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# Mark Twain Award - 2010



The Grand Lodge of Kentucky was honored to have two Lodges to receive the coveted Mark Twain Award for 2010. The award recognizes Lodges that promote Masonic awareness in Lodge and in the community. Receiving the awards

from left are Randall McCoy, Bewleyville Lodge No. 228, Grand Master L. Todd Eastham, and John Edwin Jolley, Barker Lodge No. 129. Congratulations Bewleyville and Barker Lodges.

photo by Donnie Brake

# **Burnside Lodge 634 – Christmas Shoebox**



Masonic Lodge No. 634 members recently helped out with the Operation Christmas Child Shoebox collection. Approximately 15,786 shoeboxes were collected this year and with the support of Burnside Lodge those children who had never received a Christmas Gift, will now enjoy a present and understand through Christian books the "reason for the season."

photo by Donnie Brake

# **Masonry Matters – 2010**



Family Resource and Youth Services Center Representatives Nancye Daniel and Treasa Johnson along with School Superintendent Quin Sutton accept a check for over \$2000 from Lyon County Masons; Phil Robinson representing Suwanee Lodge 190, Carroll Dorroh of Joppa Lodge 167, District Three Deputy Ronald Walker and Bob Mc-Donald representing Parkersville Lodge 484.

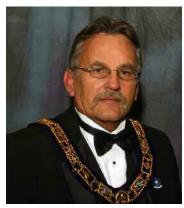
The donation was made as part of the "Masonry Matters"

program propagated by local Supreme Court Justice and Mason Bill Cunningham. Funds were raised through the Masons Fish Fry held during Kuttawa Harvest Festival and enhanced by donations. The FRYSC center will use the money for emergency assistance to families in need who have children in the school system and also to provide Christmas to children who might otherwise find that Santa had skipped them this year.

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# **Grand Master's Message**



DONALD H. YANKEY Grand Master

### Happy New Year

The New Year has begun and all the New Officers have been installed. The Masters have made their plans for their year. We need to support them and their new ideas, and see that they reach the goals they have set for your Lodge. It's also a time when we can look at ourselves and remember what caused us to become members of this great Fraternity. Was it a sense of belonging to something good, or was it the members we knew and respected that made us to want to be a part of something really worth our time? Was it a sense that some family member be-

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ROGER D. BARNETT, Editor e-mail: masonichomejournal@hotmail.com 9410 Stonelanding Place • Louisville, KY 40272 MARION O. REED, Editor Emeritus longed, and you knew he would not be a part of something that was not respectful to family, country and community?

Whatever your motivation was to join, now is the time to rededicate yourself to being the best member and Mason possible. Our claim is, we take good men and make them better, so as we work within our Lodges let's do what we do best, and make great Masons. Outside our Lodges let us practice those important lessons we were taught within. Masonry should be a way of life not just a Fraternity to which we belong.

So as we begin this New Year, let's remember to follow our by-laws and constitution set forth by the Grand Craft. Your and elected and appointed Grand Officers are here to assist you in any way they can. Update your constitutions, study them, and practice your ritualistic work. Attendance to your own lodge will not only benefit your Brothers but will yield you that friendship of Brotherly love and affection which should characterize Freemasons.

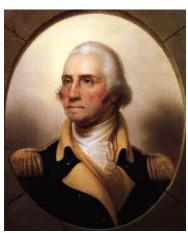
The Brotherhood shared among this Craft, has deepened as I see brothers visiting other Lodges in their area. It was Brothers like you and friendships made that will allow me to serve you as Grand Master.

First Lady, Janice and I, wish for you a prosperous year and look forward to seeing as many of you as possible this year. Safe travels and remember, "You get out of Masonry what you put into Masonry."

God Bless and have a Safe and Happy New Year.

# **George Washington York Rite Festival**

Many years ago, several York Rite bodies around the Commonwealth began holding festivals in honor of George Washington. This year 2 of our York Rite bodies will confer these degrees on Saturday, February 26, 2011, starting at 8:00 am. Somerset York Rite Bodies located at 105 North Main Street, Somerset 42501 is the site of one of the two festivals. The contact person is Michael Grigsby who can be



reached by email at MJGRIGSBY@windstream.net. The other festival will be held at Demolay Commandery located at 1410 Gardiner Lane, Louisville 40213-1966. Please contact J.B. Hitt II by email at JBHitt@att.net or Ronnie Skipper by email at ur2sli@insightbb.com for information concerning petitioning the degrees. You can also go to the website at www.yorkriteKY.org.

Fraternally submitted, Douglas W. Bunch, Most Illustrious Grand Master Grand Council of KY, Royal and Select Masters

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# FROM YOUR GRAND SECRETARY

JOSEPH R. CONWAY, P.G.M. Grand Secretary

### LODGE DUES DELINQUENT

Inquiries have been made to the Grand Lodge Office as to when a member is considered delinguent in the payment of dues and assessments to his Lodge(s). Section 154 of the Book of Constitutions of the Grand Lodge of Kentucky, F.& A.M., states that "The dues of all Lodges shall be due on January 1 each year, and payable in advance for the full year." Therefore, it would seem logical to conclude that a member who had not paid his dues and assessments for the current year would be considered delinguent on the first day of January of that year. There may appear to be a discrepancy in the Section mentioned above since further on it states that "Dues for each year shall be delinquent on April 1, and the delinquent members shall be subject to suspension on the stated meeting of the Lodge in June."

However, in that instance the reference to the term "delinquent" applies to the point at which a Lodge may consider the suspension of a member-or members- for nonpayment of dues and assessments. Please keep in mind that the terms "delinquent" and "not in good standing" are not synonymous. The section referred to above merely sets the minimum time at which a member-or members- may be suspended for non-payment of dues- but does not set a limit on the time a Lodge may carry a member before suspension, if the Lodge chooses to do so. Further, a Lodge may, in the Lodge By-Laws; lengthen the time before suspension of a member (i.e. after one year, two years, etc.)-but may not shorten the time. That is to say, a member owing only the current years dues cannot be

suspended before June of the year the dues become payable.

Realizing that Lodge dues and assessments are necessary to provide the funds required to keep our Lodges, the Grand Lodge, and or Masonic charities financially sound and viable, the most prudent approach would be to remit our dues to the Secretary of our respective Lodge immediately upon receipt of the dues notice, thereby, eliminating the necessity of the term "delinquent" from our Masonic vocabulary.

### RETAINING INFORMATION

(Important information reprinted from January 2010)

Frequently a question comes to the Grand Lodge Office from a lodge Secretary about how much lodge information should be retained by him. Our answer has always been to keep as much as you possibly can. Obviously, the personal information on the lodge membership is of utmost importance, both for the present and for future reference, and should be retained indefinitely. Some lodge Secretaries even keep other information on lodge members in their personal file when they distinguish themselves in the community. The same goes for other records such as lodge minutes, deeds, correspondence, insurance contracts, tax information, bequests, IRS information, etc. The history of the lodge is maintained in the minute book of the lodge proceedings and the membership records of the lodge, and these items should be protected and stored in a safe, secure and fire-proof location. Some item, such as cancelled checks, invoices, bank records, etc., may be destroyed when they are no longer useful. However, it is advisable to retain them as

long as possible.

One basic item that should be preserved and filed properly is the original petition submitted for membership in the lodge, whether it is for the degrees or affiliation, and it should be filled out completely by the petitioner and the lodge Secretary. The importance of doing this was brought to my attention recently when a lodge member, trying to reconstruct the membership listing of his lodge for a new Secretary, called the Grand Lodge Office for information on the membership and records for his lodge. He could locate only a few items to assist him, and the information requested on the forms he did find was not complete, and consequently not of much use to him. Apparently, the previous Secretary did not think doing so was a high priority. The petition forms, if filled out completely by both the petitioner and lodge Secretary, contains all the basic information on the individual member, and should be retained for future reference in cases such as the one noted above.

As Secretaries, we are all too familiar with the loads of paperwork that we are required to deal with, and for the filing and maintenance of the same; however, maintaining such is worthy of our earnest efforts, and important for the preserving of the history of our lodges.

So, be very conscious and selective in what you decide to discard.

### NEWLY ELECTED SECRETARIES

Each year there are a number of new secretaries elected to that important office of the Lodge. The office of Secretary carries with it great responsibilities, second only to the Master, for the well being of the Lodge and it members. How well the Secretary responds to- and carries out his duties- is directly proportional to the success of a Lodge. An interested and knowledgeable Secretary is indispensable to the Master and his Lodge in moving our Fraternity forward, an uninterested Secretary will affect the Lodge in negative manner.

So if you are a newly elected Secretary, my advice to you is; first learn the duties of the Secretary; second, make sure you communicate clearly and fully with the Master; and third, develop an unconscious and natural "feel" for your particular Lodge and each member thereof. There are many responsibilities- but also many rewards if you can develop the right attitude. Welcome aboard and good luck!!

### Thought for the Month

The important thing is not to stop questioning. Curiosity has its own reason for existing. One cannot help but be in awe when he contemplates the mysteries of eternity, of life, of the marvelous structure of reality. It is enough if one tries to comprehend a little of this mystery every day. Never lose a holy curiosity.

--ALBERT EINSTEIN

### GRAND LODGE OF KENTUCKY WEB PAGE

If you have not had the opportunity to visit the Grand Lodge of Kentucky Web Page, you can do so by logging on at www.grandlodgeofkentucky.org

Also visit the *Masonic Home Journal* at this site. The Web Page is now more updated and informative, so please visit us at the site listing above.



# Masonic Community Outreach



Highland Lodge 311 – "Cops for Kids"



Highland Lodge No. 311 would like to take this opportunity to thank the people of "Cops for Kids," Scott Atkins, a West Liberty City Police Officer for the support of this special program, accepting a donation from all the members of Highland Lodge. Pictured, left to right: Reese Oliver; Garry Sheets; Keith Burton; Officer Scott Adkins; Randy Robinson; and Terry Robbins. And a very special thanks to Sonny

### Hiram Lodge 4 – Masonic Homes Donation



Hiram Masonic Lodge No. 4 recently presented a check to the Masonic Homes of Kentucky at their Past Master's dinner. Accepting the check from Hiram Lodge master Jeff Wiley (center) are Joe Conway, Grand Secretary (left) and Grand Master Don Yankey (right).

photo by Donnie Brake

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Have you made your contribution to the

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# Masonic 2010 Officers 🏖



# Russell Springs Lodge 941 – 2011 Officers



On December 16, 2010 Officers were installed at Russell Lodge No. 941. The Officers were installed by Past Grand Master, Robert Davenport. Front row, left to right: Bob Davenport, Past Grand Master; Randy Smith, Senior Warden; David Harris, Master; Josh Branscum, Junior Warden; Joel Emerson, Senior Steward; Tom Jessee, Junior Steward; and Danny Coffey, Master Mason. Back row: Bobby Brown, Treasurer; Rex Miller, Senior Deacon; Leonard Smith, Chaplain; Joel Wolford, Secretary; and Josh Root, Junior Deacon. Not pictured: Chuck Gossett, Tiler.

### Pittman Lodge 124 – Installs Officers



Recently new Officers were installed at Pittman Lodge No. 124. Front row, left to right: R. Scott Sprowles, Secretary; R. David Cowherd, Senior Warden; Stephen W. Russell, Master; Michael R. Sullivan, Junior Warden; and William T. Phillips, Chaplain. Second row: Joseph R. Conway, Grand Secretary, Installing Officer; Gregory D. Williams, Senior Deacon; R. Neal Harmon, Jr., Tiler; R. Douglas Wolford, Senior Steward; G.Frank Kidwell, Treasurer; Timothy Davis, Junior Steward; and Bobby L. Baker, Marshal.

### Zoneton Lodge 964 – 2010 Officers



At a recent meeting of Zoneton Lodge No. 964 the Officers for 2011 were installed. Pictured, front row, left to right: Ray Wolford, Junior Deacon; Robert Wolford, Senior Warden; John Smuts, Master; Harlan Compton, Junior Warden; and John Holbrook, Junior Steward. Back row: Ronnie Skipper, Installing Marshal; Ralph Lawson, Chaplain; Mike Compton, Senior Deacon; Tony Thompson, Treasurer; and Jason Runyun. Secretary.

# **Masonic News**

### **Grand Junior Warden Reception**



Pictured, back row, left to right: Quinton Nation (son), Dick Nation (son), Richard T. Nation (Grand Junior Warden) and Bryan Nation (son). Front row, left to right: Karen Nation (wife), Yvonne Nation (mother) and Stacy Nation (wife of Brian Nation).

Following a delicious meal provided by the Masonic Homes of Kentucky in Shelbyville, a reception program was held to honor the newly installed Grand Junior Warden, Richard T. Nation on December 5, 2010. Approximately 130 people were in attendance with an inspirational speech given by Brigadier General, John Heltzel. Many presentations and fine words were given to Rick Nation for his past Masonic Service. He and his family are dedicated to serve the Grand Lodge of Kentucky.

# Woodbury Lodge 280 – Christmas Delivery



Brothers of Woodbury Lodge No. 280 delivery many Christmas baskets fill with fruit to sick Brothers. Pictured, Brother Rudy Belcher (left) accepting the fruit basket from Brother Walton Neighbors. *Masonry in action!* 

# **IMPORTANT NOTE...**

Any and all address changes or cancellations in receiving The Masonic Home Journal, should be made to the Grand Lodge of Kentucky office.

# **Masonic News**

# Cumberland Valley Lodge 751 – Raises Two



On November 27, 2010, Cumberland Valley Lodge No. 751 had the pleasure to raise two to the Sublime Degree of a Master Mason. Pictured, left to right: Scottie Hendrickson, New Master Mason; Bob Shell, Master; and Decco Wilson, New Master Mason.

### Freedom Lodge 643 – New Master Masons



Freedom Lodge No. 643 recently raised three new Brothers to the Sublime Degree of a Master Mason. Pictured, from left: Stan Oliver, Senior Warden; Ken Criswell, Acting Senior Deacon; Prentiss McWorther, New Master Mason; Hugh Turner, Treasurer; Robert Lipke, New Master Mason; Benny Decker, Tiler; Richard Upchurch, New Master Mason; Ron Hutchinson, Acting Master; and David Neal, Senior Deacon.

photo by Donnie Brake

# Pieratt Lodge 725 – New Master Mason



Past District
Deputy District #23
Buford Litteral
presided as Master of
Pieratt Lodge No. 725
on September 25,
2010 and performed
all three Degrees on
the Master Mason
Degree raising of
Brother Bruce K.
Napier. Thanks
Brother Buford and
congratulations
Brother Napier.

### Kentucky's DeMolay Fall Conclave

Kentucky DeMolay's Fall Conclave was held on November 12-14, 2010, in Louisville, KY. The Fall Conclave was conducted under the leadership of James Bowling, State Master Councilor. We were delighted also to have as guests, Robert Taylor, Active Member of International Supreme Council and Executive Officer of West Virginia DeMolay, along with Brothers: Michael Burge, PSMC, Sam Reece,

Nick Baldwin, and Mason Winkie. Ted Korn, Active Member of International Supreme Council and Region 4 Representative also was our guest.



On Saturday, the Sorority had a wonderful tour of Churchill Downs and the Derby Museum and each young lady came home with a jockey silks derby pin of their choice. The DeMolay Sorority completed Leadership Correspondence #1.

A class on the meaning of DeMolay Precepts was held, along with a DeMolay Congress session. Later that evening, a dance was held and



the DeMolay Sorority, along with members of Jobs Daughters and of Rainbow were in attendance. A great time was had by all.

Numerous

ritual and athletic competitions were held, with awards being presented on Sunday morning. The Initiatory Degree competition champion was Joe Deskin of River Cities Chapter, the DeMolay Degree Obligation champion was Brody Allen of River Cities Chapter. The Mag 7 champion was Tanner Stevens of River Cities Chapter and the Junior Councilor and Sr. Councilor Initiatory Degree competition champion was Rafael Gonzalez of Cherokee Chapter.

The Sports competition champions are as follows: Team Bowling – Bluegrass Chapter, along with High Game and High Series going to James Estes of Bluegrass Chapter. The Flag Football competition champion was a combined team of Cherokee and Gold Fidelity Chapters.

The C. Frye Haley Memorial Priory also met and welcomed several new members.

The Spring Conclave has been tentatively set for March 25-27, 2011 in Jamestown, Kentucky.



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# Latonia Lodge 746 – Homecoming Day



Latonia Lodge No. 746 celebrated their Homecoming Day on November 20, 2010. There were over sixty five in attendance. The program included a catered dinner, recognizing the widows and presenting those present with a Widow's Pin. A special tribute was given in remembrance of deceased Latonia Lodge Past Masters. There were fifteen Past Masters present. They were given a chance to tell something special that occurred during their year as master.

Latonia Lodge Senior Warden, George McCain, Latonia member, Josh McCain and Past Master from Hebron Lodge #757, Tom Geimeier, gave a presentation on "Sons of the American Revolution."

Latonia Lodge presented over \$2000.00 total to several charities this year. Care Net and Action Ministries were present at the Homecoming event to receive their check.



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## Stephensburg Lodge 212 – Raises Two



On November 11, 2010 Stephensburg Lodge No. 212 raised two Brothers to the Sublime Degree of a Master Mason. Pictured, front row: Travis Wayne Beard, New Master Mason; Chris Miller, New Master Mason; and assisting with the Degree work was the C. Frye Haley Past Masters Association.

### Whitesburg Lodge 754 – Father & Son Night



On November 18, 2010, at their regular stated meeting, Whitesburg Lodge No. 754 held a special Father and Son Night. A wonderful dinner was held at this joyous celebration dedicated to that special relationship between a father and son.

# Oakland Lodge 563 – New Fellowcraft



At a recent meeting of Oakland Lodge No. 563, four Brothers took their Fellowcraft Degree: Pictured, left to right: Josh Coots; Jonathan Birge; Dennis Johnson; and Timmy Tennison.

# MASONIC HOMES of KENTUCKY

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# Shelbyville Home named Kentucky's top facility

Masonic Home of Shelbyville was honored as the 2010-11 statewide Facility of the Year by Kentucky Association of Health Care Facilities, the trade association representing more than 300 Kentucky nursing homes. The Facility of the Year honor was one of five first-place awards the Shelbyville Home collected Nov. 11 at KAHCF's annual Quality Awards Banquet. Other best-in-state honors include:

- Photograph of the Year taken by Jeff Mackey of the Home's Senior Prom
- Innovative Program of the Year "Garden Café" created by Dining Services Director Linda Wagner and staff



Masonic Home of Shelbyville employees celebrated being named Facility of the Year.

# Winning the Facility of the Year honor

followed a Masonic Homes sweep of first-place Central District Professional Achievement Awards, collecting 11 of 14 plagues. Named the Central District's best from Masonic Home of Louisville were Rayna Parker, State Registered Nurse Aide; Judy Moore, Certified Medication Aide; Charletta Parker, Personal Care Home Caregiver; Lora Welch, Medical Services; Vanessa Pierani, Social Services / Admissions; and **Amber Smith**, Nursing/LPN.

• Better Life Education Award - Jefferson Technical & Community College Assistant Professor Laura Talbott Volunteers of the Year – "Baxter's Bunch" initiated by Chaplain Jesse Baxter

Top Central District award winners from Shelbyville were **Dona Nation**, Supportive Services; Linda Wagner, Dietary; Anthony Nader, Environmental Services; Leslie Mack, Nursing/RN; and **Jeff Mackey**, Administrative Nursing.

## Holiday tradition continues

District 28 supports Alvin Johnson Fund's fruit and candy delivery

Courtesy of the Alvin Johnson Fund, friends in District 28 brightened the 2010 holidays for Masonic Home residents in Louisville and Shelbyville:

- Chandlersville Lodge No. 858
- Van Lear Lodge No. 885
- Warfield Lodge No. 882
- Ted Adams Lodge of Research
- Martin Co. Shrine Club
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- Flatgap Lodge No. 616
- Iimmy Hanny
- Billy Joe Prater
- Roy Brown
- Ray Brown
- Steve Harris
- Steve Groves
- Past Masters of District 27



On hand for the fruit and candy delivery were (from left) Sheldon Sammon, Herman Fletcher, Junior York, Homes'VP of Mission Advancement Phyllis O'Daniel, Billy Joe Prater, Kerry Sluss and Greg Sammon.

# Sam Swope Care Center celebrates grand opening

In early December, more than 3,000 people got a sneak peak of the new Sam Swope Care Center at Masonic Home of Louisville.

Grand opening celebrations occurred over 10 days to show off the \$40 million, 196,000-sq.-ft. Care Center.

The Care Center's unique design features six households connected by a Main Street corridor and also includes a library, café and shops, as well as a multipurpose room for resident activities and staff training. Residents and staff will begin moving into the center in early 2011.



Homes CEO Gary Marsh greeted Sam Swope at a grand opening celebration.



From left, Care Center staff Montye Burch, Alysia Self, Donna Lay and Tabitha King waited to escort guests through the short-stay rehab house.

### Worth a thousand words





**Above:** Masonic Home of Shelbyville staff braved a snowstorm to participate in Shelby County's annual Christmas parade. Grand Junior Warden Rick Nation and members of Solomon Lodge No. 4 joined the Home's staff on their Christmas on Main Street float.

Above: Administrator Debra Finneran visited with Grand Master and Homes' Board member Don Yankey and Board Chair Joe Conway at a reception honoring Grand Junior Warden Rick Nation. Masonic Home of Shelbwille hosted the event, sponsored by Shelby Lodge No. 662.

### Attention, Masonic Snowbirds:

Please plan to join Masonic Homes Board members and staff for lunch during the 2011 Florida tour next month. Learn the latest about the Homes and enjoy an afternoon of fellowship at any of the following locations:

### Tampa

Monday, February 7th Noon, Egypt Shrine Center 4050 Dana Shores Drive

### Ft. Myers

Wednesday, February 9th Noon, Crowne Plaza 13051 Bell Tower Drive

### Sebring

Friday, February 11th Noon, Inn on the Lakes 1300 Golfview

For details or to register, please contact Brenda Travis 866.764.6631 btravis@mhky.com Look for your personal invitation in the mail.

Donate new or gently used hard back books to the new library at Masonic Home of Louisville's Sam Swope Care Center. Contact Dama Maynard (502.753.8854; dmaynard@mhky)

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# MASONIC SERVICE AWARDS

# Ft. Thomas Lodge 808 – Awards Night



Bob Peelman, Chaplain assisting Master George Tither, PGM with his meal.



Master George Tither congratulating Brother John Siegler on receiving his 40 Year Service Pin.

On October 9, 2010 Ft. Thomas Lodge held it's annual Past Masters Night at the Lodge. This year they decided to honor the Widows and invited them to honor them also. A meal of roast pork, roast beef, mashed potatoes, and green beans was served. All who attended had a good meal and a great time remembering the Ft. Thomas Past Masters and honoring the pin recipients this year.

### Pinnacle Lodge 661 – Family & Awards Night

On November 13, 2010 Pinnacle Lodge No. 661 held their annual Family and Awards Night. The awards were presented by the Deputy Grand Master Terry Bowman. Congratulations Brothers for your many years of Masonic dedication.



Deputy Grand Master Terry Bowman (left) presenting 20 Year Member Joey Young with his award, and Joe Young, his son.



Deputy Grand Master Terry Bowman (right) presenting Roy Manis his 40 Year award.



Deputy Grand Master Terry Bowman (left) presenting 30 Year Awards to Tommy Harrell and Wilse Howard.

# Harrison Fullerton Lodge 937 – Awards Night



Harrison Fullerton Lodge No. 937 held their annual Honors Dinner on November 13, 2010. Pens were presented by Grand Master Donald H. Yankey. Awards were presented to Mrs. Barbara J. Keaton widow's pin; Roger Keaton a 25 Year Pin; William Secrets, 40 Year Pin; Todd Carter, 25 Year Pin; Donald Collier, 40 Year Pin; and Sean Carter with his Profanely Certificate.

### LaFayette 151 – 50 Year Presentation



At the 2111th Annual Grand Communication, Grand Master L. Todd Eastham and Grand Secretary Joe Conway presented Brother Leslie Guier his 50 Year Service Pin, accompanied by Jane, his wife and sons, Benny, David, Keith and Kevin who are all Masons.

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# MASONIC SERVICE AWARDS

### St. Matthews 906 – 50 Year Service Award



On November 29, 2010 a 50 Year Service Pin was awarded to Brother J.B.Hitt of St. Matthews Lodge. The award was given by Grand Master, Donald Yankey with his congratulations. The evenings festivities began with an excellent meal with good Masonic Fellowship and many guests in attendance. After the presentation, entertainment was provided by "Donnie Dynamite and the Dynamos" playing music from the 50's and 60's. This was an evening enjoyed by all. Presentation was made by Grand Master Donald Yankey (right); J.B.Hitt (center); and Daniel Wolfe, Master (left).

### Lexington Lodge 1 – 40 Year Presentation



At the December 6, 2010 meeting of Lexington Lodge No. 1, Brother Ron St. Clair was presented his 40 Year Service Pin by Worshipful Master Scott Brown. Thanks to Brother St. Clair for his many years of service which also include his duties as Past Master of Lincoln Lodge #60.

# Oakland Lodge 563 – 50 Year Service Awards



At a recent meeting of Oakland Lodge No. 563, four Brothers were honored and received their 50 Year Service Pins. Pictured, left to right: Donald Hendrick; Willard Cole; Maurice Miller; and 1961 Past Master Charles Hendrick

# Livermore Lodge 186 – 50 Year Service Award



Brother Wallace Wigginton recently was presented his 50 Year Service Pin and Gold Card from Past Grand Master Curtis Johnston. Brother Curtis Johnston (left), Brother Wallace Wigginton (center), and his wife Helen Wigginton (right).

### Hiram Lodge 4 – 60 Year Service Awards



Hiram Lodge No. 4 had the distinction of recognizing 60-year members at their recent Past Masters dinner. Pictured from left: Jeff Wiley, Master; Joe Conway, Grand Secretary; Sixty Year members Sterlin E. Tracy; and William Durrett, Jr.; and Grand Master Don Yankey.

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### Loyal Lodge 930 – Service Awards Dinner



On November 6, 2010 Loyal Lodge No. 930 held their Service Awards dinner at Ken & Paul's Steakhouse in Harlan, Kentucky. Pictured, left to right: David C. Howard, Howard #819; William . Baker, Treasurer; Lester Cornett, 50 Years; Charles Wattenberger, 40 Years; Roland McIlquham, 40 Years; Daniel B. Williams, 40 Years; Rev. Ernest Boggs, 40 Years; and Christopher B. Williams, Master. Not pictured: Joe Baker; Tony Tolliver; and Robert Watkins, 40 Years; Lonnie Lowe; and Rev. Thomas Davies, 25 Years. A Special thanks to Brother David Gilbert, Mrs. Tonya Williams and Mrs. Teddy Wattenberger.



### ERNEST D. CORNETT

McKinney Lodge No. 631 McKinney, Kentucky

In memory of Brother Ernest D. Cornett who passed away on November 15, 2010.

Once again a Brother has finished the designs written by the Master of the Universe. He has passed onto eternity to receive the rewards of a Master Mason.

WHEREAS, he being a true and faithful Brother of the Craft; therefore be it

RESOLVED, that McKinney Lodge No. 631 of McKinney, Kentucky be draped in mourning for thirty days and we tender to the family our deepest heartfelt condolences.

BILLY A. HAYES, SEC.

### ROBERT CRAIG FULTON

Neel Lodge No. 833 Munfordville, Kentucky

In memory of Brother Robert Craig Fulton, a true and faithful Brother for 28 years, who passed from this life on earth December 14, 2010 to that Greatest Lodge on High.

WHEREAS, it has pleased the Almighty God to call our Brother from Labor here on Earth to that Grand Lodge on High; let it be

RESOLVED, that in his death we extend our heartfelt sympathy to his family and friends and direct them for comfort and consolation to our Heavenly Father who doeth all things well; therefore be it

RESOLVED, that these resolutions be sent to the family, a copy sent *The Masonic Home Journal* for publication, and a copy to be used in the minutes of the Lodge.

JAMES DAVID HOLCOMB, MASTER JOE W. WHEET, SR. SEC.

### HOUSTON JOHNSON

Green River Lodge No. 88 Munfordville, Kentucky

Once again a Brother Mason, having completed the designs written for him of life's trestle board, has passed through the portals of eternity and entered the Grand Lodge of the New Jerusalem and hath received as his reward, the white stone with the new name written thereon; and

WHEREAS, the all wise and merciful Master of the Universe has called from labor to refreshment our beloved and respected Brother; and

WHEREAS, he having been a true and faithful Brother of our Order; therefore be it

RESOLVED, that the Charter of Green River Lodge No. 88 in testimony of her loss, be draped in mourning for thirty days and that we tender to the family of our deceased Brother our sincere condolence in their deep affliction, and that a copy of these Resolutions be sent to the family, one copy to *The Masonic Home Journal* for publication,

and a copy of this Resolution of Respect be made a part of the minutes of the Lodge.

CRAIG W. LOGSDON, MASTER RAYMOND H.DAY, JR., SEC.

### JAMES WAYNE STOBAUGH

Orphans Friends Lodge No. 523 White Plains, Kentucky

In memory of Brother James Wayne Stobaugh who passed away July 2, 2010.

WHEREAS, it has pleased almighty God in His infinite wisdom to call unto himself the Spirit of our departed Brother James Wayne Stobaugh to lay down his working tools of life and join Him in eternal life in Heaven; be it

RESOLVED, that in his death the family has lost a beloved husband and father, the fraternity a true and worthy Brother and the community a valued citizen and leader; be it further

RESOLVED, that Orphans Friend Lodge No. 523 in testimony of its loss, drape its charter for thirty days and that we tender to the family our sincerest and deepest condolences.

CHARLES ELKINS, MASTER
JAMES EPPERSON, SEC.

#### WILLIAM ARGILE SULLIVAN

Orphans Friends Lodge No. 523 White Plains, Kentucky

In memory of Brother William Argile Sullivan who passed away July 2, 2010

WHEREAS, it has pleased almighty God in His infinite wisdom to call unto himself the Spirit of our departed Brother William Argile Sullivan to lay down his working tools of life and join Him in eternal life in Heaven; be it

RESOLVED, that in his death the family has lost a beloved husband and father, the fraternity a true and worthy Brother and the community a valued citizen and leader; be it further

RESOLVED, that Orphans Friend Lodge No. 523 in testimony of its loss, drape its charter for thirty days and that we tender to the family our sincerest and deepest condolences.

CHARLES ELKINS, MASTER JAMES EPPERSON, SEC.

#### ARVIN WHITLOW

Wm. B. Allen Lodge No. 704 Summersville, Kentucky

In memory of Brother Arvin Whitlow who passed away on November 2, 2010. He was a member for over 25 years.

Be it resolved that in his passing, the family has lost a beloved member. The Fraternity has lost an honorable and upright man and Mason.

Be it resolved, that a copy of these Resolutions be sent to the family and a copy be sent to *The Masonic Home Jour*nal for publication.

SCOTT SULLIVAN, MASTER LARRY MARCUM, SEC.

# **By-Laws**

### HISEVILLE LODGE NO. 787

At the first stated communication in the month following publication of this notice in *The Masonic Home Journal*, Hiseville Lodge No. 787 will vote on changes to its By-Laws.

### McKEE LODGE NO. 144

At the first stated communication in the month following publication of this notice in *The Masonic Home Journal*, McKee Lodge No. 144 will vote on changes in its By-Laws concerning dues increase and degree increase. All members are urged to attend.

### ROBERT M. SIRKLE LODGE NO. 954

At the first stated communication in the month following publication of this notice in *The Masonic Home Journal*, Robert M. Sirkle Lodge No. 954 will vote on changes to its By-Laws. All members are urged to attend.

### The Secularization of the Season

A recent visit to the grocery store was both revealing and a bit depressing. As I made my way through the aisles of the store, I saw a group of workers who were busily engaged in arranging an attractive holiday display. As I watched those workers, I was reminded that Christmas, the joyous season of the year when many celebrate the birth of Jesus in a stable in Bethlehem, is just around the corner. But I noticed that the traditional symbols usually associated with Christmas were not being used to decorate that display. Instead, those workers used a lot of glitter to catch the eyes of shoppers.

This is an indication of that which is happening all around us. The secularists are actively seeking to change society and undermine the traditional values that have been part of our society since our founding fathers brought forth a new nation on this continent. In this environment, political correctness, a tool of the secularists, has determined that, during this season, attention should be focused upon those things that remind us to celebrate the winter solstice with a Winter Festival and Frosty the Snowman.

To a point, the secularists have been successful. Some workers have been instructed to greet others with "Happy Holidays;" it would be offensive to some to say "Merry Christmas." In some schools, the primary institution that moulds the minds of impressionable children and youth, Christmas programs have been replaced with winter festivals. At those festivals, traditional Christmas carols may not be sung; they have been replaced with songs that stress the coming of winter. Some school districts have changed the school calendar. "Winter Break" has replaced "Christmas Holidays." Too, some of the cards we send at this time of the year have abandoned Christmas symbols and use generic symbols that suggest the beginning of winter.

We live in an environment in which the majority have embraced traditional values and have celebrated Christmas as a holy day. We do not have to conform and accept the secularization of this season.



# MASONIC BULLETIN BOARD

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LEXINGTON LODGE NO. 1—Meets 1st and 3rd Mondays, 7:30 P.M., 3112 Har-rdsburg Rd. next to Fire Station #21. Soott Brown, M.; Mason Campbell, Jr., Sec., 229 Glendale Ave., Lexington 40511, 859-252-3607.

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Louisville, Robert E. Maxwell, M.; Robert S. Conder, P.M., Sec., P.O. Box 91811, Louisville 40291; 502-664-4918.

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FORTITUDE LODGE NO. 47—Meets 2nd and 4th Mondays, 127 East Main St., LaGrange, above Karen's Book Barn. Shane Cravens, M.; James W. Townsend, Sr., Sec., 3004 W. Hwy. 42, LaGrange 40031, 502-222-1672.

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HART LODGE NO. 61—Meets 2nd & 4th Mon. 7:30 P.M. 254 Edgewood Dr., 2 blks. of S. Main St., Nicholasville. Howard G. Teater, M.; Gary D. Lykins, Sec., 109 Anthony Dr., Nicholasville 40356, 859-608-4442.

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bethtown 42701, 270-765-7766 HARRISON LODGE NO. 122—Meets 2nd & 4th Mon., Masonic Building, 125

Broadway, Brandenburg, 7:30 P.M. Michael W. Curl, M.; Archie N. Romines, Sr., P.M., Sec., 175 Buck Knobs Rd., Ekron 40117, 270-828-8432.
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uisville 40214, 502-445-5353.

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PLUMB LODGE NO. 862—Meets in Robinson Lodge Hall, 6919 Applegate Ln.,

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402.12, 302-353-3513.
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FAIRDALE LODGE NO. 942—1st & 3rd Thurs., 10008 Mitchell Hill Rd., Fairdale. st Bell, Jr., M.; Reginald D. Paschal, Sec., P.O. Box 241, Fairdale, 40118, 502-367-

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Lodge, 6919 Applegate Ln. Ralph C. Lawson, M.; Melvin Mullins, Sec., 6514 Lovers Ln., Louisville 40291, 502-231-2618. YELLOW BANKS LODGE NO. 957 – Meets 1st-3rd Mon., 227 St. Ann St., Owens-

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Dr., 3rd Fri, 6r each month, 7:30 P.M. Mary Petty, W.M.; Cassie Jarred, Sec., P.O. Box 72263, Louisville 40272, 502-935-3315.

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Tues., 7:30 P.M. Jo Vest, W.M.; Debbie Ballinger, Sec., 4305 Gaudet Rd., Louisville 40299, 502-267-6616. CRESCENT HILL CHAPTER NO. 265—Meets in Louisville DeMolay Comman-

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VICTORY CHAPTER NO. 447—Meets 2nd Thurs, 7:30 P.M., Highland Park
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# Western Kentucky Masons Host Christmas Party



Masons from Western Kentucky joined forces to host a Christmas Party for the 2113rd Transportation of the Kentucky National Guard on Sunday December 5, 2010. This is the 7th year Western Kentucky Masons have been providing these events for their local National Guard and Army reserve Units.

According to Dean Owen, Chairman of the Veterans Affairs Committee and Master of Antioch Lodge #332 "This program is a lot of fun, and really needed. Few people realize how difficult a situation our local National Guard and Reserve Soldiers are in. As this war continues it seems most Americans have forgotten their Soldiers, the war is no longer popular, so there is not much news. But our Kentucky Soldiers are being deployed at alarming rates. Over the years we learned we could provide group events for these units very efficiently. That takes a BIG load off of the family groups so they can focus resources and efforts more directly on the personal needs of the individual Soldiers and their families. It is really rewarding to sit back with guys you see in Lodge and watch one of these events unfold, all the families having a good

time, Santa coming in and lighting up the kids faces, and knowing we made that happen."

Andy Kelly (aka Santa Clause) stated "it is really rewarding to be able to give back to these soldiers in some way. Andy is a member of Paducah Lodge #127 and Chaplin of the Local Disabled American veterans organization. According to Andy "There are so many good men and families in these units, and so many Soldiers in our fraternity, it is just a natural fit".

Rod Pearce, PM of Paducah Lodge #127 stated "It is a lot of fun working with the various lodges, it seems most every Lodge in Western KY has a part of play in helping this program take off. The relationships with the Soldiers has been particularly powerful, it seems these folks have so many issues going on at once with deployments and training, to give back just a little feels really good."

If you would like to know more about how to get your Lodge involved with your Local National Guard or Reserve unit contact Dean Owen at 270-554-0720.