

The Grand Chapter of Florida

Order of the Eastern Star, Inc.

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Dear Sisters and Brothers,

It is with pleasure that Sister Brenda Keepin, Grand Secretary, and I invite you to attend the **16th Annual Secretary – Treasurer Retreat.** The Retreat will be a time to learn together as we review the duties of the Chapter Secretary and Treasurer, a fun time for getting acquainted with our co-workers, and enjoy a little R & R. **Everyone is welcome** to attend and spend this time with us. You do not have to be a Secretary or Treasurer.

 ***The Retreat will be held as follows***:

 **Date** **Saturday, July 19, 2025, 9:00 AM (EDT)**

 **Hotel and** The Renaissance Resort at World Golf Village

 **Meeting** 500 South Legacy Trail

 St. Augustine, Florida 32092

T: 904-940-8000

**Rate is $89.00 + tax per night (Single/Double/Quad Occupancy)**

**Make your reservations using one of the following methods:**

1. **Reservations: Phone 1-888-312-2154 group code OSSOSSA**

**( 2) To book on line - under special rates Group Code – enter OSSOSSA**

**(3) Link on www.FloridaOES.org – Flyers – click on Secretary-Treasurer Retreat**

**“Book your group rate for Order of the Eastern Star Secretary and Treasurer Retreat”**

 **DEADLINE FOR HOTEL O.E.S. RATE RESERVATIONS IS JULY 1, 2025**

* Retreat registration will begin on Saturday at 8:30 a.m. with the meeting starting promptly at 9:00 a.m.
* We will break for lunch at 12 Noon, resume the meeting at 1:00 pm, and continue until 4:00 p.m.
* Dress is business casual on Saturday. It is suggested you bring a jacket to the meeting.
* Retreat Registration Fee is $40.00 for ALL attendees to cover cost of all materials and lunch.
* If the traveling companion/spouse plans to attend the Retreat luncheon only, the cost is $29.00.
* Friday and Saturday night dinners are dutch treat at a restaurant of your individual choice.
* A special one on one event for questions/answers will be held on Friday evening 7:00 – 8:30. This event is especially for new Secretaries and Treasurers or for answers to specific individual questions.

**The reservation deadline for the Retreat Meeting is July 11, 2025.** **Send your Retreat Reservation Form, also available on www.FloridaOES.org, with a check payable to Margaret Nathurst, 3275 Avocado Drive, Fort Myers, FL 33901.** Cancellation refunds cannot be made after the reservation deadline date. We look forward to seeing you as we share this special time together.

 Lovingly and fraternally,

  **Brenda Keepin Margaret Nathurst**

Grand Secretary P.G.M., Grand Treasurer

Sent with approval of the Worthy Grand Matron