

## 2025 Convention Registration

June 7, 2025 Report

I wish to thank all the ladies that filled out the Registration Forms for a job well done! The registration forms were filled out properly and most of the checks were made out correctly. Also, we did not have as many cancellations and refunds due this year which made Gaylynn's and my job a lot easier.

Overall, I feel Convention Registration went very well this year. This year I thought I would try to verify the actual number of attendees but it turned out to not be an easy task! Some ladies did not attend due to illness or emergencies at the last minute, however, someone else came in their place so it was difficult to keep track of these changes that were made at Saturday morning check-in and Banquet. We tried our best to make note of the changes but may not have been able to capture all of them. Consequently, I feel it is just better to go with the registration numbers we had received before and after the deadline (which included late fees) that were reported in my Credential Report given at Convention.

Banquet numbers were down this year as we had 68 fewer people registered compared to last year. Our registered attendees included 28 Women of the Year, 14 Religious, and 11 Past DCCW Presidents. Our First Time Attendees increased by 17 this year for a total of 56 (I think this might be a new record).

A special "thank you" to Lorraine Martinez who assists me every year in doing the Banquet seating, which is no easy task.

Respectfully submitted

Cheryl Johnson, Convention Registration Chair