

## MID-ATLANTIC SHRINE ASSOCIATION LEGIONS OF HONOR 2021-2022

May 28, 2021

Dear Legion Nobles and Ladies:

My Lady Theresa and I, along with the Officers and ladies of the Mid-Atlantic Shrine Association (MASA) Legions of Honor (LOH) welcome all Nobles, ladies and guests to the Annual Convention and Change of Command of the MASA LOH on **March 24-27**, **2022** in Manassas, Virginia.

Your attendance, support and participation is important to ensure our association and units are able to continue to foster the spirit of patriotism, love of country and flag; and to perpetuate the memory of our comrades who made the supreme sacrifice. In addition, our Shrine Centers, clubs and units need our active participation, as we focus on membership retention and growth, and our support in the World's Greatest Philanthropy.

Our convention meeting location will be at **Kena Shrine Center**, Manassas Virginia. Our hotel will be the **Courtyard by Marriott**, **Manassas Battlefield Park**. The price of rooms will be \$89.00 plus tax for King or Double. Your rooms can be reserved by calling 703-335-1300 and asking for the "MASA LOH" room block, no later than February 4, 2022

Thursday, March 24<sup>th</sup> will be a travel day and a good day to check-in to your hotel and go out and do some self-guided sight-seeing. Enjoy historic Manassas including the Old Town district, the Manassas Museum or the nearby Smithsonian – Udvar Hazy Aviation Museum.

Friday, March 25<sup>th</sup> starts early with an optional excursion to the Manassas National Battlefield Park. Then a *Welcome Party: 1960s-1970s Disco Party* with buffet dinner and open bar! Wear your best vintage outfit!

Saturday, March 26<sup>th</sup> includes an early morning for credentials & registration; opening ceremony, business meeting, and elections. Those activities will be immediately followed by our annual Necrology Service. Afterwards, there will be a fine lunch served for our Nobles and ladies. In the evening we will gather for a *Black Tie* Banquet including a social hour, photo op, Installation of Officers and live entertainment.

On Sunday, March 27<sup>th</sup> its safe travels home! We look forward to seeing you in historic Manassas, Virginia for this memorable weekend!

Sincerely & Fraternally,

Geoffrey D. Lyster Commander, MASA LOH