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FROM THE EAST





Ahoy Brethren,

I hope everyone had a safe and joyous holiday season. We will have a very packed schedule as we return to the Lodge after the holidays, and I hope to see all of you at the Lodge.

Can you believe it, we are starting another Masonic Year? I want to thank all of those who supported our Lodge in 2023.

In 2023, we initiated four Entered Apprentices, passed four Fellow Crafts, and raised three brothers to the Sublime Degree of Master Mason.

We are starting 2024 strong with the raising of Bro. Grady Dalton to the Sublime Degree of Master Mason on January 6, 2024. <u>Please note that this degree is at 9:00 AM on Saturday.</u>

On Saturday, January 13, 2024, our Lodge will hold its annual Installation of Officers for 2024. Installation is at 5:00 pm, and dinner will follow.

We currently have one open officer position, and it is Chaplain. If you are interested in filling this office, please let me know.

It is unfortunate but necessary that we raise dinner prices at Stated Meetings and Degrees to \$20/person. Prices for other events during the year will also increase a bit.

As I begin my fifth year in the East, it is hard to believe how fast time has gone. I am pleased to report that we again have brothers moving up the line and filling those much-needed officer positions. I want to thank Wor. Paul Galyean for taking on Senior Warden for the last four years.

Finally, I want to thank all of you for your continued support on this journey. And I could not have done it without you.

See you in Lodge!

Fraternally,

Greg Peterson Worshipful Master

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JAN 00	WED	11-11 4 :- 4:	0.00
03	WED	Hall Association Dinner	6:00 PM 6:30 PM
		Stated Meeting	7:30 PM
05	FRI	Social Night	6:30 рм
06	SAT	3 rd Degree	
		Grady Dalton	
		Degree	9:00 AM
40	WED	Lunch	11:00 AM
10	WED	Installation Practice (Officers Only)	7:00 РМ
13	SAT	Annual Installation of Officers	
13	5A1	Installation	5:00 рм
		Dinner	6:30 РМ
16	TUE	Shrine Club Dinner Meeting	6:30 РМ
17	WED	Officers Practice	7:00 PM
19	FRI	Social Night	6:30 рм
20	SAT	Officers Dinner	6:00 РМ
		(Officers Only)	
24	WED	Officers Practice	7:00 PM
31	WED	Officers Practice	7:00 PM
<u>FEB</u>			
02	FRI	Social Night	6:30 PM
07	WED	Hall Association	6:00 РМ
		Dinner	6:30 PM
	0	Stated Meeting	7:30 РМ
11	SUN	Super Bowl Party Los Angeles Harbor Lodge	2:00 РМ
16	FRI		6:30 PM
	TUF	Social Night	6:30 PM
20		Shrine Club Dinner Meeting	
21	WED	Annual Sweetheart Dinner	6:30 PM
28 MAR	WED	Officers Practice	7:00 РМ
01	FRI	Social Night	6:30 рм
		Social Night	
06	WED	Hall Association Dinner	6:00 PM 6:30 PM
		Stated Meeting	7:30 PM
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FOR REFLECTION



SAINT JOHN FESTIVAL DAYS

By history, custom, tradition and ritualistic requirements, the Craft holds dear the days of St. John the Baptist on June 24, and St. John the Evangelist on December 27. A lodge which forgets either forfeits a precious link with the past and loses an opportunity for the renewal of allegiance to everything in Freemasonry symbolized by these Patron Saints.

No satisfactory explanation has yet been advanced to explain why operative Masons adopted two Christian saints, when St. Thomas, the patron of architecture and building, was available.

St. John the Evangelist apparently came into our fraternal system somewhere towards the close of the sixteenth century; at least, we find the earliest authentic lodge minute reference to St. John the evangelist in Edinborough in 1599, although earlier mentions are made in connection with that may be called relatives, if not ancestors, of our Craft. For instance, "The Fraternity of St. John" existed in Cologne in 1430. "St. John's Masonry" is a distinctive term for Scotch Lodges, many of the older of which took the name of the saint. Thus, in its early records, the Lodge of Scoon and Perth is often called the Lodge of St. John, and the Lodge possesses a beautiful mural painting of the saint, on the east wall of the lodge room.

In many old histories of the Craft is a quaint legend that St. John the Evangelist became a "Grand Master" at the age of ninety. It seems to have its origin in a book printed in 1789. Whether the writer really continued a tradition, or invented the tale which was seized upon and kept alive as a legend, no man may say.

Other Lodges denominated "St. John's Lodges" were some of those unaffiliated with either the "Moderns" or the "Ancients" in the period between establishment of the Ancients (1751) and the Reconciliation (1813).

Historians believe that only after 1717, when the Mother Grand Lodge was formed, did Freemasons generally hold festival meetings on either or both June 24 and December 27.

(Extracted from an article in MasonicWorld.com).

2024 OFFICERS	
Greg Peterson, P.M.	Master
Andrew Perry, PM (Stephanie)	Senior Deacon
Todd Heiss	Junior Warden
Eric Langdon (Michele)	Treasurer
Shawn Donohugh, P.M. (Dena)	Secretary
	Chaplain
Paul Galyean, PM (Susan)	Senior Deacon
Docil Shamoun (Maria)	Junior Deacon
Carlos Rios-Otero	Marshal
Thomas Dalton (Sherie)	Senior Steward
Mitchell Gottesman	Junior Steward
Cleveland Palmer (Maria)	Organist
George Nassaney	Tiler
Jeff Baker, P.M. (Cindy)	Officer's Coach
Dave Romero (Maria)	Inspector



Wednesday Feb 21, 2024 • 6:30 PM

Join us as we honor our Ladies, Sweethearts, and Widows in this annual dinner!

Ladies, Family & Friends are invited!

Business attire appropriate.

Tickets \$25 for gentlemen.

Complimentary for Ladies.

Los Angeles Harbor Lodge #332 Annual Installation of Officers

Saturday Jan 13, 2024 • 5:00 PM



You are cordially invited to attend our 126th Annual Installation of Officers.

Join us as we celebrate this auspicious occasion.

5:00 PM Installation Ceremony6:30 PM Reception & Dinner

Ladies, Family & Friends are invited!

Business attire appropriate.

Los Angeles Harbor Lodge #332 Annual Super Bowl Party



Sunday February 11, 2024 2:00 PM

It's Big Battle Sunday...

Join us to view the game on our incredible 75" television! Plenty of traditional Super Bowl food and adult beverages will be served in the Goose & Gridiron Room.

We will provide the main course of food. Please bring a side dish to share.

Ladies, Family & Friends are invited!

No tickets sold. Donations only.

Our brother has reached the end of his earthly toils. The brittle thread which bound him to earth has been severed and the liberated spirit has winged its flight to the unknown world. The silver cord is loosed; the golden bowl is broken; the pitcher is broken at the fountain; and the wheel is broken at the cistern. The dust has returned to the earth as it was, and the spirit has returned to God who gave it.

IN MEMORIAM 2023

Raymond Edward Quesenberry Michael Angelo Zamperini Nicholas Samuel Loskutoff Peter Vincent Roebuck Joseph Paul Bowker Richard David Watson



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1972	ANTHONY N. ENGLISH	2003	F. SCOTT CORRIGAN	2016	RONALD E. DUNCAN, JR.	1967	PATRICK T. DONOHUGH
1977	EDWARD HOLLAND, JR.	2004	M. Shawn Donohugh	2017	MATTHEW W. STEVENS	1975	R. STEPHEN DOAN, PGM
1977	ROBERT R. WOLFE	2005	M. Shawn Donohugh	2018	PAUL H. GALYEAN	1983	DONALD A. HULL
1986	ROBERT A. ERBACKER	2006	M. Shawn Donohugh	2019	JOSEPH ARITELLI-NEWMAN	1987	STEVEN R. YOUMANS
1988	PAUL H. GALYEAN	2007	JEFFREY P. BAKER	2020	GREGORY L. PETERSON	1988	DONALD A. HULL
1989	REX S. WIEDERANDERS	2008	JEFFREY P. BAKER	2021	GREGORY L. PETERSON	1989	M. Shawn Donohugh
1990	MICHAEL J. LOGAN	2009	PHILLIP R. HEISS	2022	GREGORY L. PETERSON	2015	Douglas D. Burrows
1992	PHILLIP R. HEISS	2010	M. Shawn Donohugh	2023	GREGORY L. PETERSON	2016	Douglas D. Burrows
1994	MICHAEL J. LOGAN	2011	Ronald E. Duncan, Jr.			2016	GREGORY L. PETERSON
1997	JEFFREY P. BAKER	2012	KENNETH M. FULLER			2017	Andrew N. Perry
1999	MICHAEL J. LOGAN	2013	EDWARD J. TAYLOR			2022	DONALD A. JOE

ORDER OF THE EASTERN STAR

2000 PHILLIP R. HEISS

 1^{ST} & 3^{RD} Mondays at 7:30 PM

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The Order of the Eastern Star is the largest fraternal organization in the world to which both women and men may belong. Founded on heroic conduct and moral values, it is open to all faiths. The stated purposes of the organization are: Charitable, Educational, Fraternal and Scientific. It is dedicated to charity, truth and loving kindness.

JOB'S DAUGHTERS INTERNATIONAL

2014 MICHAEL J. LOGAN

2ND & 4TH SATURDAYS AT 10:00 AM
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Job's Daughters is an organization of young women between the ages of 10 and 20. It is an order that promotes fun, while offering life skills that teach young women about the importance of organization, leadership, service to others and scholarship.

ORDER OF DEMOLAY

 2^{ND} & 4^{TH} FRIDAYS AT 7:30 PM

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DeMolay is an organization for young men, 9-21 years of age, who develop management, leadership, and social skills as they participate in sports, community projects, and educational programs. They learn to grow into responsible adults of good moral character, providing them with lots of fun, companionship, and the opportunity to develop solid values.