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Grand Commandery Knights Templar of Indiana

April 2014

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Greetings Sir Knights and Ladies,

“Life becomes easier when you learn to accept an apology you never got.”— Robert Brault

April Birthdays:

Lady Mary Jackson, wife of Andrew R. Jackson, KCT, PGC, 4/1

Lady Darlene Ramsay, wife of Marvin Ramsay, 25, 4/2

Sean Jones, Rec. 65, 4/2

Lady Arlene Davis, wife of Stanton Davis, KTCH, 4/4

Ronald E. Snell, Rec. 5, 4/5

H. Fred Smith, Rec. 31, 4/6

Jesse Jackson, DBC 4, 4/7

Thomas C. Patterson, GPE, 4/8

Lady Mary Stucker, wife of Duane Stucker, KCT, PGC, 4/8

Patrick Baird, 12, 4/8

Lady Kelley Miller, wife of David L. Miller, II, 62, 4/8

David M. Bertch, KCT, PGC, 4/9

Lady Rita Gray, wife of Larry E. Gray, PGGHP, Rec. 39, 4/9

Lady Shawna Diakis, wife of Dion Diakis, DBC 1, 4/9

Matthew Trice, DBC 2, 4/12

Alan Martinez, 32, 4/12

Lady Cathy Chaffee, wife of David Chaffee, DBC 2, 4/14

John Tuttle, 4, 4/15

Dennis R. York, GPE, 4/16

Virgil G. Humphrey, KCT, KTCH, Lanyard Cord Program, 4/18

Brian C. Lewis, 62, 4/21

Lady Patty Smith, wife of Carson Smith, KCT, 4/25

George D. Kivett, Jr., KCT, KTCH, HPGC, 4/25

Andrew R. Jackson, KCT, PGC, 4/26

Carl Dykman, DBC 1, 4/26

Lady Joanna Bowling, wife of Charles R. Bowling, Rec. 61, 4/27

Lady Wanda Kehrer, wife of Terry Kehrer, GStdB, 4/30

April Anniversaries:

Glenn & Debra Moulton, 4/2

Phillip & Verna Crussemeyer, 4/5

Donald & Nina Olvey, 4/6

Jim & Shari Coleman, 4/9

Marty & Mary Jane Evens, 4/9

Donald & Jill Laudeman, 4/10

C. Keith & Gloria Spurgeon, 4/20

Bradley & Patricia Wooten, 4/21

Don & Mickey Borchert, 4/24

Clarence & Barbara Harter, 4/29

Max & Wilma Maupin, 4/30

“If you are going to achieve excellence in big things, you develop the habit in little matters. Excellence is not an exception, it is a prevailing attitude.” — Colin Powell

Grand Commandery of Knights Templar of the State of Indiana Collectable Medallion



This medallion, designed by John Bridegroom and issued by the Grand Commandery of Indiana, is a fundraiser for the 2018 Triennial to be held in Indianapolis, Indiana during the year that our own Duane Vaught will be the Grand Master of the Grand Encampment. Your purchase and support is very important. Please consider buying multiple quantities to receive shipping discount and to give away to your friends.

Ask any Officer or go to <http://www.indianaknightstemplar.com/> to order one, priced at \$10.00 each.

Sickness & Distress:

Virgil Humphrey: Virgil had reconstruction and a few other things done inside his nose that had been broken when he was a kid. He had been having problems with it lately and problems breathing on one side. They worked on his sinuses while they were in there. The procedure took about 2 hours. The Doctor was well pleased with what they did. Virgil is home but will have to sit at a 45* angle for a few days. He is very

uncomfortable as all of us would be in that situation. Fraternaly, Don Henderson PM--KYCH, Clinton Lodge #54 Secretary, Area 14 Grand Lodge Representative; PROUD TO BE A VETERAN, 508th Military Police Alumni, President

James S. De Mond, KGC, PGC, PDC: All I know for now is that Jim De Mond just had surgery to get blood circulation back in his leg. I will follow with details as I receive them.

Chris Kimmel: For those of you who are wondering, I received a call from Toni Kimmel at about 6:00 P.M. Thursday evening regarding Chris Kimmel's pressure wound surgery. The surgery went very well and Chris is in a room doing fine. He is in Room 6014 at Methodist Hospital in Indianapolis and visitors are welcome. Very good news !!! I had Scottish Rite practice and then had to go to work and this is the first time I've had a chance to get online. Keep Chris and Toni in your prayers. Jim Dillman

THE TWIN TOWERS

James L. Dove, KCT, PGC: Jim was going into the hospital for some tests and possible surgery. Please keep him in your prayers.

Update 3/25: Hello Larry, I'm going for a Nuclear Stress Test tomorrow (Wed.) at Memorial Hospital in South Bend. Doctor won't do in normal office lab due to aneurism on my aorta. Wants to be sure if something goes wrong facilities are available to take care of. This test will tell them the exact blockage (flow) of the Widow Maker Vein and the exact size of the aneurism. Maybe they will be able to finally make some decisions as to what course they want to pursue, either the Widow-Maker first or the aneurism. I'm getting tired of being poked and prodded and just want them to tell me exactly what needs to be done. My diet is going well as I have lost over 14 pounds but I still want to take off 20 more. I plan on being at the Grand Conclave as I already have my hotel reservation although I may not attend the banquets. Fraternaly and Best Wishes, Jim

Larry W. Brown, KCT, PGC, ECDC: Larry will have some surgery on his eyelids early in May.

Michael F. Robbins: Larry, I am sending you my Grand Conclave reports a couple of days early because I am having surgery tomorrow on a ruptured biceps tendon and I'm not sure how well I will be able to type for a few days. Michael F. Robbins, GStdB

Indiana Deaths:



Howard Thomas "Tom" Shrode, (1930-2014), 83, of Columbus, Ind., formerly of Chrisney, passed away on Thursday, February 27, 2014. Tom was the son of the late Chester and Pansy (Vance) Shrode of Spencer County, Ind. He graduated from Rockport High School in 1948 and married Mary Berniece ("Bea") Dawson in 1949. Tom was a civil servant for the USDA Soil Conservation Service during which time the family lived in Indianapolis, Madison, Wisconsin and Athens, Georgia. Tom earned a B.A. in Public Administration from Upper Iowa University in 1975. After retiring from government service in 1986, Tom and Bea built a home in Chrisney, Ind., and spent many wonderful years in retirement. Tom was active in Cornerstone United Methodist Church, Masonic Lodge, York Rite and the Knights Templar. When not shopping for antique tractors, rebuilding farm equipment, machining his own tools and parts, clearing timber, or serving on one of the church boards, Tom could usually be found honing his skills as a competitive skeet shooter. Tom was an avid reader, particularly of military history. He fed his wanderlust by sharing travel adventures with Bea to Columbia, Australia, Tahiti, Israel, Greece, Turkey, the Caribbean and

many places in the U.S. Tom fulfilled a lifelong dream by taking flying lessons and receiving his pilot's license in 2011. Tom was preceded in death by his parents; and a brother, Chester Allen. His loving wife of 60 years, Bea Shrode, passed away in 2009. He is survived by sisters, Hallie Jean Ayer, Chrisney, Ind., and Mary Ann Horn, Owensboro, Ky.; son, Paul Shrode, Tyler, Texas; daughter, Karen Shrode, Columbus, Ind.; grandchildren, Samantha (Rick), Josh (Katie), Sierra, Jenelle, Matthew; great-granddaughter, Avery, and many nieces and nephews. His intellect, wit, generosity and spirit of adventure will be missed. Services 11 a.m. Wednesday, March 5, 2014 at the Boultinghouse Funeral Home, 527 Main Street, Rockport, Ind., 47635 with Rev. Mark Miller officiating. Burial is at Grandview Cemetery. A Masonic service will be held at 11 a.m. Wednesday at the funeral home. Visitation is from 9 a.m. until the time of the service on Wednesday at the funeral home. Memorial contributions may be made to Cornerstone United Methodist Church or the Spencer County Community Foundation. Friends unable to attend may send condolences to the family at www.BoultinghouseFuneralHome.com.

Kenneth S. Barenie of Plymouth, IN/Formerly of Griffith, IN; Father of Daniel Barenie, Deputy Grand Master, F & AM Indiana; Kenneth S. Barenie of Plymouth, IN, former Griffith resident, age 84, died Friday at his home. He is survived by his wife, Margaret and children: Daniel, Linda, Kathleen and Thomas; a brother, Mervyn Barenie; and a sister, Rita Barenie of Griffith. Friends may visit from 4:00 - 8:00 p.m. EDT on Tuesday March 4, 2014 in the **JOHNSON-DANIELSON FUNERAL HOME**, 1100 N. Michigan Street Plymouth, Indiana. A Rosary will be said at 7:45 p.m. Mass of Christian Burial will be at the Ancilla Domini Chapel, Donaldson, IN at 11:00 a.m. EDT Wednesday. Calling will continue at the Chapel after 10:00 a.m. on Wednesday. For condolences and a complete story, please visit: www.johnson-danielson.com

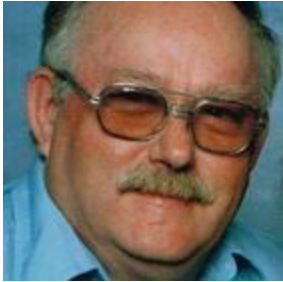
Rick Welsh: Brothers I need your help with prayer. My newborn Grandson 1 week and 1 day "Chase Blane Howard" has passed on to meet the Lord. My family, Daughter Samantha and son-in-law Donald and my wife and I are devastated beyond words. He will be handled at the Voss Funeral Home by Mark Adams. We had so short of a time with Chase. He was born premature with an Emergency C. For a few days things were looking up, we thought things were progressing, but then suddenly this all became a nightmare. The loss of this Angel "My Chase," is unbearable. Your prayers for us will help tremendously. Thank you.

Carroll Joe Friend, GPE, 3/26: I was asked to come to the Greensburg Hospital this evening. Joe Friend is there and as I understand the doctor does not feel he will live 24 hours. He is in a very bad way and has said he is ready to see his GOD. May I suggest you offer a prayer for Joe Friend when you receive this note. Ronald W. Woods. D.C.

Update 3/27: As an update on Joe Friend. The doctors are keeping him comfortable. His kidneys are shutting down. He is holding water and is having occasional periods of apnea. If he lasts the next few days he will be put in hospice. I want to thank everyone for their prayers. Love ya all, Wilma Friend

Update 3/28: Sir Knights: It is with great regret and sadness that I must inform you that Brother and my good friend Joe Friend died this morning. As I write this I have tears in my eyes for the loss of such a good friend, brother and waterfowl hunter. However, I am secure in the knowledge that Joe is with our GOD this day. Sir Knight W. Dirk Rader, PC

Funeral Services will be held on Sunday, March 30th from 1-5 PM (ET) at the:
Porter-Oliger-Pearson Funeral Home, 302 N Franklin St, Greensburg, IN 47240; (812) 663-2192
The family of Sir Knight Joe Friend has requested a Commandery Honor Guard during the hours of 3-5 PM (ET). Masonic Services will be held at 5 PM. Ronald L. Ellis, KCT, PGC will be in charge of the lines.
Fraternally, Larry V



Carroll Joe Friend: Born: December 26, 1948; Died: March 28, 2014. Carroll Joe Friend, 65, passed away on Friday, March 28, 2014 at Decatur County Memorial Hospital in Greensburg. Born on December 26, 1948 in Rush County, In, Joe was the son of Clarence L. and Joann (Bailey) Friend, Sr. Joe worked for Delta Faucet for over 30 years as a material handler, setup-man, and a group leader. He owned and drove the J.J. Ice Cream Truck around Greensburg for many years. Joe was a member of the Greensburg Masonic Lodge #36, where he was a past Master Mason. He was also GPE through the Indiana Grand Commandry York Rite. Joe

was an avid goose hunter and he also loved the Indianapolis Colts. He married Wilma L. Hoffman on September 28, 1970 and she survives. Joe is also survived by 2 sons; Carroll Friend II, Greensburg, Tom (Cricket Hofacker) Friend, Greensburg, daughter; Winona “Ann”(George) Flannery, Connersville, 6 brothers; Albert L. (Delana) Friend, Greensburg, Robert L. (Betty) Friend, Sr., Westport, Jerry L. (Virginia) Friend, Sr., Milford, Kenneth W. (Audrey) Friend, Sr., Horace, Richard A. Friend, Milford, Brian K. Friend, Greensburg, sister; Donna M. (Eric) Hunter, Columbus, and 4 grandchildren; Daniel C. Bennett, Alvin Joe Flannery, Harley Alonzo Flannery, and Xander Cage Friend. He was preceded in death by his parents, brother; Clarence L. Friend, Jr, and granddaughter; Faith LaVerne Flannery. Visitation will be held at Porter-Oliger-Pearson Funeral Home on Sunday, March 30, 2014 from 1-5:00 p.m. with a Masonic service following at 5:00 p.m. Funeral Services will be held at Porter-Oliger-Pearson Funeral Home on Monday, March 31, 2014 at 10:00 a.m. with Rev. Keith Dover officiating. Interment will follow at South Park Cemetery. Memorials can be made to the [American Heart Association](#).

Nelda E. Arnold, age 86, of Connersville, (wife of Alan Arnold, our Blue Lodge Secretary, a member of Connersville York Rite, also a KYCH) passed away on Tuesday March 25, 2014 at the Heritage House of Connersville. Born August 1, 1927 in Corydon, IN, she was the daughter of the late Levi and Mary Richards Barks. She graduated from Corydon High School in 1945 and moved to Connersville in 1947. She married Alan R. Arnold on June 1, 1952 at the Central Christian Church. Nelda had worked at McQuay Norris as a secretary, she was a sewing instructor for Singer Sewing Machine Company and she retired in 1992 from Wells Lumber and Hardware where she worked for over 24 years in the office. She was well known for making hundreds of dance costumes for the Dixon Dance Recitals. For a number of years she was a 4-H Leader. She was a member of the Central Christian Church where she conducted Junior Choir for many years. She was an Elder of the church and later became Elder Emeritus, she had served as a Deaconess and for several years she was on the Church Board. For many years she participated in the Christian Women's Fellowship and served as the Church Historian. Nelda enjoyed singing in the choir. Nelda was an active member of the Connersville Chapter Order of the Eastern Star #346 since 1953. During her time in the Eastern Star she served as Worthy Matron for several years and served as an Indiana Grand Representative as well as being President of the Indiana Grand Representative Association. Nelda was also active in the Historic Elmhurst Organization working for the preservation of Elmhurst. She enjoyed being active in the fish fry fundraisers and she served on the Temple Board. She was and will be known as an organizer who cared deeply about her church, the Eastern Star and Elmhurst. She is survived by her husband, Alan; a daughter, Leah An Wolfe of Amarillo, TX; a son, Brian Arnold and wife Karen of Johnstown, OH; a grandson, Steven Arnold and several cousins. Funeral services will be conducted at the Central Christian Church on Monday March 31, 2014 at 11:00 am with Rev. Michael Sinclair officiating. Burial will follow at Dale Cemetery. Friends and family may visit at Urban Winkler Funeral Home on Sunday evening from 3 to 7 pm where Order of Eastern Star services will be at 6:00 pm. Memorial contributions may be made to the Central Christian Church or to Elmhurst.

Old friends pass away, new friends appear. It is just like the days. An old day passes, a new day arrives. The important thing is to make it meaningful: a meaningful friend - or a meaningful day.” — Dalai Lama

Directory Changes:

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Jack F. Wallace, G.C.: New E-Mail: jackwallace3901@comcast.net

H. E. "Gene" Lackey, KCT, KTCH, HPGC: New E-mail: gene@building-specialist.com

"Sometimes doing your best is not good enough. Sometimes you must do what is required."

– Winston Churchill

Important Dates:

Wed. April 2, 2014.

6:30 PM; Indy AASR Stated meeting in Table Lodge Format – Dinner reservations are **no longer available.** (But you may still attend the meeting and degree). The 7th degree, postponed from the February meeting will begin at 7:15 PM

Sat. April 5, 2014.

Murder Mystery Dinner has been postponed to September 30, 2014.

Fri/Sat. April 4-5, 2014.

Grand Chapter Convocation at the Four Points by Sheraton Hotel
1600 Cumberland Ave, West Lafayette, IN 47906-4043; Contact: David Wood, MEGHP at (574) 286-5686 or dwood52281@aol.com

Friday, April 4, 2014

Grand Session Grand Chapter

6:30 PM Social Time

7:00 PM Banquet Honoring 2013 Officers

Saturday, April 5, 2014

Grand Session Grand Chapter

6:45 AM Breakfast

8:00 AM Opening of a Chapter

8:30 AM Opening of Grand Session

12:00 PM Lunch

1:00 PM Breakout Sessions

3:00 PM Installation of Officers

4:00 PM Anointed High Priest Degree

6:30 PM Social Time

7:00 PM Banquet Honoring 2014 Officers

Sunday, April 6, 2014

Grand Session Grand Chapter

9:00 AM Divine Service

See attached Tri-Fold

Sat. April 12, 2014.

York Rite One Day Class, Prather York Rite Bodies, Calvin W. Prather Lodge No. 717, 7502 E. 56th St., Indianapolis, IN 46226-1309. 07:00 AM (ET) Registration; Council Degrees: 08:00 AM Select Master Degree; 08:45 AM Royal Master Degree; Chapter Degrees: 09:45 AM Mark Master Degree; 11:00 AM Past Master Degree; 11:30 AM Most Excellent Master Degree; 11:45 AM Lunch. Chapter Degrees: 1:15 PM; Royal Arch Degree; Commandery Orders: 3:00 PM Order of Red Cross; 4:15 PM Order of Malta; 5:30 PM Order of the Temple. Contact: Brian Lewis at (317) 445-2843 or blewis717@gmail.com

Sat. April 12, 2014.

Sagamore Valley York Rite College No. 133, Frankfort Masonic Temple, 201 S Main St, Frankfort, IN; 12:00 PM Lunch, 1:00 PM Business Meeting Contact: Jeff Jordan at (317) 650-1233 or jeffj@jordanvideosolutions.com

Sun. April 13, 2014.

Greetings from South Bend Commandery #13 KT: The Easter season is fast upon us. As we do every year, we will begin Holy Week with our annual Palm Sunday service featuring the Living Cross. I would like to take a moment to extend to you an invitation to attend this beautiful service held in the South Bend Scottish Rite Cathedral on Palm Sunday, April 13th at 3:00 p.m. Hopefully, you have attended in the past, but if not, you will be moved by the non-denominational service complete with a scripture reading, musical selection and a brief but highly appropriate message. You and your family and friends are invited to participate by being part of the Living Cross! So we may prepare the correct number of seats in the Cross, please email our Committee Chairman listed below, to let us know how many to expect. Dress for the ladies is long dress or Formal and dress for the men is dark suit or tux. Knights are asked to wear their Commandery uniform without sword. Those planning to sit in the Cross should arrive no later than 2:30 p.m. If you prefer to sit in the audience and not in the Cross, Sunday clothing is appropriate. Please come and join us and our families as we observe this wonderful tradition. Afterward, please join us in the dining room for fellowship and light refreshments. We hope to see many friendly and familiar faces and maybe even some new ones as well. All are welcome!!!! Our Committee Chairman is Jim Bolinger, debo36@comcast.net if you are interested in sitting in the Cross.

Sun. April 13, 2014.

Palm Sunday: Feast of the Pascal Lamb **3:00 PM.** The Indianapolis Chapter of Rose Croix will present a special Holy Week program as well as honor our departed brethren. This event is free and open to all members and their guests.

Tues.-Sun., April 15-20, 2014.

Annual Easter Sunrise Trip to Washington, DC with Jack F. Wallace, Grand Commander. Contact: Jim Bolinger at debo36@comcast.net or (269) 476-9737. See attached Brochure.

Sun. April 20, 2014.

Easter Sunday

- Wed. April 23, 2014.** **Illustrious Grand Master's Banquet:** Social 6:00 PM (ET) Banquet: 7:00 PM (ET) held at Indianapolis Marriott East Hotel, 7202 E 21st St, Indianapolis, IN 46219-1717. Contact: Chuck Wood at (765) 346-1159 or woodchuck32@att.net
- Thurs. April 24, 2014.** **Grand Council Session:** 7:30 AM (ET) Registration; 8:30 AM Grand Council Opens; 9:00 AM Distinguished Guests; 12:00 PM Companions Lunch; 1:00 PM Grand Recorder's Seminar; 1:00 PM Thrice Illustrious Master Degree; 3:00 PM Installation of Officers at Indianapolis Marriott East Hotel, 7202 E 21st St, Indianapolis, IN 46219-1717. Contact: Chuck Wood at (765) 346-1159 or woodchuck32@att.net
- Thurs. April 24, 2014.** **Grand Commander's Banquet**
6:00 PM (ET) Divine Services
7:00 PM (ET) Grand Commander's Banquet
- Fri. April 25, 2014.** **Grand Commandery Conclave:** 7:00 AM (ET) Past Commander's Association; 7:30 AM Registration; 8:30 AM Grand Commandery Opens; 9:00 AM Distinguished Guests; 12:00 PM Sir Knights Lunch; 1:00 PM Grand Commandery Resumes; 3:00 PM Installation of Officers at Indianapolis Marriott East Hotel, 7202 E 21st St, Indianapolis, IN 46219. Contact: Larry Kaminsky at (219) 789-0625 or larrykhome@aol.com
- Fri. April 25, 2014.** **Three-way Banquet:** Social 6:00 PM (ET) Banquet: 7:00 PM (ET) held at Indianapolis Marriott East Hotel, 7202 E 21st St, Indianapolis, IN 46219.
- Sat. April 26, 2014.** Grand Commandery: 8:00 AM (ET) Annual Drill Competition; 11:00 AM (ET) Drill Awards & Luncheon at Exhibition Hall - Marriott Hotel.
- Sat. April 26, 2014.** Indy AASR: This annual event is held to benefit the Dyslexia Center. Enjoy lunch and a fashion show. Visit the Market Place and bid high on the Silent Auction items. Contact Donna Cofer: 317-262-3100, ext. 228 or 800-489-3579, ext. 228 or at dcofer@asr-indy.org for tickets and information.
- Sun. April 29, 2014.** 10 AM (ET) St. John the Baptist Observance; Trinity Episcopal Church, 611 W Berry St, Fort Wayne, IN. Contact: Ed Fodrea at 260-417-9946 or hfa.phd1@gmail.com.
- May 4, 2014.** Indy AASR - Orchestra/Chorus Concert - 3:00 PM
- May 7, 2014.** Indy AASR - Annual Meeting/Election of Officers - 7:00 PM
- Tues.-Wed. May 20-21, 2014.** **Grand Lodge Annual Communication: All times (ET).**
7:00 AM doors open; 08:00 AM Assemble; 9:00 AM Opening; located at the Scottish Rite Cathedral, 650 N Meridian St, Indianapolis, IN 46204.
- May 24, 2014.** Indy AASR - 500 Festival Parade - 12:00 Noon

Fri. May 30, 2014.

6:00 PM (ET) Social Gathering; 6:30 PM 50 Year Award for John C. Gray; 7:00 PM Dinner at Indianapolis Council No. 2, Indiana Freemasons' Hall, 525 N. Illinois St. Floor 7, Indianapolis. Contact: Randy Spaulding at (317) 679-7416 or at ubuildu@yahoo.com

Sun, June 29, 2014.

10:00 AM (ET) St. John the Baptist Observance; Trinity Episcopal Church, 611 W. Berry St, Fort Wayne, IN 46802-2105; Contact: Ed Fodrea at (260) 417-9946 or hfa.phd1@gmail.com

August 15-17, 2014.

The Fifth Annual Masonic Restoration Foundation Symposium will be held in Cincinnati on August 15-17, 2014. Speakers and workshops focus on enabling Masons and Lodges to improve their Masonic experience. Link: <http://www.mrfsymposium.org>

This year's symposium will be jointly hosted by four Lodges: Lodge Vitruvian No. 767 of Indiana, Caliburn Lodge No. 785 and Arts & Sciences Lodge No. 792 of Ohio, and Lodge Ad Lucem No. 812 of Pennsylvania. Link: <http://www.vitruvian.org>

They represent the full spectrum of observant Lodges, from European Concept, to Traditional Observance. The support of the Grand Lodges of Indiana, Ohio and Pennsylvania are gratefully acknowledged.

Link: <http://www.vitruvian.org/concept>

Make reservations at the Holiday Inn Cincinnati Airport Hotel at 1717 Airport Exchange Blvd in Erlanger, Kentucky. Attendees should request the 2014 MRF Symposium rate of \$92 per night when making their reservations. Link: <http://www.ihg.com/holidayinn/hotels/us/en/erlanger/cvgap/hoteldetail>

Contact: Lodge Vitruvian No. 767 F&AM, W. Bro. Carson C. Smith, 2207 Van Ness Place, Indianapolis, IN 46240-4703; carson.c.smith@gmail.com

Fri. August 29, 2014.

Isley York Rite College No. 129; Sugar Creek Lodge No 279, 4810 N 450 W, Fairland, IN 46126; Called Assembly at 7:30 PM (ET). Contact: David Willoughby at home: (317) 837-1098, e-mail: dwilloughby001@indy.rr.com

Sat. September 27, 2014.

Isley York Rite College No 129; Sugar Creek Lodge No 279, 4810 N 450 W, Fairland, IN; 1 PM (ET) Knight of York; Contact: David Willoughby at (317) 837-1098 or e-mail: dwilloughby001@indy.rr.com

Tues. September 30, 2014.

Indy AASR: Murder Mystery Dinner.

Sat. October 4, 2014.

York Rite One Day Class, Prather York Rite Bodies, Calvin W. Prather Lodge No. 717, 7502 E 56th St., Indianapolis, IN 46226-1309. 07:00 AM (ET) Registration; Council Degrees: 08:00 AM Select Master Degree; 08:45 AM Royal Master Degree; Chapter Degrees: 09:45 AM Mark Master Degree; 11:00 AM Past Master Degree; 11:30 AM Most Excellent Master Degree; 11:45 AM Lunch. Chapter Degrees: 1:15 PM; Royal Arch Degree; Commandery Orders: 3:00 PM Order of Red Cross; 4:15 PM Order of Malta; 5:30 PM Order of the Temple. Contact: Brian Lewis at (317) 445-2843 or blewis717@gmail.com

“You can tell more about a person by what he says about others than you can by what others say about him.” — Audrey Hepburn

Grand Lodge Area Conferences

Dear Brothers All:

The Grand Master cordially invites you to attend an Area Conference near you, listed below. Important information will be presented on the future of Freemasonry in Indiana along with an opportunity for questions and answers at the conclusion of the evening. Light snack and refreshments will be served.

Information and location can be found on the Grand Lodge Website: <http://www.indianafreemasons.com/News-Events/grand-lodge-conferences.html>

All meeting will start promptly at 7:00 pm local time.

The Grand Master and Grand Officers look forward to being with you at an Area Conference near you.

Southern Indiana

March 11, 2014 at 7:00 pm - South East Shrine Club

15626 U.S. Highway 50

Dillsboro, IN 47018

March 12, 2014 at 7:00 pm - Clark Lodge No. 40

303 E. Park Place

Jeffersonville, IN 47130

March 13, 2014 at 7:00 pm - Oakland City Lodge No. 467

118 Columbia St

Oakland City, IN 47660

Central Indiana

March 18, 2014 at 7:00 pm - Warren Lodge No. 15

779 S. State Road 121

Connersville, IN 47331

March 19, 2014 at 7:00 pm - Prospect Lodge No. 714

2901 S. Meridian St

Indianapolis, IN 46225

March 20, 2014 at 7:00 pm - Riley Lodge No. 390

6245 S. Canal St

Riley, IN 47871

Northern Indiana

March 25, 2014 at 7:00 pm - Kendallville Lodge No. 276

707 S. Orchard St

Kendallville, IN 46755

March 26, 2014 at 7:00 pm - Lakeville Lodge No. 353

318 N. Mangus Dr

Lakeville, IN 46536

March 27, 2014 at 7:00 pm - Porter Lodge No. 137

1131/2 Lincolnway

Valparaiso, IN 46383

Please confirm all meetings prior to traveling to an event and thank you

Lodge Vitruvian #767, F. & A. M.

Last year, one of our Box of Fraternal Assistance collections was dedicated to the purchase of a brick for the Indiana Masonic Home's Walk Down Memory Lane. I was informed today that the brick has been completed and will be installed in the near future. Nathan Brindle

Around the Encampment

Kenneth Dale Buckley: We regret to inform you that Ken passed away Thursday morning, 6 March. He was a Past Grand High Priest and Past Grand Commander for Oklahoma. He was also Past Convent General for the KYCH and Past Grand Registrar. His funeral will be at 10 am, Monday, 10 March at the Methodist church in Beggs, OK. Please pass this info on to your contacts. Thanks, Gary Davis, Grand Sec/Rec. Oklahoma York Rite

Obituary for Kenneth Dale Buckley

Kenneth Dale Buckley, lifelong Beggs resident, passed away Thursday, March 6, 2014 at his daughter's home in Norman. He was born September 4, 1925 in Beggs to the late Oscar E. and Golden Marie (Moore) Buckley. Kenneth served his county in the United State Military and retired as a Procurement Officer with the Army Corps of Engineers. He married his wife of 63 years; Wanda Potts on May 25, 1946. He was a faithful member of the Beggs United Methodist Church and served two terms as Mayor of Beggs. Kenneth was a member of the Beggs Masonic Lodge #319, a Knight of the York Cross of Honour, Knight Templar Priests, and The Red Cross of Constantine. Kenneth was preceded in death by his parents, wife, brother, Oscar Ray Buckley and sisters, June Hubbell and Jean Parker. Survivors include his daughter, Nita Buckley Cochran and husband Jim of Norman, sons, Dread L. Buckley and wife Carlene of Sapulpa and Alan D. Buckley and wife Cathy of Newbury Park, California, a sister, Juanita Knout of Santa Fe, New Mexico, nine grandchildren, sixteen great grandchildren and two great-great grandchildren. A service to celebrate Kenneth's life will be held 10:00 A.M. Monday, March 10, 2014 at the First United Methodist Church of Beggs with Reverend Rich Brasher officiating assisted by Kenneth's grandchildren, Kenneth "K.C." Culbert and Cara Buckley Moss. Interment will follow in the Beggs Cemetery. Casket bearers will be Gary Davis, Bobby Barnett, Elwood Isaacs, Jerry Hammond, Jon Giddings, and Billy Paul Anderson. The family will receive friends Sunday afternoon from 2:00 P.M. – 4:00 P.M. at the McClendon-Winters Funeral Home of Beggs. Memorial contributions may be made in Kenneth's name to Masonic Charity Foundation of Oklahoma, PO Box 2406, Edmond, Oklahoma 73083. To send a memorial gift to the family of Kenneth Dale Buckley please visit our [Sympathy Store](#).

Finly S. Stanley, PGHP, REPGC of Louisiana born August 13, 1922: passed away on March 6, 2014. Funeral arrangements for Finly S. Stanly are as follows: Hixson Funeral Home, 508 South Fifth St, Leesville, LA. Phone 337-239-2633; Visitation: Sunday, March 9, 2014 from 4 to 9 pm; Funeral: Monday, March 10 at 11:00 am in First Baptist Church, Leesville LA. Despite the Street address of the church it is on West Texas St (Hwy 8 W) and will be on your right when traveling west. The full obituary should be on the funeral home website Saturday at <http://www.dignitymemorial.com/hixson-funeral-home-leesville/en-us/index.page>. The other Stanly in the obituaries is Finly's son. His Sisters obituary will probably be added on Saturday of Sunday unless her family uses another funeral home. Finly was a Past Grand High Priest, Past Most Illustrious Grand Master and Past Grand Commander. He had served as Grand Lecturer of the Grand Chapter and Grand Council since 1989, longer than anyone else in the history of our Grand Chapter. The first time I visited Vernon chapter about 1960, only one man could say his part in the opening ceremony. They went from that level to being the premier degree conferring group in LA York Rite Masonry. They traveled all over the state conferring degrees in York Rite festivals for at least 20 years. I would estimate that Finly Stanly acted as Principal Sojourner in conferring the Royal Arch degree on more

than 500 candidates over a period of 20 years or more. Few men have contributed more time effort and ability to our fraternity than Finly Stanly.

Lois Fowler: I am sorry to report to you the death of Lois Fowler, the beloved wife of the Provincial Grand Master Sir Edward H. Fowler, Jr. She passed away last evening. Visitation will be at the Ferguson Funeral Home, 700 Broad Avenue, Belle Vernon, PA between 2:00 P.M. and 4:00 P.M. and 7:00 P.M. and 9:00 P.M. on Wednesday. The funeral will be held on Thursday at 11:00 A.M. Please keep the family in your prayers. I am sure you will all agree that this is a great loss to the fraternity. Jim

Burt Franklin Lee, PGC 2009, AR: Born: July 20, 1957; Died: February 4, 2014

George K. Lemesany, PGC 1995, CO: Born: October 21, 1929; Died: January 25, 2014

Think About It:

1. **SELF-IMPROVEMENT AND PERPETUAL GROWTH.**

No matter my age, I (along with everyone else) am a work in progress. But the process can be either growth or decay. I simply try to choose growth. I also know there will always be a gap between who I am and who I want to be (and who I can be). It is never too late to close that gap.

2. **INTEGRITY.**

Understanding and keeping one's integrity is one of the most critical challenges we all face. Life is full of temptations and distractions that can drive a wedge between our beliefs, words and acts. I've learned it's a lot easier to talk about integrity than to live it. The true test is my willingness to do the right thing even when it costs more than I want to pay. Among the seductions is the tendency to "do onto others as they have done onto you." No matter how I behave, some people will be mean-spirited, dishonest, irresponsible and unkind, but if I fight fire with fire, no matter how good it may make me feel in the short term, in the long run all I'll ever end up with is the ashes of my own integrity.

3. **CHARACTER AND REPUTATION.**

Both character (who I really am) and reputation {what others think of me) are very important. But, character is more important than reputation (it's even more important than competence). As Lincoln said, "Character is the tree, reputation is the shadow." That doesn't mean reputation is not important. Reputation affects whether people believe us (credibility) and the opportunities that are presented to us. Trustworthiness is the essence of character and being trusted is the essence of reputation . It takes years to build up trust and only seconds to destroy it.

4. **ATTITUDE SHAPES EVERY EXPERIENCE.**

I know I can't always control what will happen to me, but I have a lot to say about what happens in me. As they say, pain is inevitable, but suffering is optional. There is absolutely no doubt that if I can monitor and manage the way I think about my life I can make the most out of my life. If I view every failure as an opportunity and learn from it I will always fail forward and that is success. My attitudes not only change my life, however, they also can change the lives of people I interact with. I can lift people up, console, comfort and encourage them. I can be a good example or I can be negative and drain them of energy and hope. Attitudes, both good and bad, are contagious.

5. **SUCCESS AND SIGNIFICANCE.**

I've learned that the most critical step in being successful is how we define success. If I define success in small and shallow terms like winning a particular event or making money or earning some modicum of fame I will be limited by my small ambitions. Winning is truly more than coming in first. First, of all, there is no real victory without honor. Second there is no real victory unless what

I've achieved is earned and significant in leaving this world a better place. The ultimate measure of success is whether I have lived my life well. To do that I need to remind myself what I hope people will say about me after I die and live backwards to earn that eulogy.

6. **BEING GOOD AND WISE DOESN'T COME NATURALLY.**

I believe that the quality of my life, and the lives of those I touch, will be determined by my ability to consistently adopt and live according to four key principles: 1) positivity (including optimism, enthusiasm, hopefulness and cheerfulness), 2) kindness, 3) gratitude and 4) forgiveness. Perhaps some are born with these outlooks or dispositions but you may be surprised to find that I was not. Thus, for me, it takes a continuous and conscientious effort to be gentle, positive, kind, grateful and forgiving, but when I do so I find it ALWAYS pays off for me and more importantly those around me.

7. **HAPPINESS.**

I've learned that happiness is a worthy personal goal as long as it isn't achieved through selfishness or self-indulgence. Happiness is both deeper and more enduring than either pleasure or fun. I've learned that what is fun or pleasurable is not always good for me and what is good for me is not always fun or pleasurable. Finally (and this goes back to positivity and the power of attitude), I've adopted Abraham Lincoln's insight: I will be as happy as I'm willing to be.

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Grand Master's York Rite One-Day Class In Honor of Most Worshipful Brother Mark A. Genung

Saturday April 12th, 2014 7502 E 56th St - Indianapolis, IN 46226

7:00 - Candidate Registration Begins
8:00 - Mark Master Degree
9:15 - Past Master Degree
9:45 - Most Excellent Master Degree
10:15 - Royal Arch Degree

Why Should I Join the York Rite?

The York Rite is your chance to receive further light in Masonry by experiencing the rest of the Masonic story and your opportunity to expand your Masonic fellowship with Brethren from all over the area.

How Do I Join?

All you need to do is go to **www.pratheryorkrite.com**, download and fill out a petition, and send it in to us.

12:00 - Lunch
1:15 - Royal & Select Master Degree
2:45 - Order of the Red Cross
4:00 - Order of Malta
5:15 - Order of the Temple

Schedule of Events

7:00 - Semi-Annual Pancake Breakfast* hosted by Mystic Circle Lodge #685 *All You Can Eat Breakfast for \$6.00

More information may be found on the web at **bit.ly/2014GMYRODC** or contact us at either **info@pratheryorkrite.com** or **317-426-0157**.

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GRAND CHAPTER CONVOCATION
WILL BE HELD AT...**

**THE FOUR POINTS BY SHERATON HOTEL
IN WEST LAFAYETTE, INDIANA**

1600 CUMBERLAND AVENUE, WEST LAFAYETTE

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APRIL 4TH AND 5TH, 2014

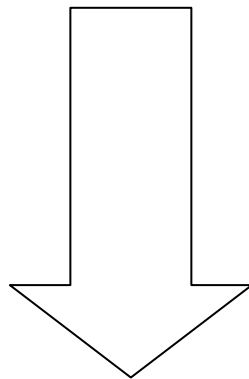
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Contact: David Wood, MEGHP for further information at dwood52281@aol.com

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TO FULFILL THE PROMISE OF KING SOLOMON THAT FUTURE AGES WOULD FIND OUT THE RIGHT.

TO PRESERVE THE COMPLETE TRADITION OF THE CRAFT.

TO FURTHER THE INTIMATE CONNECTION BETWEEN THE BLUE LODGE AND THE ROYAL ARCH.

TO SPREAD MASONIC ENLIGHTENMENT AND FELLOWSHIP AMONG ALL BRETHREN.

INDIANA ROYAL ARCH MASONRY PROMOTES THESE ESSENTIAL STANDARDS AS KEYS TO A COMPLETE UNDERSTANDING OF THE MASONIC TRADITION AND THE PERFECTION OF THE ROYAL ARCH SYSTEM.

EXTRAORDINARY MASONIC EDUCATION AND ENLIGHTENMENT OF OUR CRAFT IN SUBLIME AND PRACTICAL WAYS.

FELLOWSHIP AT ITS FINEST; IN THE CHAPTERS AND IN FURTHERING OUR INTIMATE CONNECTION WITH THE BLUE LODGE.

EXCEPTIONAL RITUAL DEVELOPMENT AND DELIVERY... ALWAYS!... THUS PRESERVING THE TIME HONORED MASONIC TRADITIONS OF "THE ROYAL ART."

EFFECTIVENESS AND VALUE IN ROYAL ARCH ORGANIZATIONAL PROCESSES, COMMUNICATIONS AND FINANCES.

CONTINUOUS ADVANCEMENT OF OUR CHARITABLE ENDEAVORS.

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

FRIDAY, APRIL 4TH, 2014

6:30 PM to 7:00 PM — Social Time

7:00 PM to 8:30 PM — Banquet Honoring

2013 Officers

(All Companions and Families Invited)

SATURDAY, APRIL 5TH, 2014

6:45 AM— Red Cross of Constantine Breakfast

8:00 AM — Opening of a Chapter by Plymouth Chapter #49

8:30 AM — Opening of Grand Convocation

12:00 PM to 1:00 PM Lunch

(All Companions and Families Invited)

1:00 PM — 2:30 PM Breakout Sessions

3:00 PM — Installation of 2014 Grand Officers

4:00 — Anointed High Priest Degree

6:30 PM - 7:00 PM Social Time

7:00 PM to 8:30 PM — Banquet Honoring 2014

Officers

(All Companions and Families Invited)

SUNDAY, APRIL 6TH, 2014

9:00 AM — Divine Service

(All Companions and Families Invited)

**THE INDIANA GRAND CHAPTER
OF ROYAL ARCH MASONS**



169th Grand Convocation

April 4 and 5, 2014

*Four Points By Sheraton Hotel
1600 Cumberland Avenue
West Lafayette, Indiana*

On behalf of the Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons of the State of Indiana, I want to welcome you to the 169th Grand Convocation of our Jurisdiction.

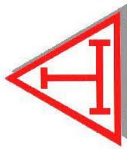
Your commitment to Royal Arch Masonry is deeply appreciated; and we wish for each of you a continued and happy journey in Freemasonry.

This is a time for celebration; so relax and enjoy the weekend!

Fraternally yours,

David F. Wood

Grand High Priest



**The Grand Chapter of
Royal Arch Masons
Of the State of Indiana**

David F. Wood
James B. Coleman
Marty A. Evens
Phil E. Fowler, PGHP
Richard A. Lochner, PGHP
Edward Sebring
Carl D. Froedge
G. Ray Windell
Donald Olvey
Steve Arlington

Grand High Priest
Grand King
Grand Scribe
Grand Treasurer
Grand Secretary
Grand Chaplain
Grand Captain of the Host
Grand Principal Sojourner
Grand Royal Arch Captain
Grand Master of the Third Veil

DeWayne Richmond
Archie Smallwood
Matthew Lowe
G. Donald Laudeman
Carl Culmann
Andy Jackson

Grand Master of the Second Veil
Grand Master of the First Veil
Grand Lecturer
Grand Guard
Grand Historian
RARA

RA Deputy "A"
RA Deputy "B"
RA Deputy "C"
RA Deputy "D"
RA Deputy "E"
RA Deputy "F"
RA Deputy "G"
RA Deputy "H"
RA Deputy "I"

The Grand Chapter would like to thank these Excellent Companions for their outstanding service to Indiana Royal Arch Masonry this past year!

BREAK OUT SESSIONS

This year the Grand Chapter is offering two organizational development sessions for all Royal Arch Masons who wish to attend them. Both of these sessions expand on the concept of "Mission" that was begun this year. We encourage all Royal Arch Masons and Chapter Officers to check them out!

MISSION POSSIBLE

This program will provide an overview of why a "mission" is valuable; and how it helps in achieving long range goals for a Chapter.

1:10 PM—1:50 PM. Salon C.

MISSION PRACTICAL

This session will give Chapter Officers and Members real life, practical ideas and objectives which will enable our Chapters to focus on long range growth.

1:55 PM—2:35 PM. Salon C.

OUR PRESENTER, "BO" COOK

Excellent Companion Byford "Bo" Cook is no stranger to Royal Arch Masonry. He currently serves the Grand Chapter of Illinois as Grand Master of the 3rd Veil and has been a Mason for 30 years. Professionally, Bo has been an instructor at Wabash Valley College in Mt. Carmel, IL, for the past 19 years; and he provides consulting and training solutions to improve organizational effectiveness emerging from the unique background of educational, corporate, and fraternal experience.

MEAL INFORMATION

Friday Banquet _____ X \$30 =
Herb Crusted Chicken Breast, Redskin Potatoes, Carrots, Salad and Key Lime Pie.

Saturday Lunch _____ X \$15 =
Philly Steak Sandwich, Potato Salad and Cole Slaw.

Saturday Banquet _____ X \$30 =
Stuffed Pork Chop, Baked Potato, Green Beans, Salad and Cherry or Apple Pie.

Total \$ _____

Companion _____

Title _____

Address _____

Once Again We will Be Offering Credit Card Services To All Companions:

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VISA / MC (Circle One) CVV # _____

Expiration Date: _____

Please send name, number of tickets per meal, and check total... or Credit Card information to:

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317.776.0307

Please make meal reservations by March 26th

FOUR POINTS BY SHERATON HOTEL ROOM RATES

\$95.00 + Tax Per Room

ALL ROOMS MUST BE RESERVED BY CONTACTING

THE HOTEL AT 765.497.8728

reservations@fourpointswestlafayette.com

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RESERVATIONS MUST BE MADE BY MARCH 4th

Friday – April 18th

Breakfast on your own at Hotel
9:00 a.m. – Leave for tour of Lincoln's Summer Home in Washington D.C.
12:00 a stop in Downtown historic Alexandria for lunch at a restaurant of your choosing
At 1:30 p.m. the bus will return to the hotel with those wishing to rest or those wishing to see the sites in Alexandria may stay and the bus will return for pickup at 4:00 p.m.
6:00 p.m. Pizza dinner at Hotel
7:30 p.m. Illumination bus tour of a few historic Washington DC sites at night (photo ops)
9:00 p.m. return to Hotel

Saturday – April 19th

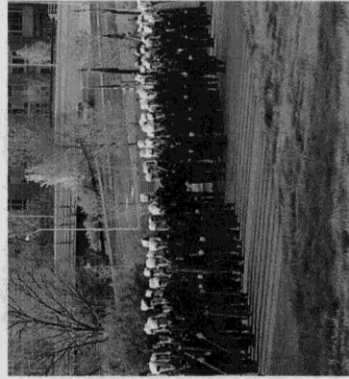
Breakfast on your own at Hotel or in Hospitality Room
7:00 a.m. Assemble to depart for Arlington Cemetery
8:30 a.m. shuttle tour of Cemetery
10:15 a.m. Wreath Ceremony for Indiana Commandery
After the wreath laying we will tour Arlington House – Robert E. Lee's home
Return to hotel to change and lunch
2:00 p.m. depart for the Old Guard Stables to visit the horses that pull the Caissons in Arlington Cemetery
4:00 p.m. return to Hotel
6:00 p.m. Grand Encampment Banquet

Sunday – April 20th

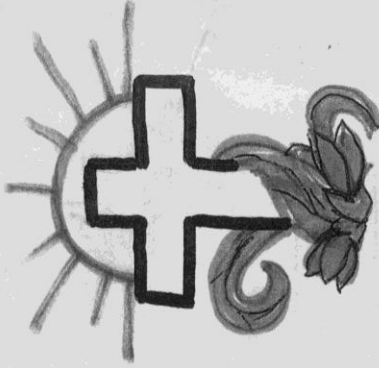
6:00 a.m. Grand Encampment Breakfast
7:00 a.m. Assemble to leave for Sunrise Service at the GW Masonic Memorial
8:00 a.m. Sunrise Service
9:00 a.m. return to Hotel and load bus for return to Indianapolis
10:00 a.m. depart promptly
10:00 p.m. approx. arrival at the Indianapolis LaQuinta

While riding, we make frequent stops to stretch and use the public facilities. The bus restroom is for emergencies only.

ITINERARY TIMES AND STOPS ARE APPROX. & SUBJECT TO CHANGE.



MARCH UP SHOOTER'S HILL ON EASTER



JACK F. WALLACE

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and his

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April 15 – April 20, 2014

A Non-refundable Deposit Of

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Reservations

Name : _____

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How many in the room: _____

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Amount sent: \$ _____

Make Checks Payable TO:

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Vandalia, MI 49095

269-476-9737 Home

574-876-8256 Cell

ITINERARY

Tuesday – April 15, 2014
Stay the night at LaQuinta, Indianapolis
– leave cars

Wednesday – April 16th
6:00 a.m. Breakfast (incl) at LaQuinta
6:45 a.m. Load bus
7:00 a.m. Depart for Washington
11:30 a.m. Lunch near Huntington, WV
2:00 p.m. Tour of Beckley Coal Mine
and the Coal Camp as it was in the early
20th century.

4:00 p.m. Resume driving
Approx 6:30 p.m. Check In motel in
Staunton, VA
8:00 p.m. Dinner at one of the near
restaurants

Thursday – April 17th
7:00 a.m. Breakfast (incl) at motel
7:30 a.m. Depart for Petersburg, VA and
the National Battlefield Park
9:30 a.m. Tour of the Eastern Front
Battlefield and surrounding areas
12:00 p.m. Lunch in downtown
Petersburg
2:00 p.m. Tour Grants Headquarters at
Appomattox Plantation
4:00 p.m. Depart for Arlington, VA
6:00 p.m. Check In at hotel
Dinner on own at area restaurant

Cost of Trip

Single: \$900 Couple: \$1,275

Family of 3: \$ 1,675

Family of 4: \$2,050

("Family" is 2 adults & 1 or 2 children staying in
one room)

Reservations must be made by
December 10, 2013 and the trip
must be paid by February 10,
2014

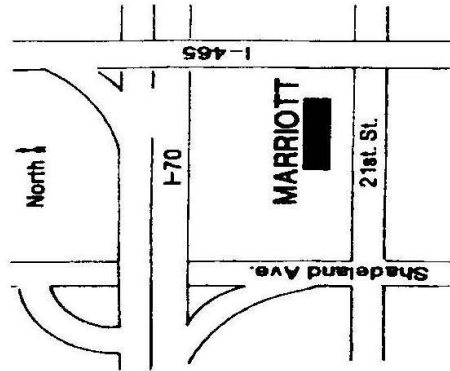
The price of the trip includes
transportation, snacks, soft drinks and
water on the bus. Accommodations for
Tuesday, April 16th through Saturday
nights (If you do not wish to stay
Tuesday night at the LaQuinta in Indy
before the trip, let us know and we will
deduct that amount from your total).

Meals include 3 breakfasts, 1
pizza dinner and 1 banquet. All other
meals are at your own expense.

Family groups are welcome. Join
us in seeing some beautiful parts of the
U.S. and it's history as well as our
capital city, Washington D.C. and some
of the less visited of its sites as well as
some of the well known ones.

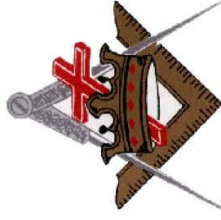
The Grand Officers of the York Rite Bodies of the State of Indiana wish to welcome you and your Lady to our annual sessions. We hope you will have an enjoyable time with us in Indianapolis.

Please make reservations with the Marriott:
 7202 East 21st Street
 Indianapolis, IN 46219-1717
 (317) 352-1231



The Marriott is located on the east side of Indianapolis near the interchange of I-465 and I-70. Take the Shadeland Ave. exit off of I-70, travel south on Shadeland Ave. to 21st Street, then turn East (left) on 21st Street to the Marriott. The Marriott is visible from the interstate and Shadeland Ave.

2014 Grand Session Program



Grand York Rite Bodies of Indiana

159th ANNUAL ASSEMBLY

Grand Council Cryptic Masons of Indiana

William M. Imel and Lady Carolyn Most Illustrious Grand Master

160TH ANNUAL CONCLAVE

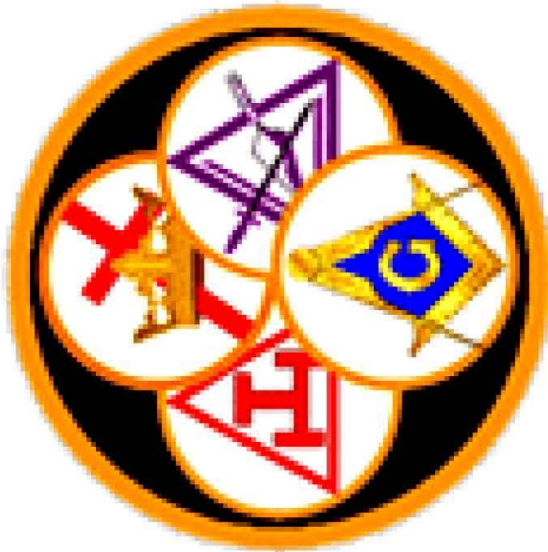
Grand Commandery Knights Templar of Indiana

Jack F. Wallace and Lady Shirley Right Eminent Grand Commander

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April 24, 25, 2014 Annual Meetings
 April 26, 2014 Competitive Drills



INDIANA

GRAND YORK RITE BODIES

Illustrious Grand Master's Banquet
 Wednesday, April 23, 2014 at 7:00 P.M.

Grand Commandery Divine Services
 Thursday, April 24, 2014 at 5:30 P.M.

Grand Commander Banquet
 Thursday, April 24, 2014 at 7:00 P.M.

Grand York Rite (3-way) Reception
 Friday, April 25, 2014 at 7:00 P.M.

Grand Commandery Drills
 Saturday, April 26, 2014 at 8:00 A.M.

All Banquet Dress

Officers and Distinguished Guests:
 Men - Templar Uniform, Tuxedo or Business Suit
 Ladies - Dinner or Long Dress



Companion's Program

Wednesday, April 23, 2014
7:00 P.M. Illustrious Grand Master's Banquet

Thursday, April 24, 2014

7:30 A.M. Registration
8:30 A.M. Grand Council Opens
9:00 A.M. Receive Distinguished Guests
12:00 Noon Companion's Lunch
1:00 P.M. Grand Recorder's Seminar
1:00 P.M. Thrice Illustrious Master Degree
3:00 P.M. Installation of Officers

Ladies Program

12:00 Noon Ladies Luncheon
8:00 A.M. - 11:00 P.M. Hospitality Suite 160

Grand Council Officers for 2013 - 2014

William M. Imel Most Illustrious Grand Master
Paul E. Wenning Right Ill. Deputy Grand Master
Michael C. Stoner R. Ill. Grand Prin. Cond. of the Work
John C. Gray, PMIGM Right Illustrious Grand Treasurer
Charles D. Wood, Jr., PMIGM Right Illustrious Grand Recorder
Michael J. Smith Right Ill. Grand Captain of the Guard
Christopher W. Wright Right Ill. Grand Cond. of the Council
John A. Bridegroom Right Illustrious Grand Steward
W. Keith Simer Illustrious Grand Lecturer
Harley F. Eggers Illustrious Grand Chaplain
Wayne A. Sheets Illustrious Grand Sentinel
Jerry L. Burns Illustrious Grand Organist

Thrice Illustrious Master Degree

Conferred Thursday, April 24, 2014 at 1:00 P.M. Fee \$15.00



Sir Knight's Program

Thursday, April 24, 2014
5:30 P.M. Divine Services
7:00 P.M. Grand Commander's Banquet

Friday, April 25, 2014

7:00 A.M. Past Commander's Association
7:30 A.M. Registration
8:30 A.M. Grand Commandery Opens
9:00 A.M. Receive Distinguished Guests
12:00 Noon Sir Knights Lunch
3:00 P.M. Installation of Officers

Ladies Program

12:00 Noon Ladies Luncheon
8:00 A.M. - 11:00 P.M. Hospitality Suite 160

Saturday, April 26, 2014

8:00 A.M. Competitive Drills
11:00 A.M. Drill Awards & Luncheon
Exhibition Hall - Marriott Hotel

Grand Commandery Officers for 2013 - 2014

Jack F. Wallace Right Eminent Grand Commander
Michael D. Ritter V. E. Deputy Grand Commander
James L. Bollinger Eminent Grand Generalissimo
Donald D. Olvey Eminent Grand Captain General
Lawrence J. Williams Eminent Grand Senior Warden
Terry L. Kehrer Eminent Grand Junior Warden
Tony S. Peterson Eminent Grand Prelate
Robert J. Frazer, PGC Eminent Grand Treasurer
Lawrence Kaminsky, PGC Eminent Grand Recorder
Michael F. Robbins Eminent Grand Standard Bearer
Edward E. Fodrea Eminent Grand Sword Bearer
Donnie A. Robnette Eminent Grand Warden
James A. Iles, II Eminent Grand Sentinel
Ronald L. Ellis, PGC E. Grand Inspector General
Marvin L. Rees Eminent Grand Organist
H. E. "Gene" Lackey, HPGC Marshal of Grand Commandery

Past Commander's Association

Conferred Friday, April 25, 2014 at 7:00 A.M. Fee \$35.00

Reservations

Check the program carefully and order the needed meal tickets. Tickets may be picked up in the registration area. Include a check with your reservation requests. Reservation deadline is April 11, 2014. No tickets will be sold at the Grand Session.

Wednesday, April 23, 2014

Grand Master Banquet @ \$43 \$_____

Thursday, April 24, 2014

Companions Lunch @ \$24 \$_____
Ladies Luncheon @ \$24 \$_____
Grand Commander's Banquet @ \$45 \$_____

Friday, April 25, 2014

Sir Knights Lunch @ \$24 \$_____
Ladies Luncheon @ \$24 \$_____
Grand York Rite @ \$33 \$_____
(3-way) Reception @ \$33 \$_____

Saturday, April 26, 2014

Drill Awards Luncheon @ \$24 \$_____

Name: _____ Total \$ _____
Title: _____
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City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____
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