

September 2013 Trestleboard

September Birthdays

01 Seven Mageras
 09 Walter Priester 100 Years
 16 Phillip Mabry
 17 George Rich, Jr.
 23 Addison Bain
 28 Thomas Watkins

September Masonic Birthdays

13 Kenneth King
 13 Richard Kouns
 16 Robert Crawford
 25 George Snyder
 26 Addison Bain
 26 Billy Harrison, Jr.
 26 Danny Monk
 26 Frank Wisniski
 29 Myron Potter
 30 Michael Duffey

August Birthdays

01 Lacy Latta
 12 Robert Fitch
 15 Alvin Stern, Jr.
 15 John Ensminger
 22 Louis Morehead, Jr.
 22 Raymond Darby, Jr.
 29 Troy Nash

August Masonic Birthdays

11 James Fayed, Sr.
 18 Richard Betar

David Lawson Cooper

Age: 84 Mason: 51 years

B: 05-20-1928 R: 05-26-1961 D: 01-19-2013

John Carlton Hallenborg - HPM 1997

Age: 95 Mason: 65 years

B: 09-27-1917 R: 02-17-1947 D: 02-01-2013

Ralph (NMN) Tompkins

Age: 80 Mason: 48 years

B: 09-07-1932 R: 05-11-1964 D: 02-04-2013

Carlos Joseph Orsini

Age: 80 Mason: 5 years

B: 09-11-1932 R: 01-26-2008 D: 02-05-2013

Ralph William Robb - PM 1985

Age: 91 Mason: 64 years

B: 11-16-1921 R: 03-16-1948 D: 02-20-2013

Dale Eugene Prosuhn - Charter Member

Age: 88 Mason: 66 years

B: 01-20-1925 R: 10-24-1946 D: 04-23-2013

Jack Bogart Schwartz

Age: 92 Mason: 53 years

B: 8-19-1921 R: 08-18-1960 D: 06-15-2013

Joseph Richard Morgan

Age: 78 Mason: 54 years

B: 12-25-1935 R: 04-29-1959 D: 06-30-2013

Raised Brothers in 2013

Active Entered Apprentice Brothers

Inactive Entered Apprentice Brothers

Inactive Fellow Craft Brothers

None

Ernest Gilbert Slatton III

Randy Eugene Roberts

Eight

One

FROM THE TREASURER

I an effort to become more budget efficient, we are now offering the Trestle Board electronically. Please send us an Email to the following address to be added to the email distribution list. Canlodqe339@yahoo.com

CATECHISM & DEGREE PRACTICE

Catechism Instructions & Degree Practices are held every Tuesday & Thursday at 5:00 PM & 6:00 PM respectively. Times may vary by 30 minutes on occasions.

September 2013 Lodge 339 - Chapter 297 Events

09-04 Chapter 297 Stated Meeting at 7:30 pm
09-18 Chapter 297 Friendship and Honor Mothers Night at 7:30 pm
09-23 Lodge 339 Stated Meeting at 7:30 pm serving Dinner at 6:30 pm
09-30 Lodge 339 Fellow Craft Degree at 7:00 pm

FROM THE EAST

Genuine Charity

There is a tendency today to use charity in a way that robs it of its beauty and leaves only a cold and inanimate word. Many times an organization will be moved to perform an act of charity only to gain publicity and the material benefits which naturally follow such publicity. Many organizations "sell" something in order that they may obtain money which in turn they will distribute to various charities. These acts may be commendable but they do not carry the true spirit of charity.

The lesson of charity as taught in the first degree is perhaps the most important in all Masonry. If we teach the candidate Masonic Charity we go a long way toward making a Mason.

If you were to look for the secret in man's climb from the mud of ignorance to his place as a spiritual being, you would find it in the Ideal of Charity. When a man became conscious of his obligation to others and thus found joy in sharing with others- when man learned that he could impart something of value to others in time of joy and in time of sorrow- when man saw in others his own reflected hopes, ambitions and aspirations, he became One with God.

When you consider the deductions from your income tax for the amounts you gave to various organized charities, there is little of "self" included. You gave because you were expected to share in an impersonal appeal. This, too, may be commendable. But in giving of self, you follow the lesson of Masonic Charity.

Cited from: http://www.themasonictrowel.com/masonic_talk/rays_of_masonry/genuine_charity.htm

FROM THE WEST

Brothers of Canaveral Lodge,

Our lodge along with the 26th Masonic District Lodges have partnered with the Brevard County Sheriff's Department to perform Child ID Session for them. This is a great opportunity for our Lodge & our Fraternity to get known by the community. Just today I was speaking to a woman who said "are the Masons still around." She also asked what we do & how we raised money for the various charities. People still don't know we're around, so let's get out there and let them now that we're here and not going anywhere.

One of the ways we can do this is by assisting with the Child ID Program along with the BCSD. I have personally volunteered my time to work at the Canaveral Precinct. So, in the near future, if you call that precinct, I just might be answering the phone.

The only requirement to volunteering with the Sheriff's Department is that you have to devote 22 hours a month. They have various positions in which you can volunteer. It might sound like I'm promoting the Sheriff's Department but on the contrary, I supporting getting our lodge known to the community.

Fraternally,

Brother Danny Cook, SW

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