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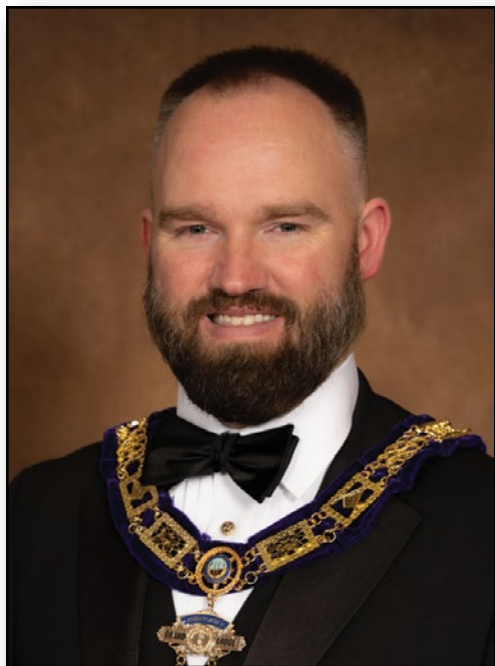
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## GRAND MASTER'S MESSAGE



**MITCHELL A. MAY**

Grand Master 2024-2025

My Brethren,

Joseph, my two-year-old son, has become fascinated with the moon in recent weeks, and every time we walk outside at night he points up and exclaims "Da moon! Da moon!" He loves searching the darkness of the night's sky for his beloved moon. Whether it's standing around the altar of a small country lodge, with the lights dimmed and only the flame of the lesser lights providing illumination, the crackling flame of a campfire on a warm summer night, or "Da moon!" the contrast between the darkness and the light reminds me of our role as Freemasons.

From the earliest days of humanity, light has symbolized knowledge, hope, and divine presence. Across cultures and religions, lamps and beacons have illuminated not only physical paths but also the deeper journeys of the human spirit. The idea of light as guidance is perhaps most poignantly captured in the 119th chapter of the Book of Psalms, "*Thy word is a lamp unto my feet, and a light unto my path.*" This metaphor speaks to the power of truth and wisdom to guide us through life's uncertainties, just as a lamp might reveal the road ahead in the dead of night.

The "lamp of knowledge," a phrase often used in education and philosophy, represents enlightenment through learning. In a world filled with misinformation, prejudice, and fear, knowledge functions as a light that cuts through the darkness. It does not merely fill minds with facts; rather it empowers individuals to think critically, to empathize with others, and to resist darkness in all its forms, including ignorance, tyranny, envy and hate. The lamp of knowledge is not a luxury; it is a necessity for moral and intellectual clarity.



Throughout history, festivals of light have emerged as powerful cultural responses to darkness. Diwali, the Hindu festival of lights, celebrates the triumph of light over darkness and good over evil. Families light oil lamps, known as diyas, and set off fireworks, symbolizing the victory of inner illumination over ignorance. Hanukkah, the Jewish festival of lights, commemorates the rededication of the Second Temple and the miracle of a small amount of oil burning for eight days. Advent, observed in Christian tradition, is a season of hopeful expectation, marked by the lighting of candles leading up to the celebration of Christ's birth – a light entering the world to bring salvation to his followers. These diverse traditions converge on a singular truth: in times of darkness, be it physical, emotional, or spiritual, human beings have always made use of light to represent that which is good. Whether it is a lamp in a window, a candle in a church, or a flame on a menorah, the gesture is the same: a defiance of darkness, and an affirmation of hope.

Even in the realm of defense and empire, light has served as a tool for both communication and protection. The Great Wall of China, one of the most iconic structures in world history, was not merely a barrier against invaders; it was also a network of knowledge and warning. Beacon towers, built at intervals along the wall, were used to transmit messages rapidly across vast distances using fire and smoke. When an attack was imminent, the lighting of a beacon would set off a chain reaction, passing knowledge from one tower to the next, alerting troops and citizens far from the point of danger. And just as the beacon towers of the Great Wall once lit the skies to signal danger and wisdom across vast distances, each Mason is called to be a light bearer – carrying knowledge into his family, community, and society. The lessons he learns in the Lodge are not to be hidden but lived, shared, and exemplified.

The role of light in human culture is thus both deeply symbolic and practical. It guides, protects, reveals, and inspires. Whether in sacred texts, philosophical teachings, seasonal rituals, or military strategy, illumination serves as a metaphor for the human capacity to move from ignorance to understanding, from fear to courage, from despair to hope.

In an age overwhelmed with information, hectic schedules, and divisive rhetoric, we are called to light our lamps and shine forth the principles and tenets of our Craft. Plato, one of the great philosophers, warned of a far deeper tragedy than the childhood fear of darkness. As he contended, "*We can easily forgive a child who is afraid of the dark. The real tragedy of life is when men are afraid of the light.*" This profound observation reminds us that the refusal to embrace truth and understanding is not a sign of innocence, but of ignorance. To fear the light is to fear change, to resist growth, and to reject the responsibilities that come with awareness. We are called to seek truth, to walk bravely into the light, and to become beacons for others. Go forth and illuminate your communities with the light of Freemasonry! Though darkness is rampant, light eradicates it. Remember my Brothers, though the work is not complete, "with time, patience, and perseverance we shall accomplish all things!"

Fraternally thine,

Mitchell A. May, Grand Master  
Grand Lodge of Kentucky F&AM

*Cover Photo: The Grand Master's Traveling Father Time  
and the Weeping Virgin, as printed by Worshipful  
Zachary T. Lucas, D.D.G.M. - District 31.*

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## 2025 DISTRICT MEETINGS

LADIES WELCOME TO ALL DISTRICT MEETING MEALS

### May 30 | District 22



Meal at 6:30 pm

District Meeting  
at 7:30 pm

Michael J. Hamlett, DDGM  
Columbia Lodge No. 96  
501 Burkesville St.  
Columbia, KY

### June 6 | District 21



Meal at 6:30 pm

District Meeting  
at 7:30 pm

M. Tyler Lee, DDGM  
Somerset High School  
301 College St.  
Somerset, KY

### June 7 | District 26

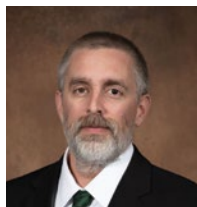


Meal at 11:00 am

District Meeting  
at Noon

Nicholas G. Irvin, DDGM  
McKee Lodge No. 144  
109 S. Broad St.  
London, KY

### June 7 | District 30



Meal at 5:00 pm

District Meeting  
at 6:00 pm

Shaun Burnette, DDGM  
Harlan County High School  
4000 US 119 N.  
Baxter, KY

## MWGM MITCHELL MAY

*Masonic Unity Weekend*

### YORK RITE & SCOTTISH RITE

*One Day Festivals*

## AUGUST 22 & 23, 2025

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knight734@gmail.com

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## THE CRAFT AT WORK



The Annual ride for Trooper Island helped a bunch of kids to go to summer camp for free. Thanks to the Southern Brothers M/C for the \$2,660 donation and the Jokers M/C for their generous donation. After it was over we will give the Kentucky State Police Trooper Island \$3,500 so they can send more kids to Summer Camp at Trooper Island at Dale Hollow Lake in Kentucky. Thank you to everyone that donated and those that went on the ride. For more information or if you want to send a child to Trooper Island Summer Camp contact TFO member and KSP Trooper Scott Ferrell at 606-872-3991.

The Brethren of Lincoln Lodge #60, and McKinney Lodge #631 were notified that a Lincoln County family was in need of a wheel chair ramp for a 10 year old boy who was growing fast and having to make several medical related trips to Vanderbilt Hospital in Nashville. On further investigating the needs of the Godbey family, we realized that the family actually needed a handicapped equipped van for the trips. Master Mike Southerland of Lincoln #60, P.M. Danny Johns of Hart Lodge #631 and Master Joe Gilliland, McKinney #631 with Brother Johns taking the lead, went to work in the area Lodges around District 21. Money was raised from Hiram #4, Anderson #90, Craftsman #722, Lancaster #104, St. Johns #125, Rocky Ford #765, Mt. Gilead #255, Franklin #28, Somerset #111, District #16 Pic-Nic, Hart Lodge #61, a local church and several citizens of the area. Lincoln #60 hosted a golf scramble to benefit the project. A total of \$10,321.50 was raised and the family was presented the van from the local Masons. This money included the purchase of the van, four (4) new tires (thank you to Lasure's on Main, Stanford) and some monies for upkeep. Pictured left to right: P.M. Kevil Chinn, Franklin #28, Timothy Simpson, Oleika Shrine, Brother Bill Bailey, Mercer 777, P.M. Jim Lockridge, Mt. Gilead #255, Chad Godbey (father) Kayden Godbey, Janie Godbey (mother), P.M. Danny Johns, Hart Lodge #631, P.M. Mike Southerland, Lincoln Lodge #60, P.M. Joe Gilliland, McKinney #631 and Brother Butch Jenkins, Lincoln #60

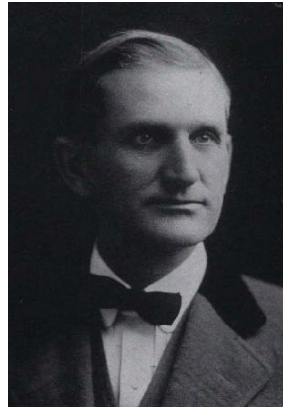


## GRAND HISTORIAN'S NOTES

My Brothers,

It has been good to visit and talk with many of you at the district meetings across the state. This month, I have chosen to share with you the biography of Most Worshipful James N. Saunders, P.G.M., who compiled the *Saunders' Masonic Monitor and History of the Subordinate Lodges of the Grand Lodge of Kentucky*. The latter was the basis from which the Committee on Historic Preservation constructed the new book commemorating the 225th Anniversary of our Grand Lodge.

James Newton Saunders was born on April 02, 1864, near Springfield, Kentucky, the son of Rev. Miles Saunders, D.D. (for forty years the Pastor of the Presbyterian Church at Springfield). His mother, Margaret (Booker) Saunders, was the daughter of Paul J. Booker, a Circuit Court Judge under the old appointive system, and a granddaughter of Samuel Booker, a Captain of Virginia troops in the War of the Revolution. Brother Saunders received his primary training at Covington Institute at Springfield and his classical education at Central University and Westminster College. He graduated from the University of Michigan Law School and first hung his shingle to the breezes in his native town. For a period of time in his early years, he held the position of Editor of the *Springfield Sun* and was also a Chautauqua lecturer for some time.



He petitioned Springfield Lodge No. 50 and was there initiated on May 18, 1889; passed to the Degree of Fellow Craft on June 15, 1889, and raised to the sublime Degree of Master Mason on July 13, 1889. He was elected Master on three successive occasions in December 1891, 1892, and 1893. In the Spring of 1894, he relocated to Stanford, Kentucky, and the following year moved his membership to Lincoln Lodge No. 60. In December 1896, 1897, and 1898, he was elected Master of Lincoln Lodge. In 1899, the lodge forfeited its charter and he was admitted into Franklin Lodge No. 28. He later demitted from Franklin Lodge, and on October 16, 1907 presented to the Grand Lodge a petition to re-charter Lincoln Lodge No. 60. The charter was granted, and he was named Senior Warden therein. In 1908, he was elected Master.

At the session of the Grand Lodge in 1911, he presented to that body a manuscript, a Masonic Monitor written by him, for its approval. Concerning *Saunders' Monitor*, then Grand Master Burnam, in his Annual Address, said: "It combines beauty and grace of diction with originality of arrangement. He has so interwoven the old with the new verbiage that the work is a thing of beauty." The manuscript was referred to a special committee, which reported: "We find the same to be a splendid exposition and interpretation of the lessons and ceremonies presented, and the presentation of them made in the attractive, scholarly way that renders the compilation a valuable one for the use of the Craft. We recommend this report be received and adopted as the expression of the Grand Lodge of Kentucky, F. & A.M.," which was done.

In October 1913, he presented and secured by the Grand Lodge the passage of a resolution calling for the appointment of a committee of three to compile the unwritten history of the subordinate lodges of the State. Being appointed the Chairman of the committee, his associates entrusted the whole matter to him, and after four years of persistent labor, he presented the finished work to the Grand Lodge in two six-hundred-page volumes.

The Grand Lodge of Kentucky elected him Grand Junior Warden in 1913, and he was regularly advanced to the station of Grand Master, serving from 1916 until 1917. As Grand Master, he took an active interest in the Masonic Widows' & Orphans' Home and, in his Annual Address, suggested some radical changes in the institution concerning improved methods in the conduct of homes for dependent children.

While a citizen of Washington County, he served in the State Legislature, where he distinguished himself as a gifted orator and legislator. After removing to Stanford, he was appointed one of the referees in bankruptcy for a period of fourteen years. On multiple occasions he was designated a Special Judge by the Governor in different Circuit Courts and always filled such positions with the dignity, fairness, and justice to all concerned. He had a comfortable home and a happy family, including an accomplished wife, Miss Annie Alcorn, whom he married in November 1899, and a beautiful daughter. He possessed a splendid and well-selected library – literary, professional, and Masonic. He eschewed political office, was true to his friends, devoted to our noble Order, and never failed to attend all the meetings of his lodge.

Past Grand Master Saunders laid down his working tools at Danville Hospital on November 07, 1934, his death resulting from injuries sustained when he was struck by an automobile about one week before his passing. He was buried at Cemetery Hill in the City of Springfield.

Fraternally Thine,

Jordan L. Staton (884, 856, 998)

Grand Historian

Grand Lodge of Kentucky, F. & A.M.



On April 5th, **Good Faith Lodge #95** "passed" Brothers Dennis Presley and Johnny Seabolt through the Middle Chamber of King Solomon's Temple to Fellow Crafts. Congratulations Brothers, on taking your second steps on your Masonic journey. The Conferring Master was PM Kevin Schneider. He and his corp of officers put on a fantastic degree. It was a great Masonic day.



## THE CRAFT AT WORK



The brethren of **Robert M. Sirkle Lodge #954**, Lexington, hosted a Derby themed murder mystery lunch on Saturday, April 26, 2025. The proceeds from the event (\$1,125) benefitted the Oleika Shrine Transportation Fund. There were nearly 50 who signed up and everyone in attendance had a great time of fun and fellowship for a worthy cause.



In other travels Brother Darrell Clements was able to visit **New Smyrna Beach Lodge #149** for one meeting while in Florida and he thoroughly enjoyed his time there and felt very welcomed with their hospitality and fellowship. Although he did not get complete names of all of their officers here he is pictured with all of their officers present at their meeting that evening. If interested they invite anyone who wishes to attend they meet on the first and third Monday of each month.



PM Trent Ranburger presents a 60-year pin to his father PM Gilbert Ranburger.



In his travels over his winter break in Florida Brother Darrell Clements was able to attend **Acacia Lodge #163** in Stuart Florida for two of their stated meetings as well as being invited to a meal with their Grotto organization. As a Past Master of two lodges in Kentucky he was offered the unique opportunity to sit in the east and conduct their meeting of which he graciously declined to honor their sitting master. Pictured left to right on the bottom row; From **Acacia #163**-Senior Deacon Timothy Van Den Heuvel, Senior Warden Joseph Schoonover, Master Jerimy Horton, **Bowling Green #73** secretary Darrell Clements, Acacia #163 Junior Warden Paul Friend (originally from KY), Junior Deacon Michael Lyn (originally from KY), Senior Steward Greg Hendrix (Formally from KY) Back Row left to right: Musician Landon Friend, Treasurer John Pickford, Secretary Julio Sanchez, Chaplain Anton Eastman. Great fellowship and meals were shared and Brother Clements as well as any Kentucky member was invited to visit **Acacia Lodge #163** whenever they were in the Stuart, FL area. They meet the first and third Thursday of each month.

## THE CRAFT AT WORK

### RUDYARD KIPLING AND LODGE HOPE & PERSEVERANCE

#### PART I OF III

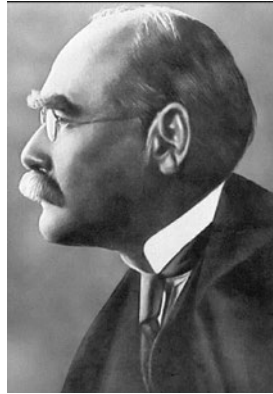
By Enamul Karim

#### Part I of III

Since December 27, 1728 when permission was granted to George Pomfret to open Lodge East India Arms in Bengal. Freemasonry was mostly confined to the eastern part of the Indian sub-continent for a hundred years. In making people aware that “we are all brethren, and that he who is placed on the lowest spoke of the fortune’s wheel, is equally entitled to our regard with him who has attained its highest round” Masonry was regarded as a humanizing force within the caste-ridden British army in India by checking savage tortures inflicted on the ill-paid soldiers by their superior officers. It infused a greater sense of brotherhood, goodwill and charity among the Anglo-Indians of different social and professional status “whose social caste restrictions are almost more inexorable than those of the Hindu whom he affects to despise on that account” However, Freemasonry as an institution was composed entirely of the Anglo-Indians up to the middle of the nineteenth century.

With the expansion of British political and military power into the north-western sector of India from the 1830s onward, there occurred “a remarkable extension of Masonic activity to the N.W. Provinces and the Punjab in the years 1834-1840.” The British victory in the Second Sikh War of 1848-49 and the annexation of the Punjab by Lord Dalhousie brought more military and civilian personnel to the conquered area. The result was the establishment of five Masonic Lodges between 1849 and 1856, prior to the outbreak of the Sepoy Mutiny. During the distressing time of the Sepoy Mutiny, 1857-58, when the racial, cultural and political relations between the Indians and the English had culminated in armed hostility and violence, the Punjab had remained loyal to the British. But the political climate of the sub-continent was deeply charged with mutual distrust and suspicion. When, therefore, the Lodge Hope and Perseverance was formed at Lahore, capital of the Punjab, on December 27, 1858, one of its aims was to foster “the bonds of Brotherly Love” between the two races. Writing on the one hundredth anniversary of the founding of the District Grand Lodge of the Punjab of which the Lodge Hope and Perseverance was the most important member, Rustum Sohrabji Sidhwa states: “The District Grand Lodge of the Punjab... during its hundred years of existence has not once found itself cornered or pushed into any political or religious malaise, at the instance of any member... The Fraternity have themselves kept their politics and religions to themselves... Setting aside political, social and religious affiliations, he is taught to recognize the bonds of Brotherly Love that bind him with his fellow creatures...” In order to encourage Indian participation in Lodge Hope and Perseverance, the site for its permanent building was selected in the old Anarkali section of Lahore where the Indians resided, away from the exclusive Punjab Club. At the time of laying the foundation stone for this building, local people were invited. *The Freemason’s Magazine* reported on November 5, 1859: “one hundred and fifty native Chiefs assembled for the ceremony [laying of the foundation stone] on 6th September, 1859, at which Wor. Bro. H. D. Sandeman officiated.”

The Indian involvement and association with the Freemasonry of the Punjab became increasingly important in the sixties and the seventies. In fact, an Indian Parsi, Dhanjibhoy Camadore, was elevated to the highest



degree in the Lodge Light in the Himalayas No. 1448 at Murree in the Punjab. Reporting on the activities of that Lodge in 1876, Wor. Bro. MacKesy stated: “The Lodge is under the rule of Wor. Bro. Dhanjibhoy Camadore, a Parsi gentleman. This is I believe the first instance which has occurred in the Province of a Parsi Brother having attained the Eastern chair. I trust it will not be the last. Wor. Bro. Dhanjibhoy having proved himself to be in every way worthy of and qualified to fill the high office to which he was unanimously elected.”

When Rudyard Kipling returned to India in 1882 as a young journalist, Lahore had five Masonic Lodges. There were the Lodge Hope and Perseverance No. 782, Fidelity

Mark Lodge No. 98, Mt. Ararat Ark Mariners’ Lodge, Lodge Industry No. 1485 and St. John the Evangelist No. 1483 located at the British army base at Mian Mir, outside the city. Of these Lodge Hope and Perseverance No. 782 was the most active and its Masonic Hall became the focal point of Masonic activities from all over the Punjab. This Lodge sponsored the formation of The Ravee Lodge No. 1215 at Lahore on January 20, 1868. The installation ceremony of the Indus Lodge was held at its premises in December, 1869. The District Grand Lodge of the Punjab was formed in this Lodge on March 12, 1869 and Major Charles McWhirter Mercer was installed here as the first District Grand Master. In April of 1872, the Masonic Hall of the Lodge Hope and Perseverance No. 782 became the official headquarters of the Punjab District Grand Lodge. According to Harry Carr the total Masonic population of the Punjab under the District Grand Lodge was about 650 in some twenty Lodges.

Whether Kipling had any previous family connection with Freemasonry is uncertain. Albert Frost suggested that in the seventeenth century when the Kiplings used to live near Richmond in Yorkshire, several of them were Freemasons at York. However, Rudyard’s father, Lockwood Kipling, was quite knowledgeable in Masonry. In his autobiography Rudyard Kipling mentioned how he “got the Father to advise, in decorating the bare walls of the Masonic Hall with hangings after the prescription of Solomon’s Temple.” Harry Carr stated that Lockwood Kipling was often called as “Bro. Lockwood Kipling.”

When the Duke of Connaught, Grand Master of Bombay, was expected to visit Lahore in 1886, the responsibility of developing an elaborately designed address for presentation to him was entrusted to the Lahore School of Art of which Lockwood Kipling was then the Principal. It is interesting to note, however, that Rudyard Kipling portrayed his father in the image of the Curator of Lahore Museum, who is the embodiment of the Masonic virtues of brotherly love and charity in his dealings with the Lama in *Kim*.

Rudyard Kipling’s personal impression of Freemasonry dated back to his early Southsea days which he recollected in *Something of Myself*. “And somehow or other I came across a tale about a lion-hunter in South Africa who fell among lions who were all Freemasons, and with them entered into a confederacy against some wicked baboons.” This early impression had left its mark by this association of Freemasons with forces that represent good opposing the ‘wicked.’ (*To Be Continued*)



## THE CRAFT AT WORK



On April 22, 2025, Most Worshipful Mitchell A. May, Grand Master and the Brothers of **Owensboro-Yellow Banks Lodge #130** presented a 75-Year Pin to Brother Dennis Newberry. Brother Newberry, a veteran of World War II, was awarded the Congressional Gold Medal a few years ago as a result of his service in the Civil Air Patrol.



Attached is a photo of Bro SW Evan P. Pool receiving his completion certificates for the Masonic Scholar program from WM Brandon Beatty of **Bullitt #155**. He completed: Constitution, History quiz A, History quiz B, EA, FC, and MM Degrees.



Traveling Gavel being presented for having the most members present at the District 15 District Meeting. Pictured left to right: MWGM Mitchell May, WM of **Bullitt #155**: Brandon Beatty, and District 15 DDGM: Stephen Hawkins.



### Grand Master Sporting Clay

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**MASONIC  
HOMES**  
KENTUCKY

Seeking  
Nominations

**The Annual Meeting of Masonic Homes Kentucky  
will be held on Monday, Oct. 20, 2025.  
Five Directors will be elected to serve  
a three-year term.**

To be eligible for election to the office of director, you must be a Kentucky Master Mason. Directors are expected to attend bi-monthly Board meetings every third Wednesday, serve on assigned committees and perform other duties as assigned by the Chair of the Board or Executive Committee. Directors serve without remuneration and must own a Life Membership or Honorary Life Membership (\$250) to Masonic Homes Kentucky. Members are also encouraged to make a contribution to Masonic Homes Kentucky's Masonicare program each year of their service.

To be considered for nomination to the Board of Directors, you must submit a current resume including: name, address, current occupation, phone number, education and work experience, previous board experience, organizational offices held, references and Masonic affiliation and history. The resume may be submitted on regular stationery, mailed with a recent photograph, and postmarked no later than July 1, 2025.

Mail to: **Nominations Committee, c/o Brenda Travis**  
**Masonic Homes Kentucky**  
**330 Masonic Home Drive**  
**Masonic Home, KY 40041**

# ANCIENT & ACCEPTED SCOTTISH RITE - ORIENT OF KENTUCKY



Brethren,

How is your health my brother? Do you exercise by walking around the neighborhood or going to the gym? Or, like me, sometimes maybe when I feel like it. How do you exercise your mind? Do you watch Sportscenter on ESPN or read a good book, do crossword puzzles or study Masonic Ritual?

What do you think is the health of Freemasonry? It is no secret that our numbers are declining and most that are members are not attending. Why should Sons join when on a Meeting night Dad stays home to watch Sportscenter. My hat is off to those brothers who regularly attend their Masonic Meeting of any Lodge or Rite. You are the faithful.

Let's make a pledge to ourselves to attend a few meetings of all the Masonic Lodges and Rites we are a member of. If you haven't attended in a while, rekindle those friendships and support the greatest Fraternity the world has ever known.

May our Heavenly Father continue to Bless you and yours!

Terry L. Bowman, PGM, 33°  
SGIG, Orient of Kentucky

## Grand Lodge of Kentucky 4th Annual MASONICare Car Show

Saturday, July 12th 2025  
9am-1pm

Masonic Homes of Kentucky  
3701 Frankfort Ave., Louisville, KY 40207

All Proceeds go to the Masonic Homes Of Kentucky Masonic Care Program  
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Sign \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

**You DO NOT have to be a MASON to participate, BUT to become one ASK one**



Brethren,

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## ANCIENT & ACCEPTED SCOTTISH RITE - ORIENT OF KENTUCKY

### MAUNDY THURSDAY SERVICE

On Thursday, April 17, in celebration of Maundy Thursday, members of West Kentucky Scottish Rite participated in an Easter pageant depicting the Passion of Jesus: his trial, suffering and death, and resurrection. Family members including ladies, children, and grandchildren were present to observe the play and enjoy a time of food and fellowship. I hope you had a wonderful Easter celebration.

May God Bless You, your Family, your Lodge and the USA,

Douglas W. Bunch, 32° KCCH Personal Representative  
Western Kentucky Scottish Rite, Valley of Madisonville



### Scottish Rite Creed

*Human progress is our cause, liberty of thought our supreme wish, freedom of conscience our mission, and the guarantee of equal rights to all people everywhere our ultimate goal.*

### Mission Statement

It is the mission of the Scottish Rite of Freemasonry, SJ, to improve its members and enhance the communities in which they live by teaching and emulating the principles of Brotherly Love, Tolerance, Charity, and Truth, while actively embracing high social, moral, and spiritual values, including fellowship, compassion, and dedication to God, family, and country.

# ANCIENT & ACCEPTED SCOTTISH RITE - ORIENT OF KENTUCKY

MASONIC LIBRARY AND MUSEUM ASSOCIATION

COVINGTON SCOTTISH RITE

*"I Didn't Know That....."*

**HENRY PIRTLE – KENTUCKY'S FORGOTTEN FAVORITE SON**

**PART 1**

The name Henry Pirtle is recognizable to most Kentucky Freemasons as the compiler of *The Kentucky Monitor*, one of the Grand Lodge of Kentucky's four approved ritual guides.

Unfortunately, very few Kentucky Freemasons have any acquaintance with Henry Pirtle beyond that point. There are very few men who have done more to shape the culture of Kentucky Freemasonry than Henry Pirtle, and even fewer whose influence has been so broadly beneficent. Henry Pirtle left Freemasonry, and especially Kentucky Freemasonry, better than he found it. For that, his contributions should be much better known among Kentucky Freemasons.

Henry Pirtle was born into a prominent Jefferson County, Kentucky, family on September 3, 1887. He was educated at Male High School in Louisville and received a law degree from the University of Louisville in 1907. At that early age, he began the practice of law in Louisville.

His Masonic journey began with his initiation as an Entered Apprentice Mason in Abraham Lodge No. 8 in Louisville on January 20, 1909. He was passed to the Degree of Fellow Craft in Abraham No. 8 on May 19, 1909. He was raised to the sublime Degree of a Master Mason in that same Lodge on June 30, 1909. He swiftly joined the officer line in his Mother Lodge and became its Master in 1912. On June 21, 1915, he was elected to membership in Louisville Lodge No. 400, on demit from Abraham Lodge No. 8. Unsurprisingly, he quickly became involved in the leadership of Louisville

Lodge No. 400, serving as its secretary in 1919.

By the time that W. B. Pirtle became a member of Louisville Lodge No. 400, his tremendous talents had already been recognized. Following a controversy related to content and editorial control over "The Masonic Home Journal," W. B. Pirtle was named as editor of the "Home Journal." The first edition under his editorship was published on November 15, 1915.

One of the most overlooked resources available to Kentucky Freemasons are the copies of the "Home Journal" available for inspection in the Grand Lodge library.

Pirtle's editorship of the "Home Journal" was remarkable. The content of the publication revealed the presence of a mature and powerful mind at the helm. Articles that appeared in the "Home Journal" while Pirtle was editor addressed the influences of the ancient religious schools on Masonic philosophy and symbolism. Pirtle had a deep appreciation for the spiritual aspects of the lessons of Freemasonry. The content that he included in the "Home Journal" and his later writings reflected that appreciation.

Following his editorship of "The Masonic Home Journal," the United States found itself entering World War I as one of the Allied Powers. Henry Pirtle enlisted in the Army and rose to the rank of captain. Leaving military service after the war, he resumed his Masonic service.

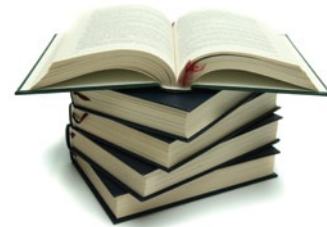
Following the death of Grand Secretary H.B. Grant, the Grand Lodge of Kentucky again found itself in need of W. B. Pirtle's considerable talents. He was tasked by the Grand Lodge with revising the Book of Constitutions for the Grand Lodge of Kentucky. His work, the Fifth Edition of Kentucky's Book of Constitutions, was adopted at the annual communication of the Grand Lodge in 1918.

Shortly thereafter, Henry Pirtle turned to the work for which he is best known, the compilation of *The Kentucky Monitor*. W. B. Pirtle's interest in the history and philosophy of Freemasonry quite naturally propelled him to examine how the philosophy and symbolism of Freemasonry was expressed in its ceremonies and rituals.

*(To be continued)*

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The "ribbon cutting" for the opening of this lab was held on February 20, 2025. In the accompanying photo are pictured Phil Marshall, Executive Director of the Kids Center; James Brown, Foundation Board President; and Randolph Starks, Foundation Board Treasurer.

We are thrilled to celebrate the opening of our new Augmentative and Alternative Communication (AAC) Lab at Kids Center for Pediatric Therapies! This cutting-edge space will provide children with the tools they need to communicate, connect, and thrive. Whether through picture boards, speech-generating devices, or advanced assistive tech, AAC helps children find their voice when words are hard to come by - which is why we like to call it the "Give Our Kids A Voice" Lab!

A huge thank you to our incredible supporters at Kosair for Kids, Louisville Scottish Rite Foundation, and The Kings Daughters and Sons for making this dream a reality! We can't wait to see how this lab will continue empowering kids and families.

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Left to right: Ben Gries (Chair, Board of Directors); Lisa Campbell (Senior Vice President, Program Services); Haley Harbeson (Speech-Language Pathologist); Phil Marshall (President & CEO); Randolph Starks, Louisville Scottish Rite Foundation Treasurer; Sandy Burnette (Speech Therapy Department Head, East Campus); James Brown, Louisville Scottish Rite Foundation Board President.



Knight of Saint Andrew, Valley Of Louisville, Steve Johnson, presenting the 2025 Jack London, Scottish Rite award to Cadet LT Landon Henderson of Nelson County Kentucky Airforce JRROTC.



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Knights of Saint Andrew, Scottish Rite, Valley of Louisville, presenting, The 2025, Jack London Scottish Rite award to Cadet Ensign, Cassidee Woods of the Central High school, Navy JRROTC.

## BY-LAW NOTICES

### ZONETON LODGE #964

Zoneton Lodge #964 will vote on a proposed amendment to its By-Laws during the stated communication on Saturday, July 5, 2025 at 7:30pm. The proposed changes are to standing committees and the treasurer/secretary sections. NO changes to meeting schedule or dues are in order.

### MADISON LODGE #183

Madison #183 will vote to amend By-Laws at the Stated Meeting following this notice appearing in the Masonic Home Journal.

### RUSSELL SPRINGS LODGE #941

Russell Springs Lodge #941 will vote on changes to the Lodge By-Laws during the regular stated meeting on July 14, 2025.

### PARIS LODGE #2

At the first stated communication in the month following publication of this notice, Paris Lodge #2 will vote on submitted By-Law changes & adjustment of the Annual Membership Dues. All members are urged to attend.

### MURRAY LODGE #105

On July 21, 2025, at our Stated Meeting, Murray Lodge #105, F.&A.M. will be voting on reviewing and updating our By-Laws. All Member are asked to attend.

### GOSHEN LODGE #503

Goshen Lodge #503 will vote to change its' By-Laws at the July Stated Communication.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### ST. MATTHEW'S PRP #906

Due to a recent resignation at St. Matthew's PRP #906 of the office of Junior Warden and that we will be holding an election for that position and any other Office that may become vacant at the next meeting after publication in the MHJ.

### LIVERMORE #186

At the Stated Meeting in the month after this notice appears in the Masonic Home Journal, Livermore #186 will be voting on Secretary, treasurer, and any other vacant positions and also voting on changing the meeting date and time, as well as discussion (and possible voting) on consolidation/merger with another lodge.

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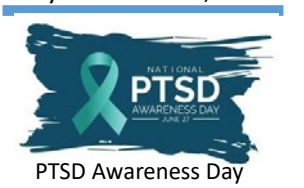
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**RIVER CITY LODGE NO. 966** – Meets 1st Sat. monthly 10:00 a.m. 9619 Dixie Hwy. Louisville, KY. Barry Rison, M.; Douglas Edward Puckett, Sec.; PO Box 32203, Louisville, KY 40232; (c) 502-295-8840; (e) dougpuckett@aol.com

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**PURITY CHAPTER NO. 116** – Meets at Robinson-Plumb Lodge Hall, 6919 Applegate Ln., 3rd Mon., 7:30 P.M. Matron, Kristin Howells, 502-354-1081, Janet Varon, Sec., 10526 Glenmary Farm Dr. Louisville KY 40291, 502-592-3411.

**FAIRDALE CHAPTER NO. 153** – Meets on the 2nd Tues., 7:30 P.M. at Fairdale Masonic Hall, Mitchell Hill Rd. Merilyn Coslow, W.M.; and Michael E. Berry, W.P.; Marla Paschal, Sec., P.O. Box 102, Fairdale 40118; 502-367-4705.

**HARMONY CHAPTER NO. 273** – Meets 2nd Thurs., 7:30 P.M., Okolona Lodge Hall, 8007 Blue Lick Rd., Louisville 40219. Wendy Barnes, W.M.; Harriett B. Derr, Sec., 179 Paula Ln., Shephardsville 40165, 502-957-5516.

**MIDDLETOWN CHAPTER NO. 319** – Meets Middletown Lodge, Madison Ave., Middletown, 3rd Thur., 7:30 P.M. Karen Goodlett, W.M.; Tim Vanderhoof, Sec., 5508 Haunz Lane, Louisville 40214-1402, 502-241-9517.

**MT. WASHINGTON CHAPTER NO. 552** – Meets 3rd Thurs., at Salt River Lodge Hall, on Fisher Ln. off Hwy. 44 East in Mt. Washington at 7:00 P.M. Peggy Parrish, W.M.; Keith Smith, W.P.; Carolyn Cox, Sec., 142 Beechtree Ln., Mt. Washington 40047, 502-904-0798.

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**AAHMED GROTTTO** – 10703 W. Manslick Rd., Fairdale, 40118. Meets 2nd Wednesday at 7:30 p.m. Richard McCarty, Monarch; Rick Kennedy, Sec., 13110 Scotts Gap Rd. Louisville, KY 40272. 502-592-9121; bearinlv@gmail.com

**APPALACHIAN PAST MASTERS SOCIETY** – Meets on the 2nd, 5th Saturday of the year, location to be determined. Steven Mark Stewart, President; Bobby Danner, Sec-Treas.; 70 Diablock Road, Hazard 41701 bgdanner@tvs-cable.com or 606-657-1234

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**TRAVELERS GRAND CHAPTER** – Low Twelve Masonic Bikers Association meets last Sunday each month at Bullitt Lodge, 376 High School Dr., Shepherdsville. Noel Cissell, Pres.; Patrick Helton, Sec., 1610 Sutherland Dr., Louisville KY 40205; patsaukfan@aol.com.





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The 17th Annual Great Day of Service took place on Saturday, April 26, at our Louisville Campus. More than 200 Masons and their family members—representing 57 Masonic lodges—volunteered their time to help spruce up the community, visit with employees and residents, and enjoy a day filled with camaraderie and fellowship. PGM Joe Conway spoke to the Brothers about his experience as a resident living at Masonic Homes Kentucky, offering a heartfelt and personal perspective that resonated with all in attendance. Brothers from **Temple Hill Loge No 276** traveled an impressive 221 miles to participate in the event. In addition to their service projects, many Brothers had the meaningful opportunity to visit with their Adopted Residents.