PRESENTATIONS

Sisters Conductress and Associate Conductress, you will prepare for the presentation of guests.

Worthy Grand Matron/Worthy Grand Patron
“Sisters and Brothers, we are honored by a visit from our WGM; Sister Conductress, you will present her.”

The ornaments of our house are the friends that frequent it.

Blessed are they who the gift of making friends, for it is one of God’s best gifts. It involves many things, but above all, the power of going out of one’s self and appreciating whatever is noble and loving in another. Help me to always be aware that every friend is a gift from God and to be cherished.

Sisters and Brothers, it is my honor to introduce Sister Joann Buriak, WGM. You will join me in saluting her with grand honors.

General Grand Chapter Committee Members

The glory of friendship is not the outstretched hand, nor the kindly smile, nor the joy of companionship; it is the spiritual inspiration that comes to one when he discovers that someone else believes in him and is willing to trust him with his friendship.

General Grand Chapter Committee Member on the Community Health and Mental Retardation Committee.

Past Grand Matrons and Past Grand Patrons

If instead of a gem, or even a flower, we should cast the gift of a loving thought into the heart of a friend, that would be giving as the angels gave.

Happy is the house that shelters a friend!

Grand Chapter Officers

Ask Dick to preside.

I want a warm and faithful friend,
To cheer the adverse hour;
Who ne’er to flatter will descent,
Nor bend the knee to power.
A friend to chide me when I’m wrong,
My inmost soul to see;
And that my friendship prove as strong.
To him as his to me.

I thank God far more for friends than for my daily bread—for friendship is the bread of the heart.

**Grand Chapter Committee Members**

It is great to have friends when one is young, but indeed it is still more so when you are getting old. When we are young, friends are, like everything else, a matter of course. In the old days we know what it means to have them.

**Deputy Grand Matrons**

Friends are necessary to a happy life. When friendship deserts us we are as lonely and helpless as a ship, left by the tide high upon the shore. When friendship returns to us, it is as though the tide came back, gave us buoyancy and freedom, and opened to us the wide places of the world.

A friend is what the heart needs all the time.

**Past Elective Grand Officers and Grand Representatives**

A friend is a person with whom I may be sincere. Before him, I may think aloud.

The best and most beautiful things in the world cannot be seen or even touched. They must be felt with the heart.

**Worthy Matrons and Worthy Patrons**

Blessed are they who have the gift of making friends, for it is one of God's best gifts. It involves many things, but above all, the power of going out of one's self and appreciating whatever is noble and loving in another. Yes, and let him know that you love him, ere life's evening tinge his brow with sunset glow.

**Past Matrons and Past Patrons**

Now may the warming love of friends surround you as you go
Down the path of light and laughter
Where the happy memories grow.

Rainbow, DeMolay, and Masonic Dignitaries

I thank you, God in Heaven, for friends.
When morning wakes, when daytime ends,
I have the consciousness of loving hands that
touch my own, of tender glance and gentle
tone, of thoughts that cheer and bless!