



The Desert of New Jersey

*Ancient Egyptian Arabic Order Nobles Mystic Shrine of
North and South America and its Jurisdictions, Inc.*

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"MOTTO"

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Scripture: Psalm 121:1

I WILL LIFT UP MINE EYES UNTO THE HILLS, FROM WHENCE COMETH MY HELP.

****DESERT OF NEW JERSEY PROCLAMATION****

Giving all Honor and Praises to our most High God the Author and Finisher of our Faith.

To: PP Thomas R. Hughes, Sr., # 120, 47th Imperial Potentate, Dt. Cheryl R. Eggleston, Deputy Imperial Commandress # 23, All Elected Imperial Council and Imperial Court Divan Officers, HPIC Kathie A. Lofland, #135, Imperial Deputy for the Desert of New Jersey, All Imperial Officers, Illustrious Potentates, Chief and Assistant Rabbans, Illustrious Commandresses, 1st and 2nd Lieutenant Commandresses, Deputies of and for the Oases, All Temples and Courts, Nobles and Daughters.

Greetings,

Be it known that I, HPIP James Mack, Jr., #120, Imperial Deputy of the Desert of New Jersey and by virtue of the Authority in me vested, in accordance with Article IV of the Constitution and General Laws of the A.E.A.O.N.M.S. Inc., do hereby summon all Constituent Temples and the Deputy for the Desert, HPIC Kathie A. Lofland, #135, is requesting the same from the Daughters for the Desert of New Jersey to convene at the Doubletree by Hilton Hotel located at 200 Atrium Drive Somerset, New Jersey 08873 on Friday January 31, 2025 for the purpose of NJ Desert Conference, beginning with a "CELEBRATION" kickoff event!

The Desert of New Jersey is excited to announce that we are hosting a "CONGRATULATIONS BANQUET" Celebrating PP Thomas R. Hughes, Sr., #120, 47th Imperial Potentate A.E.A.O.N.M.S.,

This event begins Friday, Jan. 31, 2025, at 7pm – 11pm, Donation is \$105.00; we are also preparing a “Souvenir Journal” to showcase this wonderful event. Ads are priced moderately at \$75.00 for a full page and \$50.00 Half page ONLY, inside Back Cover \$100.00 - Outside Back Cover \$150.00. Ads must be PRINT READY. Deadline for ads is Friday January 24, 2025. “FIRM”. All ads should be emailed to HPIC Delores A. Hackett, at Hackett222@aol.com or mailed to 242 Borden Ave., Hamilton, NJ 08610; she can be reached at (609) 672-4286, also checks and money orders for ads be mailed to Dt. Hackett or you can also pay through CashApp-\$Desert NJ, which is for Noble Allen McPherson is the Desert Treasurer amcpherson06@yahoo.com, (908)-283-3678 (indicate in the notes what your payment is for).

We have put together a “SPECIAL PACKAGE” for the Nobles and Daughters attending the Desert Conference, and the “CONGRATULATIONS BANQUET,” on Friday January 31, 2025 is \$105.00, Registration is \$115.00 = \$220.00, the package “SPECIAL” is (\$195.00) to attend (BOTH) Events. For those attending the “CONGRATULATIONS BANQUET” ONLY! is \$105.00, and payment can be made through CashApp - \$Desert NJ, Noble Allen McPherson email is: amcpherson06@yahoo.com Noble McPherson, # (908)-283-3678. Tickets cut-off is January 24, 2025, FIRM! Tickets Chairpersons- HPIP Eddie L. Davis, Jr. (609)-668-4208; Ednupe@gmail.com and Dt. Kim Dove, (732)-882-3177 dove.kimwm18@aol.com

Rooms have been set aside for your convenience, the rate is \$115.00 + tax; reservations can be made by calling the Doubletree by Hilton Hotel at 1-800-222-8733 and refer to The Desert Conference of NJ code (90E) and book your room, “cut-off date” is JANUARY 10, 2025., Please know, the Desert Conference of NJ will not be responsible for booking your room.

All Temples and Courts are required to register their seven (7) principal Officers, whether they attend the Desert Conference or not. The Nobles and Daughters of Golconda Temple No.24 and Golconda Court No. 16 will be the “Host Temple and Court” for our 2025 New Jersey Desert Conference.

Registration Fees Only:

The Advance registration fee is (\$115.00) dollars, same for the Nobles and Daughters. The On-site or late registration fee is one hundred and thirty-five (\$135.00). A fee of \$40 will be charged for all returned checks-no exception!

THE DEADLINE FOR REGISTRATION IS JANUARY 24, 2025

Please find the registration form (make additional copies if needed) and mail to:

HPIC Delores A. Hackett, #118
242 Borden Ave
Hamilton, NJ. 08610

(609) 672-4286
Hackett222@aol.com

DO NOT SEND PAYMENTS TO REGISTRATION COMMITTEE!

ELECTRONIC registration payments should be sent to (\$Desert NJ) (115.00)+ (\$3.00) processing fee for all.

ELECTRONIC PAYMENTS! For any questions or concerns contact:

Noble Allen D. McPherson (908) 283-3678; email: amcpherson06@yahoo.com

***ALL COURTS WILL SEND ALL CHECKS AND MONEY ORDERS, ETC. To:**

HPIC Brenda L. FitzGerald
16 Edge Lane
Willingboro, NJ 08046
(609)-871-8671
Bren4@comcast.net

***ALL TEMPLES WILL SEND ALL CHECKS
AND MONEY ORDER etc. to:**

HPP DeAndre' D. Rudolph 51
Quitman St., #3A
Newark, NJ 07103
email: ddrrudi@gmail.com – (908) 764-5611

You can find this information on the Desert of New Jersey website- (Desertnj.org). If you have any questions or need any assistance, please do not hesitate to ask. We appreciate your support and cooperation, we are prayerful for a successful, safe, and harmonious Desert Conference.

Growth can be found best when we work together as a team. Teamwork makes dream work. We, as Deputies, are committed to working faithfully, diligently in serving the membership of the Desert of New Jersey.

EVENT SUMMARY

Desert Conference of New Jersey

Start Date: Friday, January 31, 2025, Ending Date: Saturday, February 1, 2025

Friday, January 31, 2025 - 4pm hotel Check in
Registration- 4:00pm-6:00pm light refreshments

“CONGRATULATIONS BANQUET” FOR THE 47TH IMPERIAL POTENTATE-7:00 PM -11:00 PM
(REGALED)

11:30 pm -1:00 am -Hospitality hosted by Golconda Temple #24 and Golconda Court #16 Meet and Greet.

Saturday, February 1, 2025

7:00 am - 10:00 am	-	Registration Open
		8:15am - Room Dedication
8:30 am - 9:00 am.		Official Openings of Desert Conference by (Golconda Temple #24 / Golconda Court #16)
9:00 am		Reception of Imperial Deputy of/for the Desert of NJ
10:00 am		Reception of Visitors/Imperial Officers
10:30		Reception of the Prince Hall Family Reception
11:00 am		of the Grand Master
1:00 pm -2:00 pm		Joint Lunch and Desert Charity Presentations
2:00 pm		Joint Nobles and Daughters Workshop

Temples and Courts Indebtedness to the DESERT OF NJ!

“Please make sure all financial obligations are satisfied with the Desert Treasurer/ Secretary before you arrive to avoid any embarrassment.”

Dress Attire

The Dress Attire for Nobles will be BUSINESS with Fez and Collars.

Desert Divan Officers, I am requesting you wear the Desert Blue Blazer with the appropriate colors.

Daughter’s white dresses/suits with Fez and Collar’s. Please govern yourselves accordingly.

Reports of Officers and Committees:

Illustrious Potentates, Illustrious Commandresses, and Committee Chairs, your 2025 proposed initiatives and reports are to be in writing and copies submitted to the offices of the Deputy of and for the Desert, the Desert Recorder / Recordress and the Desert Organizer no later than January 24, 2025.

Illustrious Potentates and Illustrious Commandresses, you will present your 2025 program to the body and have copies for your counterparts.

THIS PROCLAMATION IS TO BE READ IN ITS ENTIRETY DURING THE MONTHS OF
NOVEMBER AND DECEMBER!

We are looking forward to seeing you all safe at our 2025 Desert Conference!

Respectfully and fraternally,

HPIP James Mack, Jr., # (120)

Imperial Deputy of the Desert of NJ

Attest:

HPP De Andre' D. Rudolph (24) Recorder
of the Desert of NJ

CC:

PP Thomas R. Hughes, Sr., #120, 47th Imperial Potentate

Dt. Cheryl R. Eggleston, #23, Deputy Imperial Commandress

HPIC Kathie A. Lofland, #135 Imperial Deputy for the Desert of NJ

Elected Imperial Divan Officers, Appointed Imperial Council/Court Officers

Elected and Appointed Desert Officers

Illustrious Potentates, Illustrious Commandresses, Temple Recorders and Court Recordress

Attachment (1)

www.aeaonms.org

Temple/Court Number: _____

	<i>Last Name</i>	<i>First Name</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Amt. Due</i>	<i>Cash/Check #</i>
<i>1</i>			Potentate/Commandaress	\$115.00	
			Chief Rabban/1st Lt.		
<i>2</i>			Commandress	\$115.00	
			Assistant Rabban/2nd Lt.		
<i>3</i>			Commandress	\$115.00	
			Treasurer	\$115.00	
<i>4</i>					
<i>5</i>			Recorder/Recordress	\$115.00	
			High Priest/High Priestess	\$115.00	
<i>6</i>					
			Oriental Guide	\$115.00	
<i>7</i>					
<i>8</i>			Past Potentate/Commandress	\$115.00	
<i>9</i>			HPIP/HPIC	\$115.00	
<i>10</i>			HPP/HPC	\$115.00	

TOTAL

Appointed Imperial Officers

	<i>Last Name</i>	<i>First Name</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Amt. Due</i>	<i>Cash/Check #</i>
1				\$115.00	
2				\$115.00	
3				\$115.00	
4				\$115.00	
5				\$115.00	
6				\$115.00	
7				\$115.00	
8				\$115.00	

9	\$115.00
10	\$115.00
11	\$115.00
12	\$115.00
13	\$115.00
14	\$115.00

Total

Daughter/Noble

	<i>Last Name</i>	<i>First Name</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Amt. Due</i>	<i>Cash/Check #</i>
<i>1</i>	\$115.00				
<i>2</i>	\$115.00				
<i>3</i>	\$115.00				
<i>4</i>	\$115.00				
<i>5</i>	\$115.00				
<i>6</i>	\$115.00				
<i>7</i>	\$115.00				
<i>8</i>	\$115.00				
<i>9</i>	\$115.00				
<i>10</i>	\$115.00				
<i>11</i>	\$115.00				
<i>12</i>	\$115.00				
<i>13</i>	\$115.00				
<i>14</i>	\$115.00	<i>15</i>	\$115.00		
<i>16</i>				\$115.00	
<i>17</i>				\$115.00	
<i>18</i>				\$115.00	
<i>19</i>				\$115.00	
<i>20</i>				\$115.00	
<i>21</i>				\$115.00	
<i>22</i>				\$115.00	

23	\$115.00
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24	\$115.00
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25	\$115.00
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Total