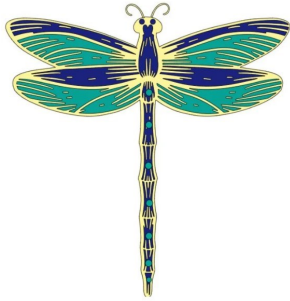


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Shalman Temple No. 90
Daughters of the Nile

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Meetings:
First Wednesday each month
(except Jun; Jul; Aug)
7:30 p.m. Parlor Room A

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Welcome to the 2023/2024 Nile year!

I am, once again, extremely honored to be serving Shalman Temple No. 90 as your Queen and look forward to another GREAT year in our temple.

I want to thank everyone who participated in our Officer Installation—Installing Officers, Line Officers, Temple Officers, Supreme Appointees, Past Queens, and Ladies of the Household—no matter your role, you were an important and cherished part of the day, and your participation was so very appreciated by me. Our temple installation is always so beautiful and I can't thank you all enough for helping to make it so.

I want to also thank our other participants who did so much to make the day special - the Rainbow Girls from the Richardson and Plano Assemblies worked as our greeters as well as provided childcare services for us; and Commandery from Alexander C Garrett No. 103, Dallas No. 6 and McKinney No. 34 posting of our colors was so meaningful and touching. I sincerely appreciated Past Potentate Bob Moore bringing greetings from the hospital one more time and Past Queen Carol Hefley for once again giving us an update from the Foundation. And finally, it was great to hear from Illustrious Sir Nate Fuller, Potentate, as he brought greetings from Hella and introduced his 2023 Divan—I look forward to working with Illustrious Sir Nate this year.

And now.....let's get this year going! The 2023 Supreme Session and Texas Days packets have been released and both events look to be great! I can't wait to see what our units come up with for performances—the anticipation is so exciting, and a little terrifying (in a good way)! We have a Spring Luncheon, Temple Fundraiser and other FUN events on the calendar—I hope to see lots of you joining us for these.

Feel free to reach out to me if you have any questions, comments or suggestions. Let's make 2023/2024 the best year yet!

Queen DeAnna



Royal’s Report
By: Sheila Allen
Princess Royal

I just want to say how honored and excited I am to serve as Shalman Temple No. 90’s Princess Royal for the ensuing year. The past two years have flown by and reality set in with the lack of chairs in front of me while Queen DeAnna was being installed.

I am currently working on the Spring Luncheon honoring Queen DeAnna. It is scheduled for Sunday, May 21st with social time starting at 11:00am. Tickets are \$25. The menu being planned is a Baked Potato Bar with all the fixings with some Pulled Pork on the side so bring your friends!

Sheila’s cell (214) 801-7172

Sheila’s email sallen2020@att.net

“Her beauty radiates through her Heart of Gold.”

Tirzah’s Treasures
By: Sue Troutte
Princess Tirzah



It’s hard to believe that a year has gone by and we are off and running again. I am looking forward to my new role as Princess Tirzah and the CEF fundraising opportunities. Dinners before session will continue and those funds will now go to support CEF. Any special menu requests are appreciated.

I am still looking forward to seeing what my Tirzah outfit will look like. With 15 women choosing not to advance to Tirzah, getting the numbers needed for the seamstress has delayed our progress. However, I am excited to meet my new counterparts at Supreme.

Just remember to always judge carefully and not hastily!

Badoura’s Breakout
By: Carla Fuller, Princess Badoura



What a beautiful installation we had last month and I was so honored to be installed as Princess Badoura. I look forward to this year, and the upcoming years, and all the adventures they will bring. Our April session with Queen DeAnna on the throne has just completed. I will admit I was a bit nervous before hand but think everyone did a wonderful job with their parts.

I have spoken with a new contact at the hospital to assist with donations. She said they can always use gift cards in smaller denominations. I will be happy to collect them. She also sent the following Amazon needs link.

https://www.amazon.com/hz/wishlist/ls/32Z7J2KSKK06R?ref=wl_share

We can order and send the needed items at any time— so click away!
 I will be working on other fundraisers for this year. If you have any ideas let me know.
 Thank you all for your support and look forward to a great year!



*You are cordially invited to
Shalman Temple No. 90's*

Spring Luncheon honoring

Queen DeAnna Lang, PQ

Sunday, May 21, 2023

Social Time: 11:00 am - Lunch: 12:00 pm

Hella Shrine Center - Terrace Room

*Presentations to Queen DeAnna
immediately following lunch*

*Tickets are \$25 each and can be purchased from Pr. Royal, Sheila Allen
Cell: (214) 801-7172 / Email: salen2020@att.net*



Recorder’s Report
By: Pr. Janie Caldwell



Clownette’s Corner
By: Princess Diane Moore

I am excited to be serving Shalman as Pr. Recorder—please be patient with me as I learn the ins and outs of this huge position!

If you have not paid your dues for this year, they are now DUE. Payments can be made via check, cash or credit card/zelle. The dues are \$41.00 - please remit as soon as possible.

Please make checks payable to Shalman Temple and mail to my home address:

5026 Huffines Blvd.
 Royse City, TX 75189

If you have any questions, please send me an email at shalmanrecorder@outlook.com or call 469-231-9089.

Our Clownette unit has been very busy. In February we participated in the Galveston Children’s Mardi Gras parade. We were honored to have our Supreme Queen Vicki on the Clownette trailer with us. The next day we visited the newly renovated, and just opened back up to the public, Shriner’s Children’s Texas Hospital. Before our tour, our unit presented a check for \$2500 to benefit child life.

On April 1st, after winning Best in Show in the Mesquite Rodeo Parade last year, we were honored by being in the number one spot. We love doing parades, and appreciate all that our Queen and her noble do to make that possible.

Good health to everyone, and keep them smiling,
 Make Them Smile,
 Diane “Blossom” Moore



Chaplain’s Altar
By: Princess Rene Woods

I am humbled to be serving Shalman as Princess Chaplain this year. Thank you, Queen DeAnna, for entrusting me with this position.

Please share information of any sickness and distress - I would also love to hear happy news to report. Send any news or updates to Shalman90Chaplain@yahoo.com. You can also reach out to me at my personal email, text or call any time.

Hebrews 10:24-25

And let us consider how we may spur one another on toward love and good deeds, not giving up meeting together, as some are in the habit of doing, but encouraging one another—and all the more as you see the Day approaching.





Pageantry's Place
By: Jennifer Lites, PQ

The Pageantry garage sale is this weekend! It isn't too late to bring your priced items up to put in the garage sale, we appreciate all donations! We will be selling items on Saturday 4/8 from 7 am-2 pm at Hella in the front parking lot (Past Potentate parking lot).

Our upcoming Pageantry meeting will be Tuesday, May 16th- 6:30 snacks and 7:00 meeting. We will be discussing how the garage sale went as well as Texas Days- skit ideas and a possible fundraiser.

In working through schedules, we are trying something new this year by partnering up with Shalman Patrol to have both unit meetings on the same night to free up our evening time since we both meet quarterly now. They will be meeting on the same night as us after a short break since so we have so many ladies in multiple units. This also allows us to remain considerate of the space we use at Hella by condensing where we can. If you have any questions or concerns about this, please contact me to discuss further.



Dancer's Den
By: Princess Judy Lee

The Dancers are about halfway through learning our new dance for Texas Days. Next comes working on a costume. We are excited about being this far ahead of schedule.

Princess Margie Montgomery had a great time on her cruise to the Western Caribbean (Roatan, Honduras, Costa Maya & Cozumel, Mexico) with her family.

Princess Marie Knowles got herself a tractor so she could get hay to her cows easier.

Princess Kelly Cantwell is having foot and ankle surgery soon.

If you would like to see what we do and how much fun we have doing it, come by Hella Temple any Wednesday morning at 11:00 am.



Patrol's Point
By: Stacy Armstrong, JPQ

Welcome to the new Nile year! I am looking forward to a new year of the Dallas Diamonds Patrol. Our Director, PQ Jennifer Lites, is working on our new routine so we can "shine" at Texas Days.

If you are interested in learning more about Patrol, feel free to come to our next meeting on May 16 at 7:30 p.m. We would love to see you!

Daughters of the Nile Foundation

By: Carol Hefley, PQ

Thanks to your continued generosity, Shalman Temple is once again one of the top 10 donors to the Daughters of the Nile Foundation. Since 2016 the Foundation has recognized Temples who donate \$10,000 or more during the previous year by inviting the current Queen and another person of her choice to a reception at the Supreme Temple Annual Session. Shalman has been there every year! I'm so proud of our Temple.

This year the top 3 Temples donated \$307,810.50 (Naphis Temple No. 66), \$258,409.68 (Iras Temple No. 40) and \$132,223.00 (Mecca Temple No. 34). Which is totally amazing! How did they do it you may ask? Several ladies from their Temples included the Foundation in their last will and testament or by making very a generous donation to Shriners Children's via the Foundation.

If you would like to know more about this process, please let me know. Even a small amount will help continue your legacy of giving to the Daughters of the Nile Foundation.



Membership Matters

By: Elizabeth Massey, Membership Chair



It's a new Nile year and I am the new Membership Chairperson. I am looking forward to working with my Membership team and getting to know some of our members better.

We are looking for a few more team members to join the Membership team—the more the merrier! The responsibilities of the Membership team members are to contact your list of Shalman members every month—this can be with a call, text, email, card, or in-person chat, we just really want to make sure all of our members know they are a valued member and that we miss them when they are not able to be with us—and to plan events to get our members together for some fun and fellowship.

If you are interested in being a part of the team, please contact me:

Elizabeth Massey

Phone: 214-673-8702

Email: elizabethmassey@sbcglobal.net

See below for the current Membership team—we would love to have YOU on the team!

Elizabeth Massey—Chair

Pr. Royal, Sheila Allen

Pr. Tirzah, Sue Troutte

Pr. Badoura, Carla Fuller

PQ Carol Hefley

PQ Anna Garey

PQ Diane Wilson





PHOTOS

Officer Installation



2023/2024 Shalman
Line Officers



2023/2024 Shalman
Elected Officers



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Temple Officers



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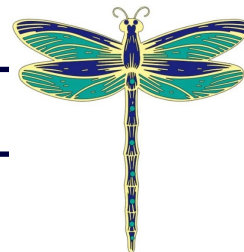


Supreme Appointees

Past Queens



Queen DeAnna & PQ Audrey Tweed,
Queen of Shalman Temple No. 90 in
1966/1967



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Officer Installation

2023/24

Installing Officers

Queen DeAnna &
Commandery



Rainbow Girls





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Officer Installation



Queen DeAnna & Clownettes

Queen DeAnna & Dancers



Queen DeAnna & Pageantry

Queen DeAnna & Patrol





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Shalman Fun!



The Clownettes participated in the 65th Annual Mesquite Rodeo Parade—it was a beautiful day for a parade!



Shalman No. 90 2023-2027 Calendar

March 5, 2023	Installation of Officers	Ballroom	2:00 PM
April 5, 2023	Session	Parlor A	7:30 PM
May 3, 2023	Session	Parlor A	7:30 PM
May 21, 2023	Spring Luncheon	Terrace Room	11:00 AM social / 12:00 PM lunch
June 11-15, 2023	Supreme Session	Foxwood Casino, Connecticut	Multiple Days
August 27, 2023	Ceremony of Initiation	Parlor A	7:30 PM
September 6, 2023	Session	Parlor A	7:30 PM
Sept 28-Oct 1, 2023	Texas Days	Tyler	Multiple Days
October 4, 2023	Session	Parlor A	7:30 PM
November 1, 2023	Session (Founder's Day)	Parlor A	7:30 PM
November 11, 2023	Queen's Ball	Parlor A & B	TBD
December 6, 2023	Session	Parlor A	7:30 PM
January 3, 2024	Session	Parlor A	7:30 PM
January 13, 2024	Supreme Queen Official Visit	Parlor A	2:00 PM
January 13, 2024	Supreme Queen Banquet	Terrace Room	TBD
February 1, 2024	Session (Memorial Service)	Parlor A	7:30 PM
March 7, 2024	Session (Election of Officers)	Parlor A	7:30 PM