S & D

One of the most important concerns that we have when we meet at a Lodge, is the health and well-being of the members and their families.

We have been informed of the passing of M..W.. John F. Kavanaugh P.G.M. of the Grand Lodge of Florida. Our thoughts and prayers are with Mrs. Miki Kavanaugh as she goers through this most trying time in her life.

We have also recently been informed of the passing of M..W.. J. Roy Crowther P.G.M.. Services will be in Jacksonville, FL.

Please keep these families in your thoughts and prayers in the days ahead.

 THOUGHT

Every piece of marble has a statue in it waiting to be by a man of sufficient skills to chip away the unnecessary parts. Just as the Sculpture is to the marble, so is education to the soul. It releases it. For only educated men are free men. You cannot create a statue by smashing it with a hammer. And cannot by force of arms, release the spirit of the soul of man.

OCTOBER 2013

Each year, on the third Saturday of October, the members of the Master & Wardens Association of Dade County “ hit the malls” with the wish lists of the residents of the Masonic Home in St. Petersburg, FL.. With each guest listing a couple of items that they would especially like to receive, we allow ourselves plenty of time to locate those special gifts for these special people. And at the Party at the Masonic Home, the guests are escorted through the special Christmas Room where they can choose whatever they want from the additional items just for them. After that, they all get to meet Santa Claus and have their picture taken to remind them of this special day. During the Party they all enjoy the singing of Christmas Carols. Finally, we have ice cream and pie. A perfect end to a perfect day. On Sunday morning, we join some of the guests for the Chapel Service, followed by the monthly Board Meeting. We all return home with so many fond memories. Come join us. You’ll be glad you did.

 REMINDER

A reminder to those who have not submitted their 2013 Annual dues..We have notified you at 6 months, 9 months and now 10 months.,

And Per Regulation, we are

Required to inform you of possible suspension for non-payment of annual dues.

Please check your current dues card and be sure it says 2013 on it. We are presently preparing the Dues cards for the year 2014. Thank you.

 THOUGHT

It is said that Elephants have a longer life span than humans. Maybe there is something to be said for working for “peanuts”. Then again, the Elephants long life may be the result of a thick skin.

 THOUGHT

We are looking forward to our visit with you at “Christmas in October” on October the 18th.