



# *THE SCOTTISH RITE NEWS*

## VALLEY OF LYNCHBURG, ORIENT OF VIRGINIA

DEVOTED TO THE SCOTTISH RITE

OF FREEMASONRY

Tuesday, March 23rd, 2021

Lynchburg Masonic Temple - 214 Lemon Drive, Lynchburg, VA 24502

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### **Announcement**

**THERE WILL BE NO STATED MEETING ON MARCH 23RD AT 7:30.**

### **From The Venerable Master**

Hope this is finding you and your family doing well and being safe. I myself have been missed seeing and fellowshiping with you all. I love the camaraderie with my Brothers and Sisters. I personally feel that the Valley of Lynchburg Scottish Rite is an awesome group to be part of and I feel very blessed that you all have allowed and ole country boy from Buckingham to be a part of your Lynchburg Valley!!!

I know that a lot of you are wanting to get together and start back to having our meetings, but due to the age of a lot of our Brothers and Sisters and their health safety and also the restrictions of our state guidelines to where we are not allowed to have but a certain number of people in a room, I'm going to hold off until April 27th, 2021 Lords will to have our next meeting. Hopefully things will be looking better at that time. I wouldn't ever want to have to turn any Brother away or take a chance on jeopardizing their health or safety!!! Please keep all our Brothers and Sisters in your thoughts and prayers, especially those of the loss of friends and loved ones!!!

May God Richly Bless Each and Every One!

Fraternally Yours,

**Dale C. Senger, 32°**

### **From The Personal Representative to the S.G.I.G**

I was saddened to hear that Lawrence P. Mann, 32° passed away in February, 2021. Wor. Mann was an active member of Forest Lodge and our Valley. Our condolences go out to the Mann family.

It looks as though the pandemic is still causing disruption in all phases of our lives. I am looking forward to this mess being over and things back to normal.

In a conversation with Ill. Bill Robertson, Sr. 33° I.G.H., our Director of Work, about a Reunion - His thoughts right now are to not hold a Spring or Fall Reunion, rather have a Summer Reunion in August. We'll see how things develop.

I have not heard from Bill Robertson, Jr. 32° KCCH, our SR Conference President, about his plans for our Valley hosting the Scottish Rite Conference of Virginia. It was planned for late March, but was canceled. I will advise when I know something.

Here is an update on my Idiopathic Pulmonary Fibrosis condition: The condition leaves me with a shortness of breath, when I do almost anything, and results in my getting tired quickly. My condition will not improve and my medication is working to keep it from getting worse. I only go out to the doctor and occasionally ride about to get out of the house. If I get the virus it will do me in quickly, so I must be careful. I will be back when the numbers concerning the c-virus are under control.

**Fraternal Best, Ill. Lonnie L. Godfrey 33° I.G.H.**

## Upcoming Events

◇ Tuesday, March 23, 2021 – Stated Meeting at 7:30 P.M. is canceled.

## Dinner Menu — March 23, 2021



**There will be no dinner for the  
March Stated Meeting.**

### **Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite of Freemasonry, S.:J.:**

Lynchburg, Virginia 24501

**Dale C. Senger, 32°**

Venerable Master, Lodge of Perfection

**Jonathan A. Giles, 32° KCCH**

Wise Master, Chapter of Rose Croix

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Commander, Council of Kadosh

**James D. Charleston, 32° KCCH**

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Secretary

**Percy W. Keatts, Jr., 32°**

Almoner

**Ill. William A. Robertson, Sr., 33° I.:G.:H.:**

Director of Work

**William A. Robertson, Jr., 32° KCCH**

Scottish Rite Conference of Virginia President 2020

**Ill. Lonnie L. Godfrey, 33° I.:G.:H.:**

Personal Representative to the

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**Most Worshipful and Ill. Alan Wayne Adkins, 33° Grand Cross**

Deputy to the Supreme Council

**D. David Davis, III, 32°**

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\* Is a new name / \*\* Not sick, but let them know you are thinking about them

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### HERE ARE OUR VALLEY'S ELECTED AND APPOINTED OFFICERS FOR THE LODGE OF PERFECTION 2019/2020

Venerable Master – Dale C. Senger, 32°

Senior Warden – William B. Pleasants, II, 32°

Junior Warden – Curtis J. Diemer, 32°

Orator – Michael G. Harrison, 32°

Secretary – Raymond T. Heinrich, 33° I.G.H.

Treasurer – Donlie R. Henderson, 32° KCCH

Director of Work – Ill. William A. Robertson, Sr. 33° I.G.H.

Almoner – Percy W. Keatts, Jr., 32°

Prelate – Alvin Hatter, 32° KCCH

Master of Ceremonies – Christopher S. Arthur, Sr., 32°

Expert – Percy W. Keatts, 32°

Asst. Expert – James D. Bratton, 32°

Captain of the Host – William C. Peterson, 32°

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