



# The Las Palmian

FRATERNAL ORGAN

of

*Las Palmas Lodge, No. 366  
F. & A. M.*



OCTOBER

1973



LAS PALMAS MASONIC TEMPLE

2992 East CLINTON AVE. — FRESNO, CALIFORNIA 93703

268-2303

## A MESSAGE FROM THE MASTER



On October 18th at our stated meeting, our lodge will be recognizing a group of outstanding men who have given their time freely to further Masonry by coaching our new candidates. Enough cannot be said about the brothers, because it is only through their efforts that a candidate can progress, and that the lodge can confer degrees each week.

At our last stated meeting we were privileged to have Past Master George Holstein as our Constitution Observance speaker. Brother George delivered a very fine message about the originators of our Constitution.

A big "thank-you" to our dates for a wonderful chicken dinner. Also thanks to Mary Perch for obtaining the very talented Ron Manisedjian. Notice that Mary Perch's phone number has been changed. The new number to call for reservations is listed in the calendar.

IT'S GREAT TO BE A MASON!

Fraternally,  
Phil Lewis, Master

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Raised to the sublime degree of Master Mason  
Brother Sahard Kirk Kerkochian 9-13-73

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### CHIPS OF MASONRY

With mention of the metric system of measuring appearing more frequently, we may wonder how this will affect the symbolism of the twenty-four inch gauge. France, which uses the metric system in commerce, does not explain the tool in all its workings, but where it does so the English system is followed. Germany also uses the English system when moralizing on the 24 inch gauge. It is unlikely that we shall give up the 24 inch gauge even if the whole world goes metric.



## CALENDAR

- Oct. 11 Dark (Grand Lodge Communication)  
 Oct. 18 6:30 P.M.—Dinner with our Dates.  
 Reservations a must. Call Mary Perch at her new number — 486-2923.  
 7:30 Stated Meeting.  
 Oct. 24 7:00 P.M. Proficiency meeting for all three degrees.  
 Oct. 25 7:30 P.M. First degree  
 Nov. 1 7:30 P.M. Second degree  
 Nov. 8 7:30 P.M. Third degree (Past Master's Night) Reservations a must for all brethren who plan to attend this dinner and degree.  
 Call Mary Perch at 486-2923.

WATCH FRESNO BEE FOR ANY CHANGES.

### OFFICERS FOR 1973

Worshipful Master..... Philip Lawrence Lewis  
 Senior Warden..... John Craig Shaw  
 Junior Warden..... Green LeRoy Young  
 Treasurer..... Dale Franklin Orr  
 Secretary..... Norman Sanford Foley, P.M.  
 Chaplain..... Wallace Raymond Scott  
 Senior Deacon..... Dan Lester Ecklund  
 Junior Deacon..... John Robert Reynolds  
 Marshal..... Richard Frey  
 Senior Steward..... Paul Wyatt Ford  
 Junior Steward..... Bobby C. Bingham  
 Organist..... Paul Chandler Shelly  
 Tiler..... J. Harvey Wimer

### Jobs Daughters Meetings:

Bethel 49—2nd & 4 Tues. 7:30 p.m.  
 Bethel 197—2nd & 4th Sat. 10:00 a.m.  
 Bethel 243—1st & 3rd Tues. 7:30 p.m.  
 Las Palmas DeMolay—1st & 3rd Wed. 7:30 p.m.

### IN MEMORIAM

Brother J. Flint Hanner  
 passed to the celestial lodge above  
 on Sept. 17, 1973.