



Prince Hall Grand Council of Royal and Select Masters Jurisdiction of South Carolina

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68 Edwards Circle, Great Falls, South Carolina 29055



Grand Council Annual Session 2023

To: All Grand Council Officers, Past Grand Thrice Illustrious Masters, Thrice Illustrious Masters, Deputy Masters, Principal Conductors of the Work, Treasurers, Recorders, and Illustrious Companions of subordinate councils owing allegiance to the Prince Hall Grand Council of Royal and Select Masters, Jurisdiction of South Carolina, Prince Hall Affiliated.

CC: Royal Grand Perfect Matron Glendra Smith-Watson

Greetings,

I pray and hope that this letter finds you and your families in the best of health & spirits. May the Grand Architect of the Universe continue to bless and protect you and yours.

By the power and authority in me vested, I, Ray-Anthony Alston, Right Grand Thrice Illustrious Master of the Prince Hall Grand Council of Royal and Select Masters, Jurisdiction of South Carolina, do hereby proclaim, that the Annual Grand Council Session will take place on Thursday, October 19, 2023, at 9:00 A.M., at the Prince Hall Grand Lodge ~ 2324 Gervais Street Columbia, SC.

The ritualistic opening will start promptly at 9:00 A.M. Dress Code for Royal and Select Masons: Black suit, white shirt, black socks, black shoes, purple or black tie, gloves, crown, apron, and collar (if applicable).

Registration

Advance registration fee is \$55.00. Payments will be accepted by PayPal, council check, or money order. PayPal payments should include name/purpose and should be sent to pharmsmc@gmail.com. Advance registration must be received no later than September 30, 2023. Illustrious Companions are encouraged to register through their subordinate councils. Late (on-site) registration fee is \$100.00. For Illustrious Companions only registering for the Grand Council Annual Session, please be advised that banquet tickets will have to be purchased through the York Rite Convention (see SC York Rite Convention Registration Form).

Lodging

The hotel will be the Embassy Suites by Hilton Columbia Greystone located at 200 Stoneridge Dr. Columbia, SC 29210. The cost is \$139 per room, per night plus tax. The rate code is York Rite Convention. Reservations can be made online using the above hotel and rate code or by calling 803-252-8700.

Yours in the Secret Vault,

Ray-Anthony Alston

**Ray-Anthony Alston, KYCH
Right Grand Thrice Illustrious Master
Royal and Select Masters
Jurisdiction of South Carolina**



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G.I. Trustee

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G.I. Trustee

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G.I. Chaplain

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G.I. COC

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G.I. Sentinel

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G.I. Parliamentarian

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