## Joint Edict# 1

In an attempt to bolster our membership during the 2024-2025 York Rite Year, the Most Excellent Grand High Priest, Most Illustrious Grand Master, and Right Eminent Grand Commander issue the following Edicts/General Order.

The subordinate Chapters, Councils and Commanderies in Arkansas will offer any Companion or Sir Knight who has been suspended for non-payment of dues or who has demitted out of York Rite Masonry, the opportunity to reinstate by paying the current dues of his Chapter, Council, and Commandery.

No other fees may be charged. Each subordinate body will follow their <u>normal</u> process for reinstatement.

It is our desire to make the York Rite in Arkansas grow. We must work together in order for this to happen. Your Grand Officers are ready and willing to go the extra mile to make our York Rite grow and prosper. Now Companions/Sir Knights you have an additional tool, to grow your York Rite Masonry in Arkansas for this year only, don't fail to act.

Given this day the 9<sup>th</sup> of March 2024.

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Attest:

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Grand Secretary/Recorder