



## **Grand Chapter of Nebraska**

### **Order of the Eastern Star**

# **Instructions for Subordinate Chapters**

January 2021



*This notebook is a tool of communication, encouragement, and instruction.  
It is not a replacement for our Red Book of Law and Instruction  
but an extension to assist in our continuity and effectiveness.*



*This notebook is designed to aid in the distribution of information and instruction for our subordinate chapters during the winter of 2021, as we find ourselves still impacted by the COVID-19 pandemic.*

*Our priority for the health and safety of the members of our Order continues to direct us to practice social distancing; therefore, our meetings, events, Schools of Instruction are limited.*

*To promote continuity throughout our Nebraska Chapters and to provide for our current instruction, we will share a virtual School of Instruction on Saturday, February 20, 2021 from 2:00pm - 4:00pm. Following the directive of our MWGM, business and ritual will not be transacted or performed during this virtual experience.*

*There are materials within this notebook that will supplement the virtual presentations. Directed and led by our Board of District Grand Supervisors, Grand Secretary, District Grand Supervisors and Worthy Grand Patron we will highlight the law, our instruction and the engagement of our chapter and members.*

*A virtual workshop specifically addressing our business, transactions, and processes focused upon the role of our secretaries and including our treasurers and audit committees will be presented by the Grand Secretary on Saturday, February 27, 2021 from 2:00pm - 4:00pm.*

*The contents of this notebook are to facilitate and enhance the effectiveness of these virtual experiences and serve to promote the sharing of information and instruction within each individual subordinate chapter.*

*As vaccinations reach our communities it is our hope and prayer that the spread of COVID-19 will be reduced and we can begin our arrival into a new normal.*

*It is our hope, prayer and anticipation that by the fall of 2021 we will be able to begin our return to sharing meetings and in person instruction.*

*As this hope becomes our reality, please schedule an in person opportunity for your District Grand Supervisor to meet with your chapter.*

*It continues to be my privilege to serve each of you!  
Star love, gratitude and with great expectations,*

*Karan Birdsall  
Worthy Grand Matron 2019-2021*

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