

FROM THE EAST



On the Square

Brethren:

***My brother let's go to Lodge tonight; you haven't been for years.
Let's don our Lambskin Apron white and sit among our peers.***

***I feel a kind of longing, see, to climb those creaky stairs;
I know it'll be a thrill for me to lay aside my cares.***

***We'll meet the Tyler at the door and though he'll hesitate,
We'll hear him say just as before, "Come in or you'll be late."***

***I'd like to get out on the floor—come on, let's get in line;
I want to face the East once more and give the same old sign.***

***I want to hear the gavel rap the Craftsmen to attention
And see the Master don his cap; a night without dissention.***

***So come! Pass up that picture show, or your wrestling bout or fight;
Switch off that TV set! Let's go! Let's go to Lodge tonight.***

The month of September is upon us. This is going to be a busy month for the lodge. We are hosting a California 3rd Degree for our brothers from Oakland Durant Rockridge Lodge No. 188 on Saturday, September 8th at 10:00am. They are also celebrating their 150th Year as a Chartered Lodge. Our Sesquicentennial will be the following Saturday, September 15th starting at 10:00am at the Mormon Station State Park. If there is one thing you attend this year, this is it. We need to have a large contention from our Lodge. A lot of blood, sweat, tears and finances have gone into getting our lodge into shape for this event. Don't let your brothers down!

At the end of the month we have the 99th Annual Genoa Candy Dance. If you haven't seen the official poster yet, our lodge is front and center. As always we will be flipping pancakes, grilling sausage and making scrambled eggs for the All You Can Eat Pancake Breakfast on Saturday and Sunday, September 29th and 30th. Please consider volunteering for one or both days, it's a lot of work for the few who show up. We will meet at the lodge at 0500 (5:00am aka. O'dark hundred). Brother Tim DeTurk has graciously offered his back yard for parking. He resides at 288 Foothill Meadows, Genoa.

I have to say I am so proud of the work our brothers have done for our lodge this year. It doesn't seem possible, but they made it work. That is what Freemasonry is all about, doing life together as a band of brothers. Doing together what we can't by ourselves. If you haven't experienced this awesome feeling for a while, come to lodge. You have no idea what you've been missing.

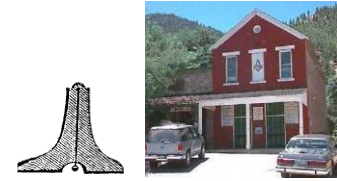
A message to our Past Masters – We Need You! We've got brothers coming up through the line that need your help and expertise. We need to serve as line coaches to each of our officers. Chose an officer and take them under your wing and teach them the ropes. We can't continue a legacy if it is not handed down from our Past Masters. Don't let these officers guess at what they need to do, take them by the hand and show them. We are our brother's keepers!

May we meet upon the level, act upon the plumb and part upon the square!

Fraternally,

Michael Chapton PM
Worshipful Master
Douglas Lodge # 12 F&AM

FROM THE WEST



On the Level

Brethren:

I want to thank the brethren for giving me the opportunity to serve officially as your Senior Warden. It is greatly appreciated.

Douglas 12 has seen great strides in the work of the lodge this year. Worshipful Mike has really gotten the lodge going into a positive direction and the officer's corps working hard to accomplish improvement as our duties as officers. This trend must continue. We seem to have a great team effort going in all directions from building improvements, high twelve and 150th. As older brothers see us serious about being true masons, they are coming back. We are working on next year's line so that if you honor my movement to the East, we will be ready.

Fraternally,
Sir Mark Jones
Senior Warden
Douglas Lodge # 12 F&AM

From the South



By the Plumb

Hope this finds everyone in good health as we all have gone through some rough days of dense smoky skies. August stated was another busy and productive evening, a bit warm but we made it through. Good to see Sir Mark Jones installed as SW. Please remember Bro. Blair Clark as he was elected to sit as SW but health issues have prevented him from attending lodge. Blair is still our brother, always will be, so-in-kind reach out to him

by phone or email. Hopefully down the road, health permitting, Blair will rejoin us in lodge and get back in the officers' line.

Brothers, Sept. will be a very busy month for all of us. On the 8th we will be hosting a California lodge as they do a MM degree starting at 10am. We need as many brothers to attend as possible. Sept. 15th will be our 150th rededication day, lodge opens at 10am. This will be a dark suit & tie or tuxedo day. We need everyone to help that day. Final preparations are underway. The wall plaque was delivered Friday, Aug. 10th and looks fantastic. Should be mounted on the N.E. corner just after Sept. 1st. Then we have Candy Dance last weekend of Sept. Always a good time for one and all as we serve breakfast Sat./Sun. starting at 6am. As you can imagine it takes all of us to step-up and lend a hand.

As always, brotherly love. Hope to see you in lodge.

Byron Morgan
Junior Warden

Douglas Lodge #12 F&AM

FROM THE SECRETARY



It is time that the annual returns are sent to Grand Lodge. In the last 2 years we have had a total decrease in membership of 4. As the lodge ages this trend will continue unless we initiate new members, if any brother has someone interested in becoming a mason please encourage them to become a member of Douglas 12.

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SCHEDULE

September 5th, Officer Meeting @ 7:00pm

September 8th Oakland Durant Visit

September 12, 2018 Stated Meeting

September 15, 2018 150th celebration.

Candy Dance Sept. 29-30

The meal for September 12, 2018 will be:

Meatloaf, mashed potatoes, veggies, salad, rolls,
ice cream & cookies

September Birthdays

Mike Chapton PM, Tim DeTurk, Tom Siegel

2018 OFFICERS

Mike Chapton PM (Teneale)	WORSHIPFUL MASTER (775) 392-3102
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Lawrence Rowe II	JUNIOR STEWARD (775) 671-2557
Sean Summers, PM (Jennifer)	MARSHALL (775) 215-1679
John Novak PM	HISTORIAN

John Wilson TYLER

Roger Cole, PM TRUSTEE (3 year)

Dayton Murdock PM TRUSTEE (2 year)

Tim De Turk TRUSTEE (1 year)

LIVING PAST MASTERS

Clarence Burr Jr.	1971, 1982, 1983
William J. Crowell	1977
Richard V. Ernst	1979
Richard Straw	1980
Lynn R. Baker	1990
Walter W. Kesteloot	1991, 1993, 2008
Robert A. Gunnoe	1992
Kent E. Mayer	2001, 2013
Jim Owens	2003
William J. Schilling	2007, 2010
Larry W. Darling, PGS	2009
Matthew D. Cottom	2011
David A. Severns	2012
Sean Summers	2014
Dayton Murdock	2015
Roger Cole	2016
Ian Murdock	2017

Past Masters by Affiliation

Trey R. Watts Pyramid 25	2012, 2013
Bill Earnhardt CV 33	2013
John E. Novak Skykomish 259	2013
Mike Chapton CV33	2016

High Twelve Club

High 12 (ROMEO) continues each Friday at #12. (open by 8:15, buffet lunch at 11). Stop by when you can even it's just to say "hello" and grab a cup of coffee & pastry. Lively conversation and food is *always* good.



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INTERNATIONAL ORDER OF THE
RAINBOW FOR GIRLS
CARSON ASSEMBLY #7

Ms. Madisson Jacobs
Worthy Advisor

It's almost Fall and we're back into the
routine of school.

September begins some of our yearly
events, which we hope to see you at!
(All events are at Carson Masonic Lodge
unless otherwise annotated.)

September 4th 6:30pm Pledge Meeting.

September 4th we're attending Ben
Franklin Assembly's Initiation Meeting,
Leave Carson Lodge at 6pm, Meeting
starts at 7pm, Kerak Shrine.

September 18th 6:30pm Pledge Meeting.

September 18th 7pm Elections & Farewell
Meeting.

September 22nd 1pm Installation of
Officers. Peckham Lodge.

September 29th & 30th Genoa Candy
Dance – Cotton Candy Sale Fundraiser

We look forward to seeing you soon!

Do you know any girl who would love to
make everlasting friendships, gain
leadership training, and give service to
their community? Let them know about our
small but mighty assembly! Rainbow love,
Worthy Advisor Madisson Jacobs

CARSON ASSEMBLY NO. 7 ADVISORY
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