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Greetings Sir Knights,

For this month's communication, I would like to continue for you to get to know your Grand Officers a little bit better.

This is Part 2 of 2.

Ralph Royall = E. Grand Standard Bearer

Ralph is a fifth generation Texas Mason, ninth generation U.S. Mason. He retired from the Houston Fire Department as Captain after 37 years. Ralph is married to his high school sweetheart, Charlotte with one adult daughter, Amber. He is an avid outdoorsman who has ridden horseback 172 miles from Jackson Hole to Cody, WY, and climbed & summited Mt. Kilimanjaro, (19,341 ft) in Tanzania Africa.

Gary Rock Jr. = E. Grand Junior Warden

Gary became a Mason 20+ years ago because of the good work administered to his sister by the Shriner's Hospital. Because of this experience, he has a passion for what Masonry does and ultimately stands for. Gary has had the privilege of sharing this wonderful fraternity with his four sons. Gary is married to his beautiful wife Kimberly.

Tom Snyder = E. Grand Treasurer

Tom is a Three-Star General in our Masonic Fraternity. He has served as a Past Most Grand High Priest of the Chapter, Past Most Illustrious Grand Master of the Council, and Past R.E. Grand Commander of KT. Tom is married to his lovely wife Linda for over 41 years and has one daughter. He is a Registered Professional Engineer and has been responsible for designing and constructing multiple water and wastewater treatments plants, storage facilities, pump stations and over 105 miles of pipelines. Tom and his family enjoy working in the Eastern Star and Rainbow along with his KT duties.



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Justin Bauer = E. Grand Captain General

Justin is a native of Dallas and attended the University of North Texas and earned a B.S. in Computer Science. He leads the technology department at Employee-Owned Companies where he is responsible for 28 locations across Texas and Louisiana. In 2006, he was raised as a Master Mason and quickly became active in the York Rite where he is active with his drill and ritual teams. Justin is married to his beautiful wife Beverly Hartzendorf and together they have an 8-year-old daughter, Harper. In his spare time, he enjoys traveling with family and visiting our country's national parks.

Jason Lesikar = E. Grand Senior Warden

Jason is from Fort Worth and is the owner of a construction company and manages his family's Angus cattle operation. He is married to his lovely wife Katie and they have two children Luke and Savannah. Outside of his Masonic Affiliations, Jason enjoys maintaining the TCU Frog Horn, fishing and spending time at the beach with his family.

Ricky Cox = E. Grand Sword Bearer

Ricky lives on a horse farm in Azle TX. He is married to his beautiful wife Tiffany who is a veterinarian and avid equestrian. They have one son who is attending SFA for a Finance degree. Ricky has served over multiple Blue Lodges, York Rite Bodies and its Appendant Organizations. When he is not working in degrees, Ricky is working at his company Texas Total Comfort Systems which is a leading HVAC company supporting the FTW area.

In Memoriam James Preston Smith



James was born in 1937 and passed on July 5, 2021. He was the Grand Commander of Texas from 2003-2004. He is survived by his wife Paula and numerous friends and family members.

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