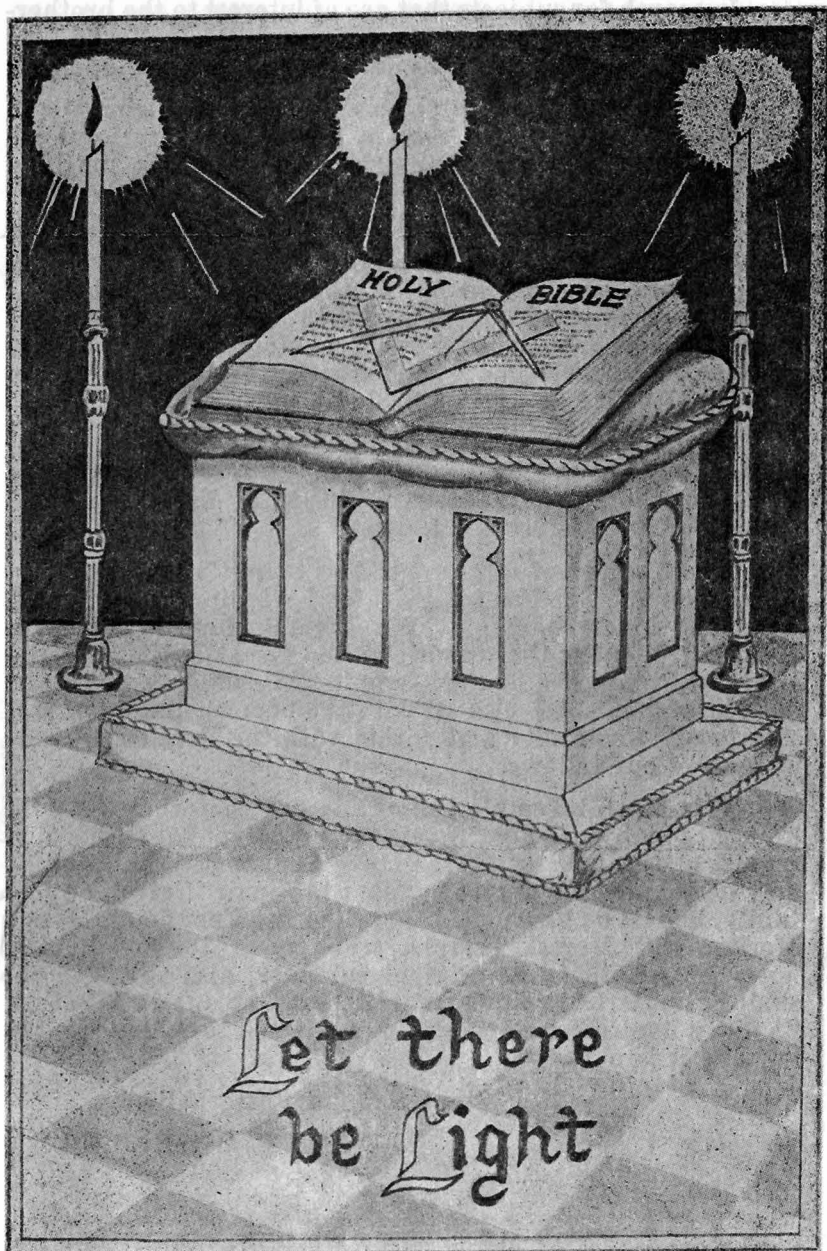


SHEKINAH LODGE No. 58

Free and Accepted Masons

Millville, New Jersey

Instituted - May 21, 1861



Brethren :

The fall season is upon us and I do hope you all had a very enjoyable summer, as we now return to our labors I have visions of a most enjoyable fall.

In search for subjects that are of interest to the brotherhood, I read this article, it was impressive to me, and feel sure will meet with your approval.

A large part of our ritual is allegorical and symbolical. We never learn the real secrets of Freemasonry until we learn something of the meaning of our allegories, until we are able to give interpretations to some of our Symbols. The effort will prove an entrancingly interesting one.

The Temple of King Solomon, so spacious and so Magnificent, and constructed by so many celebrated artists — greatest structure of all times — is a Symbol of the Living Temple, more spacious and more magnificent and constructed by an even more celebrated artist. This Living Temple also has never had a counterpart.

Our feet may be the Entered Apprentices, or bearers of burden, our hands may be the Fellow Crafts who shape the stones for the Builder's use, and these are directed in their labors by the Masters mind.

This Temple of ours is not less beautiful than that of King Solomon. It has its aisles and winding stairway, an outer and inner chamber. We certainly have within us a Holy of Holies for the worship of the Great Artifices of the Universe, who gave us this Temple, this building not made with hands, finished without with the burnished gold of service to our Fraternity and within with the Precious Jewels of Love of our fellows.

This Mortal Temple in imitation of the other, may be brought low by profidy, by intemperance, by flaunting disregard of the laws of God, nature and reason, and also it may be rebuilt, for nature is quick to repair if given opportunity, but let us be warned that, like the Temple on Mount Morian, this Mortal Temple, when once destroyed, may never be rebuilt in its original splendor, also this Temple shall crumble and mingle with its present dust. Whether its glory lives after depends upon the use to which we put it while it is ours.

Sincerely and Fraternaly,

WILLIAM H. GOSHEN, W. M.

Brethren:

You are cordially invited to attend the following communications of Shekinah Lodge:

REGULAR COMMUNICATION

Friday, September 4, 1970 — 7:30 P.M.

REFRESHMENTS

—Dates To Remember —

DISTRICT LODGE OF INSTRUCTION

Thursday, September 17, 1970 — 7:30 P.M.

Excelsior Lodge No. 54, Salem, N. J.

Officers required to attend - All brethren welcome

ANNUAL VISIT OF PHOENIX LODGE No. 75, F. & A. M.

of Phoenixville, Pa. — Saturday, October 17, 1970

Dinner 6:30 P. M.

ANNUAL DINNER DANCE

Buena Vista Country Club - Buena, N. J. - \$7.50 per person

Dinner — Dancing — Professional Entertainment

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WILLIAM H. GOSHEN, *Worshipful Master*

Attested: Samuel Davidson, P.D.D.G.M., *Secretary*

1970 ANNUAL APPEAL OF MASONIC HOME OMITTED

The Board of Trustees of the Masonic Home and Charity Foundation of New Jersey has determined, for a number of reasons, to omit making an Annual Appeal this year.

However, it was deemed advisable to request each Worshipful Master to so inform the members through the trestleboard of his lodge in order that the Craft may know that it was not just an oversight; that the Trustees of the charitable arm of our Grand Lodge do appreciate the splendid support it has received during the last six Annual Appeals; and that unsolicited contributions are always gratefully received at any time and in any amount.

All donations should be made payable to "Masonic Home and Charity Foundation" and sent to Burlington, New Jersey 08016. The name and address of the donor should be printed or typed in order that due acknowledgement may be promptly given.

OFFICERS 1970

William H. Goshen	<i>Worshipful Master</i>
Russell A. Roberts	<i>Senior Warden</i>
Richard A. Jervis	<i>Junior Warden</i>
Sheppard W. Hogan, P.M.	<i>Treasurer</i>
Samuel Davidson, P.D.D.G.M.	<i>Secretary</i>
John A. Shea, P.M.	<i>Chaplain</i>
Robert F. Andrews	<i>Senior Deacon</i>
Frank R. Morris	<i>Junior Deacon</i>
George Carty	<i>Senior M. of C.</i>
Daniel W. Hand, Jr.	<i>Junior M. of C.</i>
William H. Stiles	<i>Senior Steward</i>
William R. Piper	<i>Junior Steward</i>
Carl W. Nixon	<i>Marshal</i>
George W. Radcliffe	<i>Organist</i>
Merrill S. Cottrell, P.M.	<i>Historian</i>
Edward L. Grau	<i>Tyler</i>
John M. Robinson, P.D.D.G.M.	<i>Director of Work</i>

TRUSTEES

Walter S. Earling, P.M.	One Year
Robert D. Barber, P.M.	Two Years
Norman H. Fowler, P.M.	Three Years

COMMITTEES

FINANCE

Delbert H. Pfeiffer, P.G.C.
Harold E. Nichols, P.M.
John M. Robinson, P.D.D.G.M.

RELIEF

Delbert H. Pfeiffer, P.G.C.
Edmund K. Reeves, P.M.
John A. Shea, P.M.

SICK

Edmund K. Reeves, P.M.
Robert T. Shannon, P.M.
Lawrence B. Kates
Max C. Whitmore

REFRESHMENT COMMITTEE

Elville Potter
Russell Bachman

Kingdon G. Vaughan
William H. Stiles

Thompson A. Schuler
William R. Piper

LIVING PAST MASTERS

Sheppard W. Hogan	1917	Howard R. Earling	1944	John M. Robinson, PDDGM	1958
Edward C. Morrison	1921	Marshall H. Roe	1946	Parren S. Knarr	1959
Harold Headley	1922	Kenneth H. Sheppard	1947	William S. Stagg, Jr.	1961
Lester M. Hand	1928	Lewis E. Ferguson, Jr.	1949	Merrill S. Cottrell	1962
Shirley D. Haines	1931	Kenneth H. Whilden	1950	Herbert W. Dunham, Jr.	1963
Justus Llewallyn	1932	Samuel Davidson, PDDGM	1951	William H. Bowen	1964
Delbert H. Pfeiffer	1934	Charles F. Finch	1952	Robert D. Barber	1966
Herbert W. Dunham, Sr.	1937	James J. Molloy, Jr.	1953	Vernon C. Minkwitz, Sr.	1967
Edmund K. Reeves	1938	Norman H. Fowler	1954	F. Edward Barsuglia	1968
Walter S. Earling	1939	Robert T. Shannon	1955	Harry H. Potter	1969
Joseph P. Hogan, Jr.	1941	Harold E. Nichols	1956		
Frank B. Lutz	1943	John A. Shea	1957		

AFFILIATED PAST MASTERS

Elmer Gross, P.G.S.B.	1946	George G. Chapman	1954
Horace B. Hand	1948	James G. Mathis	1951
		George S. Leacock	1945

DISTRICT DEPUTY GRAND MASTER

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