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Dear Sisters and Brothers,

As you know, the mission of The Order of the Eastern Star is to make a positive difference in the world with charitable works, lasting friendships, and loving kindness to all mankind. Along with our charitable work, we also need to support our Grand Chapter. We are asking The membership to consider a donation to the Worthy Grand Matron's Special Project to support the General Fund. A donation to the General Fund helps offset the expense of running Grand Chapter allowing us to focus our efforts on other areas.

Enclosed is a kindness Card. The backside lists ways that you can be kind in your every day life. As a symbolic gesture of spreading Goodwill and Compassion, we encourage you to pass on this card. Inspired by Noah's Ark, we are reminded of the power that comes from Unity, Empathy and Acts of Random Kindness. By sharing this card with others, you help us in spreading the message of The Order of the Eastern Star, touching hearts and inspiring acts of kindness that have a ripple effect in our communities.

We thank you for your contribution and continued support of the Grand Chapter of Connecticut, Order of the Eastern Star. Together, we can make a lasting impact and create a world filled with kindness, understanding and love.

Contributions may be made by sending a check (payable to CT OES) in the enclosed envelope to: Sister Dale Brinson, 122 Stephen Drive, Stonington, CT 06378.

We are in the process of making secure, no fee, online donations available at [www.CTOES.org](http://www.CTOES.org), Stay tuned. Click on Grand Chapter then Projects, where you can choose where to make your donation.

Thank you to the kindness of The Eastern Star Charity Foundation for their donation of printing and mailing.

Bee your best person to everyone, in every way, every day!

In Loving and Buzzing Kindness,

**Caroline V. Maselli**

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