

VILLAGE LODGE #315 F&A M

Meetings Every Tuesday 6:30 PM

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A SPECIAL DAY

Wishing our brothers, a "Happy Birthday" on their Special Day of Remembrance on the month of May. We wish The Great Architect of the Universe spread upon them all the blessing, health and happiness.

NEXT EVENTS AT VILLAGE LODGE

Come and help us to receive new brothers in the universal fraternity. EA Degree May 23rd.

Coming up:

Saint's John Dinner Jun 24th.

QUOTE OF THE MONTH

"We have an infinite amount to learn both from nature and from each other " John Glenn

Are we learning from each to other?...

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Please elevate your prayers on behalf Luci (WM Juan Carlos's wife) was submitted to a surgery in Brazil. May GOD grant her with fast and total healing. We ask that you remember those of who you know may be having difficult times, be sure that your moral support can be most comforting.

YOU ARE INVITED

To participate in our Round Table Discussion "How can we improve our Lodge?"

To join us in our Degree practices every Tuesday 5:00 PM to 5:45 PM. Come and enjoy with us.

To bring your mom or wife to celebrate "Mother's and family's Day" May 16th. 2017. 6:30 PM.



Br Secretary's Message

"Brothers All: Researching and sharing the valuable allegorical discoveries of our Masonic Tools is a valuable character one should entertain throughout one's Travel towards the East. Many Lodges throughout the country have Masonic Research societies have collective members who pleasure doing scholarly discourse on Masonic topics and record their discoveries as presentations for the Craft, or publish them as a means to proceeds to support their Lodge financially. Therefore, if anyone believes this is good idea to begin and wish to be involved to spearhead the project contact PM Secretary Charles Purcell directly at 305-502-0345 to move forward. EA, FC, and MM's are all welcome to join. Best regards and Fraternally, W.:

Secretary Charles R. Purcell "

This section is dedicated to publish RW Robert Rose thoughts and inspired letters.

"January 2013

To Hear, To Argue, To Surrender

As Masons, we all try to express the Tenets of Freemasonry, as they were taught to us. We have heard what Masons have done in the past which gives us the guidelines as to how we may conduct our lives.

Yes, we even disagree at times on the interpretation of these teachings and that is alright. For we all are enriched by the results of these discussions. But, in the final analysis we must surrender to the basic tenets we express belief in.

I recall a story I read which told of a well known actor who was being honored for all his accomplishments in the theatre. As the testimonial evening drew to a close, it was suggested that the distinguished actor recite some notable literature for those assembled. He agreed to this, provided that his dear friend of many years, a clergyman sitting next to him, would also speak. The actor chose the 23rd Psalm, and after giving a command performance, received a thunderous applause from those present. The actor then turned to his friend and indicated that it was now his turn. The clergyman rose from his seat, and with his snowy white hair shining, and his face showing the lines of carrying many people's sorrows, he also recited the 23rd Psalm.

When he had finished, there was not a ripple of applause. Those assembled sat spellbound, with tears running down their cheeks. Finally, the great actor broke the silence by saying, "The difference is, I know the Psalm, he knows the Sheppard". Fraternally, Bob".

Let's hear, let's argue and let's surrender. Thank you RW Br Bob Rose.