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Greetings:

Now that a couple of weeks have passed since the close of our annual session, I pray that you all are rested and are back to your usual routines. I want to thank the Orient of Tennessee and each of you for helping to make the 139th Annual Session of the United Supreme Council, 33°, Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite of Freemasonry, Prince Hall Affiliation, Southern Jurisdiction, USA, Inc., a great success. This was a historic occasion and one of the best we have ever had. The work that you put in was very noticeable and is very much appreciated. Also, the decorum exhibited during the entire session was splendid. Together, we continue to make improvements as we *Rebuild the Rite, Stone by Stone*.

A survey, concerning your experiences, has been sent out to attendees. Thank you so much for your candid feedback. This will help us to improve your membership experience. Currently, I am in the process of developing an Annual Session Committee, which will relieve the "host Orient" of most of the duties and pressures of being "the host", regardless of the Orient where we may be holding our convention.

Again, thank you for a wonderful 139th Annual Session. Thank you for what you have done, are doing, and will do. I look forward to seeing you in Birmingham, Alabama next year for our 140th Annual Session. God bless each of you and long live our beloved United Supreme Council!

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