



GRAND COMMANDERY KNIGHTS TEMPLAR OF INDIANA

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**Passing of Sir Knight Tony S. Peterson, KCT, KTCH
Grand Prelate Emeritus - 2013
Aide to the Right Eminent Grand Commander
Grand Marshal of the Grand Commandery
Grand Commandery Photographer**

I regret to inform you that, Sir Knight Tony S. Peterson, has passed away on May 20th 2023.

Sir Knight Peterson was a proud Freemason of Indiana. He followed in his family's footsteps and was raised a Master Mason at Hamilton County Masonic Lodge No 533 in 2003 and he also served the Lodge as Worshipful Master. Tony joined Noblesville York Rite in 2005 and had a very distinguished career in Masonry with his Lady Monica ever at his side. He was an amazing servant to the fraternity, always willing to use his skills and expertise when called upon. He has served as an Aide to the Grand Commander or Deputy Grand Commander since 2010. Tony had the honor of becoming a Grand Prelate Emeritus in 2013, receiving the Knight York Cross of Honor, Knight Templar Cross of Honor in 2017 and the Knight Commander of the Temple in 2021. Tony also served as the Grand Sentinel for Grand Council of Cryptic Masons of Indiana in 2022 and Grand Marshal for the Grand Chapter Royal Arch Masons of Indiana in 2018. He currently was serving the Grand Commandery as Grand Marshal, Grand Photographer and Aide to the Grand Commander at the time of his passing.

Services will be held at Randall & Roberts Fishers Mortuary, 12010 Allisonville Rd, in Fishers, IN 46038. A Celebration of Life will be from 3:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m with a Knights Templar Honor Guard. The Knights Templar Memorial Service will begin at 7:00 followed by the Masonic Memorial Service and then a Celebration of Life to follow.

Lady Monica is requesting that donations be made in lieu of flowers in his name to:

Indiana Holy Land Pilgrimage Fund C/O
Randal Ellington, REGC
PO Box 335
Shelbyville, IN 46176

I am directing that all Commanderies drape their Charters for 30 days after receiving this Bulletin.

This Bulletin shall be read in all Constituent Commanderies at the first Stated Conclave following its receipt and be made a part of the minutes.

Given under my hand and seal this 8th day of March, A.D. 2022, A.O. 904

This Bulletin shall be read at the first Stated Conclave of each Constituent Commandery following its receipt and be made a part of the minutes.

Given under my hand and seal this 22nd day of May, A.D. 2023 A.O. 905.

Fraternally Yours in His Name,

Randal P. Ellington

Randal P. Ellington, GPE
Right Eminent Grand Commander

ATTESTED:

Edward E Fodrea

Edward E Fodrea KCT, PGC, Grand Recorder

