

# Officer Observations

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## QUEEN'S CORNER

By: Dawn Sanders, Queen

Our temple has been going non-stop the past few months. We have another busy couple of weeks ahead, but hopefully then we can all relax and enjoy the Christmas season with our families.

Texas Days this year in Abilene was a weekend to remember! I'm so proud of the great job all 4 of our units did for performances. Everyone enjoyed the performances! PQ Carol Hefley, Pr. Jennifer Lites and Pr. Sheila Allen did outstanding jobs representing Shalman as pro-tems during the ceremonial held that weekend.

We held our Supreme Appointee Recognition Reception on November 1st prior to our session. Thank you to the Past Queens of Shalman who organized and hosted a wonderful event. We're proud of our Supreme Appointees – PQ Carol Hefley, PQ Charlotte Bailey and PQ Diane Wilson.

On November 11th, we had a night to remember!! Pr. Tirzah Jennifer Lites outdid herself with hosting our annual Queen's Ball. The room was beautiful, the food was delicious and so much fun was had!! Everyone looked fabulous in their Great Gatsby attire! Thank you to Pr. Jennifer and her committee of volunteers for creating a spectacular evening benefiting the children!!

We are now focused on preparing for our upcoming Supreme Queen's visit. SQ Karen Keuther is wonderful and I can't wait for all of you to meet her. I know she will be just as proud as I am of the wonderful job our entire temple does to ensure our new members have a warm and enjoyable initiation. You definitely don't want to miss it! Our official visit is this Wednesday, December 6th. Ceremonial will begin at 2pm with Unit Performances to follow. Our Dancers, Clownettes and Patrol will all be performing. We will have a banquet that evening to honor our lovely Supreme Queen. See you there!!

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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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### **Royal's Report**

**By: Carol Barrera,  
Princess Royal**

Texas Days is behind us now, so looking to next year here are the dates. November 1<sup>st</sup>- 3rd. The hotel is the Hilton Houston NASA Clear Lake and the room rates are \$99.00. The hotel is taking reservation already, so make sure you book early. Don't forget to tell them you are with the Daughters of the Nile to get the correct rate.

Thank you all for the donations to the Temple Fund raiser and your support this year

I hope as many of you that can come will be at the Supreme Queens visit. Remember it starts at 2:00 p.m. that day and set up is at 10:30

May you all have a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year. Safe travels and full bellies.

### **Tirzah's Treasures**

**By: Jennifer Lites,  
Princess Tirzah**



Thank you to all that supported our efforts to raise money at the Queen's Ball. It was a successful event and I am excited to announce our totals at the Supreme Queen's Official Visit next week. A lot of hard work goes into these events and I appreciate all of the volunteers and helpers that I had.

I hope you all had a wonderful Thanksgiving and were able to relax.

While you are getting your homes ready for Christmas and family time, please don't forget about your Nile sisters that may not be able to attend session. Sending a card is a wonderful surprise and always appreciated.

I hope you have a Merry Christmas and Happy New Year!

### **Badoura's Breakout**

**By: DeAnna Lang, Princess Badoura**



The holidays are here and cheer and excitement are in the air! It's the most wonderful time of year – but unfortunately, we still have children in our hospitals and families there with them. Please dig deep and, if possible, donate to our hospitals. Gift cards in increments of \$10 and \$20 for Wal-Mart, Target, etc. – new stuffed animals – CRAYOLA (name brand please) crayons and coloring books – NEW small toys, i.e. Legos, matchbox cars, action & hero figures, Barbie, baby dolls - hair & nail care items - make up kits - jewelry making kits - craft supplies - musical toys, etc. I have a complete list available for anyone that would like to see it.

The Supreme Queen visit is soon – let's overflow Badouras Bin and show her majesty how truly amazing Shalman Temple No. 90 is!

As a reminder, I am always accepting volunteer hours as well. If you have hours to report, feel free to email, text or post to me on the Shalman Facebook page.



### Chaplain's Altar

**By: Princess Beverly Conley**

Please continue to keep me informed of any sickness or distress. I would love to hear of any happy news to report as well.

Please send Chaplain communication to [ShalmanTemple90@gmail.com](mailto:ShalmanTemple90@gmail.com) and in the subject line, indicate "For Princess Chaplain".

### Reminder

The Supreme Queen's visit will also be our December session. We will not have an additional session this month. Ceremonial begins at 2pm. Unless you are in a unit costume, please be aware that pants are unacceptable. All ladies should wear a skirt/dress.

### HELP NEEDED

Set up for the ceremonial will begin at 10:30am on Wednesday Dec. 6th. Please come out and assist Pr. Marshal with setup.

### Recorder Report

**By: Joey Minahan, Past Queen**



Please send in your dues if you have not done so already.

If you have an updated address, phone number or email, please send that information to [ShalmanTemple90@gmail.com](mailto:ShalmanTemple90@gmail.com) and in the subject line, indicate "Information update".

We hope each of you have a wonderful and safe holiday season! May the blessings of God be with your family and with you all year long! Merry Christmas and Happy New Year from the Shalman Line Officers!



### -Unit Meetings-

**Pageantry** –No meeting in December. The next meeting will be the Christmas Lunch on 1/13/18– location TBD. Stay tuned for more info!

**Clownettes**– December 12th is the Unit Christmas Party. Please bring an appetizer or dessert only and a gift card for either Wal-Mart or Target in \$10 increments to give our kids. We would love to see you there!

**Dancers**– Meet each Monday at 7:00 p.m.

**Patrol**– our next meeting is February 8th at 7:00 p.m.

**All unit meetings held At Hella Shrine in Parlor A**

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*Shalman Temple No. 90*  
*Daughters of the Nile*  
 Cordially invites you to attend  
 the Official Visit of

*Her Supreme Majesty, Karen L. Keuther*  
*Supreme Queen of the Supreme Temple, Daughters of the Nile*

*Wednesday, December 6, 2017*

*Ceremonial*  
 2:00 p.m.  
*Hella Shrine Center*  
 2121 Rowlett Road  
 Garland, TX 75043

*Banquet \$30*  
 6:00 p.m.  
*Hella Shrine Center*  
 2121 Rowlett Road  
 Garland, TX 75043

*Banquet Reservations*  
*PQ Carol Hefley or PQ Diane Wilson*  
 972-679-6211 [djwilson78@hotmail.com](mailto:djwilson78@hotmail.com)

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## Shalman No. 90 2017-2018 Calendar

<b>Date</b>	<b>Event</b>	<b>Location</b>	<b>Time</b>
March 19, 2017	Installation of Officers	Hella Temple– Ballroom	2:00 PM
April 5, 2017	Session	Parlor A	7:30 PM
May 3, 2017	Session	Parlor A	7:30 PM
May 6, 2017	Spring Luncheon	Medieval Times	2:00 PM
June 11-15, 2017	Supreme Session	Niagara Falls	All Day
TBD	Supreme Appointee Luncheon	TBD	TBD
September 10, 2017	Shalman Ceremonial	Parlor A	2:00 PM
October 4, 2017	Session	Parlor A	7:30 PM
October 5-7, 2017	Texas Days	Abilene, TX	All Day
November 1, 2017	Session– Founders Day	Parlor A	7:30 PM
November 11, 2017	Queen’s Ball/CRA Fundraiser	Parlors A/B	TBD
December 6, 2017	Supreme Queen Visit/Ceremonial	Parlor A	2:00 PM
December 6, 2017	Supreme Queen Banquet	Terrace Room	6:00 PM
January 3, 2018	Session	Parlor A	7:30 PM
February 7, 2018	Session– Memorial	Parlor A	7:30 PM
March 7, 2018	Session– Elections	Parlor A	7:30 PM