



November is here and another year is coming to an end as this message greets the Ladies of Antioch, our Nobles and our friends.

This month always brings the thought of gratefulness and thanksgiving. I am honored to have served you as the first lady of Antioch for 2017. Much gratitude is felt in my heart for the many members who have supported Wes and I throughout this year. It takes everyone working together to accomplish many things. As you look back through the year feel pride in the many good things Antioch has achieved. It couldn't have taken place without YOU!

What a wonderful Fall Ceremonial that occurred on October 14th with 21 new ladies joining us and a few more to come before the end of the year! How wonderful it was to get to know some of these new ladies at the Bonfire/Cookout. Our weather was wonderful with a perfect night to relax and enjoy the fire.

What can be said about the "Party of the Century"? What an elegantly fun evening everyone had! From awesome masks to excellent food to a fantastic time kicking up our heels to some Big Band swing music! We had a full house!

AND...Our ladies found out some surprising details about each other as they had their palms read during the ladies gathering on the night before Halloween. Many laughs were shared by all. 😊

Mark your November calendars for...

- **Veteran's Day Dinner** – Sat., 11/11 @ 5pm
- **Dayton Children's Christmas Parade** – Fri., 11/24 @ 8pm
- **Children's Christmas Party** – Sun., 11/26 @ 2pm
- **Final S/K/C Session** - Mon., 11/27 @ 7pm

(We will be finishing the blankets, surgical caps, and toy bags for the patients of the Shrine Hospitals... come on down and join us)

AS WE EXPRESS OUR
gratitude,
WE MUST NEVER
FORGET THAT THE
HIGHEST APPRECIATION
IS NOT TO
UTTER WORDS, BUT
to live
BY THEM.
-JOHN F. KENNEDY

Happy Thanksgiving

Your First Lady for 2017, Lady Johanna