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The Master's Words

Thanks to Gerry Hansen for a fine meal at our installation on December 1st, and thanks to all who helped set up and clean up afterwards. Special thanks to Lowell Scott, Installing Master, Wayne Budwick, Installing Marshall and Gene Marcus, Installing Chaplain. Everyone looked very nice and the officers all did a nice job. I hope the pictures turn out.

No information on degree work as yet, but the MM degree will be performed on December 29, as scheduled, candidate or not. So come to the practices (casual dress only for the practices).

I hope everyone has a very Merry Christmas and a Happy Chanukah and a Happy New Year!

S&F,
Gordie
Worshipful Master



From The South

Hello from the South-
On 2/16/12, Thursday, our lodge is going to have a sit down dinner with our favorite ladies. This will be at 7:00pm and held at the Fireside Restaurant, 2801 30th Ave., Kenosha. You will be able to sign up at lodge or call Gerry at 770-3214 prior to 2/13/12.

Other dates for the 2012 season will be:
May 10, Thursday, Table Lodge
July 12, Thursday, Past Masters and Awards
Sept 15, Saturday, Lodge Picnic
Other events will be arranged.

See you in lodge,
Gerry
Junior Warden





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From the Secretary's Desk

Congratulations to Brother Claud "Dudley" and Nancy Wideman for celebrating their 50 years of marriage.

Thanks to all the contributors for our Bldg. Fund. We had great expectations but we encountered problems along the way which slowed things down and changes had to be made and the price went too high. The lodge voted to cancel everything and now we are back to square one. It's like my Dad said: son, education costs a lot of money and we got educated. Contributors are listed as follows:

Robert C. May, Bill Shelley, Oral Congdon, Ernest O. Mattner, Robert J. Burgermeister, Lee N. Zimmerman, Don Hall, James Gename, Harold Kreuser, James R. Schweitzer, Hugh K. Sherron, Tom Hamilton, Don Glenn, Craig Houston, Gus Orozco, Joe Layne, George E. McGilligan, Royce Ingraham, Pat Kuhner, Olger Bergerson, Steve Hunt, Jim Dowell, Joe McClelland, Gordon Charlton.

Thanks to all the brothers that have helped so much in the past year for repairs, cleaning and keeping things operating: Gus Orozco, Jim Gename, Bob Burgermeister, Gene Welter, Don Glenn, Olger Bergerson, Joe Layne, Randy Holton, Tom Hamilton, Gordy Charlton, Don Hall, Craig Houston, Royce Ingraham, Bill Shelley, Gerry Hansen, Vince Shuler, Richard Anderson. We can also use more help if you want to be included.

To the brothers that haven't paid your dues, there is only a few days left in December to take care of it.

Remember every Wednesday morning coffee, rolls and you never know what else...

Your Secretary, Harold (Babe) Kreuser



INFORMATION

Bro. Randy Holton is taking orders once again for custom made Unity Lodge Rings. I have two (2) ready to order. At this time, I can get a deal of \$89.99 per ring for 2 or more rings ordered plus shipping. Anyone wishing to purchase a Unity Ring please contact Randy at rlholton@gmail.com or by phone at 262-652-7663.

(Note that the Unity rings feature the logo on page 1)



January Birthdays

- 01/01 Randy M. Spivey
- 01/07 Bruce M. Hoening
- 01/08 Peter Gochis
- 01/09 Bruce J. Hannah
- 01/11 James M. Suksi
- 01/11 Wayne A. Budwick
- 01/11 Randall F. Upright
- 01/13 Jimmie R. Thomas
- 01/13 Louis J. Zagame
- 01/16 Jack E. Vernezze
- 01/17 Kenneth E. Hagen
- 01/17 Robert G. Schnaare
- 01/17 George H. Easton
- 01/18 James L. Shaffer
- 01/18 Michael S. Vastano
- 01/19 James M. Hoover
- 01/19 Peter J. West
- 01/20 Jon P. Strecker
- 01/24 William C. Yenawine
- 01/25 Donald L. Hall
- 01/27 Gerald S. Hansen
- 01/27 Billy S. Owens
- 01/28 James G. Kruse
- 01/31 Woodrow Hanzalik

HAPPY Birthday!

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KEITH R. MATUS
 President



Happy New Year!

The Editor

I'm always promoting the electronic version of the TB. Send me your email address and I'll put you on the list to receive it (and other Lodge communications) via email. You can also find past issues on our website: www.kenoshamasons.com

Let's make this a great year...together.

I'll see you in Lodge!

Fraternally,

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Dates to Remember December 2011 - January 2012

Dec 15 – Stated Meeting 7 PM

Dec 21-28 - Chanukah

Dec 25 – Christmas

Dec 29 -- MM Degree 7 PM

Jan 2 – Trustees Meeting 6 PM

Jan 5 – Stated Meeting 7 PM (Dinner @ 6 PM)

Jan 19 – Stated Meeting 7 PM

Every Wednesday – Lodge Clean Up with coffee and rolls 8 AM, and Degree Practice 10 AM.

January Masonic Anniversaries

Marlin M. Dunham
Donald G. Roeder
Jerry E. Davis
Kenneth A. Robinson
Louis J. Zagame
Vincent Desantis
Eddie R. Lofton
Dennis A. Johnson Sr
Charles D. Estill
Robert T. Stoebe
James E. Kreuser
Terry A. Griffiths
Mark P. Filwett
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Challenges for the True Mason

Author Unknown

I will do more than belong – I will participate.

I will do more than care – I will help.

I will do more than believe – I will practice.

I will do more than be fair – I will be kind.

I will do more than forgive – I will forget.

I will do more than dream – I will work.

I will do more than teach – I will inspire.

I will do more than earn – I will enrich.

I will do more than give – I will serve.

I will do more than live – I will grow.

I will do more than be friendly – I will be a friend.

I will do more than be a citizen – I will be a patriot.

[These might make good New Year's Resolutions! – ed.]

