

Companions of the Grand Council of Michigan;

It is hard to believe that it is less than thirty days to the Grand Session. What a year it has been. The companions of Michigan are the best. I never imagined the emotional roller coaster this year could be. Visiting with the companions and attending festivals gives you such a wonderful feeling, only to receive a phone call or email about the health of a companion bringing you down again. Every Grand Master has hard decisions to make, and I hope the decisions I made meet with your approval. Soon you will be electing a new Grand Master and I hope you give him the support you have given me this year. Thank you for everything you have done for me this year, and Thank You for allowing me the privilege to serve as your Grand Master.

I hope to see all of you at the Grand Session.

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