



# ELEJMAL TEMPLE NO. 185



CHARTERED AUGUST 24, 1973  
22 STATE STREET, OSSINING NY 10562  
OASIS OF OSSINING IN THE DESERT OF NEW YORK

May 24, 2024

Illustrious Potentates  
Illustrious Commandresses  
Past Potentates  
Past Commandresses  
Nobles  
Daughters

Greetings,

We are pleased to announce that the Nobility of Elejmal Temple No. 185 will be hosting our Annual Temple Ball on the weekend of July 19, 2024, through July 21, 2024, at the Crowne Plaza Hotel Suffern-Mahwah, 3 Executive Boulevard, Suffern New York, 10901.

This year we will be honoring our Illustrious Potentate, Noble Johan S. Powell, and we humbly ask you to consider joining us in the celebration.

We have planned an exciting weekend for you to enjoy; please note the schedule below:

**Friday, July 21, 2024, At 9 PM – 1 AM – Friday Night Affair**  
**Saturday, July 22, 2024, At 1 PM – BBQ And Temple Hospitality**  
**Saturday, July 22, 2024, At 7 PM – Annual Temple Ball Honoring The Illustrious Potentate and Scholarship Awards**

## Tickets

Tickets for the entire weekend are \$150, and \$40 for the Friday night event. Please use the attached form to purchase your tickets or use the online portal (preferred method).



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To purchase your tickets please go to [www.tinyurl.com/elejmal185-ball](http://www.tinyurl.com/elejmal185-ball) or scan the QR Code below from your mobile phone.



For additional information, tickets, or to reserve a table of ten, please call HPIP Philip Howard at (845) 629-1081 or email [pfh06@aol.com](mailto:pfh06@aol.com) or HPP Tommy Wheeler at (917) 715-7426 or email at [tommy.wheeler@verizon.net](mailto:tommy.wheeler@verizon.net).

All tickets must be paid for by July 10, 2024, for the committee to give the hotel an accurate account of the number of guests attending. The dress code for the Ball will be summer formal with a black bow tie and cummerbund or vest for Nobles and white gowns for Daughters, male guest tuxedos or dark suits, and ladies in evening gowns.

## Lodging / Room Reservations

All room reservations must be in by Saturday, July 6, 2024. To secure your hotel accommodations, please call the hotel at (845) 357- 4800 and mention the code **ELH** to get the special rate of \$139 per night plus taxes.



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You may also make your reservations online at [www.tinyurl.com/reserve-room](http://www.tinyurl.com/reserve-room) or scan the QR Code below from your mobile phone.



## Journal Ads

We have also included a journal contract for you to place an ad in our souvenir journal. This will provide an excellent opportunity to send your well wishes to the Illustrious Potentate. If you have any questions, don't hesitate to call (914) 704-4302 or send an email to [elejmaltemple185@gmail.com](mailto:elejmaltemple185@gmail.com). You can submit your journal online at [www.tinyurl.com/elejmal-journal-ad](http://www.tinyurl.com/elejmal-journal-ad).

Please check our website, [www.elejmaltemple185.net/ball](http://www.elejmaltemple185.net/ball), for up-to-date information.

We thank you in advance for your support,

*Philip F. Howard*

HPIP Philip F. Howard, Chairman  
2024 Annual Temple Ball Committee

*Tommy Wheeler*

HPP Tommy Wheeler, Co-Chair  
2024 Annual Temple Ball Committee