

# HAPPY THANKSGIVING!

Welcome to a new Grand Chapter year! Thank you so much to our Junior Past Grand Matron, Laura Bouwens, Junior Past Grand Patron, Scott Smissen, and the 2022 Grand Family for a fun filled Grand Chapter Session. We hope you enjoy the well-deserved rest you all have earned!

We hope you are enjoying the Installation Season and the excitement of seeing a new core of Officers take the reins. Please enjoy visiting and supporting your fellow Chapters this month.

We are excited to announce we are again supporting Giving Tuesday this year on November 29, 2022. You will be able to help support any of our Charity Projects this year by going to our OESCAL.ORG website <https://oescal.org/?q=special-project> and select the donate button of your choice. Two of our special projects this year are The Purple Elephant and is supporting Alzheimer's Awareness and Paws for Purple Hearts.

Please consider donating to one of these great projects this year on Giving Tuesday. You can also send your donation in to the Grand Chapter Office. Make checks payable to the CA Eastern Star Foundation with your choice of charity noted in the memo line.

We hope to see you all at the All Member Instructionals this year in December and January. Keep an eye out for the fliers!

We hope you have a wonderful Thanksgiving celebration and look forward to seeing you on the trail this year!

With a huge elephant trunk hug and chimpanzee kisses,

Kimberlie Kruse

Worthy Grand Matron

Gary Dunham

Worthy Grand Patron

Tammy Kinzy

Grand Secretary

