



### **Symbol:**

Hat: We believe in one True God, strive to live with moral values and do good for others. Sisters and Brothers wear your hats well.

### **Flowers:**

Stargazer Lily- Blooms point toward Heaven. A symbol of hope, optimism and limitless possibilities. Chosen in honor of God.

Pink Carnation- symbolize a mother's love and bonds of affection. Chosen in honor of mothers and families.

Red Rose- symbol of love, courage and compassion. Chosen in honor of our service men and women and the Station of Electa.

Poinsettia- known as the Christmas Star or the Star of Bethlehem. A symbol of reassurance and celebration. The Wiseman were led by that Star. Chosen in honor of my 2015 Grand Family who are also led by that Star.

### **Colors:**

Turquoise: A symbol of Heaven. Represents wisdom, love and patience.

Golden Amber: A symbol of the Glory of God. Represents grace and repentance.

Pearl: A symbol of uniqueness. Represents harmony and generosity.

Emerald: A symbol of Eternal Life. Represents mercy, praise and new beginnings.

Ruby: A symbol of the Blood of Jesus. Represents sacrifice and victory.

I would ask that the Associate Conductresses wear the official "Hat" pin on their 2019 ribbon. To show support for the Worthy Grand Matron's charities each year, I would like for you to feel free to wear her charity pins on the ribbon also. I only ask that the official "Hat" pin be worn right below the 2019 badge. We will be wearing many different hats as we travel to the Grand East.

I am humbled by all your love, friendship and support.

Brenda Goings,  
Associate Grand Matron