE SACRAMENTO COURT GRAND OFFICERS WITH HL JOJI SAYO, GRAND ROYAL MATRON AND SK JD HAMMETT, GRAND ROYAL PATRON, 2025-2026.



CONGRATULATIONS TO SK ROD BETHAM ON HIS 25TH YEAR ANNIVERSARY WITH THE ORDER OF THE AMARANTH

A CERTIFICATE AND A 25TH YEAR PIN WAS PRESENTED BY HIS PARENT COURT, EUREKA COURT AND BEEHIVE COURT.

BEST WISHES AND MORE POWER, SK ROD!

**THE GRAND COURT OF OREGON, SALEM, OREGON
98TH INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS
MARCH 8, 2025
HL Nancy Rose, Grand Royal Matron
SK Alan Beebe, Grand Royal Patron**



HL K LEE HORN, GRM & SK JOHNNIE HORN, GRP—RETIRING GRAND ROYAL MATRON & GRAND ROYAL PATRON OF GC OF OREGON WITH CALIFORNIA DELEGATION HEADED BY HL JOJI SAYO, GRAND ROYAL MATRON OF CALIFORNIA



GOLDEN CROWN COURT

Greetings from Golden Crown Court!

We are thrilled for our court as we are the home of our Grand Royal Patron, SK JD Hammett!

We hope that both he and HL Joji, GRM along with their believers have a fantastic year. In

February, we welcomed one new Honored Lady into our Court and we are thrilled that we are growing! We are so proud of our officers for performing excellent Ritual work.

Our Winter Tea was a success and HL Sandy Alderman executed an awesome event. We raised over \$1,100 for diabetes research. If you missed it, we cannot wait to see you next year!

Our March meeting will be held on Saturday, March 29 instead of our usual Thursday. The meeting will be at 2:30 PM followed by our Installation at 7:00 PM.

March/April Events

3/29 Golden Crown Court Meeting 2:30 pm

3/29 Golden Crown Court Installation 7:00 PM, food prior

April – Spring Bouquet fundraiser

4/17 Golden Crown Court Meeting 7:30 PM (Potluck @ 6:30 PM)

See you soon!





Crescent Court Calendar for 2025-26

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| April 12 | 127 th Installation of Officer | Oct 11 | Enchanted Forest Event-- South |
| May 03 | Fundraiser – “Grease Lightnin ‘
With a Cause” 50’s Dress Flyer to be sent
SRT | Oct 11 | Stated Meeting
Theme: Halloween |
| May 10 | 1 st Stated Meeting and
Memorial Ceremony
Theme: Mother Day
Celebration | Oct 24-25 | Grand Lodge - San Francisco |
| | Attire: White for the HL Dark
Suits for SK | Nov 8 | Stated Meeting Advance Night
Theme: Thanksgiving
Please bring unopened gifts
for Christmas Donation |
| June 14 | Stated Meeting DGRM, DGRP,
AGL Visit
Theme Patriotism- Flag Day
Attire: Red white Blue | Nov 28-30 | Northern Cal DeMolay
Convention |
| July | Crescent Court Dark | Dec 13 | Christmas Party -South - Senior
Living Center Yorba Linda |
| July 4-10 | Supreme Council Glendale, AZ | Dec 13 | Stated meeting
Theme: Christmas Festive
Attire |
| July 26 | Enchanted Forest North--
Scottish Rite Temple San Francisco, CA | | Sock exchange Party |
| August | Crescent Court Dark | Dec xxx | Christmas Party -North- TBD
2026 |
| August 9 | Queen Christina Santa Maria,
CA 2pm | Jan 10 | Stated Meeting
Theme: New Years
Attire: Black and White |
| August 16 | Miss California Job Daughters
Pageant San Francisco Scottish Rite
Temple | Feb 14 | Stated Meeting
Theme: Love
Attire: Red or Hearts |
| Sept 6 | Hawaiian Reception for the SAM
& SAP
Embassy Suites Walnut
Creek | Mar 14 | Stated Meeting---Annual
Reports/Elections
Theme: St Patrick’s Day
Wear Green or Orange |
| Sept 13 | Stated Meeting GRM & GRP
Official Visit
Theme: Back to School
Please bring school supplies for local
schools | April 11 | 128 th Installation of Officers |

Golden Crown Court #2

Order of the Amaranth



Is Proud to Offer

Order for
Yourself...
Or a Friend

Spring Bouquets

Delivered for your Passover/Easter Holiday

Seasonal Spring Flowers

Arranged in glass bud vase

\$20.00 ea

(includes delivery)



*Selections
may vary

Deadline to Order
April 12th

Delivery Date *Saturday*: April 19th

To Order or to see if we deliver to your area, contact:

Kat Farris 714-767-2336 or Deb Winn 714-514-5663



OR Complete the form below and return (with your check) to
SK JD Hammett, PSRP 1964 Rodney Drive, #304, Los Angeles, CA 90027-3133
(310) 617-8514 jdhammett4amrnth@aol.com

Please make checks payable to: Golden Crown Court #2

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Email: _____ Phone: _____

If gifting, note on card: _____

QTY Ordered: _____ Amount paid: _____

Proceeds to benefit Golden Crown Court #2 Ways & Means

Grand Royal Matron

First and foremost, I would like to thank you ALL for your trust and confidence in me. It is with great honor and pride to be elected and installed in the exalted station of the Order of Amaranth in the State of California. I will do my best to perform my duties and responsibilities and represent the Grand Court of California with grace and dignity.

Our Installation Ceremony was full of great surprises. The “Avenue of Steel” comprised of 21 SK’s from Black Diamond, Crescent and Bee-Hive Sacramento Courts was masterminded by SK Ernie Sayo. He wanted to make sure that our installation would be one of a kind filled with grandeur. The 21 SK’s gave their salutes as we walked through the Avenue as if giving the “21 Gun Salutes”. It was such a magnificent sight.

The other highlight of the ceremony was the “surprise Filipino dance numbers” named: “Itik-Itik” (means: Duckling)” mimicking the movements of the ducks splashing water, which is a Filipino celebratory dance during town fiestas, the equivalent of the American Chicken Dance. The second dance was “Subli” (means: ritual) which is an expression of paying homage, faith and respect with the hats off and bowing to the celebrants. The group was composed of 25 HL’s from Black Diamond, Crescent, Bee-Hive and the ladies of High 12 Lodge UD who called themselves as “BBCH Dance Group” and was only formed for the purpose of rendering these special numbers for our Installation, as a surprise presentation. They practiced secretly in three separate groups and yet managed to synchronize their moves all together during the presentation with only one occasion to practice. I was overjoyed and speechless, my heart was filled with gratitude and was overwhelmed with their gestures of love and support.

We are off to a great start, as love gifts, SK JD and I received various donations in the total amount of \$246.00 to jumpstart our funds for Diabetes Research: \$100 from HL Emily Moyer, SC; \$75 from Grand Court of Alaska; \$50 from Grand Court of Washington and \$21 from Grand Court of Arizona.

The week after our Grand Session and installation, I travelled to Salem Oregon along with SK Ernie Sayo, SK Elmer Grospe, HL Anna Leah Grospe, SK Lito Viray and HL Norma Viray. We attended the Grand Court of Oregon Grand Court Session and witnessed the beautiful installation of HL Nancy Rose who is also a Member of Loyalty Court. California was well represented, as there were other Members who attended, namely: Our very own SK Richard Marsh, SRP; HL Corin Gross, our Grand Rep. to Oregon; HL Carol Gross; HL Leslie Routt, HL Christine Cross, HL Wanda & SK Jerry Pinion. Bee-Hive Sacramento Court pioneered the Subordinate Courts installation on March 15 th , and I have the honor and privilege of crowning the RM: HL Mary Calalang. Then, to be followed by Black Diamond Court on March 22 nd , Serenity and Golden Crown Courts on March 29 th . Fremont and Mission Bell Courts on April 5th; Crescent Court on April 12 th ; Eureka Court on April 13 th ; Anchor Court on April 19 th ; Loyalty and Candlelight Courts on April 26 th . I encourage you to attend and support these Courts when able.

Hoping to see you along the Amaranth trail.

Let love, kindness and compassion dictate our actions to make this world a better place to live.

Amaranth love,

HL Joji R. Sayo

Grand Royal Matron



Grand Royal Patron

Happy Easter and Passover Greetings!

I hope you have been enjoying our beautiful CA Spring!

Our year is in full swing and what an exciting ride it has been thus far. Our Grand Court installation on March 1 was outstanding. Thank you to anyone who played a part in our installation. It will be a night long remembered.

Subordinate Court Installations are in full swing. So far, we have traveled up and down our beautiful Golden State to attend the Subordinate Court Installations.

We have had such a fun time greeting our members in each Court. Thank you to all the members for your warm welcomes, hugs and courtesies that have been extended not only to me but my traveling companions, SK Richard Marsh, SRP, HL Rondel Bezner, Grand Associate Matron, HL Sue Anne Shamas, Grand Conductress, and HL Deb Winn, Grand Marshal.

As we begin our new Amaranth year, please remember that Kindness should actuate all our dealings within and outside of our Courts. More good can be done by a kind word or a kindly act than you may ever know. Treat everyone with kindness.

Also, we need to steer clear of the rumor mills that tend to keep coming up. These rumor mills can be detrimental to the progress of our Courts. Don't be a part of the rumor mills. You know that my Polar Bear is named Ebony, and the Black Bear is Ivory. This is to teach us that we should not be quick to judge because things are not always as they appear. You hear rumors, seek the true facts and stop the rumor mill.

Channel your energies into building our Courts with new members. Set positive examples; involve your new members; make them feel welcomed; have fun activities not only in the Court but outside of the Court. Let's all make a pledge to bring in at least 1 new member. Gee, if we all did this our Court's would grow and continue to grow.

Thank you for taking the time to read this article. If you need my assistance on any project or if you have any questions, I can help you with, reach out to me.

Life simply, care deeply, love generously and speak kindly while remembering that a day without music and laughter is a wasted day.

See you along the Amaranth Trail – be safe and be well.

God Bless You!

God Bless You.



Grand West



Spring has Sprung and so have our subordinate courts' installations. We are so grateful to the members of our Grand Court for entrusting us with this high office. We are excited to share with you that Connor has chosen Pokémon as his emblems. We want Amaranth to evolve with us. Pick whichever character means more to you. Everyday remember that as the year changes we must change with it. Amaranth is always evolving, and we must learn to be flexible. We know that we are young (Connor especially) but we have been leaders in other orders. As a matter of fact, Connor is currently the Southern California Jurisdiction Master Councilor for the Order of DeMolay. Therefore, I am confident that age is just a number. We know that we will listen to our members but know that sometimes we might try something new.



We congratulate all those who have stepped up to see that our Courts will be growing this next year. Congratulations HL Joji GRM and SK Uncle JD GRP as you lead our California Grand Court this year! We love you and will support you both as you lead this state with GRACE!

Now HLs and SKs go out and EVOLVE!

Giraffe Hugs and Pokémon Wishes,
HL Rondel GAM and SK Connor GAP





HLs and SKs,

Where has the last year gone? Grand Court has come and gone. I cannot believe that my girls and I will begin our Conductress year. I am planning on attending all the installations except for one as it is the same day as Golden Crown's meeting and installation. I am excited to see the new officers installed.

As the new Amaranth year starts, I am looking forward to it. There are several events that our GRM and GRP have planned, and I hope the our members will support them.

Please save the date of August 9, 2025. That is the date of the "Queen Christina." Details to follow as soon as the venue has been chosen. Who will I choose??? Plan to attend so you are one of the first to know.

Happy Easter and Happy Passover!

Ladybug love,
HL Sue Anne Shamas
Grand Conductress

From the desk of H.L. Lorene St. John, Grand Associate Conductress

What an exciting few weeks it has been!! It seems almost a blur since Grand Court.

Being elected your Grand Associate Conductress is such an honor. I first want to thank you all for your support and confidence in me. I will do my very best to earn it. Thank you to Mission Bell Court for your continued encouragement.

I joined the Order of the Amaranth back in 1979. My first reign as Royal Matron was in Vallecita Court in 2002. I have been Royal Matron four times and am the 2025 Associate Matron.

The colors I have chosen for my association are pink, peach, and shades of green. My emblem is the hourglass with the fun emblem of the llama (any color).

I want to introduce the first two associate conductresses installed this year.

At Beehive Sacramento Court – HL Pat Schilder and at Black Diamond H.L. Jasmin Laxa

I look forward to meeting you all, and especially the new Associate Conductresses!





Please help support Beehive Sacramento Court in this Fun Pasta fundraiser for our Diabetes Research Philanthropy. Every penny earned goes to this important cause.

This is a flash sale for a few weeks beginning February 01, 2025 and ends March 31, 2025. This is not just pasta sales but the company offers chili and soup packages as well as mac and cheese, and pasta sauce packages. Also, there are low calorie, vegan, and high fiber options. Think ahead for holiday shaped pasta for Valentine's Day, St. Patrick's Day, Easter, baseball season, etc.

All products are made in Tennessee, U.S.A. and have a shelf life of 2 years.

All orders over \$65 receive free shipping and our group earns 40%!! Consider combining your order with a friend or placing a group order to take advantage of the free shipping and get some holiday shopping done early. They have pasta for everyone: holidays, sports, animals, gourmet, gift sets, even soups & chili.

Use this link to place an order and please share it far and wide. <https://my.funpastafundraising.com/2025-spring-beehive-sacramento-court-no-85-order-of-the-amaranth/spring-2025/>

If you have any questions, please contact H.L. Peggy Glander at 530-345-0743 landline. Sorry, no cell reception at my house, but text to 530-570-2113.

Thank you for your support,
Beehive Sacramento Court, No. 85





April Birthdays

Anchor

5 Dazel Jo Mull

Beehive-Sacramento

1 Rod Betham
22 Gary Ricafrente
26 Elmer Grospe

Black Diamond

3 Loneca Sayo
7 Jethro Romualdo
12 Conrado Carlos
15 Lamberto Porca Calalang
23 Wiliam Nichols
24 Veronica Carlos
25 Teresa Cristobal

Candlelight/Black Diamond

29 Nancy Schubert

Candlelight

3 Nancy Kell
9 Matt Nova
10 Trendalyn Hallsey
18 Patty Sue Swain
20 Mary Man
21 Martha Hartsog

Crescent Court

14 Froilan Ancheta
16 Marilyn Dionida
20 Rufo Macaraeg
29 Barbara Ann Smith

Eureka

1 Rod Betham
22 Kathy Smith

Golden Crown/Freemont

6 Steve Cooley
9 Patricia Jacobson
13 Judy Payne

Golden Crown

10 Maxine Cleghorn
27 Carol Stansbury

Heritage/Golden Crown

6 John Worton

Fremont

9 Dennis Anderson
9 Patricia Jacobson
17 Cheryl Miller
11 Denice Mettle
14 Marjorie Grimsley
21 Toby Sinclair
29 Ethel Verbryke

Loyalty

7 Eve Del Castello
15 Nancy Rose
18 Donna Berry
20 Beverley Byard
26 Christine Phelps

Mission Bell

4 David Sullivan
8 Ruth Marie Groves
26 Olive Schofield

Serenity

2 Patricia Plunkett
3 Leona Henry
9 Joe Tabrisky, Jr
11 Anna Star
12 Karen Hunter
22 Josephine Tortorici
25 Andrea Plessner

The Beverly Gay Service Duba Award is the brainchild of HL Janet Harrison, during hers and SK Ernesto Sayo's term as GRM and GRP in 2015-2016. The first award was given in 2016.

The idea was to award a member of each court for exemplary service to the Court and to the Order. I compare it to the prestigious award being given by each Masonic Lodges, called the Hiram Award, which is also a service award.

Each Court, every year, recommends a member to receive the award. It does not matter if the awardee is just a supporting, active member or an officer or a past officer. What matters is the service that the individual

had and continuously performs for the Court and the Order of the Amaranth. The recommendations are made by the current Royal Matron, Royal Patron and sometimes the Secretary. That is why the only exception to receiving the award that year is the sitting Royal Matron and Royal Patron. The awardee name is submitted to Grand Court before the start of the session and is awarded during the last day of the Annual Session. The awardee is given recognition, celebrated by all members, and each awardee receives a plaque and a pin to show the award and the recipient.

This year each month we will highlight one of this year's new recipients.

RSVP address correction:
nimfernandez@comcast.net

THE MEMBERS OF
CRESCENT COURT No. 3 ORDER OF THE AMARANTH
CORDIALLY INVITE YOU TO ITS
127TH ANNUAL INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS

SATURDAY, APRIL 12, 2025 @ 1PM
REFRESHMENTS TO FOLLOW

FRANCIS DRAKE MASONIC LODGE #376
307 WALNUT AVENUE
SOUTH SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94080
RSVP to HL Nimfa Fernandez nimfafernandez@comcast.net or (415)816-1644

ELECTED OFFICERS

ROYAL MATRON	HL CAROLYN MANRY DSRM
ROYAL PATRON	SK DONNIE LARA
ASSOCIATE MATRON	HL NIMFA FERNANDEZ
ASSOCIATE PATRON	SK MARIO FERNANDEZ
CONDUCTRESS	HL ROWENA TRUINFANTE
ASSOCIATE CONDUCTRESS	HL LESLIE ESTEBAN

"God is my refuge and strength" (Psalm 46:1)

"Let the light shine before men, that they may see your good works and glorify your Father which is Heaven" (Mathew 5:16)

TRUTH
CHARITY
WISDOM
FAITH

*You are cordially invited to attend
the 2025 Installation of Officers for
Serenity Court #25
California, USA
Order of the Amaranth*



*Saturday March 29, 2025
Luncheon at 12:00pm
Installation at 2:00pm*

Beach Cities Masonic Center
1535 W. Artesia Blvd.
Manhattan Beach, CA 90266

Aspiring Line Officers:

*H.L. Stephenie “Winnie” Chongco, Aspiring Royal Matron
S.K. Jeremy Razon Chongco, Aspiring Royal Patron
H.L. Cynthia “Cindi” Tabrisky, Aspiring Associate Matron
S.K. William “Will” Woolard, Aspiring Associate Patron
H.L. Andrea Plessner, Aspiring Conductress
H.L. Rhea Turek, Aspiring Associate Conductress*

Formal Attire Requested



Black Diamond Court No. 165
Grand Court of California
Order of the Amaranth

Cordially invites you to its
 30th Annual Installation of Officers
 On March 22, 2025 @ 2:00 P.M.
 @ Pittsburg Masonic Lodge
 185 School Street, Pittsburg CA 94565



- Aspiring Royal Matron: HL Brigitte Najjar
- Aspiring Royal Patron: SK William Nichols
- Aspiring Associate Matron: HL Shella Guevarra
- Aspiring Associate Patron: SK Jay Guevarra
- Aspiring Conductress: HL Sheila Martinez
- Aspiring Associate Conductress: HL Jasmin Laxa
- Retiring Royal Matron: HL Judy Harrison

Retiring Royal Patron: SK Rick Festa
 Reception to follow the ceremony



*You are cordially invited to attend
 the 129th Open Installation
 of Officers
 of
 Golden Crown Court No. 2
 Order of Amaranth*



*Saturday, March 29, 2025
 Installation 7:00pm
 Reception 6:00pm*

*Rosemead Masonic Center
 8637 Valley Boulevard
 Rosemead, CA*

*H/L Deborah Winn Royal Matron SK Connor Begnes Royal Patron
 H/L Ramona Cantrell Aspiring Royal Matron SK David Conbrell Aspiring Royal Patron
 H/L Veronica Macias Aspiring Associate Matron
 H/L Victoria Confield Aspiring Conductress*

*RSVP: Ramona Cantrell
 ramonacantrell70@gmail.com or (623) 521-0835
 Formal Attire Suggested*

RSVP: HL Joji R. Sayo @ email: jsayo@leconline.com or cell: (925) 325-2934

Mission Bell Court No. 156
Order of the Amaranth



Cordially invites you to attend the
2025 Installation of Officer
Friday April 5, 2025
7:00 p.m.
Evergreen Masonic Center
5801 Chicago Ave,
Riverside, CA 92506

H.L. Sorrelle Williams, Retiring Royal Matron
S.K. Mark St. John, Retiring Royal Patron

In Anticipation of Being Elected

H.L. Cindy Renner, Royal Matron
S.K. John Thomas, Royal Patron
H.L. Lorene St. John, Associate Matron
S.K. Mark St. John, Associate Patron
H.L. Lorene Luce, Conduictress



Fremont Court No. 49
Order of the Amaranth



Cordially Invites you to attend the
2025 Installation of Officers

Saturday April 5th, 2025
1:00 PM

Simi Valley Masonic Family Center
1541 Patricia Ave
Simi Valley, CA 93065

H.L. Janet Harrison ~ Aspiring Royal Matron
S.K. Dennis Anderson ~ Aspiring Royal Patron

H.L. Connie Cashin ~ Aspiring Associate Matron
S.K. Miguel Olmos ~ Aspiring Associate Patron

H.L. Christina Wilkinson ~ Aspiring Conduictress

H.L. Linda Agnew ~ Retiring Royal Matron
S.K. Russell Harrison ~ Retiring Royal Patron

Light Refreshments will be served at 11:45 AM
(Fremont will be having their regular Meeting at 10:00AM)

Believe 2025



Please Join us at the
72nd Installation of Officers
of
EUREKA COURT 109
ORDER OF THE AMARANTH



Sunday, April 13, 2025
2:00PM

Six Rivers Masonic Hall
251 Bayside Road
Arcata, CA



Royal Matron Elect H.L. JoAnna Matlock
Royal Patron Elect S.K. Michael Biesen
Retiring Royal Matron H.L. Margaret Richmond
Retiring Royal Patron S.K. Michael Biesen



Light luncheon at 1 O'clock P.M.
Installation at 2:00 PM

RSVP to: H.L. JoAnna Matlock luthien.tinuviel@sbcglobal.net
or H.L. Elizabeth Lorig 2busytocall@gmail.com





Candlelight Court #136
Order of the Amaranth



Cordially invites you to attend the
2025 Installation of Officers
Saturday, April 26, 2025
7:00 PM

San Jose Masonic Center
2500 Masonic Drive
San Jose, CA 95125

HL Carol Gross, Royal Matron

In Anticipation of Being Elected
H.L. Cathy Rogers, Royal Matron
S.K. Leland Routt, Royal Patron

RSVP: HL Cathy Rogers, PRM
catsnotes@yahoo.com
(408) 515-3821



Loyalty Court #38
Order of the Amaranth



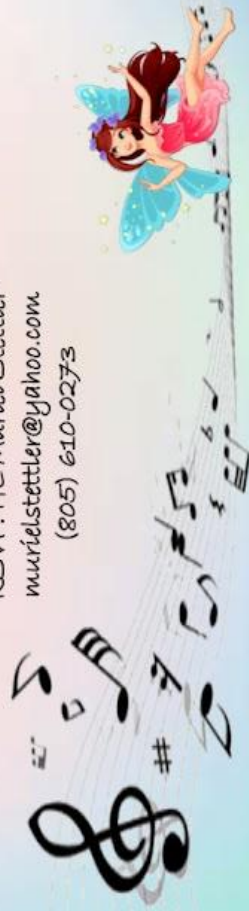
Cordially invites you to attend the
2025 Installation of Officers
Saturday, April 26, 2025
11:00 AM

Stockton Masonic Center
340 East Market Street
Stockton, CA 95202

HL Sharon Brooks, Royal Matron
SK Leland Routt, Royal Patron

HL Muriel Stettler, Royal Matron Elect
SK John Stettler, Royal Patron Elect

RSVP: HL Muriel Stettler
murielstettler@yahoo.com
(805) 610-0273





*You are cordially invited to attend
the Open Installation
of Officers
of
Anchor Court No 94
Order of Amaranth*



*Saturday, April 19, 2025
Installation 2:00pm
Reception following*

*Escondido Masonic Lodge
1331 S. Escondido Blvd.
Escondido, CA 92025*



*RSVP: Sherrie Wilkerson
senglerjos@yahoo.com*



Formal Attire Suggested

**Golden Crown Golden Crown Member, Carol Stansbury,
who by the way is Grand Conductress of FL Grand Court**



PURSES, PURSES, I NEED PURSES!

HL's: If you have any **NEW** or **GENTLY USED** Purses, you're willing to donate, please contact me. I need them for our upcoming Grand Court Friday Night Fun Night, May 16, 2025! We will be having a Bidding Silent Auction to support Grand Court Maintenance. I will pay for postage if anyone is willing to ship me their purses in advance for this event prior to May 1st.

Thank you in advance for your participation in this event. Please call me at 714-553-0566.

Carol A. Stansbury

H.L. Carol A. Stansbury, Grand Conductress



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**Grand Court of California Order of the Amaranth 126th Annual Grand Session
"The Wonderful World of Friends" held on February 26 thru March 1, 2025 at
Wyndham Hotel in Visalia, CA with Honored Lady Cindi Tabrisky, Grand Royal Matron,
and Sir Knight Elmer Grospe, Grand Royal Patron. Our sincere gratitude with the presence of Honored
Lady Elizabeth Herbolsheimer, Supreme Royal Matron, Sir Knight Richard Marsh, Supreme Royal
Patron, Honored Lady Emily Moyer, Supreme Conductress, Past Supreme Royal Matrons, Past
Supreme Royal Patrons, Supreme Officers, Past Grand Officers, Grand Officers, Royal Matrons, Royal
Patrons, Past Royal Matrons, Past Royal Patrons, Honored Ladies and Sir Knights.**



Grand Court Order of the Amaranth State of California 2024-2025 Grand Officers at the 126th Annual Grand Session "The Wonderful World of Friends" held on February 26 thru March 1, 2025 at Wyndham Hotel in Visalia, California.



The 127th Installation of Officers Grand Court of California Order of the Amaranth
on March 1, 2025 held at Wyndham Hotel in Visalia, California



**Grand Court of California Order of the Amaranth
127th Installation of Officers on March 1, 2025 at Wyndham Hotel in Visalia, California
Congratulations to H.L. Joji Sayo, Grand Royal Matron,
S.K. JD Hammett, Grand Royal Patron,
H.L. Rondel Bezner, Grand Associate Matron,
S.K. Connor Bezner, Grand Associate Patron,
H.L. Sue Anne Shamas, Grand Conductress,
H.L. Lorene St. John, Grand Associate Conductress,
and to all the newly installed Grand Officers, Honored Ladies and Sir Knights!**



"2025 A Wonderful World of Friends" at California Grand Court Session Order of the Amaranth. Family Fun Night Dinner Banquet and Greetings from Masonic Dignitaries. "Welcome to the Sock Hop Celebrating Our Masonic Heritage" in 50's attire held at Wyndham Hotel in Visalia, California last February 28, 2025.



Congratulations to Sir Knight Elmer Grospe, Grand Royal Patron of California 2024-2025. Recipient of the Order of the Amaranth's "Unsung Hero Award" for going above and beyond in raising funds for the cause of diabetes and finding a cure. Awarded by Honored Lady Emily Moyer, Supreme Conductress held at the Grand Court of California in Wyndham Hotel Visalia, California on February 28, 2025.



Congratulations also to the following Honored Ladies and Sir Knights who received the Beverly Gay Duba Awards in recognition of their dedicated service to the Order of the Amaranth.

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| Beehive Sacramento Court No. 85 | - | S.K. Roderick Betham, P.R.P. |
| Black Diamond Court No. 165 | - | S.K. Jay Guevarra |
| Candlelight Court No. 136 | - | H.L. Susan Amirsehhi, Supreme Faith |
| Crescent Court No. 3 | - | H.L. Chet Socco, P.R.M. |
| Eureka Court No. 109 | - | H.L. Ann Dann |
| Fremont Court No. 49 | - | H.L. Dianna Brazdovic |
| Golden Crown Court No. 2 | - | H.L. Sandy Alderman |
| Loyalty Court No. 38 | - | H.L. Rhonda Rallios, P.R.M. |
| Serenity Court No. 25 | - | S.K. Joseph Tabrisky, Sr., D.S.R.P. |

