

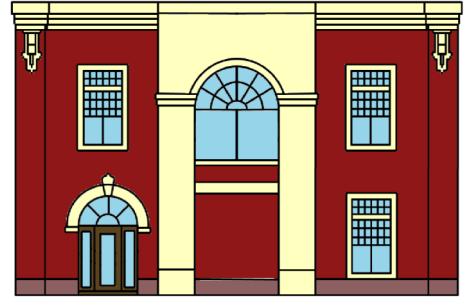
# OUR CORNER

News and Events from the organizations that meet at Suburban Lodge #740.

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## From the Master Clinton Carrier



### GREETINGS FROM THE EAST:

Springtime is officially here and things are going strong at Suburban Lodge! We were recently visited by our Indiana brothers from Keystone Lodge. A great day of fellowship was had as we had the privilege of witnessing their famous "Indiana Style" Master Mason degree performed on one of their fellow craft brothers. I have said this before and I will say it again, one of my favorite parts of masonry is getting to visit and meet brothers from other lodges. We have a great friendship with Keystone lodge and it is a joy to get to have Masonic fellowship with them every year. It is my hope and wish that we get to continue this great relationship with them and their fine members way into the future! Speaking of the visit, we had a great meal of Suburban's famous fish and fixin's that day prepared by our social club. President Rusty Portman and members of the social club met early that Saturday morning to prepare the feast and I would like to personally thank them for preparing the food! Everyone in attendance enjoyed the meal and the brothers from Keystone had plenty to take home with them! I would also like to thank all of the brothers of Suburban and all of the officers for all of their hard work in preparing for this visit. I would not have been as smooth with all of your help and I very, very much appreciate all your hard work!

Suburban's 2011 Chili cook off will be Thursday, March 31<sup>st</sup>. Our chili cook off is always a Suburban favorite. Last year Mark Galloway took home the first place trophy. Is there anyone out there who thinks they have the chili to compete

with his? If so I encourage all to enter a pot of chili into our friendly yearly contest! Our entertainment for the evening will be performed by "Donny Dynamite and the Dynamos". They have performed at several other lodges in Kentucky and I have heard nothing but great things about them. I am excited to have them come out and perform for us!

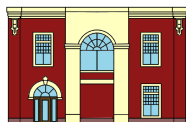
In closing I would like to extend an invite out to all of our brothers who have not had an opportunity to come and visit us for a while to come on out and visit us again. We have a lot of degree work that we will be doing in the coming months and if you have not had an opportunity to see our current line of officers do our degree work, you are missing out. Suburban's officers are committed to outstanding degree work and they all shine when given the opportunity to perform their ritual work they do.

I wish each and every one of you a very safe and happy spring!

Yours in masonry,

Clinton Carrier  
Master





Coming  
Events



April 2011

- 2 FISH FRY ..... 10AM To 8PM
- 4 DeMolay Meeting .....7:00PM
- 5 Hall Association.....6:30PM
- 7 Lodge meeting .....7:30PM
- 9 FISH FRY ..... 10AM To 8PM
- 11 Rainbow Meeting.....7:30PM
- 12 Social Club Meeting..... 7:00PM
- 14 Lodge Meeting .....7:30PM
- 16 FISH FRY ..... 10AM To 8PM
- 18 DeMolay Meeting .....7:00PM
- 19 Southern Star OES.....7:30PM
- 21 Lodge Meeting .....7:30PM
- 22 Southern Star Social Club .....7:30PM
- 23 FISH FRY ..... 10AM To 8PM
- 25 Rainbow Meeting .....7:30PM
- 26 York Rit Meeting.....7:30PM
- 28 Lodge Meeting .....6:00PM

May 2011

- 2 DeMolay Meeting .....7:00PM
- 3 Hall Association Meeting .....6:30PM
- 5 Lodge Meeting.....7:30PM
- 6 PARK CARS OAKS DAY..... 8AM To ?
- 7 FISH STAND CLOSED PARK CARS ..... 8AM To ?
- 9 Rainbow Meeting .....7:30PM
- 10 Social Club Meeting .....7:00PM
- 12 Lodge Meeting .....7:30PM
- 14 FISH FRY ..... 10AM To 8PM
- 16 DeMolay Meeting .....7:00PM
- 17 OES Southern Star .....7:30PM
- 19 Lodge Meeting .....7:30PM
- 20 Southern Star Social Club ..... 6:30PM
- 21 FISH FRY ..... 10AM To 8PM
- 22 Rainbow Meeting..... 7:30PM
- 23 York Rite Meeting .....7:30PM
- 26 Lodge Meeting .....7:30PM
- 28 FISH FRY ..... 10AM To 8PM

June 2011

- 2 Lodge Meeting .....7:30PM
- 4 Fish Fry ..... 10AM To 8PM
- 6 DeMolay Meeting.....7:00PM
- 7 Hall Association Meeting .....6:30PM



Suburban  
Lodge Stats

Entered Apprentices:

- Conferred by** Tom Mercer
- Conferred on** Cody Stevens  
2/17/11
- Joshua Cummings  
3/10/11

Fellow Crafts:

- Conferred by** Clinton Carrier
- Conferred on** Mike Frams  
Larry Bertman  
Kenneth Carrier  
3/17/2011

Master Masons:

- Conferred by** None
- Conferred on** None

Others:

- Plural Members:** James Bowling  
Elected 2/10/11

- Reinstatements:** None

- Demits:** None

- Petition for Degrees:** None

- Petition for Affiliation  
by Transfer:** None

- Petition for Affiliation by  
Plural Membership:** None

- Elected to  
Membership:** None

Sick and Prayer List

- Phil Byrd:** doing much better  
Stan Robinson, PM: wife Terri having Knee surgery
- Buddy Hitt:** Undergoing treatments
- Paul Jones: Out of Nursing Home living with daughter
- Robert Puckett:** Improving.
- Mike McFarland:** Had heart surgery doing much better
- Carl Cox:** Wife Janet having eye surgery
- Kathlene Vincent:** Hoit Vincent's widow passed away
- Lucy Cornwell:** Lodge widow passed away



In Memory of...

**JAMES W. CROCKETT 2/4/2011**

Brother Crockett was born on the 8<sup>th</sup> of August, 1917, in Franklin, TN. He received his Entered Apprentice Degree on the 17<sup>th</sup> day of October, 1946. He was passed the degree of Fellow Craft on the 12<sup>th</sup> day of December, 1946, and raised to the sublime degree of Master Mason on the 10<sup>th</sup> day of April, 1947, all in Suburban Lodge #740 F&AM.

He was a member for 65 years. Having completed the designs upon his trestle board, Brother Crockett laid down the working tools of his busy life and entered that celestial lodge above on the 4<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2011.

He is sadly missed by his children, other family and many friends.

Masonic services were conducted by Brother

Joe Marshall, PM and a Masonic Bible was presented to the family.

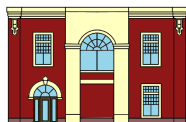
**ROBERT C. TIPTON 2/25/2011**

Brother Tipton was born on the 11<sup>th</sup> of November, 1924 in Etowan, TN. He received his Entered Apprentice Degree on the 6<sup>th</sup> Day of June, 1946. He was passed the degree of Fellow Craft on the 4<sup>th</sup> Day of July, 1946, and raised to the sublime degree of Master Mason on the 15<sup>th</sup> day of August, 1946, all in Suburban Lodge #740 F&AM.

He was a member for 65 years. Having completed the designs upon his trestle board, Brother Tipton laid down the working tools of his busy life and entered that celestial lodge above on the 25<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2011.

He is sadly missed by his son, other family and many friends. No Masonic Services were conducted.





**HARLYN EDWARD NALL 3/1/2011**

Brother Nall was born on the 1st day of March, 1919 in Hardin County, Kentucky. He received his Entered Apprentice Degree on the 6th Day of March, 1969. He was passed the degree of Fellow Craft on the 22nd day of May, 1969, and raised to the sublime degree of Master Mason on the 24th day of July, 1969, all in Suburban Lodge #740 F&AM.

He was a member for 42 years. Having completed the designs upon his trestle board, Brother Nall laid down the working tools of his busy life and entered that celestial lodge above on the 1st day of March 2011.

He is sadly missed by his wife, children, other family and many friends.

Masonic Services were conducted by Tom Mercer.

those degrees in the White House June 20, 1867 from Benjamin B. French, 33 Deg. and A.T.C. Pierson, 33 Deg., both active members of the Supreme Council, S.J.

He participated in five cornerstone layings; the monument to Bro. Stephen A. Douglas, Chicago, Illinois, September 6, 1866; Masonic Temple, Baltimore, Maryland, November 20, 1866; Masonic Temple Boston, Massachusetts, June 24, 1867; National Cemetery, Antietam, Maryland, October 17, 1867; and Masonic Temple, Washington, D.C., May 20, 1868. To attend this ceremony he gave leave to all Masons in government service, and President Johnson marched on foot in the parade as a Master Mason.

At the cornerstone laying of the Baltimore Temple, someone suggested that a chair be brought to the reviewing platform for him. Brother Johnson refused it, saying: "We all meet on the level."

He died July 31, 1875, and was buried with full Masonic Honors by Greenville Lodge No. 119, R.W.G. Conner, Deputy Grand Master of Tennessee conducting the services in the presence of four Lodges and Coeur de Lion Commandry No. 9 of Knoxville, which performed the Templar service.

was born near Mercersburg, Pennsylvania, April 23, 1791. When twenty-three years of age, he petitioned Lodge No. 43 (the Lodge had no name) of Lancaster, Pennsylvania, and was elected and initiated December 11, 1816, and both passed and raised on January 24, 1817.

He was elected Junior Warden December 13, 1820; Master December 23, 1822, and was installed March 12, 1823. He was appointed First District Deputy Grand Master for Lancaster, Lebanon and York Counties, December 27, 1823.

May 20, 1826, he was exalted in Royal Arch Chapter No. 43 (also no name) of Lancaster. Thirty-two years later he was made a Life Member by his Lodge. He delivered the address in the Masonic dedication of the statue of Washington, Washington Circle, Washington, D.C. February 22, 1860. He died June 1, 1868, and was buried Masonically by his Lodge.

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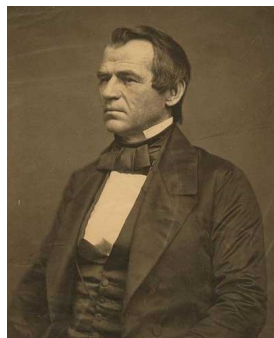
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**Masonic Presidents: Andrew Johnson**

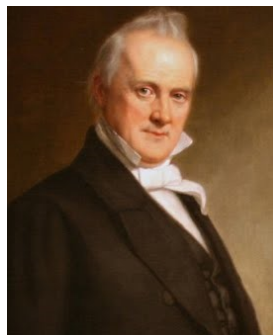
by Bill Harvey, PM



Andrew Johnson, 17<sup>th</sup> President (1865-1868), was born at Raleigh, N.C., December 29, 1808. He received the degrees in Greenville Lodge No. 119 at Greenville, Tennessee in 1851; is supposed to have been a Chapter Mason but the name of the Chapter and date of exaltation are unknown; was Knighted in Nashville Commandry No. 1, Nashville, Tennessee, July 26, 1859, and, the First President to become a Scottish Rite Mason, received

**Masonic Presidents: James Buchanan**

by Bill Harvey, PM



James Buchanan, 15<sup>th</sup> President (1857-1861),

**Suburban Social Club**

**— Fish Fry —**

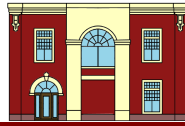
Every Saturday 10am to 8pm, March—November

Serving Green River Style fish, fries, slaw, and our famous marinated sweet onions.

Located at 3901 South 3rd Street in Louisville, Kentucky — Where Southern Parkway and 3rd Street intersect

Cut this out and share with someone who may not know about the fish fry!





## Brotherhood...Suburban Style

Come gather round me brothers  
I'll spin this yarn for free  
It's about Masonic brotherhood  
And what it means to you and me

Do we try whispering "good counsel"  
In our brother's ear  
Or watch him stumble, make mistakes  
Then laugh at him and jeer

Do we take an office  
Just to "toot on our own horn"  
Then scratch our heads and wonder  
Why we're looked upon with scorn

And when you think you know it all  
Though your apron shines like new  
Do you really think Suburban Lodge  
Has been waiting just for you

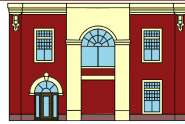
Or if your picture hangs  
On that honored wall  
Do you choose to help a brother  
Or just watch him as he falls

You can see I've posed some questions  
As for the answers, I've no clue  
But brotherhood "Suburban Style"  
Could live or die with you

So keep in mind just this one thought  
As you're going through your day  
If you sit in the east or the northeast chair  
We all have our part to play

Anon-E-Mus





# Southern Star Ray OES Newsletter



## SOUTHERN STAR 2010 DUES NOTICE

Dues for 2010 are due prior to August 1, 2010. If you do not have a light grey 2010 dues card, please send your check, in the amount of \$24.00, payable to Southern Star #154, to Debbie Ballinger, 4305 Gaudet Road, Louisville KY 40299. If possible, please enclose a self-addressed stamp envelope for me to use to return your card. Debbie Ballinger, Secretary  
502-267-6616

### SOUTHERN STAR RECORDS

#### **Address Changes:**

Jeanette Dyche  
2407 Kings Cross Ct  
Louisville KY 40272

Sharon Stillwell  
2613 South Ridge Dr  
Midlothian VA 23112-3812

Joe Ann Smothers  
3406 Trinity St  
North Port FL 34291

#### **Newly Initiated Member:**

Clinton Carrier (417-4799)  
6312 Price Lane  
Louisville KY 40229

#### **Petition Received:**

Brittany Horn (451-9506)  
2631 Gardiner Lane  
Louisville KY 40205

Randall Lee Bell II (807-4132)  
11 Wagon Trail  
Louisville KY 40216

—Debbie Ballinger, Secretary

### SOUTHERN STAR – IN MEMORIAM

#### **Sister Dorothy Secuskie – February 21, 2011**

Sister Dorothy was initiated on March 7, 1957 at Liberty Chapter, which merged with Bright Star Chapter in April 2001. She

affiliated with Southern Star Chapter on February 21, 2006 where she remained faithful until her death. In fact, one of the last things that she did prior to her sudden illness was attend an Eastern Star meeting. Sister Dorothy will be greatly missed by all of her family and friends.

### COMING EVENTS

**Mar 17-Shively #566 Wearin' of the Green LOF** – Food & Social time – 6:00 p.m. Meeting & Party – 7:00 p.m.

**Mar 19-Harmony #273 Chili Supper, Cake Walk & Bazaar** – Price-Adults \$6.00, Children 10 & under \$3.00 – Bluelick Road at Preston Hwy

**Mar 19-District 10-School of Instruction**

**Mar 26-District 4-School of Instruction**

**April 2 – Party honoring Jeanette Riedling, Gr Adah & Michael Martin, Gr Sentinel** – Rob Morris Lodge; 124 E. Main St; LaGrange; Time – 3:30 p.m.

**April 9 – Brilliant Star Style Show & Ladies Tea** – Sunset Lodge; Cost - \$10.00; The Dress Barn will be giving out discount coupons & Marsha's Fashion Jewelry & Purses will be available. See a Brilliant Star member for tickets.

**April 12 – Fairdale LOF** – Fairdale Lodge; Dinner at 6:30; Addendum at 7:15; Meeting at 7:30

**April 17 – Southern Star Chapter 100th Anniversary Celebration** – Suburban Lodge Hall; Celebration at 2:00 p.m. Everyone is invited to attend.

**April 19 – Southern Star Past Matrons & Past Patrons Night**

**May 20 – Brilliant Star Chapter 100th Anniversary Celebration** – Sunset Lodge; Dinner at 6:20 (reservations required-Doris Vincent, 4205 Smarty Jones Dr, 40214 or brilliantstar 153@bellsouth.net) Meeting & Courtesy Visit at 7:30

Come One – Come All

What – 100th Anniversary Celebration

Who – Southern Star Chapter No. 154

Where – Suburban Lodge

3901 South Third Street

Louisville KY 40214

When – Sunday, April 17, 2011

Two O'Clock PM EST



Come Hear the History of the Chapter

Renew Friendships

Good Fellowship.....Good Food.....and  
Maybe a Few Surprises?????

Southern Star No. 154 Appointees --  
Rick Ballinger, GGCCM Youth 2009 -  
2012

Jane Veach, GCCM International Head-  
quarters 2010 - 2011

Jo Vest, DGM 2010 - 2011

Gail Perry, Worthy Matron -- John  
Perry, Worthy Patron

