

Dear Knights and Ladies,

On behalf of Archbishop Gustavo Garcia-Siller, and the Knights and Ladies of the Archdiocese of San Antonio, we are very pleased to invite you to join us at the 2018 Annual Meeting and Investiture of the Southwestern Lieutenancy on October $26^{th} - 29^{th}$. We have a very exciting weekend planned for you. The host hotel for the weekend is:

The Grand Hyatt Hotel 600 East Market Street San Antonio, TX Telephone: (888) 421-1442

All meetings and meals will be held at the Grand Hyatt Hotel. Masses for Saturday and Sunday will take place at St. Mark the Evangelist Catholic Church, a short drive from the Hotel – buses will be provided.

We welcome you at this special time in the history of San Antonio as the city celebrates its Tri-Centennial Year Viva San Antonio! We are the 7th largest city in the country and at a crossroads of exciting growth and innovation. This year is our 300th Anniversary, but San Antonio history is actually older than that. In 1691, the Governor sent an expedition that passed through on the feast day of St. Anthony de Padua – for whom San Antonio is named. The San Antonio Missions are four colonial-era churches that were established throughout the 18th century as an outreach of the Spanish / Mexican Catholic Church. Our city's very roots are grounded in our Catholic faith.

The optional Friday Night Event features a visit to the amazing Institute of Texas Cultures – a must see! Cocktail hour begins at 6:15 pm followed by a seated dinner, both at the Institute. Please see the enclosed flyer for additional information. Be sure to include this special Friday Evening Event in your registration. On Saturday Morning, we have planned a Presentation titled "The Old Franciscan Missions of San Antonio – A Heritage for all Americans" featuring Dr. Felix Almaraz, KGCHS, a noted San Antonio Historian, Dr. Almaraz will take us on a journey of the Missions, without you ever leaving your seats at the Grand Hyatt. You will not want to miss this fascinating presentation.

Hotel reservations may be made on-line by using the links on the Southwestern Lieutenancy website (www.eohssouthwest.com) or by calling the hotel. If you call the hotel, be sure to tell them that you are booking under the EOHSJ. Enclosed are the registration forms, however we encourage you to register on-line. If you are unable to register on-line, please complete the 2-page registration form and mail it with payment in the enclosed envelope.

Register on-line for the Annual Meeting by going to our website at www.eohssouthwest.com/online/members. It will ask for your email address and password. Enter the email address that is on your membership record and request a temporary password. You will receive the password in your email inbox. Enter this temporary password on the login page and it will take you to your member file. Click on the Annual Meeting tab and follow the instructions. If you have any problems logging in, contact Cindy Rogan at cindy@eohssouthwest.com.

Our Committees have been working hard to ensure that you will have a very spiritual, inspiring and enjoyable weekend. We look forward to seeing you in October and we hope you decide to stay a little longer to enjoy more of San Antonio's rich culture and history.

May God continue to bless you and the work you do on behalf of the Order.

Sir Anthony Riveron, KHS 2108 Investiture Chairs

Lady Sherri Riveron, LHS

Sir David Pollock, KGCHS Lady Janet Pollock, LGCHS San Antonio Section Representatives

