



The Regular and Special Communications  
of  
Harmony Lodge #9 F & A. M.  
are held in the  
Doric Masonic Center  
1237 Reservoir Avenue  
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**Regular Communication**  
First Tuesday of each month with the  
exception of July and August

**Annual Communication**  
Third Tuesday of November

**Dispensation Granted**

May 6, 1805

**Charter Granted**

September 20, 1808

**Constitution**

September 20, 1808

**Incorporated** February, 1809

Doric Lodge #38

Merged - 2003

Nathanael Greene Lodge #45

Merged - 2005

Rhodes Lodge #44 Merged - 1988 with  
Nathanael Greene Lodge #45

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# Harmony Trestleboard

Harmony Lodge Number 9, F. & A.M.

October, 2016

Hello Brothers,

The fall is just about here. The summer is great but right about now I am happy I live in New England so I can enjoy the change from hot to temperatures that are not so oppressive. The same can be said about my electric bill. I don't recall it ever being so high. Speaking of temperatures, today it was perfect as it was the day of the light house cruise. It was touch and go there for a while with clouds and rain in the morning and a forecast of possible thunder storms through out the day. However, by the time we set out, the bad weather had cleared and comfortable temperatures prevailed with beautiful blue skies. Our host did a great job pointing out the light houses and the history behind each one as well as a few other land marks along the way. By the time we made it to the Newport area everyone was out enjoying the day. Those of you that did not or could not come really missed a great day for site seeing and fellowship.

Moving on to more of a business side of discussions. I and my officers will be having a visitation at Fidelity Chapter on October 12th at 7:30. If you have been following my master's messages this year, you are aware that I am a big proponent of supporting the Demolay Boys and Rainbow girls. This visitation is not limited to Harmony Officers but to all members. The boys and girls are the potential future of our fraternity so come out and support them.

Our monthly meeting in October should be interesting as it is step up night. Come out and support Mike at his first experience of sitting in the East. Our candidates are also slated to do their proficiencies and sign the bylaws.

Lastly our Annual JDRF walk is coming up on October 16th. If you would like to make a donation or walk for JDRF please see our Harmony 9 Web site. Every year Harmony comes up big to support Jill's team. Let's keep it going.

Until Next Time

God Bless

Al Anton Worshipful Master

*Appointed to Harmony Lodge #9 F. & A. M. 2015 -2016*

Robert J. Fish .....	Chaplain	Walter C. Noelte.....	Tyler
.....	Senior Deacon	W. Robert Kempf PM .....	Master of Ceremonies
Robert P. Izzi .....	Junior Deacon	.....	Sentinel
Patrick M. Conner.....	Senior Steward	.....	Marshal
David R. Desplaines.....	Junior Steward		

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We are also on Facebook as Harmony Lodge #9

**Notice**

**The regular communication of Harmony Lodge #9 will be held on  
Tuesday, October 4<sup>th</sup>, 2016 at 7:30 PM**

**Proper Dress Required: Jacket & Tie or Military Uniform**

**September Meeting ~ Tuesday, October 4<sup>th</sup>**

**Dinner Served at 6:30 PM at the Lodge**

Reservations at Harmony website or Call Patrick Connor @ (212) 203-2011  
Dinner reservations are to be made no later than Sunday, October 2<sup>nd</sup> by 6:00 PM,  
\$7.00 with reservation ~ \$10.00 unreserved  
Brothers without reservations are not guaranteed a dinner.

**Membership applications must be received by the Lodge secretary no later than October 28, 2016 in order that the candidate class of 2017 can be finalized for a January EA degree.**

## *Upcoming Events*

October 1<sup>st</sup> (Saturday) - Ladies at the Table 6:00 PM

October 4<sup>th</sup> (Tuesday) – Regular Communication Dinner @ 6:30 PM Meeting @ 7:30 PM

October 11<sup>th</sup> (Tuesday) – Harmony Officers Meeting 7:00 PM

October 12<sup>th</sup> (Wednesday – DeMolay Visitation 7:30 PM at Doric Center

October 18<sup>th</sup> (Tuesday) – Finance Committee 7:00 PM

October 18<sup>th</sup> (Tuesday) – Doric Board of Directors 7:30 PM

October 20<sup>th</sup> (Thursday) – Fellowcraft Club 7:30 PM

October 29<sup>th</sup> (Saturday) - Harmony Halloween Party

November 1<sup>st</sup> (Tuesday) – Regular Communication Dinner @ 6:30 PM Meeting @ 7:30 PM

November 8<sup>th</sup> (Tuesday) – Harmony Officers Meeting 7:00 PM

November 15<sup>th</sup> (Tuesday) – Harmony Annual Meeting Dinner at 6:00 PM

Meeting at 7:00 PM - Note time change.

November 16<sup>th</sup> (Wednesday) – GM Visitation @ St. Johns 1P 7:00 PM

November 17<sup>th</sup> (Thursday) – Fellowcraft Club 7:30 PM

November 19<sup>th</sup> (Saturday) – Grand Lodge semi-annual communication, Fall Festival

November 21<sup>st</sup> (Monday) – Doric Board of Directors 7:30 PM

November 26<sup>th</sup> (Saturday) – Christmas Decoration Party 7:00 PM

November 29<sup>th</sup> (Tuesday) – Harmony Officers' Meeting 7:00 PM

December 3<sup>rd</sup> (Saturday) – Harmony's Semi-public Installation of Officers 1:30 PM at Doric Center

December 3<sup>rd</sup> (Saturday) – Harmony's Annual Banquet: Social Hour 6:00 PM, Dinner 7:00 PM at the Imperial Room of the Shriners' Club

December 6<sup>th</sup> (Tuesday) – Regular Communication Dinner @ 6:30 PM Meeting @ 7:30 PM

December 7<sup>th</sup> (Wednesday) – Officers' Rehearsal of EA Degree

December 10<sup>th</sup> (Saturday) – Home Visits to extended Masonic family 9:00 AM - details TBA

December 10<sup>th</sup> (Saturday) – Harmony Children's Christmas Party – 12:30 PM (Note time change)

December 13<sup>th</sup> (Tuesday) – Harmony Officers Meeting 7:00 PM

December 15<sup>th</sup> (Thursday) – Fellowcraft Club 7:30 PM

December 17<sup>th</sup> (Saturday) – Food Baskets for the Needy 6:30 to 9:00 AM @ St. Johns 1P

December 17<sup>th</sup> (Saturday) – Ladies Luncheon Noon to 4:00 PM Chelo's Post Road

December 19<sup>th</sup> (Monday) – Doric Board of Directors 7:30 PM

## Our brothers who are sick or shut-in.....

### *A card or call would be much appreciated.*

Herbert G. Reid c/o 6204 Acadia Ave. Agoura Hill, CA 91301 (818) 889-3552  
Arthur (Jerry) Latham, Jr. 445 Narragansett Bay Ave., Warwick, RI 02889 (401) 738-0342  
David H. Clark 26 President Drive, Narragansett, RI 02882 (401) 792-8462  
Ralph Sherman 102 Deerfield Rd., Cranston, RI 02920 (401) 944-6591  
Rolvin Allen 75 Minnesota Ave., Room 326, Warwick, RI 02888 (401) 338-5163  
Bernard Handler 3900 Post Road, Warwick RI 02886 (401) 316-6200  
James Young 1 Coddington Court, East Greenwich RI 02818  
(401) 884-8570

### *No one likes not being home, please visit or send a card.*

Wor. George H. Marshall Roberts Health Care 25 Roberts Way, North Kingstown, RI 02852  
(401) 294-3587  
Tony Oliver South Kingstown Nursing & Rehab 2115 S County Trail West Kingstown, RI 02892  
(401) 783-8568  
Aram Tateosian Hopkins Manor, Room #20B610, 610 Smithfield Road, North Providence, RI  
02904 (401) 353-6300  
Walter Connery RI Veterans Home, 480 Metacom Ave. , Ward N8, Bristol, RI 02809  
(401) 253-8000

## *Fellowcraft Summer Night Out*

Chelo's on the Waterfront was the site of our get together featuring lots of appetizers and a few libations.



## *Lighthouses and Newport Harbor Cruise*



It proved to be a great day on the bay as members, families and friends boarded the high speed ferry for the event.

This is one of the 12 or so lighthouses that we saw. We were entertained with the history, some of it tragic, of the many varied structures.



## LIVING WORSHIPFUL PAST MASTERS HARMONY LODGE #9, F. & A.M. and Recently Deceased Past Masters of Harmony Lodge

* R. W. Clarence S. Cleasby, Jr.....1951	* M.W. Charles M. Menge, PGM..... 1967	* Phillip G. Rollins..... 1983	Kenneth A. Angilly.....1999
* Harold E. Jepson .....1952	* Richard E. Archer..... 1968	* Ronald S. Page .....1984	* R.W. Joseph B. McGrath .....2000
* Raymond R. Culgin.....1953	† M.W. C.A. Calverley, Jr., PGM..... 1969	* Daniel A. Falvey, Jr.....1985	* Albert N. Phaneuf .....2001
* Louis Cashen ..... 1954	* R.W. James A. Malcom .....1970	† Richard R. Galipeau .....1986	^ Scott W. Shippee .....2002
* George F. Patterson ..... 1955	R.W. Earl E. Goodby.....1971	* Robert P. Gorman.....1987	John H. Cirelli.....2003
* George M. Kilner ..... 1956	* Alfred G. Evans, Jr. ....1972	R.W. R. David Armstrong .....1988	Philip N. Crawford .....2004
* R.W. Luther C. Homan ..... 1957	* L. Kimball Simmons, Jr.....1973	Reginald Gotjen .....1989	Arthur J. Kurtz, Jr. ....2005
* Lester N. Elwell .....1958	* Carl W. Johnson, Jr.....1974	Antonio Pereira .....1990	Alan French .....2006
* James Daley ..... 1959	* Harry Liese.....1975	* Robert F. Aguiar .....1991	Stephen A. Charron .....2007
* George E. Lord, Jr.....1960	Larry J. Farnham .....1976	Edwin T. Carlson .....1992	James I. Ogilvie.....2008
* Ray C. Arnold.....1961	Elmer H. Palmer.....1977	* Edwin M. Keenan .....1993	Jesse H. Edwards's Ill.....2009
* Harrie N. Arnold.....1962	Donald J. Parker.....1978	M.W. Richard L. Ault, Jr., PGM .....1994	Robert J. Kempf .....2010
* Russell M. Birtwistle .....1963	* R.W. Raymond A. Hargraves.....1979	Carl H. Liese.....1995	Todd P. Derksen .....2011
* Arthur G. Irish .....1964	* Robert E. Harrop .....1980	Paul C. Liese.....1996	Michael O. Dixon.....2012
* Arthur J. Dennis .....1965	Richard E. Harris .....1981	R.W. Kenneth F. Poyton .....1997	Edward J. Diggle.....2013
* R.W. Robert F. Poyton .....1966	Josef A. Polichetti .....1982	Carmine DePetrillo.....1998	Steven Waxman .....2014

\* Deceased † Demitted ^ Non Member

## LIVING WORSHIPFUL PAST MASTERS DORIC LODGE #38, F. & A.M. and Recently Deceased Past Masters of Doric Lodge

* Clifford C. Kent.....1951	* Robert M. Smith .....1964	William G. Strozier .....1977	† Alan L. Vogel.....1990
* Harold J. Christiansen.....1952	* David W. Blood.....1965	* Arthur Soder, Jr. ....1978	† Alan L. Vogel.....1991
* J. Stanley Hall.....1953	* John R. Curtin.....1966	* Melbourne R. Barden.....1979	James M. Thatcher.....1992
* Harold W. Mosier .....1954	* Donald A. Bostrom .....1967	† Robert A. Fife.....1980	* Steven R. Hayes, Sr.....1993
* Alfred E. Grant.....1955	* John W. Boardman.....1968	* Frederick F. Fairfield, Ill.....1981	* Steven R. Hayes, Sr.....1994
* Robert D. Stone.....1956	* William H. Hurry.....1969	* William Savasta.....1982	Donald M. Aquilante.....1995
* Alf Gabriele .....1957	* Robert A. Wicklund.....1970	* Stephen C. Markham.....1984	Thomas P. Piscopio.....1996
* R.W. David L. Hildebrand.....1958	* Oscar M. David .....1971	* Leland H. Wilson.....1983	Thomas P. Piscopio.....1997
* George H. Goff.....1959	* M.W. Julio A. Paniccia, PGM .....1972	Stephen C. Markham.....1984	Edward A. Eklof.....1998
* P. Richard Swajian.....1960	* Leland H. Wilson.....1973	Donald M. Aquilante.....1985	^ Ronald J. Bowser.....1999
* Irvin D. Follett .....1961	George H. Marshall.....1974	* Alexander Peligan .....1986	† John K. Chin.....2000
* Kenneth F. Reed .....1962	† Melvin L. Ayers .....1975	* Robert A. Wicklund .....1987	^ Alan A. Abbott.....2001
* Erle D. Forrest.....1963	* Michael H. Margolis .....1976	M. Paul Rego.....1988	
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## LIVING WORSHIPFUL PAST MASTERS RHODES LODGE #44, F. & A.M. and Recently Deceased Past Masters of Rhodes Lodge

* Lester H. Smith .....1951	* George J. Leaver .....1961	† James G. Johnson .....1971	† Thomas G. Brown .....1981
* M.W. Charles R. Bonnemont, PGM..1952	* Michael Lezanic .....1962	† Robert C. Johnson .....1972	* Philip L. Kershaw .....1982
* Gilbert C. Machon .....1953	* Frank Allen .....1963	† Lewis F. Salk .....1973	* Richard J. Pollock .....1983
* George W. MacClean .....1954	* Walter M. Anderson .....1964	* Henry W. Fraser. Jr. ....1974	* Charles C. Cokely .....1984
* William H. Romer ..... 1955	* Russell Salisbury .....1965	* Carl F. Diaz .....1975	* Charles C. Cokely .....1985
* Abram M. Fraser .....1956	* Burton Salk .....1966	Richard L. Wood .....1976	Richard L. Wood .....1986
* Harold M. Cornell .....1957	* James H. Winch. Jr. ....1967	* Raymond H. Brown .....1977	Richard L. Wood .....1987
* George R. Handel .....1958	^ Herbert N. Clark .....1968	* Raymond H. Brown .....1978	* Charles R. Bonnemont, PGM .....1988
* Edward L. Gregson.....1959	* Victor H. Persson .....1969	^ Allyn L. Larson .....1979	
† Robert A. Cottrell .....1960	Herchell J. Talan .....1970	* Richard J. Pollock .....1980	

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## LIVING WORSHIPFUL PAST MASTERS NATHANIEL GREENE LODGE #45, F. & A.M. and Recently Deceased Past Masters of Nathaniel Greene Lodge

* Chester I. Maymon .....1950	* R.W. William A. Carlow, Jr. ....1964	* Harry J. G. Grattage, Jr. ....1978	† Paul H. Giard .....1992
* Clarence E. Degross .....1951	† George W. Gange, Jr. ....1965	* Hyman Lipet .....1979	William J. Kitson III .....1993
* Edwin A. Farrow .....1952	R.W. Edwin E. Fielder .....1966	* Robert A. Siple, Jr. ....1980	Ernest E. Widergren, Jr. ....1994
* Richard A. Barker .....1953	* M.W. Elmer F. Perkins. Jr., PGM .....1967	* Mark A. Rosenholm .....1981	Timothy P. Madden .....1995
* Russell G Anderson .....1954	* Arthur B. Worden .....1968	* R.W. Gilbert A. Howard, Sr. ....1982	^ Ronald L. Bernier, Jr. ....1996
* Max F. Gee .....1955	* Paul A. Kane .....1969	* Robert W. Bourne .....1983	Charles E. Goins II .....1997
* Allan E. Reynolds .....1956	* Walter M. Germond. Jr. ....1970	James W. Dowding .....1984	^ Alan A. Abbott .....1998
* George W. Cherry, Jr. ....1957	* R.W. Fred S. Jurmann .....1971	Christopher J. Dawley .....1985	* Joseph E. Thompson .....1999
* Archibald Burnside .....1958	* R.W. Earland W. Fielder .....1972	Donald G. Scott .....1986	Manuel J. Fox, Jr. ....2000
* Kenneth C. Steinmetz .....1959	* Anthony A. Pusateri .....1973	* Ernest E. Widergren, Sr. ....1987	Arthur F. Chapman, Sr. ....2001
* Milton A. Phillips.....1960	R.W. Robert J. Steams .....1974	Arthur F. Chapman, Sr. ....1988	Ernest E. Widergren, Jr. ....2002
M.W. A. Sheffield Reynolds, PGM.1961	* Charles E. Barker, Jr. ....1975	* John V. Grieve .....1989	* Raymond R. Hogarth .....2003
* Frank D. Whorf .....1962	* Paul B. Alexander .....1976	John H. Grover .....1990	
* Douglas C. Brush .....1963	* R.W. J. Elwin Wilcox .....1977	* Albert A. Abbott .....1991	

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