

PRE-REGISTRATION FORM FOR **GUESTS**

THE GRAND CHAPTER

ORDER OF THE EASTERN STAR OF NEW JERSEY

155<sup>th</sup> "Take JOY in your JOurneY"

GRAND SESSION

MAY 18, 19, 20, 2026

ONE FORM PER PERSON –  
FORM MAY BE DUPLICATED

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MAY 1, 2026 TO:

Grand Chapter OES of NJ  
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REGISTRATION FEE OF \$25.00 PAYABLE TO:

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Chapter No. \_\_\_\_\_ District No. \_\_\_\_\_

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*The Grand Chapter  
Order of the Eastern Star  
of  
New Jersey*

*Cordially invites you to attend the  
One Hundred and Fifty-fifth*

*"Take JOY in your  
JOurneY"  
Annual Grand Session*

*May 18, 19, 20, 2026*

*at  
Harrah's Resort  
Atlantic City, New Jersey*

*Formal Opening,  
Monday, May 18, 2026  
7:30 PM*

*Mary Elaine Guynn  
Most Worthy Grand Matron  
Gregory A. Guynn  
Most Worthy Grand Patron*

*Patti L. Rhinesmith, PGM  
Right Worthy Grand Secretary  
111 Finderne Avenue  
Bridgewater, NJ 08807*

Dear Sisters and Brothers of the Order of the Eastern Star,

We look forward to greeting you at the "Take JOY in your JOurneY" 155<sup>th</sup> Grand Session. This year Grand Session will be held at Harrah's Resort, Atlantic City, NJ.

The price of the rooms will be \$69 base plus taxes for single and double rooms. (Approx. \$109.00 total). Please make all reservations directly with Harrah's at 1-888-516-2215 (8am-2am EST seven days a week) under the name of the Order of Eastern Star 2026 group using code: SH05ES6 Reservations can be made at: <https://book.passkey.com/go/SH05ES6>

Please understand all reservations should be made by giving the Grand Chapter reservation code. By not using this Code, you will be costing Grand Chapter extra money. Our meeting room for Grand Session is not free. A percentage of these costs are incorporated in our room rate and meal rates. So please register using our Code. Casino Comps may be applied to your room.

Proper attire is required at all times for admittance to Grand Session – Jeans or shorts will not be permitted.

The Hospitality Committee will be pleased to greet all visitors and guests.

Hospitality will tentatively be open on the following dates and times.

Monday 9 to 12 noon and 2 to 4pm  
Tuesday 9 to 11 and 2 to 4pm  
Wednesday 9 to 1pm

In Star Love,  
Mary Elaine Guynn, Most Worthy Grand Matron  
Gregory A. Guynn, Most Worthy Grand Patron

## TENTATIVE PROGRAM

### Monday Evening - May 18, 2026

Membership dinner	5:00 ~ 7:00 PM
Opening Processional	7:30 PM
Informal Opening of Grand Session	
Introduction of: Grand Master; Amaranth; Rainbow; DeMolay, Daughters of the Nile, Shrine, and Prince Hall	
Formal Opening of Grand Session	
Receiving of: Visiting Worthy Grand Matrons and Worthy Grand Patrons	
Receiving of: Visiting Associate Grand Matrons and Associate Grand Patrons	
Presentation of: Past Grand Matrons and Past Grand Patrons of New Jersey	
Receiving of: Visiting Distinguished Guests	

### Tuesday – May 19, 2026

<b>Business Session</b>	9:00 AM
Address of the Most Worthy Grand Matron	
Address of the Most Worthy Grand Patron	
Report of the Right Worthy Grand Secretary	
Report of the Right Worthy Grand Treasurer	
New Chapter Charter declared	

Grand Representatives Luncheon	Noon
Afternoon Session	2:00 PM
Report of Auditor	
Charity Foundation Annual Meeting and Election of Directors	
Grand Floral	
Election of Grand Officers of New Jersey	
Necrology Report and Memorial	

### Evening Session 7:00 PM

Presentation of: Right Worthy Grand Officers	
Worthy Grand Officers	
Worthy District Deputies	
All Grand Representatives	
Retire and Present Organist Emeritus	
Report of the Worthy Grand Fraternal Correspondent	
Grand Representative Commissions	

### Wednesday – May 20, 2026

#### Business Session

Greetings by Harrah's Resort	9:00 AM
Election of RW Grand Trustee	
Report of President of the N.J. Eastern Star Home Inc	
Voting on Recommendations	

Presentations of: Hostesses, Hosts, Hospitality Committee, Pages, Location Committee

RWAGM Rehearsal Immediately following morning session

#### Evening Session

7:30PM

Open Installation of Grand Officers, 2026-2027

\*\* Committee Reports will be given during business sessions at the discretion of the Most Worthy Grand Matron. All committee reports must be submitted in triplicate by May 1, 2026, to the RW Private Secretary. Reports not turned in will not be read in the Grand East.

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Membership "Take JOY in your JOurneY" Dinner – Information through Jacki Mabey, PGO, Dinner Chairman