INTERNATIONAL GRAND COURT ORDER OF CYRENE CRUSADERS
AUXILIARY TO THE GRAND ENCAMPMENT OF KNIGHTS TEMPLAR
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA AND ITS JURISDICTIONS, P.H.A., INC.

COLLEGE OF HONOUR

Section 1: Purpose

The Official Purpose of the College of Honour is to administer, and govern the Honour Programs of the International Grand Court Order of Cyrene Crusaders Auxiliary to the Grand Encampment of Knights Templar United States of America and its Jurisdictions, P.H.A., Inc.

Section 2: Structure

The International Grand Princess Commandress shall hold the Title of Grand Mistress of the College of Honour and is the titular head of the College, along with the International Grand Royal Advisor. The Active Members of the College of Honour shall consist of the International Grand Princess Commandress, International Grand Royal Advisor, International Grand Deputy Princess Commandress, International Grand Princess Martha, and International Grand Princess Magdalene during the terms of their respective Offices. Membership in the College of Honour exists only so long as a Princess is serving in one of the above-described Offices. No active member will ever be a "permanent" active member, except the International Grand Princess Commandress and International Grand Royal Advisor, whose membership in the College of Honour shall be considered Permanent by virtue of her election as International Grand Princess Commandress and his appointment as International Grand Royal Advisor.

The Emeriti Members of the College of Honour shall consist of all Past International Grand Princess Commandresses/Past International Grand Royal Advisors, who have actively served as International Grand Princess Commandresses or International Grand Royal Advisors, who will be permanent members of the College of Honour. Only the International Grand Princess Commandress/International Grand Royal Advisor and Past International Grand Princess Commandresses/Past International Grand Royal Advisors will be considered Permanent Members of the College of Honour.

Section 3: Selection of Princess Commandress of the Court (PCC)

Any holder of the PCC may make nominations for the Princess Commandress of the Court (PCC) to the Deputy for "the Honour Program" in each Grand Court or Grand Guild / Jurisdiction. Princess Commandress of the Court will be selected by the Deputy of each Jurisdiction, no more than 2 per Jurisdiction shall be forwarded to the College of Honors Committee per year. Since this Honour is given for service to the Order, the Fraternity, Community, or Mankind, it will be left to the Deputy of each Jurisdiction to prioritize nominations within the guidelines given.
Any Member of the College of Honour Committee may nominate anyone, regardless of where they live, for the **Princess Commandress of the Court** Award.

Section 4: Selection of Princess Grand Cross (PGC)

International Grand Princess Commandress, International Grand Royal Advisor, International Grand Deputy Princess Commandress, International Grand Princess Martha and International Grand Princess Magdalene of the International Grand Court Cyrene Crusaders are by virtue of their Office, entitled to the Honour of **Princess Grand Cross** (**PGC**).

All elected Past International Grand Princess Commandresses or appointed Past International Grand Royal Advisors, whether having actively served as Past International Grand Princess Commandresses/Past International Grand Royal Advisors or not are **Princess Grand Cross** (**PGC**). Upon the Election of Officer of the International Grand Court, Order of Cyrene Crusaders, the International Grand Princess Commandress, International Grand Deputy Princess Commandress, International Grand Princess Martha, and International Grand Princess Magdalene, she will be presented the **Princess Grand Cross** (PGC) following her Installation into Office, unless she is a current holder of the same. Her certificate, and Jewel will be presented at no cost to her/him, with the Honorarium being waived. Should a death occur in the elected line, and an appointment made to fill a vacancy, the same shall apply, with the PGC being presented at the Installation of the new Officer, "appointed by the Most Eminent Grand Master".
Additional Princess Grand Cross of the Court may be nominated by any member of the College of Honour Committee.

Section 5: International Grand Princess Commandress

The International Grand Princess Commandress during her tenure in office shall have the privilege to recommend two (2) princesses of her choosing and without fee to receive the **Princess Commandress of the Court and or Princess Grand Cross Honour** (the recommended two could be – two **Princess Commandress of the Court** or two **Princess Grand Cross**, or one **Princess Commandress of the Court** and one **Princess Grand Cross).**

Section 6: International Grand Princess Secretary

All nominations shall be sent to the International Grand Princess Secretary's Office, she will prepare the necessary certificates, for those elected, and send them to the International Grand Princess Commandresses or designee for presentation.

Section 7: Retention of Honour

All who have received the Princess Commandress of the Court or Princess Grand Cross will retain the Honour so long as they are members of the Order. The aforementioned Honour ceases at the time of membership termination. Upon restoration of membership, the College of Honour Committee may, by unanimous consent, restore said Honour for a fee.
Exception: Extenuating circumstances

Section 8: Investiture

All Princess Commandresses of the Court, elect, will be invested with the Princess Commandress of the Court at the Annual Grand Conclave of the International Grand Court Order of Cyrene Crusaders Auxiliary to the Grand Encampment of Knights Templar United States of America & its Jurisdictions, P.H.A, Inc.
There are no Proxies for this Ceremony. Under special circumstances, the Grand Princess Commandress may authorize the investiture at another time and location. The Investiture Ceremony will be used. The investiture may be done in public, with ladies present. In a similar manner, it will be performed by the International Grand Princess Commandress of the College of Honour, or by a member of the College of Honour Committee she so designates.

COLLEGE OF HONOUR CRITERIA/GUIDELINES

Princess Commandress of the Court Honour

(1) Princess must be in good standing in her Jurisdiction.
(2) Princess must have been a member of the Grand Court/Grand Guild in her Jurisdiction for a minimum of five (5) years.
(3) Princess must have provided service to the organization.
(4) Efforts on behalf of your fellow man
(5) Continued Service

Princess Grand Cross Honour

(1) Princess must be in good standing in her Jurisdiction.

(2) Princess must have been a member of the Grand Guild/Grand Court in her Jurisdiction for a minimum of five years
(3) Princess must have served as Grand Officer in her Jurisdiction.

(4) Princess must carry out duties with humility and modesty without hope of any reward than that of the silent approbation of good and just women.

Adopted by the International Grand Court of Cyrene Crusaders on January 24, 2024 under the leadership of :

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