



VALLEY NOTICE

NOTICE AND NEWSLETTER



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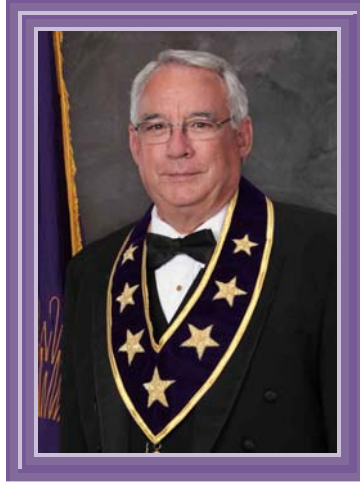
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OUR HONORED GUEST

The Valley of Reading Is Pleased To Welcome

Illustrious Jay W. Smith, 33°

The 119th Right Worshipful Grand Master Of Masons in Pennsylvania.

Illustrious Brother Smith is the first Mason in his family. He was raised a Master Mason in Casiphia Lodge No 551, Mt. Joy, Pennsylvania, on June 7, 1971. He served as Worshipful Master in 1977, 1981, 2003, and 2004. He also served as Treasurer in 1978 and 1982 through 1990; and as a Trustee in 2001 and 2002.

Illustrious Brother Smith and his wife, Nancy, were married on July 9, 1961. Together they have three children: Traci, Kristine and Steve, and eight grandchildren, who keep them busy attending as many sports activities as possible. The Smiths are members of Chiques United Methodist Church, where he has served as a Sunday School Teacher and Youth Coordinator.

Illustrious Brother Smith was created a Grand Elect Mason in Lancaster Lodge of Perfection in October 1971, and was elected Thrice Potent Master in 1982.

He was Knighted a Sublime Prince of the Royal Secret in Harrisburg Consistory in November 1971 and served as Most Wise Master of Harrisburg Chapter, Knights of the Rose Croix of H.R.D.M..

He was coroneted a Sovereign Grand Inspector General, 33°, Honorary Member of the Scottish Rite Supreme Council on September 24, 1986, at Cincinnati, Ohio.

Brother Smith was installed as the 119th Right Worshipful Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Pennsylvania on St. John's day, December 27, 2011. His other Masonic accomplishments are too numerous to rehearse here. They can be viewed on the Pennsylvania Grand Lodge website at www.pagrandlodge.org.

The Commander-in-Chief and the Valley of Reading are pleased to present, Illustrious Jay W. Smith, 33°, to the class as their exemplar and an exponent of Scottish Rite Masonry.



Notes From

The Commander-in-Chief
Ill. Herbert K. Swisher, 33°

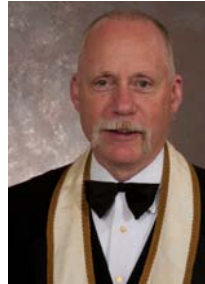
It has been a busy summer and much has been happening in the Valley of Reading. Congratulations to our newest Honorary Members and to our newest nominees, Brothers Engleman and Hoyes.

I'd like to thank everyone who helped to make the evening of the Feast of Tishri a success. We had an eventful evening of fun and fellowship and our guest speaker Ill. Thomas W. Jackson, 33° was an inspiration. We plan to have this dinner again sometime in the future, so please plan to attend.

The Fall Reunion is fast upon us, and I hope everyone has been able to secure a petition from one of our Blue Lodge Brethren yet to join our beloved Scottish Rite.

The real value in membership is participation in our activities. I hope that you will come out and enjoy our programs and create some wonderful memories.

Good health!
I hope to see you on the stage.



Thrice Potent Master's Corner

Thomas Gammon, IV

As we move from summer to fall our Valley becomes a beehive of activity. We leave behind our summer time/family vacation schedule and return to our busy Masonic schedule.

Our building is alive every night with the various rehearsals in preparation for our fall reunion. This is our growing season, as we will be starting a new "crop" of Scottish Rite masons at the reunion. We will be starting them on the road but they cannot succeed on their own. It is up to each and every one of us to make sure that they have an informative and successful start on this road. Please make sure that you say hello to them and make them feel comfortable in their new home, our Valley!

I would like to thank our Commander in Chief and our Valley Secretary for all their hard work and dedication in making the Feast of Tishri such a success! This was by far a very enjoyable evening of fellowship. Until next time, may God Bless You and our great country!!

VALLEY NOTICE

Is a publication of the four bodies of the Valley of Reading, Ancient Accepted Scottish Rite of Freemasonry for the Northern Masonic Jurisdiction and is the official notice of meetings, events and activities of the Valley.

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Sovereign Prince Speaks

Robert C. Baessler, 32°

My Fraternal Greetings to each member of the Valley of Reading. I trust that each of you has had an enjoyable and restful summer. I am so hoping that many of you were able to attend some of the clambakes, steak fries, chicken BBQ's and family picnics that were offered by various Scottish Rite Clubs throughout the Valley. Fun and fellowship was had by all who participated in any of the activities. It is known that whenever Scottish Rite Masons and families get together you can be sure to have a good time.

Now that fall is upon us with the days getting shorter and the weather getting cooler it is time to settle down and prepare for the upcoming Reunion on November 17. Many hard working brothers have been diligently practicing lines for the degrees, getting costumes in order, making sure the staging for the degrees is lined up. Are the drops ready, is the make-up crew prepared, is the choir prepared to add their voices, and is the PA system in working order. It sure takes a lot of brethren to put on a reunion but when it is all said and done we can be proud of what we have done for the new members of the Valley of Reading.

It is also time to prepare for the Holiday Happening weekends- December 8th, 9th, 15th, and the 16th. **(Note the name change from Family Life)** Get ready for two Saturday Dinners with Santa, outstanding train displays, Santa with pictures, motorcycles with pictures and tattoos, fish pond with prizes, live outdoor Nativity scene, clowns with amazing balloon artwork all topped off with cookies and hot chocolate.

There are two added features this year. At the close of the evening on Dec. 8 the stage will become filled with tuba players as we are serenaded with "Tuba Christmas". On Dec. 15 we will be treated with a play, "December Rose." All of the cast members of this production are Scottish Rite Masons. Both weekends will display Scottish Rite Masonry at its finest. Invite your families and friends, especially the children.

Karen and I wish to send our warm wishes to all the Brethren and their families for a Merry Christmas, Happy Hanukah, and a joyous **prosperous New Year.**

May God Bless!



Most Wise Master's Moment

Richard E. Miller, 32°

I wish to extend to all of the members of the Valley, my Fraternal Salutations for the seasons of the year which are rapidly approaching. This is the season of the year when all appreciate our family and the hours we are away as the result of our fraternal commitments.

As we near the November 17, 2012, reunion - if each of us remembered to ask and secure just one of our Masonic Brethren to join our Valley, imagine the greater Masonic Light each of those members would possess. Membership is just not a reunion duty, it is all year round. The reunions require many brethren to assist in the degrees, but just as importantly, there are those not seen whose work is just as important.

There are several Past Most Wise Masters whose backstage participation I should like to thank; Brad Aufer, Clarence Martin 33°, Harry Bertoti 33°, and Marion Miller 33°. Though Marion and I are not related, we are both "working" our way through the chairs in another Masonic Body. Lastly, to Al Much, who "mentors" the Reading Masonic Temple.

The Feast of the Pascal Lamb is scheduled for Sunday, March 17, 2013, 2 PM, in the Consistory Hall. My daughter Catharine Irene Kilgore, has agreed to sing during this year's feast. I must thank Past Most Wise Master, Jim Shaw 33°, for providing the rehearsal time and music for my daughter to sing for the Feast. I must also thank John Nester 33°, who said that there are "only two reunions and four meetings a year."

Beth and I offer our Best Wishes to each member of the Valley for a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year. God Bless All The Members of the Valley and I hope to see you on November 17, 2012.



7th Masonic District
One Hundred Man Masonic Journey
 Saturday,
 November 10, 2012
 Masonic Temple, West Reading



DINNER WITH SANTA

For Children ages 1 to 8 years old

Saturdays, December 8th & 15th

5:00 to 6:00 PM in the Scottish Rite Banquet Room

Adults: \$6.00 – Children \$4.00

Deadline for reservations is November 26, 2012

Scottish Rite member's children and grandchildren are invited to have DINNER WITH SANTA either December 8th or 15th from 5:00 to 6:00pm at the Scottish Rite Cathedral.

Santa will have a gift for each child ages 1 to 8 years old.

But you must register to insure a gift for your child.

Dinner includes chicken nuggets, hot dogs, and dessert.

Make checks payable to SRVC and mail with the form below to:

Faye Baker, 440 Ford Dr, Elizabethtown, PA 17022

If you have any questions, please call Faye at 717-361-5582

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Member's Name: _____

Phone Number: _____

Email Address: _____

Date attending: December 8th _____

December 15th _____

Number of Children attending _____ @ \$4.00 ea; Total: \$ _____

Number of Adults attending _____ @ \$6.00 ea; Total: \$ _____

DEADLINE FOR RESERVATIONS IS NOVEMBER 26, 2012

Girl/Boy (Ages 1-8) Child's first and last name Birth date (Month & year)

1 _____

2 _____

3 _____

4 _____

5 _____

Attach an additional page if more space is needed.



TRAIN CLUB READY FOR CHRISTMAS

The Model Railroading Club is preparing for their annual display.

The trains will be on display:

**Saturday and Sunday, December 8th & 9th,
and
Saturday and Sunday, 15th and 16th.**

The trains will be displayed as part of the Holiday Happenings at the Cathedral program.

Engineers, Conductors, families, and friends, may obtain their view of the trains from:

5:00 PM to 8:00 PM each day.

**Six sizes, or gauges, will be on display:
G,O,S,HO,N and Z.**

Members seated from left to right are:

Gerald R. Baum, 33° MSA; James L. Kuhlman; Robert W. McClatchie, MSA; Doris Dotterer; Gerald E. Dotterer, President; and Robert Roggenburg.

Standing left to right are;

Philip W. Johnston; Raymond L. Kunkel, Jr.; Ignatius M. Sakasite, Sr.; William Koontz; and Joe Rick.



You Are Invited to Attend The
**Scottish Rite Masonic
Holiday Happenings at the Cathedral**

December 8, 9, 15, & 16, 2012

6:00 pm – 8:00 pm

Scottish Rite Cathedral
Parkside Drive North & Park Road
West Reading, PA.



Live Nativity Scene

Saturday, December 8th at 7:00 o'clock PM

Tuba Christmas Concert & Event

Tuba and euphonium players are invited to participate.

Registration at 5:00 PM

Saturday, December 15th at 8:00 o'clock PM

December's Rose

A Play in Two Acts

Presented by the Scottish Rite Players

ALLEGIANCE

The Bodies of the Scottish Rite, sitting in the Valley of Reading, District of Pennsylvania, acknowledge and yield allegiance to the Supreme Council, 33°, Ancient Accepted Scottish Rite of Freemasonry for the Northern Masonic Jurisdiction of the United States of America, whose Grand East is in Boston, Massachusetts, and whose officers are:

Ill. John Wm. McNaughton, 33°

Sovereign Grand Commander

Ill. Jim S. Deyo, 33°

Grand Lieutenant Commander

Ill. Richard W. Elliot, 33°

Grand Treasurer General

Ill. James L. Tungate, 33°

Grand Secretary General

Ill. Russell W. Baker, 33°

Deputy for Pennsylvania

Living Honorary Members of the Supreme Council Valley of Reading

*Ill. Emanuel Iglesias, 33° MSA	1972	Ill. Clarence W. Martin, 33°	2001
**Ill. John G. Allen, 33°	1972	Ill. Harry Bertoti, 33°	2002
Ill. George P. Meissner, 33°	1973	Ill. Mark H. Haines, 33°	2003
Ill. William T. Hill, 33°	1978	Ill. Herbert K. Swisher, 33°	2003
Ill. P. Thomas Feeser, 33°	1979	Ill. Jon J. DeHart, 33°	2004
Ill. Clarence R. Klopp, 33°	1979	Ill. Victor M. Frederick, III, 33°, DSM	2004
*Ill. Norman A. Fox, 33° MSA	1980	Ill. Harriss A. Butler, III, 33°	2005
Ill. Robert W. Fries, 33°	1982	Ill. Conrad L. Heimbach, 33°	2005
Ill. Paul D. Fisher, 33°	1985	Ill. Edward J. Stumm, 33°	2005
Ill. Clarence J. Echnernacht, 33°	1986	Ill. Christopher H. Tecklenburg, 33°, MSA	2005
Ill. Lincoln K. P. Buchanan, 33°	1987	Ill. Eric L. Brandt, 33°	2006
Ill. Clair P. Kessler, 33°	1987	Ill. Franklin D. Caltagirone, 33°	2006
Ill. Blaine F. Fabian, 33°	1988	Ill. Kerry J. Cashman, 33°	2006
Ill. Gerald R. Baum, 33° MSA	1989	Ill. William D. Coldren, Jr., 33°	2006
Ill. Joseph Gentile, 33°	1989	Ill. Irvin C. Henry, Jr., 33°	2006
Ill. James L. Boyer, 33°	1991	Ill. Ray E. Feick, 33°	2007
Ill. Marvin G. Speicher, 33°	1991	Ill. Irwin A. Kohler, 33°	2007
Ill. Edward O. Weisser, 33°	1992	Ill. William J. Oehme, 33°	2007
Ill. Floyd A. Feger, 33°	1993	Ill. Allen D. Moyer, 33°	2008
Ill. Irvin D. Herring, 33°	1994	Ill. Raymond Thompson, Jr., 33°	2008
Ill. John L. Winkelman, 33°	1994	Ill. Robert S. Conway, 33°	2009
Ill. Russell W. Baker, 33°	1996	Ill. Robert A. Swoyer, 33°	2009
Ill. Larry A. Buzzard, 33°	1996	Ill. William H. Tennant, Jr., 33°	2009
Ill. Marion I. Miller, 33°	1996	Ill. Michael A. Black, 33°	2010
Ill. Louis A. Fiorini, 33°	1997	Ill. William P. Ulrich, 33°	2010
Ill. John C. Evans, 33°	1998	Ill. Kevin S. Barnhardt, 33°	2011
Ill. W. Randall Kegerise, 33°	1999	Ill. James R. Shaw, 33°	2011
Ill. Noah W. Wenger, 33°	1999	Ill. Harry E. Hackman, Jr., 33°	2012
Ill. Delight E. Breidegam, Jr., 33°	2000	Ill. John R. Nester, 33°	2012
Ill. Richard E. Hummel, 33°	2000	Ill. John J. Tumolo, III, 33°	2012
Ill. Jeffrey K. Sprecher, 33°	2000		
Ill. L. Donald Loos, Jr., 33°	2000		
Ill. Thomas C. Keen, 33°	2001		
Ill. J. Richard Eby, 33°	2001		

*Valley of Abington merged 8/1/91

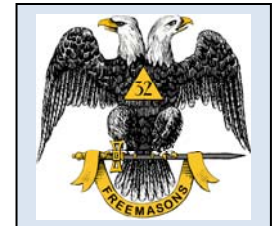
**Affiliate, Valley of Corning, NY

REMEMBER YOUR SCOTTISH RITE PASSPORT

Have your Passport stamped after each degree at this Reunion to verify that you have witnessed the degree.

**PLAN TO ATTEND THE REUNION
YOU WILL LIKE IT!**

Scottish Rite Passport



Issued by the
Supreme Council, 33°
Ancient Accepted Scottish Rite
Northern Masonic Jurisdiction
United States of America

IN MEMORIAM

The Valley of Reading remembers with respect the following Brethren whose deaths have been reported since the last publication of the *Valley Notice*.

Ill. Donald F. Geschwindt, 33°
Lodge No. 665
September 17, 2012

Edward D. Emhardt Robert W. Plummer
Lodge No. 406 Lodge No. 665
July 5, 2012 September 10, 2012

John J. Troutman George F. Frei
Lodge No. 307 Lodge No. 549
Died July 19, 2012 September 11, 2012

Gordon E. Barr Noel E. Davidheiser
Lodge No. 43 Lodge No. 254
Died August 8, 2012 September 14, 2012

Claude C. Stelphenson, III Earl W. Ruppert
Lodge No. 417 Lodge No. 227
Died August 17, 2012 September 16, 2012

Allen L. Klopp Lawrence O. Leibold
Lodge No. 549 Lodge No. 227
August 18, 2012 September 20, 2012

Robert W. Kessler John H. Howard
Lodge No. 405 Lodge No. 549
August 21, 2012 September 26, 2012

Walter G. Kline Frederick N. Biesecker
Lodge No. 549 Lodge No. 741
August 25, 2012 October 12, 2012

Delbert W. Berger Clarence W. Sattazahn
Lodge No. 406 Lodge No. 307
September 4, 2012 October 15, 2012



*Help someone you know unlock the Journey into
Scottish Rite Freemasonry*



T.T.G.O.T.G.A.O.T.U.

Reunion meetings of the Ancient Accepted Scottish Rite Bodies of Freemasonry sitting in the Valley of Reading, Pennsylvania will be held in the Scottish Rite Cathedral, 310 S. Seventh Avenue, West Reading, Pa., on the 3rd day of the Hebrew month Kislev, 5773 corresponding to:

Saturday, November 17, 2012

The business and work will be conducted according to the program on these pages. A cordial and fraternal invitation is extended to all members of the Rite duly accredited. Your current dues card will admit you to all the Sessions of the Reunion and must be shown to the Tyler for admittance.

By order of:

Thomas Gamon, IV, 32° Thrice Potent Master
Robert C. Baessler, 32° Sovereign Prince
Richard E. Miller, 32° Most Wise Master
Herbert K. Swisher, 33° Commander-In-Chief

ATTEST:

Christopher H. Tecklenburg, 33°, MSA Secretary

**Petitions for this class will be accepted until
November 13.**

**A list of candidates will be available in the Scottish
Rite Office beginning November 15.**

SPONSOR'S RESPONSIBILITY

For every petitioner for the Scottish Rite degrees there are two Scottish Rite Masons on who rests a responsibility for the proper training of that petitioner. The two Scottish Rite Masons who sign the petition have a responsibility that does not end with their signature on the petition. If you invite a guest to a gathering at your home, you make sure that he meets all your guests, and is made welcome and comfortable. Isn't the Master Mason who you recommend to Scottish Rite Freemasonry entitled to the same courtesy? As his sponsor, is it not your duty to take an interest in his progress? It seems to us that it is, and that you should see to it that he fully understands the fine lessons of our degrees. If you recommend a man to the Scottish Rite, satisfy yourself that he is receiving that for which you recommended him. To do so is but a Masonic courtesy and it is also your duty as a Scottish Rite mason. Let's all give this matter some serious consideration. It will certainly bring forth good results if you attend the conferring of the degrees at our Reunions.

The Ladies Auxiliary
presents the 2013 Fashion Show

Saturday, April 13th, 2013

Lunch catered by Wegmans



- Tickets are \$22.00
- Doors open at 11:00 AM
- Lunch is served at 12:00

For tickets contact:

Elsie Lange (610) 286-9306 or

Diana Stumm (717) 354-5993



Fashions by **Bosco's**

OUR SCOTTISH RITE CLUBS

We pay tribute to the officers of our City and County Clubs, to the founders and leaders, past and present, and to the members for their splendid cooperation in promoting the Scottish Rite Way and the Masonic understanding and fellowship that go with it.

Through a program of year-round activities, these clubs have succeeded in creating and keeping alive an interest in the Scottish Rite which has resulted in a creditable growth of membership from the areas which they serve.

CITY AND COUNTY CLUB OFFICERS

ONTELAUNEE CLUB

President Irwin A. Kohler, 33°
First Vice President William G. Bensinger, Jr.
Secretary/Treasurer Irvin D. Herring, 33°

LANCASTER COUNTY CLUB

President Michael D. Wolfe
Secretary Robert S. Conway, 33°
Treasurer W. Randall Kegeerise, 33°

SCHUYLKILL COUNTY CLUB

President David E. Moyer
First Vice President Charles E. Griffiths
Secretary/Treasurer James F. Moyer, 32° MSA

GOOD FELLOWSHIP CLUB

President Andrew E. Weitzenkorn
First Vice President Timothy L. Pletcher
Second Vice President Travis M. Bartechko
Secretary Thomas Gamon, IV
Treasurer Ralph A. Clemmer

CHESTER COUNTY CLUB

President William J. Guisepppe
First Vice President Robert L. Milliken
Second Vice President Robert G. MacHenry
Secretary Bernardo DeLellis
Treasurer Arthur K. Armstrong

PAGODA CLUB

President John J. Tumolo, III, 33°
First Vice President Robert J. Hoyes
Second Vice President Raymond W. Gottschall, III
Secretary Samuel P. Wandzilak
Treasurer Uwe N. Petersen, 32° MSA

GEORGE WASHINGTON CLUB

President Martin Bashoff
Vice President Herbert O. Zemble, 32°MSA
Secretary/Treasurer

VALLEY OF READING

ELECTED AND APPOINTED OFFICERS 2012/2013

READING LODGE OF PERFECTION, 14°

Thomas Gamon, IV	Thrice Potent Master
Andrew E. Weitzenkorn	Deputy Master
Ronald J. Dalius	Senior Warden
Michael J. Huck	Junior Warden
Raymond L. Kunkel, Jr.	Treasurer of all Four Bodies
Christopher H. Tecklenburg, 33°MSA	Secretary of all Four Bodies
Marvin G. Speicher, 33°	Hospitaler of all Four Bodies
James P. Ferry	Orator
Kenneth R. Good	Master of Ceremonies
Glen A. Houck	Captain of the Guard
James R. Strunk, III, 32° MSA	Tyler for all Four Bodies

C. GILBERT STEFFE COUNCIL
PRINCES OF JERUSALEM, 16°

Robert C. Baessler	Sovereign Prince
Stephen R. Higgins	High Priest
David W. Jansen	Senior Warden
Craig W. Shaffer	Junior Warden
Darwin A. Kerper	Master of Ceremonies
Carey M. Kaucher	Master of Entrances

FRANCIS MARION HIGHLEY CHAPTER
OF ROSE CROIX, 18°

Richard E. Miller	Most Wise Master
Harry E. Hackman, Jr., 33°	Knight Senior Warden
Arthur K. Armstrong	Knight Junior Warden
Bruce M. Cronrath	Orator
Travis M. Barteckko	Master of Ceremonies
Jeffrey S. Moyer	Guard

READING CONSISTORY, S.P.R.S., 32°

Herbert K. Swisher, 33°	Commander-in-Chief
William H. Tennant, Jr., 33°	1st Lieutenant Commander
Irwin A. Kohler, 33°	2nd Lieutenant Commander
David J. Dickson	Orator
Raymond Thompson, Jr., 33°	Chancellor
Robert J. Hoyes	Master of Ceremonies
Jeffrey S. Moyer	Engineer & Seneschal
Dennis F. Shaffer	Standard Bearer
J. Allen Reynolds	Captain of the Guard
Lawrence S. Bortz, III, 32° MSA	Color Bearer
Chester R. Pierce	Sentinel

TRUSTEES

Robert W. Fries, 33° Kevin S. Barnhardt, 33°

L. Donald Loos, Jr., 33°

STEWARDS

Robert G. Eckroth, 32° MSA	Irvin C. Henry, Jr., 33°	
Chester A. Burgert	Gerrald A. Mengel	Gene P. Naus



HOW ABOUT YOU?



When you receive your meeting notices do not cast them aside without reading them.

Each one of our publications contains something of interest to you.

We plan some splendid features for each meeting and Reunion, and the only way you can keep yourself posted on what is going on is to read your notices.

NOTICE: ALL MEMBERS

We extend to you a cordial invitation to enjoy all the meals during the Reunion.

BE FRATERNAL

When you attend a Scottish Rite Reunion, do not sit down in a corner and expect every member to come and shake hands with you, and in case they fail to do so, complain that the members are not fraternal and lack sociability. It is no more their duty to do so than it is yours.

Every member should aim to promote the fraternal spirit by saying a friendly word of greeting to the other members. Try it. You will like it.

**The 2012-2013 dues are now PAST DUE.
If you have not paid yours please do so NOW.**

Mail Your Dues to:
Scottish Rite Office, 310 S. 7th Avenue
PO Box 6013
Reading, PA 19610-0013

Or pay by credit card by logging on to
www.scottishritenmj.org

Phone: 610-373-0722 – Fax: 610-373-0795
E-mail: valley.of.reading@comcast.net

When you pay your dues do not forget your voluntary contribution Building Fund and the Hospitaler's Fund.

DON'T FORGET YOUR PASSPORT

Have your Passport stamped after each degree at this Reunion to verify that you have witnessed the degree.

**PLAN TO ATTEND THE REUNION – YOU WILL
ENJOY THE DEGREES & THE FELLOWSHIP**



ILLUSTRIOUS THOMAS W. JACKSON, 33°, ADDRESSES BLACK TIE DINNER

Almost 80 Brethren attended the Black Tie Dinner to celebrate the Feast of Tishri on October 5th. Pictured from left to right are: III. William H. Tennant, Jr. 33°, First Lieutenant Commander of Reading Consistory, 32°.; III. Thomas W. Jackson, 33°, Executive Secretary of the World Congress of Masonic Grand Lodges. Brother Jackson was the guest speaker at the dinner; III. Herbert K. Swisher, 33°, Commander-in-Chief; and III. Irwin A. Kohler, 33°, Second Lieutenant Commander.

BE PART OF THE FUN OF A REUNION

Here's who to contact:

Director of Work	Eric L. Brandt	717-484-6174	dbinthewoods@aol.com
Choir Director	James R. Shaw	610-678-6183	shawj549@gmail.com
Sound Department	Kenneth L. Riegel	610-777-4555	rcths214@comcast.net
Reception Committee	John W. (Bill) Freeston	610-678-2985	jwfreeston@verizon.net
Class Marshals	Louis A. Fiorini	610-779-6025	
Registrars	John J. Tumolo, III	610-944-6669	britcarfan@aol.com
Tylers	James R. Strunk, III	610-373-8890	
Wardrobe	Craig W. Shaffer	484-947-7441	bear-den@comcast.net
Make-up & Wigs	William L. Loos	610-678-1130	bloos@schneider-electric.com
Stage Manager	L. S. (Larry) Bortz	610-780-0101	lsbiii@verizon.net
Lighting Director	William J. Lausch	717-484-4260	blausch@hotmail.com
Properties Manager	Scott J. Helm	484-905-1938	sjhelm0328@gmail.com
Casting Director	Irvin D. Herring	610-562-7300	idherring@msn.com

DIRECTOR'S RUN-DOWN SHEET

At Reunions, the sequence of events is coordinated by the DIRECTOR'S RUN-DOWN SHEET. If you would like to have a copy emailed to you prior to the Reunion, send an email to the Valley office at valley.of.reading@comcast.net. The distribution list will be developed by capturing your email responses only. Do not telephone the Office. The Director's Run-Down Sheet is finalized following the Department Heads Meeting, approximately two weeks prior to the Reunion. A paper copy of the final edition of the Director's Run-Down Sheet is available in the office the morning of the Reunion.



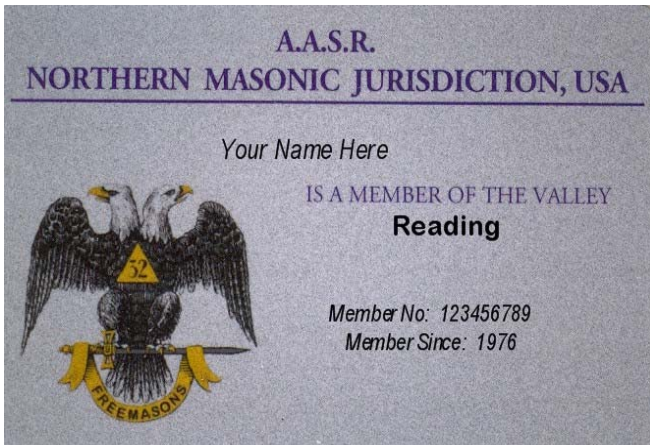
The 200th anniversary jewels are available.

The anniversary jewels will be presented to all candidates receiving the 32° during 2012 and the anniversary year of 2013.

To purchase a jewel send a check to
Supreme Council,
P.O. Box 519,
Lexington, MA 02420 for \$25.00.

Or on the web at: www.scottishritenmj.org

Make sure to include your shipping address.



THIS IS YOUR PERMINANT DUES CARD

Early last year you should have received a plastic dues card, similar to the one shown here, from the Scottish Rite Supreme Council. This is your permanent dues card. You will no longer receive an annual paper card with your dues invoice. If you did not receive a permanent dues card, or if you have misplaced it, please contact the Office in Reading and we will forward your request on to the Scottish Rite Headquarters in Massachusetts.



Motorcycle Raffle

The big winner at the 5th annual motorcycle, classic car and street rod show on September 23rd was the Children's Dyslexia Center in Reading. This year's event attracted more cars and more people than in the history of the raffle.

This year's winner of the \$10,000 raffle prize is S.K. John K. March, PGC, and a member of this Valley. Thanks to everyone for your support.



REUNION SCHEDULE
2012 FALL REUNION – SCOTTISH RITE CATHEDRAL
West Reading, Pennsylvania

SATURDAY, November 17, 2012

7:00 a.m. – Continental Breakfast – Dining Room
7:30 a.m. – Class Registration – Candidates' Room
7:45 a.m. – Class Orientation – Candidates' Room

8:00 a.m. – **Reading Lodge of Perfection, 14°**
4° Master Traveler – in full form
9° Master of the Temple – in full form
14° Grand Elect Mason – in full form
– **C. Gilbert Steffe Council, 16° Prince of Jerusalem**
16° Prince of Jerusalem – in full form
– **Francis Marion Highley Chapter, 18° Rose Croix**
17° Knight of the East and West – in full form

12:00 p.m. – **Buffet Luncheon – Zimmerman Dining Room**

1:00 p.m. – **Reading Consistory, 32° Sublime Prince of the Royal Secret**
22° Prince of Libanus – in full form
27° Knight of Jerusalem – in full form
31° Knight Aspirant – in full form
Presentation of Point Awards
Introductions
Reception of the Grand Master
32° Sublime Prince of the Royal Secret – in Full Form

All work completed before dinner. Return home in the daylight.

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