

VALLEY OF SCRANTON

ANCIENT ACCEPTED SCOTTISH RITE OF FREEMASONRY



NOVEMBER 18, 19, 20, 2021

FALL 2021 REUNION

THE VLL. R. BRUCE HOPKINS, 33° MSA
CLASS

IN MEMORIAM

The Valley of Scranton mourns the loss of our Departed Brethren who have been called from their Labors by the Great Architect of the Universe since our Last Reunion. Let not their names be erased or our memories be dimmed as we recall their service to the Valley.

Edrick A. Adams, 32°
Walter C. Avery, 32° MSA
Ill. Benjamin A. Beynon, 33° MSA
Julius Brand, 32°
Charles W. Browning, 32°
Forrest C. Carr, 32°
Gerald B. Cobb, 32° MSA
Richard N. Colman, 32°
Maurice E. Day, 32°
E Harrison Edwards Jr., 32°
Jack R. Fries, 32°
Milo B. Gardner, 32°
Robert M. Guimento, 32°
Ill. Richard G. Hawk, 33°
Edward C. Hopkins, 32°
John J. Horan Jr., 32°
Bruce D. Howe, 32°
Robert W. Jacoby, 32°
David W. Johns, 32°
Ill. Thomas R. Joyce, 33°
Robert A. Kester, 32°
Edward H. Kiefer, 32° MSA
Robert F. Kirschner, 32°
Michael J. Kleha Jr., 32° MSA
Glenn R. Lee, 32°

Donald E. Leventhall, 32°
Thomas C. Lloyd, 32°
Donald H. Michel, 32°
Sidney C. Moyer, 32°
W Teddy Oakey, 32°
Mark S. Oswald, 32°
George P. Papadopoulos, 32°
Thomas J. Phillips, 32°
Leo J. Plocicki Jr., 32°
Joseph M. Ranner, 32°
Edward T. Reid, 32°
Donald R. Schaefer, 32°
Donald A. Schneider, 32°
Eugene R. Schultheis, 32°
Curtis C. Stone, 32°
Elson R. Stone, 32°
Francis D. Tyson, 32°
Edgar S. Watkins, 32°
James J. Westrack, 32° MSA
Charles W. Wieland, 32°
Paul T. Williams, 32°
Ill. Charles W. Wirth, 33°
Mitty Woytowich, 32°
Howard A. Yepson, 32°
Homer C. Young, 32°

INVITATION

TO ALL MEMBERS OF THE ANCIENT ACCEPTED SCOTTISH RITE OF FREEMASONRY

Greetings,

The Officers of the Bodies of the Ancient Accepted Scottish Rite of Freemasonry sitting in the Valley of Scranton, Pennsylvania, extend to all a very courteous and fraternal welcome and invite you to attend our Fall 2021 Reunion to be held in the Masonic Temple Scottish Rite Cathedral on:

**Thursday, Friday and Saturday
November 18, 19 & 20, 2021**

Fraternally,



Ill. Gregory E. Gagorik, 33°
Thrice Potent Master



William P. Hodson, 32°
Sovereign Prince



William L. Bookwalter, 32° CLD
Most Wise Master



Ill. Bernard S. Golubieweski, 33°MSA
Commander-In-Chief

FRATERNAL GREETING

To the Candidates of the Fall 2021 Class,

We are proud and happy to welcome you into our membership! You are about to begin your pilgrimage through the Scottish Rite and it may become to you one of the greatest and most inspiring experiences of your life. The lessons you will see portrayed, the good fellowship, the many new friends are all part of the experience we hope you will cherish in the years ahead.

As you embark on your journey of becoming a Sublime Prince of the Royal Secret by receiving the Thirty-second Degree. It is the hope and prayer of the Brethren that your experience be rich and significant.

To our Visitors and Guests,

A cordial welcome is extended as you honor us with your presence. If you are here for the first time, we invite and urge you to make yourself known to as many of our Officers and members possible, that we may strengthen our acquaintance.

To Our Members,

Your attendance at this Reunion is fraternally urged. We know your presence will inspire our degree personnel to put forth their best efforts. May we all, on this occasion, rededicate ourselves to the great lessons taught in the degrees of the Scottish Rite.

Sincerely and Fraternally,



III. Robert L. Stanley, 33° MSA
Director of Work

ALLEGIANCE

The Bodies of the Scottish Rite, sitting in the Valley of Scranton, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, acknowledge and yield allegiance to the Supreme Council, Thirty-third Degree, Ancient Accepted Scottish Rite of Freemasonry for the Northern Masonic Jurisdiction of the United States of America whose Grand East is in Lexington, Massachusetts, and whose Officers are:



Sovereign Grand Commander
III. Peter J. Samiec, 33°



Grand Lt. Commander
III. Mark C. Roth, 33°



Grand Minister of State
III. Richard W. Elliot, 33°



Grand Secretary General
III. Douglas R. Policastro, 33°



Grand Treasurer General
III. Walter F. Wheeler, 33°

SCOTTISH RITE
Northern Masonic Jurisdiction

COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA LEADERSHIP

Deputy for Pennsylvania



III. Robert J. Bateman, 33°

Pennsylvania Supreme Council Active Members



III. Stephen Gardner, 33°



III. Thomas R. Labagh, 33°



III. Keith E. Parkinson, 33°



III. Paul J. Roup, 33°

Deputy's Representative - Valley of Scranton



III. Paris D. Alunni, 33°

FALL 2021 REUNION CLASS HONOREE



III. Brother Robert Bruce Hopkins, 33° MSA

III. Brother R. Bruce Hopkins learned the value of hard work early in life while being raised on or near dairy and vegetable farms and most of the friends he grew up with lived on farms. His father was an Agriculture Teacher. Brother Hopkins began dating his wife, Sandra, a year after high school and have been married for fifty-seven years. In his mind she is still the beautiful, young, kind girl he married.

He graduated from Keystone Junior College with a degree in Education and graduated from Penn State University with a degree in Industrial Arts Education. While doing his student teaching, his father owned an automobile service station where Brother Hopkins worked evenings, weekends and summers. He would go on to teach at Blue Ridge High School for twenty-one years. In 1990, Brother Hopkins left teaching and went to work at automobile dealerships where he has done full time to this day.

Bruce and Sandra have two children, Bradley and Shelly. Bradley graduated from college with a Mechanical Engineering Degree. He and his wife Sharon built a house right next to them in South Abington. Shelly graduated from college with a degree in Nursing. Shelly and her husband Chris, gave Bruce and Sandra two wonderful grandchildren, Julianna who is now fourteen and Addison who is now ten. Shelly and her family also built a house next to them in South Abington.

Along his journey, Brother Hopkins worked for his uncle and cousin, both Masons, on their vegetable farms on evenings, weekends and summers. Vegetable farmers have time between growing seasons for Masonic Lodge meetings and activities. "They, at one time, asked me why I wasn't a Mason? I said, I would be glad to be one but had never been asked to join. They told me I had to ask, so I asked them and was given a petition."

Brother R. Bruce Hopkins was raised to the Sublime degree of a Master Mason on November 9, 1984 in Waverly Lodge No. 301. Brother Hopkins served as Worshipful Master in 1991 and as Treasurer for twenty years.

Brother Hopkins joined the Valley of Scranton and received his 32° on November 16, 1985 and is a past Thrice Potent Master and a past Sovereign Prince. Through his service to Scottish Rite Freemasonry, he was awarded with the Meritorious Service Award on July 24, 1999. Brother Hopkins was made an Honorary member of the Supreme Council, 33° on August 27, 2007. Brother Hopkins has served as the President of the Abington Consistory Club since 1992.

To Brother Hopkins, the best part of Freemasonry has been the fellowship, brotherhood and social interaction between brothers.

PAST REUNION CLASSES



- Fall 2019 - III. David A. Glattly, 33°, Sovereign Grand Cmndr Class
Spring 2018 - John P. Zickler, 32° MSA Class
Spring 2017 - III. Carl R. Sherman, 33° Class
Spring 2016 - III. Benjamin A. Beynon, 33° MSA Class
Spring 2015 - III. Raymond W. Unger, 33° Class
Spring 2014 - III. Christopher W. Edwards, 33° MSA Class
Spring 2013 - William D. Griffiths, 32° MSA CLD Class
Fall 2012 - John Memo, 32° MSA Class
Spring 2012 - III. Robert Hoffman, 33° MSA Class
Fall 2011 - III. Gerald H. Caldrono, 33° Class
Spring 2011 - III. Matthew F. Flynn, 33° Class
Fall 2010 - III. Louis J. Naro, 33° MSA Class
Fall 2009 - III. Louis J. Naro, 33° MSA Class
Spring 2009 - Sal Naro, 32° Class
Spring 2008 - Gary Shiner, 32° Class
Fall 2007 - III. Charles W. Wirth, 33° Class
Spring 2007 - III. George A. Stephens Jr. , 33° MSA CLD Class
Spring 2006 - III. Paris D. Alunni, 33° Class
Fall 2003 - III. Luke T. Scholfield, 33° MSA CLD Class
Spring 2003 - Patrick J. Connor, 32° MSA Class
Fall 2002 - III. Paul Lucas Jr., 33° Class
Spring 2002 - III. William Behrends, 33° Class
Fall 2001- III. Fred Kotula, 33° MSA Class
Spring 2001- III. Fred Kotula, 33° MSA Class

Fall 1999 - III. Robert Ralston, 33° Class
Spring 1999 - III. Robert Davenhall, 33° Class
Fall 1998 - III. Ben Lee, 33° Class
Spring 1998 - Ralph Hughes, 32° Class
Fall 1997 - R.W.G.M Edward Weiser Class
Spring 1997 - III. Charles L. Labar Jr., 33° MSA Class
Fall 1996 - III. Fredrick J. Dietrich Jr., 33° MSA Class
Spring 1996 - III. Donald Craig, 33° Class
Fall 1995 - R.W.G.M George Hohnenshidlt Class
Spring 1995 - Fred Fitch, 32° Class
Fall 1994 - III. Robert Rayner, 33° Class
Spring 1994 - III. Albert Morcom, 33° Class
Fall 1993 - Lawrence Pace, 32° Class
Spring 1993 - R.W.G.M Edward Fowler Class
Fall 1992 - Thomas Wright, 32° Class
Fall 1991 - III. Richard G. Hawk, 33° Class
Spring 1991 - III. Ernest J. Gazda Jr., 33° Class
Spring 1990 - R.W.G.M Scott Stoner Class
Fall 1979- III. Stanley F. Maxwell, 33° Class
Fall 1978 - Keystone Past Potentate Class
Spring 1978 - III. Fletcher C. Booker, Jr., 33° Class
Fall 1977 - III. Dwight H. Stonier, 33° Class
Spring 1977 - Ernest A. Baehler, 32° Class
Fall 1976 - Ernest H. Dove, 32° Class
Spring 1976 - Spirit of 76 Class
Spring 1975 - III. William Zacharellis, 33° Class
Fall 1974 - III. W. Orville Kimmel, 33° Class
Spring 1974 - III. John L. McCain, 33° Class
Fall 1973 - III. August C. Ullrich, 33° Class
Spring 1973 - Frank S. Barrett, 32° Class

SCOTTISH RITE ANNIVERSARIES

The Valley of Scranton congratulates Brethren who are celebrating a milestone in their years of service to the Ancient Accepted Scottish Rite of Freemasonry and the Valley of Scranton.



SEVENTY -70- YEARS

Sanford Cohen, 32°

Clayton J. Karambelas, 32°

SIXTY -60- YEARS

Lawrence Defazio, 32°

John Woytovich, Jr., 32°

Paul Dreater, 32°

Daniel R. Wise, 32°

Elvin C. Lascoe, 32°

Richard A. Zick, 32°

Michael Senio, 32°

FIFTY -50- YEARS

Algird A. Aukscunas, 32°

Robert C. Bolus, 32°

Thomas F. Chamberlain, 32°

Jeffrey R. Decker, 32°

Ill. Jack R. Frazier, Jr. 33° MSA

Robert S. Grebas, 32°

Kirk S. Hinkley, 32°

Walter R. Hunter, 32°

Ronald Prislupski, 32°

John D. Rowlands, 32°

Carl T. Sloat, 32°

Edward J. Stubbs, III, 32°

TWENTY-FIVE -25- YEARS

Homer L. Butler, 32°

William L. Bookwalter, 32° CLD

John J. Caprioli, 32°

Roy J. Carr, 32°

Frank A. Cerynik, 32°

Robert C. Clark, 32°

Charles W. Cobb, Jr. 32°

James E. Dadey, 32°

Eugene F. Emanuel, 32°

Richard P. Kozich, 32°

Michael R. Mazak, 32°

Francis McCarthy, 32°

Michael M. Murphy, 32°

Ill. Louis J. Naro, 33° MSA

Joseph W. Nichols, 32°

Richard S. Rosencrans, 32°

Stephen J. Seftchick, 32°

ANCIENT ACCEPTED SCOTTISH RITE

This Supreme Council of Sovereign Grand Inspectors General of the Thirty-third and last Degree of the Ancient Accepted Scottish Rite for the Northern Masonic Jurisdiction of the United States of America is the governing body of the Rite. It is founded upon and governed by the Regulations of 1792, the Constitution of 1786 as modified, and the unwritten principles and landmarks of Freemasonry.

The Supreme Council, by its Constitution, recognizes the exclusive jurisdiction of the Symbolic Grand Lodge of each State over the three symbolic degrees.

The Supreme Council of the Thirty-third Degree consists of not exceeding sixty-six active members; also of Emeritus, Past, Active and Honorary Members. Each State in the jurisdiction is entitled to at least two Active Members. The authority of the Supreme Council for the Northern Masonic Jurisdiction extends over the States of Maine, New Hampshire, Vermont, Massachusetts, Rhode Island, Connecticut, New York, New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Delaware, Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, Michigan and Wisconsin.

The Bodies working under the jurisdiction of the Supreme Council are styled Lodges of Perfection, Councils of Princes of Jerusalem, Chapters of Rose Croix of H.R.D.M. and Consistories of S.P.R.S.

A Deputy of the Supreme Council for each State, who must be a Sovereign Grand Inspector General of the Thirty-third Degree, represents the Supreme Council in his State, and performs the duties, supervision and inspection assigned to him by the Supreme Council or by the Sovereign Grand Commander.

A Council of Deliberation in each State possesses the legislative and judicial powers not reserved to the Supreme Council and not inconsistent with the Constitution and Regulations. It is composed of the active and honorary members of the Supreme Council resident in the State, Past Commanders-in-Chief of Consistories, the Past presiding officers of each Coordinate Body, the first three officers of the Consistories and Chapters of Rose Croix,

and the first four officers of Councils of Princes of Jerusalem and Lodges of Perfections. The Deputy of the State is the ex-officio Commander-in-Chief, in Pennsylvania; the Council of Deliberation meets annually.

HONORARY MEMBERS

A Sublime Prince of the Royal Secret, not less than thirty-three years of age, may be elected at an Annual Meeting of the Supreme Council, a Sovereign Grand Inspector General of the Thirty-third and Last Degree, Honorary Members of the Supreme Council. Such election shall be unanimous vote of the Active Members present taken by secret ballot.

ACTIVE MEMBERS

A Sovereign Grand Inspector General may be elected an Active Member of the Supreme Council by secret ballot of the Active Members at an Annual Meeting thereof. Each nomination for Active Membership shall be made in the Executive Session and shall be in writing signed by one or more Active Members of the Supreme Council. The election shall not take place until and Executive Session held on a subsequent day.

Three negative votes shall reject a nominee. Each Active Members so elected shall be a representative of the Supreme Council in the State of his residences at the time of the election, except as hereinafter otherwise provided, and shall assist the Deputy in the performance of his duties. Each State in the Jurisdiction shall be entitled to at least two Active Members. The Active membership of the Supreme Council shall consist of not more than sixty-six members.

EMERTI MEMBERS

Any Active Member whose Active Membership shall be vacated by resignation retirement, removal from the stated, or otherwise shall become thereby an Emeritus Member, provided, however, that an Active Member residing in a Metropolitan area at the time of election as Active Member and later moving into a suburb of such Metropolitan area in an adjacent State of the United States, shall not thereby lose his Active Membership.

DECLARATION OF PRINCIPLES



This Supreme Council reaffirms its unswerving loyalty to the fundamental purpose of Freemasonry, which purpose from time immemorial has been to improve and strengthen the character of the individual man, and through the individual, the character of the community, reinforcing those spiritual and moral values which gave the community its strength and stability.

This Supreme Council believes that this purpose is to be attained by laying a broad basis of principle upon which men of every race, country, sect, and opinion may unite.

Believing that good and true men can be trusted to act well and wisely, this Supreme Council considers it the duty of the Fraternity to impress upon its members the principles of personal righteousness and personal responsibility to enlighten them as to those things which make for human welfare, and to inspire them with that feeling of charity, or well-wishing toward all mankind which will move them to translate principle and conviction into action.

To that end Freemasonry requires of its members a belief in God and encourages faith in God's divine purposes and worship of God in conformity with the dictates of individual conscience. It stands for truth and justice, liberty and enlightenment, fraternity and philanthropy.

This Supreme Council expects of its members strict obedience to the laws of the land and respect for our country's flag.

Such principles unite men and encourage the pursuit by them individually and collectively of worthy endeavors and the attainment of the purposes inherent in them. In that unity human character achieves its highest unfolding and provides man's best hope for peace on earth and good will among men.

To the furtherance of these principles, all of our ritual is directed and all our efforts are aimed. To their furtherance each Master Mason has pledged himself, and at the portal of the Scottish Rite has renewed that pledge.

This Supreme Council discountenances and rejects any attempt by any international groups or confederations of Scottish Rite Supreme Councils to legislate for the individual Supreme Councils.

Recognizing that principles unite men, that programs sometimes divide them, and that preservation of unity of purpose and devotion to principle is essential to Freemasonry, the Supreme Council affirms its continued adherence to the ancient and approved rule of Freemasonry which forbids the discussion within tiled doors of creeds, politics, or other topics apt to excite personal animosities.

This Supreme Council further affirms its conviction that it is not only contrary to the fundamental principles of Freemasonry, but exceedingly dangerous to its unity strength, usefulness and welfare for Masonic Bodies in their official capacity to take formal action or attempt to exercise pressure or influence for or against any particular legislative project or proposal, or in any way attempt to procure the election or appointment of Government officials, whether executive, legislative, or judicial, or to influence them, whether or not members of the Fraternity, in the performance of their official duties.

CORE VALUES

REVERENCE FOR GOD

For Masons, belief in a higher power is a prerequisite for membership. But what does it mean to practice reverence for God daily? Of course, this can mean many things to many people, and the act of reverence can vary greatly by one's religion or personal spirituality.

However, with the daily challenges and stresses of life, it is easy to forget we are all one family in the eyes of the Supreme Being. Reminding ourselves of this allows us to slow down and truly honor and respect all of God's creations, big and small, every day.

INTEGRITY

What does your heart tell you in the small but important decisions we face every day? Integrity isn't simply being honest and having moral principles most of the time or just on the big things in life. It is an approach to living, and a lifelong journey. As Scottish Rite Masons we strive, with authenticity and humility, to develop our personal code of honor and of self as men and as Masons.

JUSTICE

It is said that justice is integrity's closest cousin. Personal justice involves one's own ethics and is often referred to as conscience. Striving to live a life of unwavering integrity allows us to clearly see what is fair and reasonable. Applying fairness without contingencies provides moral clarity, imbues empathy, and increases an internal sense of contentment.

TOLERATION

America was built on religious, political and social tolerance. Admittedly, it can be hard to be tolerant when faced with people that oppose our strongest, most steadfast beliefs. This is where Masons can make a huge

difference in society and in the lives of others. Rather than dismissing opposing beliefs and lifestyles, we can choose toleration as a moral virtue. Avoiding defensiveness opens our eyes and ears to differing points of view. It is a moral obligation that allows us to come away with a greater understanding of all people, and become better men ourselves.

DEVOTION TO COUNTRY

Masons are among the most patriotic citizens in the nation. But devotion to country goes further than pride in the flag. Devotion to country is standing up for the rights of our fellow Masons and our fellow citizens. It's having the courage to hold our leaders accountable to our founding fathers' ideals, no matter from which side of the aisle they come. As a Mason, you can help others from all walks of life share in the pride that comes from standing together as one.

SERVICE TO HUMANITY

Of all the Scottish Rite values, this may be the one that comes most naturally to Masons. By our very nature, we live to serve our brethren and our communities. Taking time to share, teach, mentor a new Mason, and lead by example are hugely valuable services you can provide to the world and to our Brotherhood each and every day. But with work, family and other commitments, it's not always easy to find the time. And that's ok. Service is more than a tally of volunteer hours.

As Masons, we are in service when we actively apply our values in our everyday lives. Living our truth in harmony with our values is, by extension, an enormous service to our families, our Brothers, and the world around us.

VALLEY OF SCRANTON OFFICERS - 2021-2022

KEYSTONE LODGE OF PERFECTION

Thrice Potent MasterIll. Gregory E. Gagorik, 33°
Deputy MasterMichael J. Graham, 32°
Senior WardenCharles E. Knapp, Jr., 32° CLD
Junior Warden.....Clyde E. Brown III, 32°

KEYSTONE COUNCIL PRINCES OF JERUSALEM

Sovereign PrinceWilliam P. Hodson, 32°
High PriestClinton A. Langford, 32°
Senior WardenJoseph D. Ziemba, 32°
Junior Warden.....James R. Stewart, 32°

KEYSTONE CHAPTER OF ROSE CROIX

Most Wise Master William L. Bookwalter, 32° CLD
Senior Warden Ill. M. Vincent Cruciani, 33° HGA CLD
Junior Warden.....Sean P. Gresh, 32°

KEYSTONE CONSISTORY

Commander in Chief..... Ill. Bernard S. Golubieweski, 33° MSA
First Lieutenant Commander..... Ill. Robert L. Stanley, 33° MSA
Second Lieutenant Commander..... Ill. W. Scott Muller, 33° MSA HGA
Valley Secretary Ill. Willard R. Ziesemer Jr, 33° MSA
Valley Treasurer Ill. Louis Naro, 33° MSA

TRUSTEES TO VALLEY OF SCRANTON

Ill. Paris D. Alunni, 33°Stephen Dreater, 32° MSA CLD
Raymond R. Pilch, 32° MSA..... Steven J. Sherman, 32° MSA
Ill. Luke T. Schofield, 33° MSA CLD

TRUSTEES TO MASONIC TEMPLE SCOTTISH RITE

CATHEDRAL ASSOCIATION

Ill. Paris D. Alunni, 33°Ill. John Cardoni, 33° MSA CLD
Ill. M. Vincent Cruciani, 33° HGA CLD Ill. W. Scott Muller, 33° MSA HGA
Raymond R. Pilch, 32° MSA.....Ill. Luke T. Schofield 33° MSA CLD
Steven J. Sherman, 32° MSA..... Ill. Robert L. Stanley, 33° MSA
Robert J. Walker, 32° MSA CLD Ill. Willard R. Ziesemer Jr., 33° MSA

FALL 2021 REUNION SCHEDULE

Monday, October 18, 2021

8:30PM - 11° Conferral – Shopland Hall

Thursday, November 18, 2021

6:00pm - Welcome Dinner – Ballroom

7:30pm - Opening of Lodge of Perfection – Main Stage
4° Conferral – Main Stage
14° Conferral – Shopland Hall

Friday, November 19, 2021

6:00pm - Dinner – Ball Room

7:00pm - Opening of Council Princes of Jerusalem – Main
15° Conferral – Main Stage
Opening of Chapter of Rose Croix - Gazda Hall
17° Video Presentation – Gazda Hall
18° Conferral - Snyder Hall

Saturday, November 20, 2021

8:00am - Video Degree Watch Party – Craftsman Hall

11:00am - Opening of Consistory – Main Stage
20° - Fiat Lux – Gazda Hall
20° - Master Ad Vitam – Snyder Hall
Class Picture – Gazda Hall

1:00pm - Lunch – Ballroom

2:30pm - 32° Conferral – Main Stage

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LODGE OF PERFECTION



Thrice Potent Master
Ill. Gregory E. Gagorik, 33°

KEYSTONE LODGE OF PERFECTION

Thrice Potent Master.....	Ill. Gregory E. Gagorik, 33°
Deputy Master.....	Michael J. Graham, 32°
Senior Warden.....	Charles E. Knapp, Jr., 32° CLD
Junior Warden.....	Clyde E. Brown III, 32°

DEGREES

The Degrees conferred by the Lodge of Perfection are known as the Ineffable Degrees. The degrees are intended to extend the lessons of the first three degrees in Symbolic Freemasonry. They convey the various attributes of God as they affect man and teach lessons in morality.

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| 4° – The Builder | 10° - Master Elect |
| 5° – Perfect Master | 11° - Sublime Master Elected |
| 6° - Master Brazen Serpent | 12° - Master of Mercy |
| 7° - Provost and Judge | 13° - Master of the Ninth Arch |
| 8° - Intendant of the Building | 14° - Grand Elect Mason |
| 9° - Master of the Temple | |

LODGE OF PERFECTION, 4° - 14°

11° SUBLIME MASTER ELECTED

The lesson of the Eleventh Degree is that the true and faithful brother sooner or later will receive his just reward. The Drama depicts an incident during the reign of King Solomon which condemns, in the strongest and most uncompromising manner, improprieties by those holding public office. It reminds us that public office is a public trust, and that public officials owe a special obligation to those whom they are chosen to serve.

MONDAY, OCTOBER 18, 2021

CAST OF CHARACTERS

Degree Master(s) – Ill. M. Vincent Cruciani, 33° HGA CLD
Ill. Gregory E. Gagorik, 33°

NadabClyde E. Brown, III,, 32°
King SolomonIll. George A. Stephens Jr.,33° MSA CLD
Ben AzariahJoseph D. Ziemba, 32°
Abijah William L. Bookwalter, 32° CLD
JoshuaDavid C. Peterson, 32°
AbinadabSean P. Gresh,, 32°
Jonathan Ill. M. Vincent Cruciani, 33° HGA CLD
ZibeonMatthew D. Mackie, III, 32° MSA
Hiram, King of Tyre Ill. W. Scott Muller, 33° MSA HGA
Adoniram Steven J. Sherman, 32° MSA
Samuel..... M. Scott Shepard, 32°
Jonas.....Clinton A. Langford, 32°
Uriah.....Michael J. Graham, 32°
ZebediahEric J. Fosse, 32°
Asa Donald R. Borowski, 32°
Prologist..... Christopher Remick, 32°

LODGE OF PERFECTION, 4° - 14°

4° THE BUILDER

Here begins the Scottish Rite adventure that leads to the Thirty-second degree, which is more a beginning than an end, only a milepost on a man's path of personal growth. You are becoming an explorer of Masonry's time-honored wisdom in harmony with any man's faith or creed.

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 18, 2021

CAST OF CHARACTERS

Degree Master – Ill. Gregory E. Gagorik, 33°

Hiram Ill. Gregory E. Gagorik, 33°

Prologist / Raham Ill. Robert L. Stanley, 33° MSA

Samuel..... Michael J. Graham, 32°

Joabert Joseph D. Ziemba, 32°

Shadrack Ill. George A. Stephens Jr., 33° MSA CLD

LODGE OF PERFECTION, 4° - 14°

14° GRAND ELECT MASON

The final and climactic lesson of the Lodge of Perfection is revealed, a belief in the one living and true God and a deep reverence for his Holy Name. It is a profoundly religious degree, not promoting a particular doctrine, but encouraging each of us to worship God at an altar of our individual choice. It is expressive of the deep spiritual roots of the Ancient Accepted Scottish Rite and of our constant endeavor to attain that perfection of character embodied in the concept of a loving Heavenly Father.

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 18, 2021

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Degree Master – Ill. Paris D. Alunni, 33°

Thrice Potent Master Ill. Gregory E. Gagorik, 33°

Deputy Master Ill. Robert L. Stanley, 33° MSA

Senior Warden M. Scott Sheppard, 32°

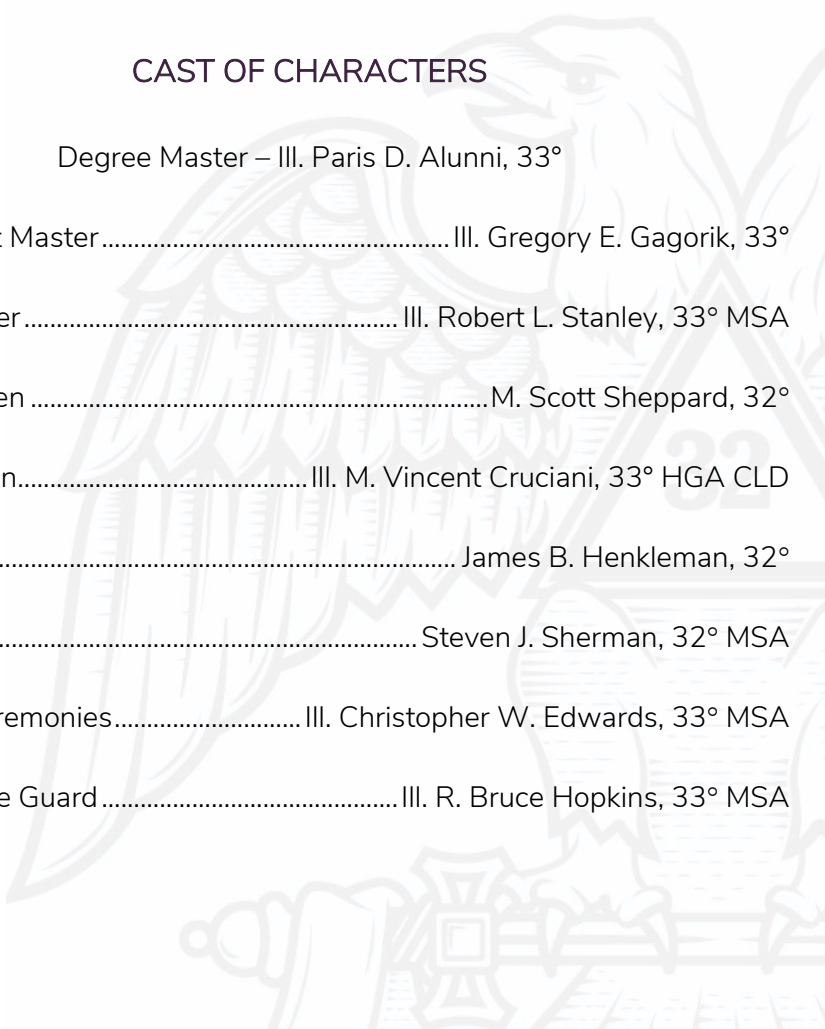
Junior Warden..... Ill. M. Vincent Cruciani, 33° HGA CLD

Orator..... James B. Henkleman, 32°

Moses..... Steven J. Sherman, 32° MSA

Master of Ceremonies..... Ill. Christopher W. Edwards, 33° MSA

Captain of the Guard Ill. R. Bruce Hopkins, 33° MSA





COUNCIL PRINGES OF JERUSALEM



Sovereign Prince
William P. Hodson, 32°

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DEGREES

The Degrees of the Council of Princes of Jerusalem are known as the Historical Degrees because they portray events connected with the closing period of the Babylonian captivity of Israel, the return of the exiles to Jerusalem, and the rebuilding of the Temple.

15° - Knight of the East
16° - Prince of Jerusalem

COUNCIL PRINCES OF JERUSALEM, 15° - 16°

15° KNIGHT OF THE EAST

In the year B.C. 586, by order of Nebuchadnezzar, King of Babylon, thousands of the more prominent Jews were deported from Palestine and settled in colonies in various parts of Babylonia. Cyrus the Great, who conquered Babylonia in B.C. 538 and founded the Persian Empire, issued a decree permitting the captive people to return to their homeland and to rebuild their shrines.

Inspired by such leaders as Zerubbabel, Ezra and Nehemiah, the travelers endured the hardships of the long journey, and joined with their loyal brethren in Jerusalem to rebuild the Holy City and the Temple of their God. The second Temple was completed and dedicated in B.C. 516.

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 19, 2021

CAST OF CHARACTERS

Degree Master – Ill. M. Vincent Cruciani, 33° HGA CLD

Cyrus Ill. W. Scott Muller, 33° MSA HGA

Zerubbabel Ill. M. Vincent Cruciani, 33° HGA CLD

Abazar Ill. George A. Stephens Jr., 33° MSA CLD

Daniel Clinton A. Langford, 32°

Sysina Eric S. Rishko, 32°

Zemira Eric J. Fosse, 32°

Prologist Ill. Gregory E. Gagorik, 33°



CHAPTER ROSE CROIX



Most Wise Master

William L. Bookwalter, 32° CLD

KEYSTONE CHAPTER OF ROSE CROIX

Most Wise Master William L. Bookwalter, 32° CLD
Senior Warden Ill. M. Vincent Cruciani, 33° HGA CLD
Junior Warden..... Sean P. Gresh, 32°

DEGREES

The Degrees of the Chapter of Knights of Rose Croix are known as the Philosophical Degrees as they do not use historical or biblical scenes to convey their lessons. The two degrees are designed to encourage a Scottish Rite Mason to examine his own life and find and apply the major truths outlined in the Bible.

17° - Knight of the East and West
18° - Knight of the Rose Croix of H.R.D.M.

CHAPTER ROSE CROIX OF H.R.D.M., 17° - 18°

18° KNIGHT OF THE ROSE CROIX OF H.R.D.M.

The Rose Croix Degree teaches that the new Temple is in the heart of man where God is worshiped in spirit and in truth. The new Law is a law of love which all men everywhere may understand and practice. The Word is found and the Sealed Book is opened. The Rose Croix Degree bears the impress of its deeply religious background.

It is not concerned with theological or ecclesiastical controversies. It is not dogmatic. It uses events from the life of Jesus of Nazareth to teach the lesson of this degree. It affirms the broad principles of universality and tolerance — principles which were confirmed by the Nazarene as He taught both Jew and Gentile that they were children of the same Heavenly Father.

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 19, 2021

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Degree Master – Ill. Gregory E. Gagorik, 33°

Most Wise Master Ill. Gregory E. Gagorik, 33°

Master of Ceremonies William P. Hodson, 32°

Orator James B. Henkleman, 32°

Senior Warden Ill. Christopher W. Edwards, 33° MSA

Junior Warden Ill. W. Scott Muller, 33° MSA HGA

Captain of the Guard William L. Bookwalter, 32° CLD

Scripture Readings Ill. M. Vincent Cruciani, 33° HGA CLD



CONSISTORY S.P.R.S.



Commander-in-Chief

Ill. Bernard S. Golubieweski, 33° MSA

KEYSTONE CONSISTORY

Commander in Chief..... Ill. Bernard S. Golubieweski, 33° MSA
 First Lieutenant..... Ill. Robert L. Stanley, 33° MSA
 Second Lieutenant Ill. W. Scott Muller, 33° MSA HGA
 Valley Secretary Ill. Willard R. Ziesemer Jr, 33° MSA
 Valley Treasurer Ill. Louis Naro, 33° MSA

DEGREES

The Degrees conferred in the Consistory are known as the Traditional degrees and the Chivalric degrees. The Traditional degrees are those from the 19° to 29°. The Chivalric degrees are the 30° to the 32°. These degrees are allegorical, historical, and ceremonial in nature. They include many Freemasons and prominent people from history in dramas intended to teach further moral and social lesson to the Scottish Rite Freemason.

19° - Brothers of the Trail
 20° - Master Ad Vitam
 21° - Patriarch Noachite
 22° - Prince of Libanus
 23° - Knight of Valor
 24° - Brother of the Forest
 25° - Master of Achievement

26° - Friend and Brother Eternal
 27° - Knight of Jerusalem
 28° - Knight of the Sun
 29° - Knight of St. Andrew
 30° - Grand Inspector
 31° - My Brother's Keeper
 32° - Sublime Prince of the Royal Secret

CONSISTORY S.P.R.S., 19° - 32°

20° FIAT LUX

This degree is called “Master Ad Vitam”, or Master for Life. It is intended to teach that he would govern and direct his Brethren, needs mastery of the principles of Freemasonry as well as experience in the chairs and election by his Brethren.

The true master is thoroughly vested in these matters and can never be deprived of the knowledge thus obtained. The first section of the twentieth degree sets forth the great fundamentals of Freemasonry.

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 20, 2021

CAST OF CHARACTERS

Degree Master – Ill. Paris D. Alunni, 33°

Worshipful Master Ill. Paris D. Alunni, 33°
Senior Warden Ill. Paul A. Lucas, Jr., 33°
Junior Warden..... Ill. Robert A. DiPalma, 33°
Secretary..... Ill. Willard R. Ziesemer, 33° MSA
Treasurer Ill. Louis. J. Naro, 33° MSA
Senior Deacon Ill. Bernard S. Golubiewski, 33° MSA
Junior Deacon..... Ill. John E. Woodling, 33° MSA
Orator..... Ill. Christopher W. Edwards, 33° MSA
Hospitaler Ill. Luke T. Scholfield, 33° MSA CLD
Prologist..... Ill. Raymond W. Unger, 33°

CONSISTORY S.P.R.S., 19° - 32°

20° MASTER AD VITAM

"The George Washington Degree"

This degree is a drama of the American spirit confronting the challenge of disloyalty and treason. Masonic principles and leadership are subjected to a crucial test. The degree demonstrates the Masonic condemnation of all who conspire against the security of a nation and the happiness of the people.

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George Washington..... Ill. Robert L. Stanley, 33° MSA
Benedict Arnold Ill. Gregory E. Gagorik, 33°
Cranston Joseph D. Ziemba, 32°
Putnam..... Ill. M. Vincent Cruciani, 33° HGA CLD
Lafayette..... William D. Seaman, 32° MSA
Belltower Ill. George A. Stephens Jr., 33° MSA CLD
Knox Clyde E. Brown, Ill., 32°
Gerry..... Ill. Bernard S. Golubieweski, 33° MSA
Mercer..... Steven J. Sherman, 32° MSA
Worshipful Master Steven J. Sherman, 32° MSA
Gist..... Ill. Christopher W. Edwards, 33° MSA
Sullivan..... Matthew D. Mackie, Ill., 32° MSA
Rudolph..... Ill. R. Bruce Hopkins, 33° MSA
Crisp William L. Bookwalter, 32° CLD

CONSISTORY S.P.R.S., 19° - 32°

32° SUBLIME PRINCE OF THE ROYAL SECRET

Man has the Royal Secret. It is the eternal gift of God—LOVE. It cannot be imparted to mortal men by others. It was incarnate when the Father breathed into his nostrils the breath of life, and man became a living soul. Cherish this love as a divine attribute, a precious birthright, a witness that all men are, indeed, the sons of God.

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Florio..... Eric S. Rishko, 32°
Bishop..... Ill. Robert L. Stanley, 33° MSA
Knight Kadosh Lance J. Stange, Jr., 32°
Knight Lodge of Perfection Micah Woodard, 32°
Knight Rose Croix..... Donald R. Borowski, 32°
Knight Prince of Jerusalem Michael J. Graham, 32°
Herald Shaun T. Korus, 32°



THIRTY-THIRD DEGREE

Sovereign Grand Inspector General

Sublime Princes of the Royal Secret of the Thirty-second Degree, not less than thirty-three years of age, at an Annual Session of the Supreme Council, may be elected Sovereign Grand Inspectors General of the Thirty-third and Last Degree, Honorary Members of the Supreme Council.

This honor is conferred because of "outstanding service to the Fraternity or for service to humanity which reflects credit upon the Order.

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MERITORIOUS SERVICE AWARD (MSA)

The Supreme Council Constitutions provide that the Award for Meritorious Service may be conferred upon members of the Rite who by reason of meritorious services of a Masonic character are worthy of such recognition. All selections are made upon the recommendation of the presiding officers of the coordinate bodies to the Council of Deliberations.

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III. Jack R. Frazer Jr., 33° MSA	III. Robert L. Stanley, 33° MSA
III. Bernard S. Golubiewski, 33° MSA	III. George A. Stephens Jr.,33°MSA CLD
William D. Griffiths, 32° MSA CLD	III. David B. Sykes, 33° MSA
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Matthew D. Mackie, III, 32° MSA	III. Willard R. Ziesemer Jr.,33°MSA
III. W. Scott Muller, 33° MSA HGA	Arthur C. Zimmerman, 32° MSA

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Gerald B. Cobb, 32° MSA

Ill. Donald E Craig, 33° MSA

Michael Cucura, 32° MSA CLD

Ill. Robert M. Davenhall, 33°, MSA

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Lester M. Dyson, 32°, MSA

Isaac J. Evans, 32° MSA CLD

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Ralph Hughes, 32°, MSA

William Hughes, 32°, MSA

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Clyde L. Mack, 32°, MSA

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John R. Rowe, 32°, MSA

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George J. Weinberg, 32° MSA

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CITATION FOR LOYALTY AND DEDICATION (CLD)

The Valley of Scranton recognizes members who demonstrate Loyalty and Dedication to the Scottish Rite in general and the Valley of Scranton in particular through extraordinary service.

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Ill. John Cardoni, 33° MSA CLD

Ill. M. Vincent Cruciani, 33° HGA CLD

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Stephen Dreater, 32° MSA CLD

William D. Griffiths, 32° MSA CLD

David J. Hastie, 32° CLD

Charles E. Knapp, Jr., 32° CLD

Ill. Luke T. Scholfield, 33° MSA CLD

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Carl I. Bauer, 32° CLD

Benjamin Cadugan, 32° CLD

Joseph Chepan, 32° CLD

Michael Cucura, 32° MSA CLD

Frederick A. Ehrhardt, 32° CLD

William Emick, 32° CLD

Joseph I. Epstein, 32° CLD

Isaac J. Evans, 32° MSA CLD

James Ferrario, 32° CLD

Fred F. Fitch, 32° MSA CLD

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Albert Kessler, 32° CLD

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Lewis A. Lewis, 32° CLD

Earl S. McKelvey, 32° CLD

John Memo, 32° CLD

Frank E. Miller, 32°, MSA CLD

George Mozurkewich, 32° MSA CLD

James R. Mulherin, Sr., 32° CLD

Sal Naro, 32° CLD

George J. Rosenberg, 32° CLD

Ralph F. Schauer, 32° CLD

John W. Schild, 32° CLD

Gary Shiner, 32° CLD

Leonard Smallacombe, 32° CLD

Walter G. Vogelsinger, 32° CLD

Donald S. Waters, 32° CLD

Benjamin H. Weber, 32° CLD

Howard G. Wormuth, 32°, MSA CLD

Thomas Wright, 32° MSA CLD

HAUTES GRADES ACADEMIC (HGA)



HGA is a program designed to promote the education, knowledge, and engagement of members in the Scottish Rite, NMJ. The Scottish Rite was known as the Hauts Grades in its early beginnings.

The program is made up of three exciting levels:

Level One: The candidate will delve into the ritual of all twenty-nine Scottish Rite, NMJ degrees

Level Two: The essay portion of the curriculum will allow for self-reflection and review of Scottish Rite degrees selected personally by the candidate.

Level Three: A written research paper on a topic of the candidate's choice, which will be pre-approved and reviewed by the HGA committee. Research topics can vary between history, ritual, and the philosophy of the Scottish Rite.

At full completion, the graduate will earn the honor of becoming a Scottish Rite Hauts Grades Academic, and will be entitled to include the letters HGA after his name. A certificate and HGA jewel will also be awarded upon completion, but an enriching educational experience is the overall goal.



VALLEY OF SCRANTON

HAUTES GRADES ACADEMIC (HGA) GRADUATES

III. M. Vincent Cruciani, 33° HGA CLD

III. W. Scott Muller, 33° MSA HGA



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2016 Donald A. Royce, 32°	1991 Ill. George A. Stephens Jr., 33° MSA CLD
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2014 Matthew Mackie, 32° MSA	1989 Leslie J. Loomis, 32°
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2012 Ill. Bernard S. Golubiewski, 33° MSA	1987 Ill. Charles J. LaBar Jr., 33°
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2010 Michael P. Hughes, 32°	1985 Ill. Jack R. Frazer Jr., 33° MSA
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2008 Ill. R. Bruce Hopkins, 33° MSA	1983 Ill. Walter W. Rodgers, 33°
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2006 Steven J. Sherman, 32° MSA	1981 Ill. William R. Butts, 33°
2005 John P. Zickler, 32° MSA	1980 Fred B. Baker, 32°
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1966 Ill. Elwood Francis Doll, 33°
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1961 Ill. Ernest Hauser Staples, 33°
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1951 Arthur G. Doehler, 32°
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2016 Will Palumbo, 32°	1991 Stephen Dreater, 32° MSA CLD
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2000 Arther McLaughlin, 32°	1975 Gail B. Young, 32°
1999 Dieter Dauber, 32°	1974 Ill. Melville Irving Davis, 33°
1998 Gerald J. Davis, 32°	1973 Chester W. Davey, 32°
1997 Fred B. Baker, 32°	1972 Ill. Harold A. Smaltz, 33°
1996 W. Meredith Golden II , 32° MSA	1971 Ill. Donald E Craig, 33° MSA



1970 Alvin H. Snyder, 32°
1969 Ill. Harold A. Smaltz, 33°
1968 Frank J. Stanley, 32°
1967 Willard L. Remsley, 32°
1966 Gustav H. Stangline, 32°
1965 Ill. Robert F. Rendle, 33°
1964 Ill. David Andrew Howarth, 33°
1963 Donald S. Waters, 32°
1962 Ill. LaMont Barrowcliff, 33°
1961 George Plowright, 32°
1960 Charles M. Petty, 32°
1959 Anthony J. Lallo, 32°
1958 Mark L. Raymond, 32°
1957 Harold B. Parry, 32°
1956 Walter H. Gorham, 32°
1955 Donald L. Eilenberger, 32°
1954 Frederick W. Lindner, 32°
1953 Clyde L. Mack, 32°
1951 Frank S. Barrett, 32°
1950 Algert D. Gilbert, 32°
1942 William S. Davis, 32°
1937 Ill. Wilfred J. Harris, 33°
1934 Frederick G. Farnham, 32°
1933 Albert L. Stull, 32°
1932 George J. Saar, 32°
1931 Joseph F. Kern, 32°
1930 Everett T. Jones, 32°
1921 Alexander P. Clark, 32°
1905 Haydn T. Evans, 32°
1904 Ill. Vincent B. Sheeder, 33°
1903 Samuel H. Voorhes, 32°
1902 Franklin J. Collins, 32°
1901 Ill. Arthur Widdowfield, 33°
1900 Ill. Edward N. Truesdell, 33°
1899 Jacob Helmer, 32°
1898 Ill. Harrison W. Reichard, 33°
1897 Harry George Merrill, 32°
1896 Alvin E. Deal, 32°
1895 Simon Lauer, 32°
1894 Thomas F. Penman, 32°
1893 Fred S. Godfrey, 32°
1892 Richard B. Brockway, 32°
1891 Theodore Von Storch, 32°
1890 Ill. John B. Law, Jr., 33°



KEYSTONE CHAPTER ROSE CROIX PAST MOST WISE MASTERS

2020 Charles E. Knapp, Jr., 32° CLD	1995 Ill. Matthew W. Flynn, 33°
2019 Ill. W. Scott Muller, 33° MSA HGA	1994 Ill. Donald W. Jenkins, 33° MSA
2018 Ill. W. Scott Muller, 33° MSA HGA	1993 Ill. Paris D. Alunni, 33°
2017 Brian Petula, 32°	1992 Ill. Paris D. Alunni, 33°
2016 Brian Petula, 32°	1991 Bruce F. Harbaugh, 32°
2015 Ill. John Cardoni, 33° MSA CLD	1990 Fred F. Fitch, 32°
2014 Ill. John Cardoni, 33° MSA CLD	1989 Ill. Jack R. Frazer Jr., 33° MSA
2013 Gerald B. Cobb, 32°	1988 Ill. Jack R. Frazer Jr., 33° MSA
2012 Ill. John Cardoni, 33° MSA CLD	1987 Ralph Hughes, 32° MSA
2011 Matthew D. Mackie, 32° MSA	1986 William D. Griffiths, 32° MSA CLD
2010 Matthew D. Mackie, 32° MSA	1985 Bryan J. Balavage, 32°
2009 Ill. Bernard S. Golubiewski, 33° MSA	1983 Hayden D. Griffiths, 32°
2008 Ill. Bernard S. Golubiewski, 33° MSA	1982 Howard G. Wormuth, 32°
2007 Ill. David B. Sykes, 33° MSA	1981 Frank L. Beppler, 32° MSA
2006 Robert J. Walker, 32° MSA CLD	1980 Ill. Chester E. Briggs, 33°
2005 Ill. Benjamin A. Beynon, 33° MSA	1979 Ill. George Paolucci, 33°
2004 John A. Deprimo, 32° MSA CLD	1978 Warren R. Hartman, 32°
2003 Ill. Gordon M. Conniff, 33°	1977 Ill. Richard G. Hawk, 33°
2002 Raymond P. Pilch, 32°	1976 Ill. Richard F. Fanning, 33°
2001 Michael Cucura, 32°,	1975 Emrys Jones, 32°
2000 Ill. Christopher W. Edwards, 33° MSA	1974 Ill. Ernest J. Gazda Jr., 33°
1999 Ill. Matthew W. Flynn, 33°	1973 Walter C. Bronson, 32°
1998 Eric L. Frantz, 32°	1972 Ill. Phillip Henry Locker, 33°
1997 Patrick J. Conners, 32° MSA	1971 N. Douglas Robert, 32°
1996 Ill. George A. Stephens Jr., 33° MSA CLD	1970 Richard A. Hoffman, 32°

1969 III. Harold William Owens, 33°
1968 III. Gerald H. Calderone, 33°
1967 Elmer P. Chase, Jr. 32°
1966 Milton F. Major, 32°
1965 Boyd C. Love, 32°
1964 III. Robert M. Davenhall, 33° MSA
1963 III. Dwight H. Stonier, 33°
1962 III. William Zacharellis, 33°
1961 Philip D. Snyder, 32°
1960 E. Harrision Edwards, 32°
1959 H. Harrison Edwards Jr., 32°
1958 III. Stanley George Jenkins, 33°
1957 Richard A. Garman, 32°
1956 Roy B. Grimes, 32°
1955 J. Thomas Wright, 32°
1954 Leonard Smallacombe, 32°
1953 III. Perry Griffith Fuller, 33°
1951 III. David E. Samuel, 33° MSA
1950 Walter L. Hartz, 32°
1941 Harry E. Richards, 32°
1934 Andrew M. Brown, 32°
1933 David A. Cotner, 32°
1932 III. Vincent B. Sheeder, 33°
1931 Evan C. Jones, 32°
1930 III. Shelby D. Dimmick, 33°
1921 III. Harold N. Rust, 33°
1905 III. Harrison W. Reichard, 33°
1904 III. Harrison W. Reichard, 33°
1903 III. Harrison W. Reichard, 33°
1902 III. Harrison W. Reichard, 33°
1901 Norman I. Howard, 32°
1900 David R. James, 32°
1899 III. Henry T. Koehler, 33°
1898 III. Edward N. Truesdell, 33°
1897 William I. Hixson, 32°
1896 Jacob Helmer, 32°
1895 Gideon Y. Shadle, 32°
1894 James Loir, 32°
1893 III. William Maylin, 33°
1892 Richard B. Brockway, 32°
1891 III. Henry N. Dunnell, 33°
1890 Richard B. Brockway, 32°



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KEYSTONE CONSISTORY

PAST COMMANDER-IN-CHIEFS

2020	III. Bernard S. Golubewski, 33°	1994	III. Paul Lucas Jr. , 33°
2019	Michael P. Hughes, 32° MSA	1993	III. Donald E Craig, 33° MSA
2018	Michael P. Hughes, 32° MSA	1992	III. Donald E Craig, 33° MSA
2017	Robert J. Walker, 32° MSA CLD	1991	III. Albert T. Morcom, 33°
2016	Robert J. Walker, 32° MSA CLD	1990	III. Albert T. Morcom, 33°
2015	III. Louis J. Naro, 33° MSA	1989	III. William R. Butts, 33°
2014	III. Louis J. Naro, 33° MSA	1988	III. William R. Butts, 33°
2013	III. David B. Sykes, 33° MSA	1987	III. Richard G. Hawk, 33°
2012	III. David B. Sykes, 33° MSA	1986	III. Richard G. Hawk, 33°
2011	III. Benjamin A. Beynon, 33° MSA	1985	III. Ernest J. Gazda Jr., 33°
2010	III. Benjamin A. Beynon, 33° MSA	1984	III. Ernest J. Gazda Jr., 33°
2009	Michael E. Cucura, 32°	1983	III. Phillip Henry Locker, 33°
2008	Michael E. Cucura, 32°	1982	III. Phillip Henry Locker, 33°
2007	III. Christopher W. Edwards, 33° MSA	1981	III. Charles Watson Avery, 33°
2006	III. Christopher W. Edwards, 33° MSA	1980	III. Charles Watson Avery, 33°
2005	III. Matthew W. Flynn, 33°	1979	III. Harold William Owens, 33°
2004	III. Matthew W. Flynn, 33°	1978	III. Harold William Owens, 33°
2003	III. George A. Stephens Jr., 33° MSA CLD	1977	III. Wilfred E. Oakey, 33° MSA
2002	III. George A. Stephens Jr., 33° MSA CLD	1976	III. Wilfred E. Oakey, 33° MSA
2001	III. Donald W. Jenkins, 33° MSA	1975	III. Fletcher C. Booker, Jr. 33°
2000	III. Donald W. Jenkins, 33° MSA	1974	III. Fletcher C. Booker, Jr. 33°
1999	III. Paris D. Alunni, 33°	1973	III. Stanley George Jenkins, 33°
1998	III. Paris D. Alunni, 33°	1972	III. Stanley George Jenkins, 33°
1997	III. Frederick J. Dietrich, Jr., 33°	1971	III. William B. Cooper, 33°
1996	III. Frederick J. Dietrich, Jr., 33°	1970	III. William B. Cooper, 33°
1995	III. Paul Lucas Jr. , 33°	1969	III. John R. Lesoine, 33°

1968	III. John R. Lesoine, 33°	1938	III. Charles H. Tilton, 33°
1967	III. John R. Lesoine, 33°	1937	III. Charles H. Tilton, 33°
1966	III. Thomas H. Jones, 33°	1936	III. Charles H. Tilton, 33°
1965	III. Thomas H. Jones, 33°	1935	III. Charles H. Tilton, 33°
1964	III. Thomas H. Jones, 33°	1934	III. Charles H. Tilton, 33°
1963	III. Ernest J. Gazda, Sr, 33°	1933	III. Charles H. Tilton, 33°
1962	III. Ernest J. Gazda, Sr, 33°	1932	III. Harold N. Rust, 33°
1961	III. Ernest J. Gazda, Sr, 33°	1931	III. Harold N. Rust, 33°
1960	III. Cecil F. Reeser, 33°	1930	III. Arthur Widdowfield, 33°
1959	III. Cecil F. Reeser, 33°	1929	III. Arthur Widdowfield, 33°
1958	III. Cecil F. Reeser, 33°	1928	III. Arthur Widdowfield, 33°
1957	III. Wilfred J. Harris, 33°	1927	III. Arthur Widdowfield, 33°
1956	III. Edwin E. Connell, 33°	1926	III. Arthur Widdowfield, 33°
1955	III. Edwin E. Connell, 33°	1905-25	III. David J. Davis, 33°
1954	III. Edwin E. Connell, 33°	1904	III. Joseph F. Baumeister, 33°
1953	III. Edwin E. Connell, 33°	1903	III. Joseph F. Baumeister, 33°
1952	J. Elwood Nesky, 32°	1902	III. Joseph F. Baumeister, 33°
1951	Henry O. Swingle, 32°	1901	Andrew Strang, 32°
1950	Henry O. Swingle, 32°	1900	Andrew Strang, 32°
1949	Henry O. Swingle, 32°	1899	Andrew Strang, 32°
1948	Macdonald Heebner, 32°	1898	III. William Maylin, 33°
1947	Macdonald Heebner, 32°	1897	III. William Maylin, 33°
1946	III. Owen E. Williams, 33°	1896	III. William Maylin, 33°
1945	III. Thomas E. Evans, 33°	1895	Richard B. Brockway, 32°
1944	III. Thomas E. Evans, 33°	1894	Richard B. Brockway, 32°
1943	III. Thomas E. Evans, 33°	1893	Richard B. Brockway, 32°
1942	III. David J. Davis, 33°	1892	III. William Maylin, 33°
1941	III. David J. Davis, 33°	1891	Fred S. Godfrey, 32°
1940	III. Charles H. Tilton, 33°	1890	III. Henry N. Dunnell, 33°
1939	III. Charles H. Tilton, 33°		

BEHIND THE SCENES

KITCHEN CREW

- Daniel Jay Barrett, 32°
Constantine T. Georgiades, 32°
Michael P. Hughes, 32° MSA
Dan Lugo, 32°
Ill. Louis J. Naro, 33° MSA
Ill. Luke T. Scholfield, 33° MSA CLD

MARSHALLS

- Ill. John E. Woodling, 33° MSA
Ill. Willard R. Ziesemer, Jr., 33° MSA

ROBING & COSTUMES

- Ill. David B. Sykes, 33° MSA
Robert J. Walker, 32° MSA CLD

STAGE CREW

- Daniel Jay Barrett, 32°
Ill. John Cardoni, 33° MSA CLD
Ill. Christopher W. Edwards, 33° MSA
Francis C. McMullen, 32°
James R. Stewart, 32°
Robert J. Walker, 32° MSA CLD

SET DESIGN

- Ill. John Cardoni, 33° MSA CLD
Francis C. McMullen, 32°
Ill. Robert L. Stanley, 33° MSA

2021-2022 COMMITTEE'S

BY-LAWS COMMITTEE

- III. Bernard S. Golubiewski, 33° MSA
- III.. W. Scott Muller, 33° MSA HGA

COMMUNICATIONS COMMITTEE

- Charles E. Knapp, Jr., 32° CLD
- III. Gregory E. Gagorik, 33°

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

- William L. Bookwalter, 32° CLD
- III. M. Vincent Cruciani, 33° HGA CLD
 - III. Gregory E. Gagorik, 33°
- III. Bernard Golubieweski, 33° MSA
 - Michael J. Graham, 32°
 - William P. Hodson, 32°
 - Clinton A. Langford, 32°
- III. W. Scott Muller, 33° MSA HGA
 - III. Louis Naro, 33° MSA
- III. Robert L. Stanley, 33° MSA
- III. Willard R. Ziesemer Jr, 33° MSA

FINANCE COMMITTEE

- III. Louis J. Naro, 33° MSA

PLANNING COMMITTEE

- III. Luke T. Scholfield, 33° MSA CLD
- III. Louis J. Naro, 33° MSA

MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE

- III. M. Vincent Cruciani, 33° HGA CLD
- III. W. Scott Muller, 33° MSA HGA
- III. Luke T. Scholfield, 33° MSA CLD

OATH OF FEALTY

Before receiving the degrees of the Scottish Rite, every candidate must sign the Oath of Fealty:

"I, the undersigned, do hereby promise on my word of honor, and swear true faith, allegiance, and fealty to the Supreme Council of Sovereign Grand Inspectors General of the Thirty-third and Last Degree of the Ancient Accepted Scottish Rite of Freemasonry for the Northern Masonic Jurisdiction of the United States of America, sitting at its Grand East in the Town of Lexington, Massachusetts, of which the Illustrious Peter J. Samiec, 33° is Sovereign Grand Commander, and will support and abide by its Constitutions Orders, and Decrees.

"That I will hold allegiance to the said Supreme Council and be loyal thereto, as the supreme authority of the Rite; will hold illegal and spurious every other Body that may be established within its jurisdiction, claiming to be a Supreme Council, and every other jurisdiction that does not hold its powers from said Supreme Council, and will hold no communication whatever in Scottish Rite Masonry with any member of the same nor allow him to visit any Body of the Rite of which I may be a member; and I will dispense justice to my brethren according to the laws of equity and honor.

"And should I violate this, my solemn vow and pledge, I consent to be expelled from Scottish Rite Masonry, and all rights therein and in any Body of the Rite, and to be denounced to every Body of the Ancient Accepted Scottish Rite in the world as a traitor and forsworn.

"And may God aid me to keep and perform the same. Amen."

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OUR VISION

We will strive to be a Fraternity that fulfills our Masonic Obligation to care for our members.

OUR MISSION

Inspire our members by emphasizing our core values: Reverence to God, Devotion to Country, Integrity, Justice, Toleration and Service. Ensure that activities are convenient. Provide enjoyable programs and fraternal fellowship.

