

# The Grand Commandery of Knights Templar of the State of Iowa

Series 2019 – 2020  
General Order No. 3



W. Charles Smithson, REGC  
June 8, 2019

## 2019 - Grand Commander's Program - 2020

To: All Past Grand Commanders, current Grand Officers, Committee Members, Officers and Sir Knights of all  
Constituent Commanderies within the Jurisdiction of the Grand Commandery Knights Templar of Iowa

I am pleased to announce the details for the 2019 – 2020 Grand Commanders Program. Each Commandery must meet the four (4) Program requirements to apply for the program rewards. The Program requirements are listed on the Application form, which is due by May 15, 2020.

### A. Reports and Representation.

1. Submit ALL 12 monthly reports in a timely manner. **\$100**
2. Annual Return & Fees received by March 1<sup>st</sup>. **\$ 50**
3. Officers Attend All days of the 2018 Grand Conclave (\$25 x EC, Gen, CG, Rec) **\$100**

### B. Membership

1. Commandery showing positive gain (+1). **\$ 25**
2. Each New Knighting (Limit 10) **\$ 10 each**
3. Each Reinstatement (must have been out for more than 1 year – Limit 10) **\$ 10 each**

### C. Inspections, Ritual and Tactics

1. Hold an Inspection **\$200**
2. Hold an Order of the Temple without Inspection. **\$100**
3. Hold KT School of Instruction. **varies**
4. Send a Team for the Ritual Competition at Grand Conclave. **\$100**

### D. Observances

1. Hold or participate w/another Masonic Body a PUBLIC Christmas Observance. **\$ 10 each**
2. Hold or participate w/another Masonic Body a PUBLIC Easter Observance.
3. Hold or participate w/another Masonic Body a PUBLIC Ascension Service or attached church together.
4. Attend a Grand Encampment Easter Observance, North Central or Triennial.

I have sent the required form you need to use to apply for the Grand Commanders program, the Public Fund-Raising Matching Funds (up to \$750 payable to KTEF) Program and the Life Membership (\$15) reimbursements to the local recorders.

Chivalric Regards,

*W. Charles Smithson*

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R.E. Grand Commander



Attested:

*Rusty L. Hill*

Rusty L. Hill, REPGC  
Grand Recorder

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**ALL required documentation must be attached to this FORM for payment AND received by May 15, 2020 to**

**Program Requirements**

**receive payment at Grand Conclave in June 2020.**

GR  
OK

- |   |  |                          |
|---|--|--------------------------|
| a. Submitted 8 Monthly Reports on-time and completed.             | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| b. At least one new knighting or hold school of instruction       | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| c. Make financial contribution to KTEF during Voluntary Campaign. | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| d. Commandery represented at 2019 Grand Conclave                  | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | <input type="checkbox"/> |

***If you answered YES to ALL of the above, continue below.***

**Program Rewards**

Amount  
Earned GR  
OK

**A. Reports and Representation**

- |   |       |                          |
|---|-------|--------------------------|
| 1 Submit ALL 12 monthly reports received by the GR's office on-time and correct earn <b>\$100</b> | _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 2 Annual Return & fees received prior to March 1 <sup>st</sup> earns <b>\$50</b>                  | _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 3 Attend <b>all</b> days the 2019 Grand Conclave  |       |                          |
| a. Commander earns <b>\$25</b> EC _____   | _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| b. Generalissimo earns <b>\$25</b> Gen. _____   | _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| c. Captain General earns <b>\$25</b> CG _____   | _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| d. Recorder earns <b>\$25</b> Rec. _____  | _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| e. Bonus for all four (4) above officers in attendance at Grand Conclave earns <b>\$50</b>        | _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> |

**B. Membership**

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|--|----------------|--------------------------|
| 1 Commandery showing positive gain receives <b>\$25 (+1)</b> | _____          | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 2 Each New Knighting receives <b>\$10 (Limit 10)</b>         |                |                          |
| Name   | Knighting Date | _____ x \$10 = _____     |
| 1 _____  | _____          |                          |
| 2 _____  | _____          |                          |
| 3 _____  | _____          |                          |
| 4 _____  | _____          |                          |
| 5 _____  | _____          |                          |
| 6 _____  | _____          |                          |
| 7 _____  | _____          |                          |
| 8 _____  | _____          |                          |
| 9 _____  | _____          |                          |
| 10 _____   | _____          |                          |

3 Each reinstatement (must have been out 1 yr.) receives **\$10 (Limit 10)**

	Name	Out Date	x \$10 = Reinstate Date	<input type="checkbox"/>
1	_____	_____	_____	
2	_____	_____	_____	
3	_____	_____	_____	
4	_____	_____	_____	
5	_____	_____	_____	
6	_____	_____	_____	
7	_____	_____	_____	
8	_____	_____	_____	
9	_____	_____	_____	
10	_____	_____	_____	

**C. Inspections, Ritual and Tactics**

1 Hold an inspection receive **\$200** Inspector: \_\_\_\_\_   
*Must include the Inspection & Order of the Temple Sign In Sheet furnished by the Inspector.*

2 Holding an Order of the Temple without an inspection earns **\$100.** Instructor: \_\_\_\_\_   
*Must include the Inspection / Order of the Temple Sign In Sheet furnished by the Instructor.*

3 Hold KT School of Instruction and receive various amounts based on attendance. \_\_\_\_\_ # of members attending \_\_\_\_\_   
*Must include School of Instruction Sign In Sheet furnished by the Instructor.*

- a. **\$25** for Under 5% of the membership attending
- b. **\$50** for 5 - 10% of the membership attending
- c. **\$75** for over 10% of the membership attending

Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Instructor: \_\_\_\_\_

4 Send a Team for the Ritual Competition at Grand Conclave earns **\$100.** \_\_\_\_\_

**D. Observances** *Sign In Sheet for 4A - 4C MUST be attached.*

1 Hold or participate w/another Masonic Body a **Public** Christmas Observance receive **\$10** \_\_\_\_\_

2 Hold or participate w/another Masonic Body a **Public** Easter Observance receive **\$10** \_\_\_\_\_

3 Hold/participate w/another Masonic Body a **Public** Ascension or attend church together receive **\$10** \_\_\_\_\_

4 Each SK registered & attended North Central, Easter or Triennial receive **\$10** \_\_\_\_\_   
*Please note location attended next to name for verification.*

	Attendee	Event	Attendee	x \$10 =	Event	<input type="checkbox"/>
1	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	
2	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	
3	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	
4	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	

Total Amount Requested \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Commandery Name

\_\_\_\_\_ KT Number

# 2019 – KTEF Public Fund Raising – 2020

## \$1:\$1 Verification Sheet

### ***PUBLIC Fund Raising for KTEF Matching Funds***

Knights Templar Eye Foundation

***Must provide backup documentation for fund raising efforts and be sent to the Iowa Coordinator ONLY. Anything sent directly to the Knights Templar Eye Foundation (KTEF) will not be credited for any Iowa awards. All monies will be paid to the KTEF.***

*Must be received in the Grand Recorder's office by May 15, 2020.*

KTEF Name	#	City	
A Knights Templar Matching Funds – <b><i>PUBLIC Fund Raising ONLY</i></b>		Max \$750	Varies _____ <input type="checkbox"/>
_____	_____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>
Date	Event	Amount Collected	Date to Hatfield
_____	_____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>
Date	Event	Amount Collected	Date to Hatfield
_____	_____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>
Date	Event	Amount Collected	Date to Hatfield
_____	_____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>
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Date	Event	Amount Collected	Date to Hatfield
_____	_____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>
Date	Event	Amount Collected	Date to Hatfield
_____	_____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>

*If more room is needed, please attach an extra page(s).*

### ***PUBLIC Fund Raising for KTEF*** ***Amount Requested for the 2019 – 2020*** ***Matching Fund-Raising Efforts ONLY***

Date Sent to GRO	\$	Amount Requested
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*Must be received in the Grand Recorder's office by May 15, 2020.*

Requested By – Print Name	Signature
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### *Grand Recorders Area Only*

Date GRO Received _____	Verified by _____	Date Payment Authorized _____	Amount _____	Check No. _____
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# 2019 – KTEF Life Membership – 2020

## 50% KTEF Verification Sheet

Form must be received in the Grand Recorder's Office by **May 15, 2020** to receive payment at Grand Conclave. All funds must go through the Iowa KTEF Coordinator, (currently S.K. Gene R. Hatfield, REPGC, 3315 1<sup>st</sup> St., Des Moines, IA 50313-4412) to be eligible for payment.

Commandery Name	KT Number	City
<i>If more room needed attach an extra page(s).</i>		
Knights Templar Eye Foundation	<b>Qty</b>	<b>Earn</b>
New Life Membership (\$30 payable to KTEF)	Qty. _____	x \$15 _____
Sir Knight's Name	Check Date	<b>Total</b>
Sir Knight's Name	Check Date	<b>GR Ok</b>
1 _____	_____ <input type="checkbox"/>	2 _____ <input type="checkbox"/>
3 _____	_____ <input type="checkbox"/>	4 _____ <input type="checkbox"/>
5 _____	_____ <input type="checkbox"/>	6 _____ <input type="checkbox"/>
7 _____	_____ <input type="checkbox"/>	8 _____ <input type="checkbox"/>
9 _____	_____ <input type="checkbox"/>	10 _____ <input type="checkbox"/>
11 _____	_____ <input type="checkbox"/>	12 _____ <input type="checkbox"/>
13 _____	_____ <input type="checkbox"/>	14 _____ <input type="checkbox"/>
15 _____	_____ <input type="checkbox"/>	16 _____ <input type="checkbox"/>
17 _____	_____ <input type="checkbox"/>	18 _____ <input type="checkbox"/>
19 _____	_____ <input type="checkbox"/>	20 _____ <input type="checkbox"/>
21 _____	_____ <input type="checkbox"/>	22 _____ <input type="checkbox"/>

***Request must be received in the Grand Recorder's office by May 15, 2020 to receive payment at the Grand Conclave.***

Requested By – Print Name \_\_\_\_\_
Signature \_\_\_\_\_

***Grand Recorders Area Only***

Date GRO Received \_\_\_\_\_
Verified by \_\_\_\_\_
Date Payment Authorized \_\_\_\_\_
Amount \_\_\_\_\_
Check No. \_\_\_\_\_