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From the
Master
Bill Kesterson

**"Brothers and
Families!!"**

CONGRATULATIONS. We would like to welcome the latest addition to our Masonic Family. Erin Elizabeth Riddle, born Monday, March 3, 2008 at 7lbs 1oz and 21 inches long. The proud parents are Jennifer and Randle Riddle, with brother Bailey and Abby. We share in your joy and also send our condolences to them in the loss of Randy's Grandmother, who passed away on Sunday, March 2nd, 2008.

The new Robertson's twins, Ian and Evan are doing well and growing stronger each day. Again, congratulations to both families.

The Michigan Child Identification Program will be held on the 26th of April from 10:00 a.m. until 3:00 p.m. (we will stay longer if warranted) at Jackson Crossing. PM Chip Williams, Chairman (750-1853) along with Brothers Frank Lutze (563-8338) and Eric Cole (812-1742) are organizing the program this year and need all of the help they can get. Even if you do not know how to operate a computer, they have other jobs for you to do. Please call them and **PLEASE PLAN TO ATTEND.**

Jackson Lodge #17 is planning a "Clean-Up" of the various rooms of the Temple on Saturday, April 12, 2008. We will start at 8:00 a.m. and try to be done by 1:00 p.m. All cleaning supplies will be provided, but we need you to make this successful. If your wife, girlfriend or significant other can come and help, they will most certainly be welcome. Coffee and donuts will be provided.

The Jackson Temple Association is also planning a clean-up of the grounds on Saturday, May 3, 2008 starting at 8:00 a.m. with a rain date of May 31st. Please plan to support this project also.

Calendar for

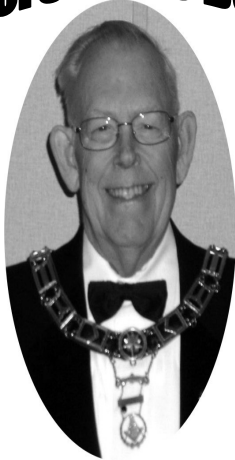


- Thurs.
Apr. 3 - Fellowcraft Degree Practice - 7:00 p.m.
- Thurs.
Apr. 10 - Regular Communication - 7:30 p.m.
- Sat.
April 12 - Temple Clean-up - 8:00 a.m.
- Thurs.
Apr. 17 - Fellowcraft Degree - 7:00 p.m.
Officers please wear tuxedos or a dark suit.
- Thurs.
Apr. 24 - DARK
- Sat.
Apr. 26 - Michigan Child Identification Program -
10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. Jackson
Crossing.

This year we had three applicants for our college scholarships. The committee has recommended each one for a scholarship. The Lodge voted to award the scholarships at its March Regular Communication. This is just another example that the Brothers of Jackson Lodge do, behind the scenes, that helps the community.

MASONS CARE!

From The Secretary's Desk



April Showers mean that spring is just about here. Spring brings the snowbirds back from their winter quarters and is a good time to renew old friendships and make new ones.

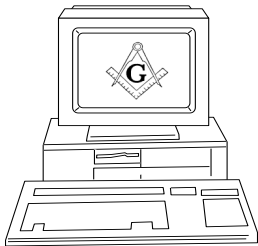
Please support the clean-ups and the Michigan Child Identification Program.

If you move or change your phone number please notify your secretary. Also if you have an e-mail address please send that to the secretary.

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Fraternally Yours, Secretary,

**Gerald L. Williams. P.M.
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Don't forget to check out our website

www.jackson17.org

Steve Vining is our website administrator - let him know what you think about it!

There outstanding information that you can find by linking to other sites from our website.

If you can think of anything that should be added to the Trestleboard or the website email George M. Otis, P.M. at gmotis@sbcglobal.net