

# **GRAND BETHEL SENIOR PRINCESS**

## **STATION AND DUTIES**

Same as in the Ritual, but add GRAND BETHEL to everything.

## **AMETHYST AWARD CEREMONY**

GB Sr. Princess: To Be **THOUGHTFUL** and **KIND** will give us **PEACE OF MIND** and add **ENTHUSIASM** and **CONFIDENCE** to our lives. Our robes of pure white remind of **TRUTHFULNESS** and radiant light... The Bethel is where we learn **SUCCESS, PATIENCE AND FAITH**. We practice **EQUALITY** and **KINDNESS** inside our doors, making us a family forevermore. We are taught **LOYALTY** to our country and each other in all that we do. **LEADERSHIP** is one of the many lessons we learn and is symbolized by royal purple hue, like the amethyst jewel in my crown and the amethyst award that you receive tonight.

## **DEGREE OF ROYAL PURPLE**

GB Sr. Princess: On your medallion you will find pictured a senior Princess holding the Urn of Incense. It symbolizes the important lessons of the Second Epoch, the story of Job's anguish and suffering, and the final triumph of his dedication to his Creator. If you ever begin to doubt that there is a Supreme Being, study the soft colors of the sunrise or the fragrant beauty of a rose, and your faith will be renewed.

May the beauty of this rose remind you of the beauty of the lessons you have learned in this order.

## **LILY OF THE VALLEY CEREMONY**

GB Sr. Princess: I present to you a symbol of the motto of our Order. Let this emblematic flower, the Lily of the Valley, remind you for the rest of your life that: "Virtue is a quality which highly adorns woman." (Descends dais and presents each with a flower. Returns to her station and is seated.)

## **MAJORITY CEREMONY**

GB Sr. Princess: As I represent **Kezia** the second daughter of Job, may the emblem of this epoch which represents prayer, be a constant reminder of Job's great faith in God. I present you this purple flower, representing royalty and power. Descends dais and gives purple flower and returns to station.

# **GRAND BETHEL SENIOR PRINCESS – PRO TEM**

## **STATION AND DUTIES**

GB Sr. Princess – Pro Tem: (Rises, faces the GBHQ and bows.) **Grand Bethel Honored Queen, my station is to the right of the Grand Bethel Senior Princess.** (faces West) **My duty is to assist the Grand Bethel Senior Princess, and to assume the duties and responsibilities of the Grand Bethel Senior Princess in her absence, and to perform any other duties that may be assigned to me by the Grand Bethel Honored Queen.**

## **MAJORITY CEREMONY**

GB Sr. Princess

## **LILY OF THE VALLEY CEREMONY**

GB Sr. Princess – Pro Tem: **I present to you a symbol of the motto of our Order. Let this emblematic flower, the Lily of the Valley, remind you for the rest of your life that: “Virtue is a quality which highly adorns woman.”** (Descends dais and presents each with a flower. Returns to her station and is seated.)

# **GRAND BETHEL JUNIOR PRINCESS**

## **STATION AND DUTIES**

Same as in the Ritual, but add GRAND BETHEL to everything.

## **AMETHYST AWARD CEREMONY**

GB Jr. Princess: **PRECIOUS, EVERLASTING, BEAUTIFUL AND PURE** - like an amethyst, each Bethel girl. We learn that **WISDOM** and **COOPERATION** with a touch of **LAUGHTER** will lead us to **ACCOMPLISHMENT**. The **POISE**, **UNDERSTANDING** and **GRACE** that we gain brings a smile to every face. The lessons of **FRIENDSHIP** and **RESPONSIBILITY** are added as we practice our **OBLIGATION**, and live the lessons we learn from Job. Like a setting of precious gold, we polish our lives with **LOVE, FAMILY, FRIENDSHIP**, and **GOD** above.

## **DEGREE OF ROYAL PURPLE**

GB Jr. Princess: Upon receiving the Degree of Royal Purple you will be given a medallion. On it you will find engraved a figure of a Junior Princess holding a white Dove as I do now. It is meant to remind you of the lessons of the First epoch. Remember always to be patient and diligent in your work, and as Job endeavored to teach his children of the power of prayer, may you also continue being useful instruments in conveying God's love and peace.

This certificate represents the love and appreciation of those with whom you have worked, and the years spent in your association with Job's Daughters.

## **LILY OF THE VALLEY CEREMONY**

GB Jr. Princess: **I present to you this Certificate of Appreciation in recognition of your dedication and devotion to this beautiful Order.** (Descends dais and reads each name as she hands out certificates. Returns to her station and is seated.)

## **MAJORITY CEREMONY**

GB Jr. Princess: **May you always remember the lessons taught in Job's Daughters. I represent Jemima one of Job's three daughters. May purity and truth remain faithful to your every thought, word and act. I give you the white flower, an emblem of purity.** (Descends dais and gives white flower and returns to station.)

# **GRAND BETHEL GUIDE**

## **STATION AND DUTIES**

Same as in the Ritual, but add GRAND BETHEL to everything.

## **AMETHYST AWARD CEREMONY**

### **DEGREE OF ROYAL PURPLE**

Ceremony attached

### **LILY OF THE VALLEY**

Ceremony attached

### **MAJORITY CEREMONY**

Ceremony attached

# **GRAND BETHEL MARSHAL**

## **STATION AND DUTIES**

Same as in the Ritual but add GRAND BETHEL to everything.

## **AMETHYST AWARD CEREMONY**

## **DEGREE OF ROYAL PURPLE**

## **LILY OF THE VALLEY CEREMONY**

## **MAJORITY CEREMONY**

GB Marshal: **In the East stands our Country's Flag. Never falter in your allegiance, never waiver in your duty as a citizen; but by your loyalty, devotion and your staunch support, may it ever be unfurled to the breeze, the most beautiful flag the sun ever shone upon. On the word "flag", turn slightly, and with arm outstretched points to the flag.**

## **PROCLAMATION**

GB Marshal: **By direction of the Grand Bethel Honored Queen, I proclaim the Grand Bethel from labor to rest to reconvene on \_\_\_\_\_, June \_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_ o'clock a.m.**

# **GRAND BETHEL LIBRARIAN**

## **STATION AND DUTIES**

Same as in the Ritual, but add GRAND BETHEL to everything.

## **MAJORITY CEREMONY**

GB Librarian: Upon our Altar lies the Book of Books. Within its pages you will find eternal life. Make it your constant guide in all things, so that you may ever be a true Daughter of Job, the “Fairest in all the Land”.

## **LILY OF THE VALLEY CEREMONY**

# **GRAND BETHEL MUSICIAN**

## **STATION AND DUTIES**

Same as in the Ritual, but add GRAND BETHEL to everything.

## **AMETHYST AWARD CEREMONY**

## **DEGREE OF ROYAL PURPLE**

## **LILY OF THE VALLEY CEREMONY**

## **MAJORITY CEREMONY**

# **GRAND BETHEL CHAPLAIN**

## **STATION AND DUTIES**

Same as in the Ritual but add GRAND BETHEL to everything.

## **AMETHYST AWARD CEREMONY**

### **DEGREE OF ROYAL PURPLE**

GB Chaplain: Dear Lord, we ask that special blessings rest upon these members. May they be truly grateful for the honor which is bestowed upon them today. As they have known the joy of work well done, may we all become useful messengers of Your peace. Amen.

### **LILY OF THE VALLEY CEREMONY**

GB Chaplain: Our Father, we pray that fond memories attend us as we honor these Daughters who have shown their love for Thee and Your teachings through their continued involvement in our beloved Order. May you continue to guide them throughout their lives as shown in the lessons of life revealed during their membership in our Order. Help all members realize the value of living according to the lessons we learn in the International Order of Job's Daughters, so we may be as equally committed. We ask all this in Thy name. Amen.

## **MAJORITY CEREMONY**

### **1st Prayer**

GB Chaplain: (opens Bible, if not already open) Our Heavenly Father, we ask Your blessing upon our Bethel and those assembled here, We especially ask that wisdom and guidance may be given to the Daughters who are leaving our midst to enter upon a new field. May they practice in their daily lives the lessons they have learned in our beautiful Order. Bless our members and give us strength to continue in every good work so that we may grow and prosper. Amen.

### **2nd Prayer**

GB Chaplain: Oh, Lord, be Thou our guardian on high, be there to counsel us, keep us free from fear. Be with us as we part on our various ways. Guide and protect each one here assembled. Help us to help each other and, may we practice in our daily lives the trustful faith of Job. Bless our leaders, our parents and those near and dear to us. In Your name, Amen.



# **GRAND BETHEL RECORDER**

## **STATION AND DUTIES**

Same as in the Ritual, but add GRAND BETHEL to everything. You also have parts in the 'Order of Business', beginning on page 60 in the Ritual.

It is also your responsibility to take the minutes of the Grand Bethel meetings. There will be an outline available for you to follow.

## **AMETHYST AWARD CEREMONY**

## **DEGREE OF ROYAL PURPLE**

## **LILY OF THE VALLEY**

## **MAJORITY CEREMONY**

**GB Recorder: According to my book, you have a good record in our Bethel book, showing that you have been in good standing during the time you have had membership on our Bethel, and we are pleased to place your name on our Majority list.**

# **GRAND BETHEL TREASURER**

## **STATIONS AND DUTIES**

Same as in the Ritual, but add GRAND BETHEL to everything.

## **AMETHYST AWARD CEREMONY**

## **DEGREE OF ROYAL PURPLE**

## **LILY OF THE VALLEY CEREMONY**

## **MAJORITY CEREMONY**

# **GRAND BETHEL FIRST MESSENGER**

## **STATION AND DUTIES**

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## **AMETHYST AWARD CEREMONY**

## **DEGREE OF ROYAL PURPLE**

## **LILY OF THE VALLEY CEREMONY:**

GB 1<sup>st</sup> Messenger:     **You are a Job's Daughter, fairest in the land;  
                                  Blessed with a smile and a helping hand.**

## **MAJORITY CEREMONY**

GB 1<sup>st</sup> Messenger: **The gift that I would offer is priceless and time only enhances its value. It is the gift of Friendship. To make new friends, we must possess virtues which others admire and the quality of our friends will be measured by the standard of our own character. The higher our own ideals, the more excellent will be the virtues of our friends. May friendship contribute to your happiness and may you walk down through the years comforted and blessed with friends.**

# **GRAND BETHEL SECOND MESSENGER**

## **STATION AND DUTIES**

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## **AMETHYST AWARD CEREMONY**

## **DEGREE OF ROYAL PURPLE**

## **LILY OF THE VALLEY CEREMONY**

GB 2<sup>nd</sup> Messenger:   Your thoughts are unselfish; your heart is pure gold.  
                                  You've walked our path and the lessons of Job you hold.

## **MAJORITY CEREMONY**

GB 2<sup>nd</sup> Messenger: The word that I would give you is Honor. Character is not built in a day. Its foundation is laid early in life. Its chief element is honor. May you always have that fine sense of honor which demands justice to all and gives offense to none.

# **GRAND BETHEL THIRD MESSENGER**

## **STATION AND DUTIES**

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## **AMETHYST AWARD CEREMONY**

## **DEGREE OF ROYAL PURPLE**

## **LILY OF THE VALLEY CEREMONY**

GB 3<sup>rd</sup> Messenger:     **When the trials of life you have had to face,  
                                  You learned it is patience you must embrace.**

## **MAJORITY CEREMONY**

GB 3<sup>rd</sup> Messenger: **The gift I would give you is Truth. It is an attribute which anyone should cherish; it is the standard by which character is measured. Without this virtue, there is no confidence in friendship or security in promises or oaths. In this Bethel we have learned many truths which should guide us and light our pathway through our lives**

# GRAND BETHEL FOURTH MESSENGER

### STATION AND DUTIES

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### MAJORITY CEREMONY

GB 4<sup>th</sup> Messenger: **My message to you is one which enriches our lives. It is the spirit of Charity. The perfect gift is to give yourself; to have your heart go out in sympathetic kindness to every human being. Charity stored away in the heart sweetens all the daily acts of life. May you always be blessed with an understanding heart and be filled with the spirit of charity.**

### LILY OF THE VALLEY CEREMONY

GB 4<sup>th</sup> Messenger: **With your strong faith in God above,  
You share His special gift of love.**

# **GRAND BETHEL FIFTH MESSENGER**

## **STATION AND DUTIES**

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## **AMETHYST AWARD CEREMONY**

## **DEGREE OF ROYAL PURPLE**

## **LILY OF THE VALLEY CEREMONY**

GB 5<sup>th</sup> Messenger:     And when your great reward is near,  
                                  Your love of God leaves nothing to fear.

## **MAJORITY CEREMONY**

GB 5<sup>th</sup> Messenger: With all the other gifts bestowed upon you, you would not be happy without the gift I have to offer. I give you the gift of Love. Love is a requirement of every human heart. We learn that love is the perpetual melody of humanity. Through doubt and despair, through delusion and wandering, we come at last to know that God is love. I would wish you love. May it enrich your life and broaden your vision until everyone with whom you come in contact will be blessed by knowing you. Guide, you will escort these Daughters to the East Line.

# **GRAND BETHEL SENIOR CUSTODIAN**

## **STATION AND DUTIES**

Same as in the Ritual, but add GRAND BETHEL to everything.

## **MAJORITY CEREMONY**

GB Sr. Custodian: **Purple is the emblematical color of our Order. It is the symbol of royalty. True royalty is founded in nobility of character made up of virtuous habits and thoughts. Kindness, patience, thoughtfulness, willingness and many other little virtues are essential to noble character. May your character always merit the cloak of royal purple.**

## **LILY OF THE VALLEY CEREMONY**



# **GRAND BETHEL JUNIOR CUSTODIAN**

## **STATION AND DUTIES**

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## **AMETHYST AWARD CEREMONY**

## **DEGREE OF ROYAL PURPLE**

## **LILY OF THE VALLEY CEREMONY**

## **MAJORITY CEREMONY**

GB Jr. Custodian: White in all ages has been deemed an emblem of purity and a symbol of Joy. We wish you the joy of all good things and finally the greatest joy of all, that of work well done and a life well spent.

# **GRAND BETHEL INNER GUARD**

## **STATION AND DUTIES**

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## **AMETHYST AWARD CEREMONY**

## **DEGREE OF ROYAL PURPLE**

## **LILY OF THE VALLEY CEREMONY**

## **MAJORITY CEREMONY**

# **GRAND BETHEL OUTER GUARD**

## **STATION AND DUTIES**

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## **AMETHYST AWARD CEREMONY**

## **DEGREE OF ROYAL PURPLE**

## **LILY OF THE VALLEY CEREMONY**

## **MAJORITY CEREMONY**

# **GRAND BETHEL FIRST PAGE**

## **STATION AND DUTIES**

GB 1<sup>st</sup> Page: (Rises, faces the GBHQ and bows.) **Grand Bethel Honored Queen, my station is on the North side of the Grand Bethel Room at the microphone. (faces South) My duty is to be in charge of distributing the microphone to the Grand Bethel Officers when needed and to perform any other duties that may be assigned to me by the Grand Bethel Honored Queen.**

## **GRAND BETHEL SECOND PAGE**

### **STATION AND DUTIES**

GB 2<sup>nd</sup> Page: (Rises, faces the GBHQ and bows.) **Grand Bethel Honored Queen, my station is on the South side of the Grand Bethel Room at the microphone. (faces North) My duty is to be in charge of distributing the microphone to the Grand Bethel Officers when needed, and to perform any other duties that may be assigned to me by the Grand Bethel Honored Queen.**