

Masters Message



**Fraternal Greetings!**

**Brethren:**

**As Masons, we are first and foremost builders. Where once masons built cathedrals and structures of stone, today's Masons must build structures that connect with others. We must connect with our families, with our communities, and with our fraternity. It is not enough to say that we have built something in the past; we must continue to build today and tomorrow. Our work will never be done.**

**We must always strive to put the good of the fraternity first. We must strive to be better Masons than those who have gone before us. It is a lifelong challenge to which every one of us must dedicate themselves.**

**Be a Masonic Builder, and build a bridge to others!**

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**Schedule of Communications**

**Wednesday Mar. 04 2020**

**6:30 PM Dinner—Dining Room**

**7:30 PM Stated Communication**

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**Freemasonry has had a profound impact on world history and the history of our great nation. Freemasonry provides opportunities for sincere, honest, forthright men who believe in a Supreme Being and desire to contribute to the improvement of their communities and themselves. A system of morality, veiled in allegory, and illustrated by symbols. It's purpose is to take good men, and make them better men.**

**An ancient tradition in Masonry, exercising tolerance for differing religious and political views, allows men of many different belief structures to work together. Masons call each other brothers because they believe they are all equal and work to make "good men better". Through our Masonic Fraternity, we reaffirm our dedication and unity to become involved citizens who have a strong desire to make the world a better place to live.**

*Daniel Furth, WM*

**Today's Lesson**

**SW: His station is in the West, upon a dais reached by two steps. He sets in a seat representative of one once occupied by King Hiram of Tyre. His jewel is the Level, emblematical of Equality. (Masons meet on the level) We should never act in the presence of a brother, at a level higher than that which he has attained.**

**In the presence of the Master, he is the second ranking officer or member of the craft, and must always respect the Master as goes every other member.**

**While the Master is about the business of the Lodge, the Sr. Warden generally is authorized to superintend the behavior of the craft. A responsible and concerned Sr. Warden will attempt to involve himself in all aspects of Lodge movement, and stay abreast of lodge activities.**

**He, like the Secretary, should be in contact with the Master almost daily in order that he might stay informed, and the Master should welcome this type of concern and support. Including degree work, the Sr. Warden duties are minimal as compared to those of the Master. Therefore, upon taking office, he should begin serious study into the duties of the Master ; to be adequately prepared to assume the Master's seat in his absence.**

**In the absence of the Master, the Sr. Warden is to faithfully represent the Master, and govern the Lodge as such. At the earliest time following his tour representation, he should contact and inform the Master of the proceedings during his absence.**

**From the desk of:  
Kenneth N. McKim, Sr. - PM**

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**2020**

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**Robert C. Rueckl, PM 2022**

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March Birthdays

John E. Kwasnicki, PM	03
Edward R. Nelson	17
Larry E. Snearly, PM	17
Ronald G. Palmer	31

COMMITTEES

Cognizance

Daniel Furth, WM

Sickness & Distress

Geoffrey Bueschen, PM

Joey V. Rueckl, PM

Refreshments

Joey V. Rueckl, PM

Carl R. Rueckl, PM<sup>2</sup>

Delinquency

Ken N. McKim, Sr. PM<sup>2</sup>

Joey V. Rueckl, PM

High Twelve

Craig Callahan, PM<sup>2</sup>

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Thomas V. Hultin, PM

Education

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**Mount Rose Lodge  
No. 40-F. & A.M.**

Lodge Chartered

June 8, 1950

*Trestle Board for*

*March 2020*

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*Stated Communication  
First Wednesday of Each  
Month except Dark in  
July & August  
40 West First St.  
Reno, NV.*