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To: Grand Lodge Officers, Grand Trustees, Worshipful Masters, and Members of the Craft

Re: Annual Souvenir Journal

Thank you sincerely for another extremely successful year in the sale of ads for our 2023 Annual Souvenir Journal. The publication has gotten better and larger each year, and that is a reflection of your diligent work, your love for and your interest in supporting our Grand Lodge.

The information necessary for the publication of the 2024 Souvenir Journal is included in this mailing in order for all of us to begin securing ads and patrons immediately. Please go out in your communities and get ads from those businesses and organizations that you patronize and participate with throughout the year-for example, barber shops, cosmetology shops, grocery stores, funeral homes, churches, banks, lawyers, physicians, dentists, pharmacists, fraternities, sororities, dry cleaners, automobile dealers, etc. All the proceeds-with the exception of the cost of postage, printing, and assembling—will support our Grand Lodge.

Our Grand Lodge leaders at every level are expected to secure ads for our publication. If we show our Brothers that we are working just as hard as they are working, as good teammates should, they will be willing to go that extra mile.

All Grand Lodge Officers and all Lodges are required to have a minimum of one full page ad or two one-half page ads in the Souvenir Journal, in addition to as many ads as you can secure from others. All ads and all money must be sent to our Grand Secretary, R. W. Anthony J. Johnson, at Post Office Box 6468, Huntsville, Alabama 35813-6468, on or before May 15, **2024**. We must have 100% participation from everyone in order to make this fundraiser an even greater success.

Thank you for your cooperation and may the Grand Architect of the Universe continue to bless and keep us in His care.

Fraternally,

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