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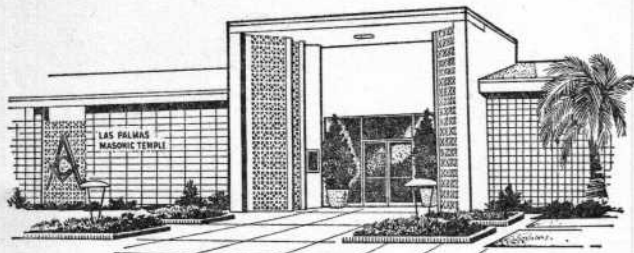
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Las Palmas Lodge, No. 366
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LAS PALMAS MASONIC TEMPLE

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MASTER'S MESSAGE



Dear Brethren:

As your Master, on visiting our Youth Orders Meetings in our Masonic Temple, I am amazed and pleased to see so many of our members and their ladies actively engaged in assisting, guiding, advising these youth groups. I realize the time and effort required and the responsibility involved. Also the pleasure and satisfaction in contributing to the welfare of our youth — the greatest potential resource this whole country has today.

Happiness is in giving - (*to borrow a phrase*) and the greatest "giving", is in giving your time, talents and efforts to others - particularly our youth, for with the young will it have its longest effect. It is the desire of all of us to believe that the world will be a little better because we were here. We are all different - receptive to different ideas, tastes, desires - and so with youth. You may be the one with that personality and interests some youths need to encourage and activate them. Once activated, the human dynamo is limitless in ability and accomplishment. Once "turned on," it needs guidance by precept and example to steer to desired goals, and to be useful. You are needed there too.

To see what I mean, attend a youth meeting, installation, or social event. Their appreciation will be shown you for your interest. They are hungry for your words of approval and praise, if deserving, and your presence.

In these times when so many organizations have their hands out for your money, it is refreshing and pleasing that our groups only want you - in person - for an evening or two a month. And should you patronize one of their fund raising projects - it still isn't a monetary gift - you will have full value received, plus your satisfaction of fulfilling your responsibility as a Master Mason to our youth, and your Lodge.

Kindly join me in attending as often as you can.

Fraternally, Ed Carpenter, Master

CHEER-UP CORNER

BRO. JIM TUCKER was in the hospital for a complete checkup but all is reported good and he is back with us again. Thanks to Bro. P.M. BOB REYNOLDS for tiling for him.

THE SECRETARY'S CORNER



The response from my message last month on delinquent dues has been very good. Quite a few of those in arrears have forwarded payment and I am looking to hearing from those continuing to be past due. Don't put it off any longer - "Get your arm out of the sling now" and write that check so we may end up before the years end with every one in current standing.

Past Masters' nite, one of our biggest meetings of the year, will be on Thursday evening, November 5. Mark your calendar now and plan to attend. A top FREE MEMBERSHIP DINNER will be held at 6:30 p.m., followed by a Third Degree exemplified by your Past Masters at 7:30 p.m. Lets all turn out in a big way and pay your respects to the "old timers." You will really be missing something if you do not!

I will be looking forward to seeing you in "My Lodge and Yours" - Las Palmas.

Norm Foley, P.M., *secretary*

Honor . . . Our Proud Tradition

From time immemorial, honor has been the proud tradition of the men of Masonry. Its advocates have ever cherished the principle that expediency could never justify the abandonment of honor; that honor and integrity must be preserved, even at the expense of one's life, if need be.

In a day when honor is sold cheaply, when fuzziness beclouds basic values, we need again to remember our Founding Fathers and the price they paid for that imperishable document, The Declaration of Independence. These men were not wild eyed extremists, but were educated, soft spoken men of means, many of them Masons, who pledged their lives their fortunes, their sacred honor.

— M. W. Chester R. MacPhee

CHEER-UP CORNER

BRO. CLAUDE HUTCHISON is thankful to be home, and appreciates Bro. JIM SALEH and "JOBIE" LINDA SPEARS giving him the ride home from the hospital. Give Claude a call it will pep him up. He will return to the Vets Hospital for therapy.

TRESTLEBOARD

Thurs. Nov. 5 - Third Degree, 7:30 - Past Masters Night. 6:30, Free Membership Dinner for all Master Masons of Las Palmas Lodge.

Sun. Nov. 8 - 418th Masonic District Masters & Wardens Breakfast - Sanger.

Mon. Nov. 9 - School of Instruction, 3^o - Clovis Temple 7:30 p.m. - All Officers required to attend.

Wed. Nov. 11 - Veteran's Day. Fly your Flag to show that you support your country and are proud that you are an American.

Thurs. Nov. 12 - Third Degree, 7:30 p.m.

Thurs. Nov. 19 - Stated Meeting, 7:30 p.m. - Nomination of Officers for 1971 term. Dinner with Our Dates, 6:30 p.m.

Thurs. Nov. 26 - Thanksgiving - Dark

Mon. Nov. 30 - Proficiencies and Fraternal Discussions.

Thurs. Dec. 3 - Second Degree, 7:30 p.m.

Thurs. Dec. 10 - Third Degree, 7:30 p.m.

Thurs. Dec. 17 - Stated Meeting, 7:30 p.m. - Election of Officers. - Christmas Program - Dinner with Our Dates, 6:30 p.m.

Watch Lodge Notices in the Bee for Special Meetings or Changes.

Grand Lodge Communication — Elects New Grand Master

In October at the 1970 Communication of our Grand Lodge, Bro. HERBERT A. HUEBNER was elected our Most Worshipful Grand Master for the ensuing year.

Dinners With Our Dates . . .

We are forever thankful to our ladies for providing our "Dinners With Our Dates" before each stated meeting. Last month it was Chairman Jennie Carpenter and her fine committee who prepared the fine dinner. For our November dinner Chairman Esther Young and her committee will have the traditional Turkey Dinner with all of the trimmings. Ladies wishing to assist and share the fun call Esther Young at 222-1771.

CHEER-UP CORNER

BRO. LEE ANGELICH is pleased to be fully recovered from his operation and back at work.

Grand Lodge
Free And Accepted Masons Of California
SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA

September 25, 1970

TO ALL MASTERS:

For your guidance in working with DeMolay, Job's Daughters and Rainbow for Girls, you are advised as follows:

A Masonic Lodge in this jurisdiction may individually, or collectively with other Masonic Lodges, SPONSOR a DeMolay Chapter.

By SPONSOR is meant, the Lodge and its members may:

- 1 Make funds available, when necessary, to DeMolay from Lodge Refreshment Fund.
- 2 Help to arrange meeting place for DeMolay Chapter.
- 3 Provide guidance - provide leadership. The most important single item our youth groups must have is interested Masons. The Lodge should meet this need.
- 4 Set up a band combo - - develop athletic activities in the Chapter.
- 5 Assist in teaching DeMolay ritual.
- 6 Assist in arranging social programs and provide supervision.
- 7 Attend and encourage others to attend DeMolay degrees.

- 8 Have DeMolay degrees portrayed in your Lodge for your Lodge members and other interested Masons.
- 9 Form a Youth Committee in your Lodge and have the committee report at each stated meeting. This was the subject of a recommendation of the Special Committee on Youth Orders at the 1969 Annual Communication.
- 10 Write about the DeMolay Chapter activities in your bulletin or trestle board.
- 11 Many other worthwhile things.

Although much of the foregoing, including the use of Refreshment Funds for all Masonically affiliated Youth Organizations, applies to Job's Daughters and Rainbow for Girls, actual sponsorship by Lodges is limited to DeMolay.

It is the fervent hope of your Grand Master that all constituent Lodges will participate as fully as possible in our needed work with youth. Nothing is more important - - nothing is more rewarding.

If your Lodge is not large enough to sponsor a Chapter, talk it up at the next district meeting. Perhaps another Lodge or two will join with you. You'll be glad you did.

Cordially and fraternally,
Chester R. MacPhee, *Grand Master*



In Memoriam



Our sincere sympathies to the family of Bro. Ed Calderwood for whom we held Masonic funeral services October 21. Bro. P.M. Ed Allred served as Master and Bro. S. W. Bud Pope as chaplain.

Our condolences also to the family of Alex Eskondarian, for whom church services were held October 22nd. Bro. Alex affiliated with Las Palmas Lodge only last April.

F. M. L. (DANNY) DAKE,
Galley News - - Chairman, Refreshment Committee

We continue to be pleased with our refreshments after meetings and thank chairman BRO. DANNY DAKE and his committeemen and others who help make it so. Good work BRO. JR. WARDEN RALPH SAROYAN for all this. It is your duty to see this is taken care of, and you have done it well.

CHEER-UP CORNER

BRO. ROCKY SHAW had to return to the Veterans Hospital for relief of his arthritic condition.

CHEER-UP CORNER

BRO. FLINT HANNER recently suffered a stroke and is now at the Hy-Lond Convalescent Hospital for therapy.

BRO. ED KRATT had a bout with pneumonia and is now at home recovering.

Our best wishes to all of our "shut-ins" for a speedy recovery.

Bonus . . .

Meeting an old friend is always enjoyable. It is one of the bonuses in life, for it enables you both to recapture and re-live earlier moments that might otherwise remain buried in your past without recall. Together, you re-live a bit of life.

One seldom attends Lodge without seeing an old friend. Are you missing one of life's bonuses waiting for you in YOUR Lodge?

— The Texas Freemason



We Are Builders . . .

Our Lodge is not just a room. It is not merely a place in which to enjoy fraternal fellowship. It is not an organization which replaces the church. It is not the means of promoting one's self in business.

What our Lodge really is, is a group of men, a group of brothers, who have dedicated themselves to a common task, and that is TO BUILD! A Freemason is a builder; a builder of character; a builder of a better community; a better nation; a better world in which to live; a builder of an Eternal Temple for the indwelling God.

Such should be the real meaning of Freemasonry to each of us. If not, we should re-dedicate our lives right now to those principles of Freemasonry to which we have obligated ourselves to accept, to learn, to keep and to exemplify.

We are brought to Light in order that we may let our Light so shine before our fellowmen, that they may see our good works and join us in glorifying The Great Architect of the Universe.

The Committee on Masonic Culture, Grand Lodge of Pa.

YOUTH ACTIVITIES . . .

INSTALLATION —

LAS PALMAS ORDER OF DeMOLAY
MASTER COUNCILOR JIM TARVER

Saturday, November 14, 1970



Bethel 49, International Order of Job's Daughters

Cindy Brinker, Honored Queen

Mrs. Thelma Stocks, Guardian

Clyde Brough, P. M., Associate Guardian

Meet 2nd and 4th Tuesday in Las Palmas Temple, 7:30 p.m.



Bethel 197, International Order of Job's Daughters

Melanie Sargentich, Honored Queen

Mrs. Eileen Stith, Guardian

Leonard Moller, P. M., Associate Guardian

Meet 2nd and 4th Saturday in Las Palmas Temple, 10 a.m.



Fresno Assembly 51,

International Order of the Rainbow for Girls

Denise Vulich, Worthy Advisor

Miss Barbara Robinson, Mother Advisor

Ron Baten, Rainbow Dad

Meet 1st and 3rd Wednesday in Las Palmas Temple, 7:30 pm



Bethel 243, International Order of Job's Daughters

Linda Spears, Honored Queen

Mrs. Barbara Contreras, Guardian

Ed Allred, P. M., Associate Guardian

Meet 1st and 3rd Tuesday in Las Palmas Temple, 7:30 p.m.



Las Palmas Chapter, Order of DeMolay

Mike Bopp, Master Councilor

Henry W. Schneider, Chapter Dad

Meet at 7:30 p.m. in Las Palmas Temple

Have You A Youthful Stamp Collector?

Bro. P.M. Harry Buckalew says he has several small packets of postage stamps he will give to encourage youth in this hobby. So, if any Las Palmas member has children or grandchildren who are interested in stamp collecting, help them contact Harry who will assist them in getting started.

Past Master's Night - Nov. 5 . .

Master Masons of Las Palmas Lodge No. 366 are invited to a FREE MEMBERSHIP DINNER at 6:30 p.m. on Thurs. November 5. It will be followed at 7:30 p.m. by the Third Degree being conferred upon Bro. Cannon by a team of Past Masters. This is like seeing a football game played by school alumni. Come and see them do the ritual work as they know it should be done.



Mt. Rushmore National Memorial . . Carved By Masons

Gutzon Borglum, (John Gutzon de la Mothe Borglum, 1871-1941) sculptor and painter, best known for the gigantic Mt. Rushmore carving in the Black Hills of South Dakota. Previous to this he designed and began carving the Confederate Memorial on the face of Stone Mountain, Georgia, but a controversy arose with association and he destroyed all plans and models.

He officially started the Mt. Rushmore National Memorial on August 10, 1927, when President Coolidge dedicated it. He lived to see the fourth head unveiled in 1939 - but not to complete the work - which was done by his son, Lincoln. Borglum was an active Mason and Master of his Lodge, Howard No. 35, New York City, 1910-11.

Lincoln Borglum, son of Gutzon, born 1912, was in charge of measurements and enlarging models of the Memorial and following the death of his father was assigned to complete it. member of Battle River Lodge No. 92, Hermosa, South Dakota.

— "10,000 Famous Freemasons"

Editor's comment- When you see the commemorative postage stamp, think Masonic.

Las Palmas Temple Parking Lot Repaved . . .

We are pleased to see the fine job of paving the parking lot for our Temple patrons. Jentz Construction Company submitted the most attractive bid of the three contractors from whom bids were solicited. Our thanks to BRO. HAROLD PAUL, vice president of our Temple Building Association for drawing up the contract, soliciting bids, and supervising. It was expert timing to get the cracks sealed and paving in before the heavy fall rains. Good work, Paul.

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