



TRESTLEBOARD

VIEW FROM THE EAST

By Benjamin Hinderer, Worshipful Master

Good Day Everyone,

I am looking forward to serving another year as your Worshipful Master. There are many new Masons who have come into the Lodge and have stepped up to help with positions that needed filled and committees who needed chairmen. Myself and the other Past Masters look forward to seeing all the great things these new Masons are set to accomplish in their new roles.

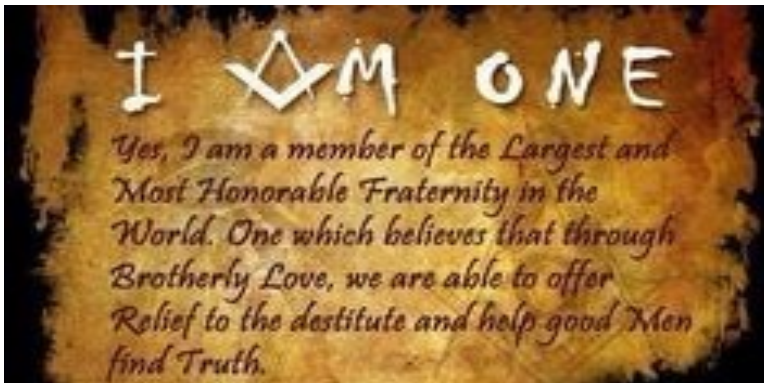
“Some are born great, some achieve greatness, and some have greatness thrust upon them.” – William Shakespeare

The first year of being a Worshipful Master is definitely a giant learning curve. No one can prepare you for what is about to unfold, as it is different with everyone and the situations that present themselves are not the same either. I will say having Past Masters to lean on is definitely a requirement for any new Master of the Lodge. If you do not have any Past Masters to lean on for support and knowledge, your year as Master of the Lodge will definitely be a challenging one. I was lucky and had many Past Masters who show up regularly to our Lodge meetings. If I ever had a question about anything they were always there to help and support me.

Thank you to everyone who helped make my first year as Worshipful Master of Yuma Territorial Lodge #17 a memorable one. And a special thank you to these Past Masters for their support:

RWB Michael A. Dale, PM
Michael Kofta, PM, DDGL
Tim Williams, PM, DDGM

Your Worshipful Master
Benjamin Hinderer



STATED MEETING

Second Thursday of each month,
September through June

Dinner at 6:30pm

Meeting at 7:30pm

REGULAR MEETINGS

Degree work most every
Thursday at 7:00pm

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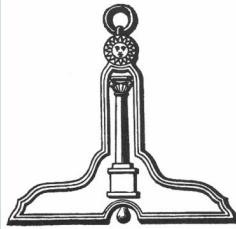
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VIEW FROM THE WEST

Submitted by Douglas Arps, Jr.

Greetings from the West,

What's up Brothers? We are starting a new year off for Masonry and I really think it's going to be a good year. I would like to do some more fellowship. That doesn't mean we have to go to an establishment; it could be as simple as meeting at the Lodge, a Brother's house, or a park to hang out and play Dominoes or just talk. I would really like to get our wives and families involved. My garage is open most of the time, if you would like to come by and say Hi or even do some ritual studying that would be awesome.

Some event we have coming up are the annual Masonic BBQ on Sunday, February 26, 2023. It will be held at the Lodge as a drive-thru. We are going to have some tables set-up inside if Brothers want to hangout for fellowship. Also, I believe we are going to assist in Midnight at the Oasis. More information will be put out soon but just keep that in mind as we will need volunteers for that.

I went up to Scottsdale Lodge right before Christmas for a double First Degree and it was pretty cool. Their ceiling looks like the night sky with lights that look like stars. If you ever get a chance to go to Scottsdale, do so. There are some great Brothers up there.

Masonicon is coming up soon and I believe it's going to be held in Prescott. To all my Brothers and line officers especially, you guys should try to attend. There is so much information that is given out in that short weekend and it is a great way to meet Brothers throughout Arizona. I've always had a great time when I have gone. Contact RWB Mike Dale for more information.

Once again, my garage is always open and I'm glad to help my Brothers the best I can.

Brotherly Love,
Douglas Arps, Jr. "D.J."
Senior Warden

GREETINGS FROM THE SOUTH

By Brad Hamner

Hello from the South,

As we bring 2022 to a close I am sitting back reflecting on our Masonic year. I am very proud of the accomplishments we have had this year, the travels, and the Brotherly love shared! That being said, there is just still something missing...it's you! We really miss all of the brethren who didn't or just couldn't make it to Lodge this year. Please, if there is anything we can do or you have any light to share with us don't hesitate to do so. Looking forward to another great year. Hope you and your families had a blessed Christmas and have a wonderful New Year.

Brad Hamner
Junior Warden



FROM THE SECRETARY'S TABLE

By WB Michael Kofta, PM

Brothers and Sisters,

Winter is now upon us. Most of our die-hard snowbirds have flown South to roost with us for a while. Welcome back!

Congratulations again to our Lodge Officers on your election and appointments. Looking forward to seeing good work coming from you all in the New Year.

There will be visitations to other Lodges coming up soon. RWB Michael Dale will be continuing his visits across the state, and I will be doing visits to the Lodges up in Mohave County: Kingman #2, Lake Havasu City #64, and Mohave Valley #68. There will also be a Lodge of Instruction scheduled for January timeframe for Yuma Territorial Lodge #17 and more in Mohave Valley Lodges.

The Annual Masonic BBQ is just around the corner in February. Prices are being reduced this year and the venue has been changed. The dining hall at the Lodge will be open to Masonic families during the BBQ and the public will have the opportunity to do the "drive through" again. It worked well the last time we did it. Opening the Lodge to Masonic families will bring back the "fellowship" the Brothers missed. We will also be recognizing our Masons with longevity awards at this time.

Dues notices have gone out and we are almost at 50% for members' dues card being mailed out. Brothers, please stay on top of this and get your payments in early. We did not lose any members last year for non-payment of dues. Let's do it again this year but sooner; last minute payments keep your Secretary working late hours.

It is imperative that you check and update your information in Grandview so that our Lodge member information is accurate and up-to-date. If you make any changes in Grandview, please let me know so that I can update our Lodge database. Grandview is the future, so please log in and update your information. If you don't know how to log in or have lost the instructions, call me. One of the new additions to the Master Architect and Master Builder awards requires a Lodge to show a 5% increase in Brothers signing into Grandview.

Ritual Practices will be scheduled by the Worshipful Master so that we can produce great ritual work for our Candidates. Please attend as many of these as you can and help out where you can.

If you need any assistance in general, with practicing, or on proficiency, feel free to contact me.

Fraternally,
Michael A. Kofta, PM
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Yuma Territorial Lodge 17

Stated Meetings: Second Thursday at **7:30pm**
(Dinner preceding the meeting at **6:30pm**)

Degree Work: Most every Thursday at **7:00pm**.

Trustees' Meetings: Monday prior to Stated Meeting at **6:00pm**.
Lodge members welcome.

York Rite Bodies

Stated Meetings: First Monday at **7:30pm**.

Practice: Third Monday at **7:00pm**.

Order of the Eastern Star

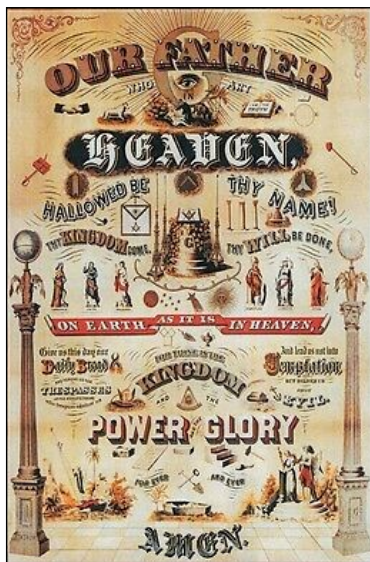
Meetings: Second and fourth Tuesdays at **7:00pm**.
(Dinner preceding meetings at **6:00pm**.)

Yuma Shrine Club

Meetings: Second Mondays at **7:00pm**.



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January 2023

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
1 NEW YEAR'S DAY	2 	3 Acacia #42 OV (Avondale)	4 Mohave #68 OV (Bullhead City)	5 Scottsdale #43 OV (Scottsdale)	6	7
8	9 	10 	11	12 STATED	13	14 White Mountain #3 OV (Globe)
15	16 MLK JR. DAY	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24 	25	26	27	28
29	30	31				

UPCOMING EVENTS:

- Degree Work – check with Line Officers
- Lost Dutchman Outdoor Degree – March 4th
- Leadership Conference – March 24th

February 2023

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
			1	2	3	4 Yuma Chapter #14 OV
5	6 	7	8	9 STATED	10	11
12	13 	14 	15	16	17	18
19	20 PRESIDENT'S DAY	21	22	23	24	25
26 Masonic BBQ	27 	28 				



PLATO'S INITIATION

By Antero Trujillo, Chaplain



Plato was probably born in 427 BCE, near Athens, and is known as one of the great thinkers of the golden age of Greek culture. His great contributions to philosophy were in the areas of metaphysics, epistemology, and knowledge about politics.

In the early years of his youth he leaned towards art, poetry, and drama. Apparently at the age of twenty he met Socrates of whom he became a favorite disciple. Since then, he dedicated himself entirely to the search for knowledge and philosophical research. Three years later Socrates was sentenced to death, a fact that caused a profound impact on Plato's life. In this regard, it is said that the serene image of Socrates dying for the truth, spending his last hour discussing the immortality of the soul with his disciples, was imprinted in the heart of Plato as the most beautiful of spectacles and the most sacred of mysteries.

After the death of Socrates and other unfavorable events prompted Plato to start a long journey and that is when his initiation into the Mysteries of Eleusis occurred. He received lessons from several philosophers in Asia Minor and from there he went to Egypt to establish contact with his priests and completed his initiation of Isis.

Back to Athens, Plato founded his school under the name of Academy to continue the work of Socrates. His teachings have remained for posterity, the so-called dialogues, which according to studies, are a progressive investigation in the search for knowledge and truth. In these dialogues, we find the Esoteric Doctrine, somewhat concealed. Four authors who think so, they say that this explains the immense popularity and radiant force of the Academy funded by Plato and continued in the great School of Alexandria.

Many years later, in Florence, the Medicis favored the foundation of an Academy by installing at its head a Greek scholar named Marsilio Ficino, who called it the Platonic Academy. The same authors say that Plato's ideas are radiant with youth, he gave us the sacred branches of the mysteries of a new Eleusis.

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What can the ancient story of Cain and Abel teach us about the human journey and our relationship with God?

In Freemasonry, the term "brother" is used to demonstrate a closeness of relationship that is not necessarily based on blood ties. It is formed from a common bond, shared obligations, and experiences. In addition, being a child of the Divine Father (or Great Architect) accounts for a sacred cemented kinship with each other.



Lately, the question, "am I my brother's keeper?" has been echoing in my mind in terms of my own Masonic obligations. This question goes to the foundation of what it means to be of service in the Great Work. The aim in Masonic teachings is the mastery of self, through reflection, actions, and acceptance of the sublime lessons of immortality. The student is encouraged to temper their emotions and control their vices and practice the tenets of brotherly love, relief, and truth.

This line of thinking led me to revisit the story of Cain and Abel, and the actual source of the "brother's keeper" phrase. As in any holy book like the Bible, there is fair debate whether passages should be treated literally or as a malleable allegory. The seeming contradictions are common for writings that span over centuries. Everyone's faith, academic viewpoint, view of religion, or personal worldview certainly comes into play in interpreting the text. I was hoping to find some Masonic insight in this age-old Bible story.

Basically, the passages from Genesis 4:1-16 can be summarized like this: Cain was the first son of Adam and Eve, and Abel was the second son. Cain was a farmer and Abel was a shepherd. When it came time to bring an offering to the Lord, Cain offered fruit and Abel offered a slain lamb. The Lord was satisfied with Abel's offering, but unsatisfied in Cain's. Cain, filled with jealousy, killed his brother.

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Traveling Men



RWB Michael Dale attended the Official Visit of Chalcedony Lodge #6 in Holbrook on November 10th.



On December 1st, RWB Michael Dale traveled to Bisbee for the Official Visit of Perfect Ashlar Lodge #12.



A Special Communication of Grand Lodge was opened on November 26th for the Jr. Parada Rodeo and Parade in Florence. The Grand Lodge opened in the EA Degree, was called to refreshment, and the Grand Officers and brethren retired to Main Street to walk in the parade with other members of the Masonic Family.



RWB Michael Dale, WB Mike Kofta, and Brother Doc Trujillo traveled to Bullhead City to attend a double First Degree for Mohave Valley Lodge #68.



Several Brothers traveled to Scottsdale Lodge #43 for an EA degree with a couple of candidates. It was great to visit with our Brothers!

Photos provided by RWB Michael Dale and Brother DJ Arps

STATED MEETING



Our Brothers attending our Stated Meeting on November 10th.



We had a great turnout for our Stated Meeting on December 8th!

"Brothers are like streetlights along the road. They don't make distance any shorter but they light up the path and make the walk worthwhile."

-Anonymous

Photos provided by Brother DJ Arps

Installation of Officers



Congratulations the Worshipful Master Benjamin Hinderer and the 2023 elected and appointed officers! Thank you to the Installing Officers and everyone who was able to attend.

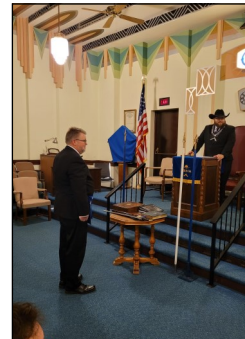


Photo provided by Brother DJ Arps

50-YEAR PIN

Community Service



Before our December stated meeting, WM Benjamin Hinderer and WB Mike Kofta had the honor of presenting Brother Douglas Holbert with his 50-year pin. Congratulations on this amazing accomplishment!



Also before our December stated meeting, WM Benjamin Hinderer and WB Mike Kofta presented a check to a representative from the local Hospice of Yuma.



Imperial Valley Masonic Lodge #390
Installation of Officers

January 21st, 2023

11:00am

California Time

Place: Brawley Masonic Lodge

Open installation bring your family

George Washington Dinner
Place: American Legion Hall

569 Broadway

El Centro, CA

Date and Time:

February 18th, 2023

Meet and Greet 5:00pm

Dinner 6:00pm

All times California time

Must have RSVP in to Brother Ira Hearen NO later than February 4th, 2023
NO RSVP, NO FOOD

Contact Brother Ira Hearen at
(479) 430-8544 and leave a voice mail.

Need to know how many people in your party and if they want beef or chicken.



After the murder, we read in Genesis 4:9: The Lord said to Cain, “Where is Abel your brother?” He said, “I do not know. Am I my brother’s keeper?” Things did not go well for Cain.

Translated from the original Hebrew, the word “keeper” refers to someone who “watches over,” or “guards.” What is the symbolic meaning of these two characters? Could they relate to the quest of a Freemason?

Cain and Abel – From Darkness to Light

Some theories say that Cain and Abel were twins, and each twin could represent our higher and lower natures. This speaks to the heart of the Masonic work which is learning to navigate the duality of our existence. For example, there would be no light without darkness, no good without evil, no love without hate and so on.

Comparing light versus darkness is an important study. However, what’s curious about the subject of light is that everyone knows what it is until you ask them. In the Bible we read that “God is light.” This quotation evokes a mystery. It suggests there is a deeper connection to the subject of light than meets the eye. It seems unlikely that when you go into a room and flip a switch, you are turning on God. Equally mysterious is the concept of darkness.

Recently, in a Lodge meeting, we studied Brother Leonard Bosman’s work, “The Light of a Master Mason.” Bosman proposes that the myth of Cain and Abel is about the Freemason’s battle between two opposite aspects of mind. The grand struggle deals with the incompatibility of these two natures, especially when the ego is in control. From “Light of a Master Mason,” we read:

Abel is the Love-Mind, Cain the Head, or brain mind; Abel is the heart or spirit, Cain the earthly mentality. Hence it is that, symbolically as well as, Cain kills his brother Abel; the hard Cain-like mind kills pure love nature (Abel) when preventing it functioning.

Bosman makes a good point that Abel is not the one struggling. The struggle is about Cain because the ego is always in a constant struggle to kill off the higher nature. The ego wants total control because to sacrifice the ego is to die to self and let the Light nature live through you. No easy task.

Both aspects of the mind have a function. Cain, according to the inner meaning of its etymology, represents the hard, pointed weapon of the mind. Cain is the selfish, acquisitive mind, the “getter,” the “centralizer,” whilst Abel is the yielding one, the “giver.” If this is all true, then how do we “master” these two aspects of our nature?

The symbolic key may lie in Tubal-Cain, a blacksmith character in the Bible who was the son of Lamech, a descendant of Cain. He was known as an artificer in metals of brass and iron. In the legend, there is a biological connection as well as a symbolic one. Bosman writes that Freemasonry may be “thought of as an alchemical experiment, the Lodge in this sense being the Great Alchemist’s cauldron in which the base metal of the lower nature will be changed into the gold of the spiritual.”

Further on, in “Light of a Master Mason” we read:

In all this the student of Freemasonry will see the inner and secret meaning of Tubal-Cain, the yielding of the central might or egoistic mind, the letting-go, as it were, of the personal self as it spreads out to become a greater self, the ONE that is in all.

In other words, the more we cling to self-importance and ego, the more we are undoubtedly living in darkness.

The mystical worker will often cry, “When I’m nothing, I’m everything!” This might possibly be why so few people truly seek an authentic path to enlightenment. Who wants to be nothing? We’ve all been told the whole purpose is to be somebody.

We could draw two conclusions from all this. We could decide that the Cain and Abel legend is simply a good story — an illusory tale to tell our children. Or we can assume that it does have some merit in its symbolic import. I prefer the second option myself, if only because it jibes with my own intuition as a Masonic worker that we can learn about ourselves from symbols.

Am I my Brother’s Keeper? Indeed, I try. “To make daily progress in Masonic light” sounds simple, but it’s probably the hardest concept a Freemason must learn. That’s fine because it also offers a lifetime of value.

Saleh Bahati
Junior Steward



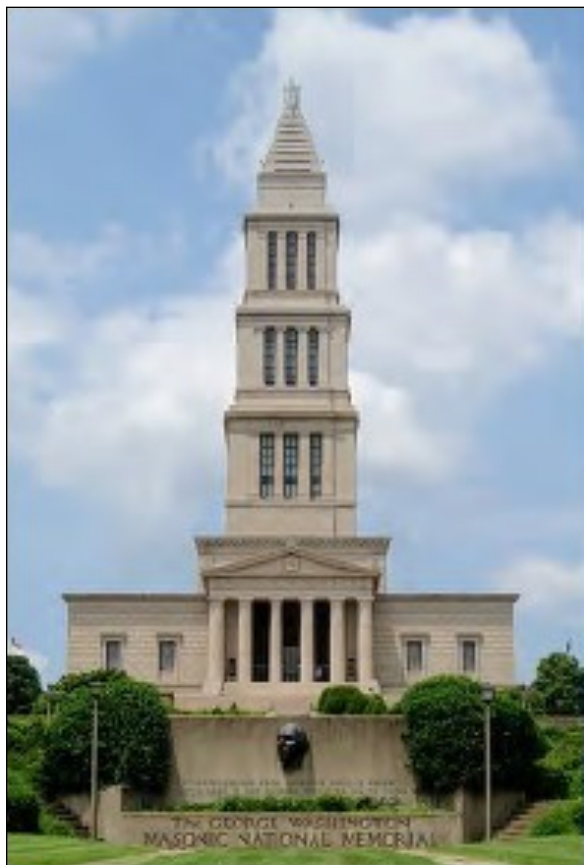
Save the Date

Monday, February 20, 2023

for the

Re-enactment of the Cornerstone Dedication of the George Washington Masonic National Memorial

*Join us for this Historic
National Masonic Event!*



Please save the date – February 20, 2023 – and plan now to attend the historic re-enactment of the cornerstone laying of the George Washington Masonic National Memorial. The Memorial stands as American Freemasonry's vital tribute to George Washington, and each year thousands visit the Memorial to become inspired by the great heritage left to us by the Father of our Country.

Visit <https://gwmemorial.org/2023> to join the Memorial's email list and receive news about the re-enactment plans and other events at the Memorial.



George Washington Masonic National Memorial
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Grand Lodge of Arizona
Grand Lecturer

January 30, 2023
7:00 pm

School of Instruction

Hunters Paradise Lodge No. 85
552 N. 40th.
Phoenix, Arizona

EA and above welcome

Topics: · Why is Ritual Important ·
Why do we have standardized
ceremonies · What are we trying to
accomplish · How should we
encourage others to participate

"To set the Craft to work ...
and give them the necessary
instructions whereby they may
pursue their labors."

More Information
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Dinner is Sub Sandwiches
at 5:30 PM

Lodge #85



GRAND LODGE OF F.&A.M OF ARIZONA SPECIAL COMMUNICATION AND BRITISH FESTIVE BOARD DINNER



Sun City Lodge No. 72 and the Grand Lodge of F.&A.M of Arizona are hosting a formal CHARITY dinner in the presence of the **MWB Jim H. Baker**, Grand Master of Masons of Arizona, the Grand Lodge Officers, and other Dignitaries.

The charity event benefits U.S. VETS a 501(c)(3)

Come and enjoy a British-style Masonic dinner in a relaxed atmosphere. Mingle with the Grand Master of Arizona and other special guests, attended by Masons from all over Arizona for this worthy Charity Event.

The Grand Lodge will open a Special Communication in the Sun City No. 72 Lodge Room at precisely 5 p.m. before the dinner event.

Date/time: Saturday April 1, 2023, 5:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.

Ticket Cost: \$75.00, which will include a three-course meal, drinks, coffee, tea, etc., a donation to the U.S. VETS charity, plus a special take-home gift.

Location: Sun City Masonic Centre,
18810 N. 107th Avenue, Sun City, Arizona, 85373

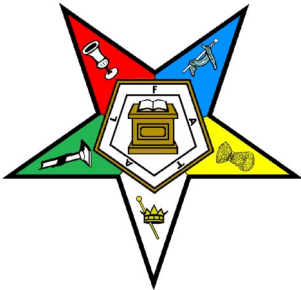
Dress Code: Tuxedo or Smart Dark Suit, Black Tie, Regalia and Aprons (worn only in Lodge Room)

Who can attend: Masons who have completed 1st Degree and above. (Men only)

Due to the high take-up of this event, only 100 tickets will be available. Numbered tickets will be sold on a first-come, first-served basis.

Ticket purchases, and more information, contact WB Barry White at (602) 903 0468 or email bnw5535@gmail.com

**Tickets must be paid in advance via Zelle or check.
NO TICKETS SOLD AT THE DOOR.**



STAR IN THE EAST

By B.J. Dale, Worthy Matron

Greetings Everyone,

Yuma Chapter #14 has been busy finishing out the year with projects. We collected items for Andale's Pantry at Arizona Western College. This is an on-going project for this year. Andale's Pantry is always in need of non-perishable food items for the students, as well as things like silverware, pillowcases, and toiletries. Currently, they are asking for twin bed sheets, towels, bowls, plates, and can openers. If you have any items you would like to donate, please bring them down to the Lodge and leave them on the stage and we will take them.

We recently made cloth books for distribution in the foster care system through the Court Appointed Special Advocates (CASA) program. Several of us had a fun morning putting them together. We are also collecting children's books to donate. A local book vendor donated many books for children of all ages. Some of our younger family members even donated books from their own homes! Any books for toddlers to teens and pre-teens (ages 10-17) would gladly be accepted!

Our Official Visit for our Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron is on February 4th at the Lodge. We look forward to the rest of the state coming to see us! We will have a few practices to prepare, so be on the lookout for more information. We will also be busy on Valentine's Day delivering flowers for the Flower Mine as a fundraiser. This is one of our favorite fundraisers of the year, delivering flowers and smiles to loved ones in Yuma! If you order for your special Valentine, we might just be the delivery folks!

Yuma Chapter recently suffered a loss of one of our beloved members. Sister Joyce Snay passed away on December 27th. Sister Joyce served as Electa for many years, a station that represents love. She loved Eastern Star and loved all our members, and we equally loved her back. She attended as many events as she could and worked hard at her ritual work. Our Chapter will have a big hole in our hearts, but the many happy memories we have of Sister Joyce will help us through this painful time. Rest in peace Sister Joyce, we will carry you in our hearts until we see you again.

Upcoming birthdays:

- JANUARY: Antero Trujillo (3rd), Josette Sutton (5th), Bertha "Bert" Wagner (14th), Myrtle Bazzell (16th), Barbara Gier, PM (19th), Linda Gillis, PM (19th), Sean Godfrey (25th), Dianne Grider, PM (26th), Eileen Whitmore (26th)
- FEBRUARY: Cynthia J (2nd), Mike Dale, PP (7th), Cynthia Ray (18th), Tim Williams (24th), DJ Arps (27th)

Until next time, please keep all our ailing members in your thoughts and prayers. We have had several members down with illness and disease lately. If you know someone who isn't feeling well, would appreciate a phone call or card, or may need assistance running errands, please call Worthy Matron B.J. Dale at (760) 960-9037 (or any Chapter member) to let her know. We miss seeing all of you and we hope to see everyone's smiling faces at our meetings. Eastern Star members are welcome to visit our meetings, so if you know of some visiting for the winter, please invite them! Take care and be safe!

always stay 
humble & kind

YUMA CHAPTER NO. 14
ORDER of the EASTERN STAR

The meetings are held the SECOND AND FOURTH TUESDAY of each month, September through June. All members are welcome. A light meal is served at 6:00pm, followed by our meeting promptly at 7:00pm. Hope to see you there! If you have any questions, please call the Lodge at (928) 783-7993.

Masonic Anniversaries

When you became a Master Mason

JANUARY

Donald Beaton
Ernest Cunningham
Vernon Dugan
Carl Greenwell
David Johnson
Mark Jones
Jay Learn
David McBride
Mark Melton
Wilbert Orem

Menelaos Patsiouras
Robert Payne
Maurice Peters
Gary Stigall
William Treherne
Jeremy Voorhies
Leon Wilmot

FEBRUARY

Jesus Barraza
Chris Dempsey
Bob Dennis, PM
Randall Gaetz
Robert Gordon III
Glen Harris
Harold Hawes
Travis Kniss

Robert Lehl
Kelly McDowell
Freeman Mitchell
Richard Ruzanka, PM
Merritt Thomas
Daniel Weddle
Mikel White. PM

***** ATTENTION *****

**Deadline for the March/April 2023 Trestleboard is
FEBRUARY 20TH**

PUBLISHER'S CORNER

2023 is here already...where did the time go? A new year means new beginnings and a fresh start. As we go into 2023, my hope is that our Masonic family continues to grow and prosper. I hope the Masons and Eastern Star continue to grow in fellowship so we can get back to what makes us who we are and reminds us of why we love our orders – the family that we choose, the support we have, and the love we have for our sisters and brothers.



If there is anything you would like to see in the Trestleboard or have any suggestions, please feel free to let me know! If you see any corrections that need to be addressed, please let me know those as well so they can be corrected. If you attend an event, don't forget to take pictures and submit them, either to me or on the Yuma Lodge Facebook page. Take care and stay safe!

Sincerely,
Sabrina Arps

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Barbeque

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Midnight at the Oasis

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COMMUNITY RELATIONS

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Roadside Clean-up

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MEMBERSHIP RELATIONS/FRATERNAL SUPPORT

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Mason of the Year

SW & JW

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