

# 10 Helpful Hints for Protocol

1. No matter which way you count the Supreme Queen is ALWAYS number 1. At Session she is introduced first and at the banquet we count down to number one.
2. Mistress of Ceremonies or Queen sets the Protocol at banquet. It is the first thing said.
3. Introductions of Supreme Appointees in the same category begin with Temple No. 164 and work up to Temple No. 1.
4. At OV banquet the first individuals to be introduced when introductions are begun are our new members.
5. Always introduce the escort of the lady when you introduce her, with his proper title (Illustrious Sir, Noble, escort).
6. All presentations are given to the Supreme Queen PRIOR to her address.
7. Past Queens do not have to be introduced in year of service order.
8. At a banquet, No One should introduce herself, there is a reservation list to use for preparing the introductions. Reservation chairman MUST work with protocol chairman.
9. At the OV banquet, No One speaks after the Supreme Queen but there may be Unit performances. It is permissible for the MC to introduce the Units or entertainment.
10. MOST IMPORTANT: Read the Protocol manual from Supreme Temple.