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Anthony E. Bowens

His Masonic career began April 1961 as Junior Warden, Lincoln University Lodge # 141, in Pennsylvania. Since that time, he has made many accomplishments in Masonry. A few are: He is a Charter member of the San Antonio Masonic Study Club where he served as Secretary and Treasurer. He is a Past Secretary of Noble Star Lodge #227, San Antonio, Texas. He is a Past Captain of the Guard of Lone Star Consistory #113, San Antonio, Texas, Past 1st and 2nd Ceremonial Master of Moussa Temple #106, San Antonio, Texas. He is a Past Worthy Patron of Blanche M. Bruner Chapter #17, District 8, Western Europe, Past Royal Patron, European Amaranth Court OES, Past Secretary and Past Junior Warden of Willie H. Dixon Military Lodge #143, District 8, Western Europe. He is a Past Thrice Potent Master of the Prince Hall Military Lodge of Perfection, District 8, Western Europe. He received his 33rd Degree October 1976 in Washington, D.C.

Sir Knight Bowens is a member of St. James Lodge #229, Altus, Oklahoma where he served as Worshipful Master. He is a member of James Crane Chapter #37, Holy Royal Arch Masons, Altus, Oklahoma where he served as Excellent High Priest. He is a member of Tobe Davis Commandery #1, District 8 Germany. He is also a member of George W. Chambers Commandery #40, Lawton, Oklahoma. He is a charter member and Past Worthy Joshua of Myrtle B. Scott Court #37, Altus, Oklahoma. He is a past Grand Recorder and was also elected to serve as Right Worshipful Deputy Grandmaster. Sir Knight Bowens was elected and served ten (10) years as Right Worshipful Deputy Grandmaster of the Most Worshipful Prince Hall Grand Lodge of Oklahoma. He is appointed as Special Deputy Grandmaster to the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of Oklahoma, and has the honor and privilege of being an Honorary Past Grandmaster and an Honorary Past Most Excellent Grand High Priest of the Oklahoma Jurisdiction.

He has served as Right Eminent Grand Commander of the Herman E. Duncan Grand Council and Commandery, Knights Templar of Oklahoma since its inception in June 1988. He was elected, Created and Dubbed a Past Most Eminent Grandmaster of the U.S. Grand Encampment of Knights Templar PHA 1 July 2011.

Sir Knight Bowens is a charter member of Michael E. Steele Priory #9, Knight of the York Cross of Honour. He is a Past Eminent Prior and has been invested with the rank of Knight of the York Grand Cross of Honour with two quadrants.

In February of 2012, he was named one of the legends of Prince Hall Masonry District 8 Western Europe. He served ten (10) years each as Secretary and President of the Oklahoma Commander of the Rite. Sir Knight Bowens returned to the Holy See in October of 2009 where he was created a Sovereign Grand Inspector General of the 33rd degree, Emeritus, in the Valley of Washington, D.C. He was appointed Deputy in the Orient of Oklahoma, April 2011 and on 8 October 2011, Sovereign Grand Inspector General Bowens was elevated to Active membership in the United Supreme Council in the Valley of Atlanta, Orient of Georgia.