



**The Regular and Special Communications
of**

Harmony Lodge #9 F & A. M.
are held in the
Doric Masonic Center
1237 Reservoir Avenue
Cranston, RI 02920
401-942-9883

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

Officers 2017 - 2018

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Harmony Trestleboard

Harmony Lodge Number 9, F. & A.M.
January, 2019

Master's Message

Dear Harmony Lodge Family,

It goes without saying that it has been a very busy time at Harmony since my first Master's Message just four short weeks ago. Here is a brief recap of recent events: With the work completed at the Annual Communication of Harmony Lodge, we began our new Masonic Year on Tuesday, November 20th. I want to recognize Wor. Mickey "SD" Torgan, not only for his successful year, but also for the good counsel he has provided not only to me, but also to his Line Officers, throughout his progression to the East. I would also like to thank the Prologue Team for their work during the Semi – Public Installation. As I shared that night and at the banquet these three men have special connection to me and it was truly an honor to have them share the evening with me. Thank you to Wor. Richard Wood, RW Dave Armstrong and Brother Bob Fish for your excellent work on the night, your good counsel and especially your friendship. As they have done in the past, the young men of Fidelity Chapter did a fine job helping out with serving the dinner and assisting with the clean-up. Although she may not read this directly, I wish to say a very special thank you to Chef Lisa Dupre for the meal prepared that night and for her willingness to stay on as our primary Chef for the coming year. For those Brothers who were hoping to shed a few pounds in 2019, my self included, we will have a tougher road with Lisa in our kitchen ! I would also like to thank R.:W.: Rick Baccus and his Installing Suite, all of whom did an excellent job with the Installation of Officers that night. A very heartfelt thank you goes out to all of the Officers for accepting their re-appointments to continue in line and to our newest officer, my Sentinel appointee Brother R. James Lafitte, buckle up boys!

Next on the dance card was our Annual Banquet held on Saturday December 1st at the Valley CC. What a phenomenal turnout, eighty seven souls consisting of brothers, family, friends and special ladies as we celebrated the official introduction of officers and combined the day to honor our own ladies and special ladies for our Holiday luncheon. Each lady received a gift given personally from my wife Denise and I, the Christmas picture frames are beautiful and they were a big hit. Great food and great company made for a successful and memorable Banquet. Thank you to Brother Junior Steward Thomas Drumm for his meticulous work in handling all the reservations and check in duties at the door and to Mick Torgan's daughter Nicole for handling all of the flower pinning duties.

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Appointed to Harmony Lodge #9 F. & A. M. 2017 -2018

Ike Dayacap	Chaplain	Frank Castellone	Musical Director
Joshua Edwards	Senior Deacon	W.: Donald Aquilante	Tyler
Jeremy Newton	Junior Deacon	Thomas Drumm	Sentinel
Jose Gonzalez	Senior Steward	W.: Merrill I. Torgan, Jr.	Marshal
Thomas Drumm	Junior Steward	W.: Kenneth Angilly ...	Master of Ceremonies

(Master's Message continued)

The train keeps rolling and next stop was our Sick and Infirm and Widows Holiday Visits: After a hearty breakfast at Athena's on December 8th, fifteen Brothers went back to the Lodge and picked up the gifts of Holiday plants and homemade baked goods for our visits courtesy of my Lady Denise Izzi. These sweet treats are a BIG hit. I know a lot of work goes in to not only baking them, but also wrapping them, and cannot thank you enough Denise for being "All In" on this journey with me. Junior Warden David Desplaines did a fine job coordinating the 28 visitations that were made on Saturday.

Upcoming events as this Master's Message is being written in December for the January Trestleboard, include the Children's Christmas Party which was held on Saturday December 15th, we have over 100 reservations including 32 children receiving gifts from Santa and Mrs. Claus. The Entered Apprentice Degree is scheduled for Saturday Feb. 2nd, I am issuing a call to all brethren and especially past masters to participate. I will be continuing the tradition of having a family meal after the degrees where we enjoy spending time with the Candidates and their families and has proved to be a big success.

We will be returning to the Groton Inn for our Getaway on Feb 22-24, the cost per couple includes for two nights lodging, Friday night snacks and appetizers, breakfast buffet Sat/Sun and group dinner Sat night followed by our traditional (with a twist) Yankee Swap, cost is \$260 per couple. Complete details and payment terms will be given in January meeting. Anyone going as single the cost is \$200.

I would like to close with saying that I hope everyone had an enjoyable Holiday season. May the Great Architect of the Universe continue to watch over us, and I wish nothing but the best for you and yours as we begin a New Year.

Fraternally,

Robert Izzi, Master

Notice

**The regular communication of Harmony Lodge #9 will be held on
Tuesday, January 8th, 2018 at 7:30 PM
Proper Dress Required: Jacket & Tie or Military Uniform**

**January Meeting Dinner ~ Tuesday, January 8th
Master's Choice**

Served at 6:30 PM at the Lodge

**Reservations at Harmony website or
Call Jose Gonzalez @ (401) 658-6001**

**Dinner reservations are to be made no later than
Friday, December 28th**

\$10.00 with reservation ~ \$12.00 unreserved

Brothers without reservations are not guaranteed a dinner.

Change of Date

As the first Tuesday in January 2019 falls on the 1st (a holiday), the Grand Lodge has approved moving our regular meeting in this instance to January 8th.

Notice

**The Annual Meeting of the Doric Association
will be held
during the January Harmony Lodge Communication on
Tuesday, January 8th, 2019 at 7:30 PM**

Visit Harmony Lodge #9 F.& A.M. at www.Harmony9.org

We are also on Facebook as Harmony Lodge #9

from the Master's Message

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In Memorium

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Brother Donald Matthew Steel

Initiated as an Entered Apprentice - October 11th, 1950

Passed to the Degree of Fellowcraft - November 8th, 1950

Raised to the Sublime Degree of a Master Mason - December
2nd, 1950

Admitted to Membership in Doric Lodge #38 - December 13th,
1950

Died May 6th, 2014

Aged 94 Years

Brother Charles Williams Burdick

Initiated as an Entered Apprentice - January 8th, 1958

Passed to the Degree of Fellowcraft - May 14th, 1958

Raised to the Sublime Degree of a Master Mason - May 24th,
1958

Admitted to Membership in Doric Lodge #38 - June 11th, 1958

Died July 10th, 2017

Aged 89 Years

Brother Herbert Page Allebaugh

Initiated as an Entered Apprentice - February 14th, 1956

Passed to the Degree of Fellowcraft - April 5th, 1956

Raised to the Sublime Degree of a Master Mason -
May 3rd, 1956

Admitted to Membership in Nathanael Greene Lodge #45 -
June 7th, 1956

Died June 10th, 2018

Aged 93 Years

In Memorium

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Brother James Bamford Bolton

Initiated as an Entered Apprentice - January 23rd, 1951

Passed to the Degree of Fellowcraft - March 27th, 1951

Raised to the Sublime Degree of a Master Mason - May
1st, 1951

Admitted to Membership - June 5th, 1951

Died October 24th, 2018

Aged 88 Years

Brother David Gregory LaVine

Initiated as an Entered Apprentice - February 23rd,
2012

Passed to the Degree of Fellowcraft - May 8th, 2012

Raised to the Sublime Degree of a Master Mason - July
8th, 2012

Admitted to Membership - September 4th, 2012

Died December 5th, 2018

Aged 50 Years

Upcoming Events

December 28th (Friday) – DeMolay Regular Meeting @7:30 – 10:00 PM

January 5th (Saturday) – Woodridge Rainbow @ 8:00 AM

January 8th (Tuesday) – Regular Communication @ 7:30 PM/ Dinner @ 6:30 PM

January 8th (Tuesday) - Doric Association Annual Meeting within the body of Regular Communication

January 11th (Friday) – Fidelity DeMolay @ 7:30 PM

January 15th (Tuesday) – Meeting on the Level @ 7:00PM

January 16th (Wednesday) – Fellowcraft Club @ 7:30 PM

January 18th (Friday) – Woodridge Rainbow @ 6:30 PM

January 21st (Monday) – Van Liew Capital Briefing 6:30 PM

January 21st (Monday) – Finance Committee 7:00 PM

January 21st (Monday) – Doric Board following

January 25th (Friday) – Fidelity DeMolay @ 7:30 PM

February 2nd (Saturday) – Woodridge Rainbow 8:00 AM

February 5th (Tuesday) – Regular Communication 7:30 PM / Dinner @ 6:30 PM

February 8th (Friday) – Fidelity DeMolay 7:30 PM

February 12th (Tuesday) – Meeting on the Level @ 7:00 PM

February 15th (Friday) – Woodridge Rainbow @ 6:30 PM

February 18th (Monday) – Doric Board @ 7:30 PM

February 20th (Wednesday) – Fellowcraft Club @ 7:30 PM

February 22nd (Friday) – Fidelity DeMolay @ 7:30 PM

February 22nd (Friday) through February 24th (Sunday) – Getaway Weekend

March 2nd (Saturday) – Woodridge Rainbow 8:00 AM

March 5th (Tuesday) – Regular Communication 7:30 PM / Dinner @ 6:30 PM

March 8th (Friday) – Fidelity DeMolay 7:30 PM

March 12th (Tuesday) – Meeting on the Level @ 7:00 PM

March 15th (Friday) – Woodridge Rainbow @ 6:30 PM

March 18th (Monday) – Doric Board @ 7:30 PM

March 20th (Wednesday) – Fellowcraft Club @ 7:30 PM

March 22nd (Friday) – Fidelity DeMolay @ 7:30 PM

March 23rd (Saturday) – Central Masonic District Charity Event–Funny4Funds @ 7:00 PM

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

A card or call would be much appreciated.

Wor. Steve Charron 203 Van Buren Drive, Dalton , GA 30721 (401) 919-8459
Ken Athaide 135 Pilgrim Avenue, #26, Coventry, RI 02816 (401) 301-0243
Wor. Herchell Talan 195 Lewis Farm Road, East Greenwich, RI 02818 (401) 884-3328
Ken Scanlan 109 Burnside Street, Cranston , RI 02910 (401) 226-7773
Herbert G. Reid c/o 6204 Acadia Ave. Agoura Hill, CA 91301 (818) 889-3552
David H. Clark 26 President Drive, Narragansett, RI 02882 (401) 792-8462
Ralph Sherman 102 Deerfield Rd., Cranston, RI 02920 (401) 944-6591
Wor. Edwin E. Fielder 85 Lakehurst Drive, Coventry, RI 02816 (401) 397-5637
Wor. Richard Harris 51 Grant Avenue, North Kingston RI 02852 (401) 295-1412

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

Tony Oliver South Kingstown Nursing & Rehab 2115 S County Trail West Kingston, RI 02892
(401) 783-8568
Walter Connery RI Veterans Home, 480 Metacom Ave. , Bristol, RI 02809
(401) 253-8000
MW Sheffield Reynolds Tockwotton on the Waterfront, 500 Waterfront Dr., Room 233,
East Providence, RI 02914 (401) 739-4241
Rolvin Allen Greenwich Farms 75 Minnesota Ave., Room 326, Warwick, RI 02888
(401) 338-5163
William Harrison, Sr. Greenwich Farms , 75 Minnesota Ave., Apt. 112, Warwick, RI 02888
Joseph Des Roches Brookdale West Bay 2783 West Shore Road, Warwick, RI 02889
(401) 739-7300
Wor. Josef Polichetti Miriam Hospital, 164 Summit Ave., Providence, RI.02906 Room 11B
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Heading South for the Winter?

Please give your Winter address to:

James Rapson, 244 Park View Ave.

Warwick, RI 02888

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Tuesday, January 8

Come hear about our new lodge room and all the other improvements that were made this past year at the Doric Center plus where do we go from here. The annual Doric Association meeting is Tuesday, January 8th during the 7:30 PM meeting. Come join us.



JANUARY 2019

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
30	31	1	2	3	4	5 Woodridge Rainbow 8:00 AM
6	7	Harmony Regular Meeting 7:30 PM, Dinner @6:30 PM. Doric Association Annual Meeting	9	10	11 Fidelity DeMolay 7:30 PM	12
13	14	15 Meeting on the Level @7:00PM	16 Fellowcraft Club 7:30 PM	17	18 Woodridge Rainbow 6:30PM	19
20	21 VanLiew 6:30 Finance 7:00 Doric Board to follow	22	23	24	25 Fidelity DeMolay 7:30 PM	26
27	28	29	30	31	1	2

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	* Richard E. Archer.....1968	* Ronald S. Page1984	* Albert N. Phaneuf2001
* Harold E. Jenson.....1952	† M.W. C.A. Calverley, Jr., PGM.....1969	* Daniel A. Falvey, Jr.....1985	^ Scott W. Shippee2002
* Raymond R. Culin.....1953	* R.W. James A. Malcom1970	† Richard R. Galipeau1986	† John H. Cirelli.....2003
* Louis Cashen1954	R.W. Earl E. Goodby.....1971	* Robert P. Gorman.....1987	Philip N. Crawford2004
* George F. Patterson1955	* Alfred G. Evans, Jr.1972	R.W. R. David Armstrong1988	Arthur J. Kurtz, Jr.....2005
* George M. Kilner1956	* L. Kimball Simmons, Jr.1973	Reginald Gotjen1989	Alan French2006
* R.W. Luther C. Homan1957	* Carl W. Johnson, Jr.....1974	Antonio Pereira1990	Stephen A. Charron2007
* Lester N. Elwell1958	* Harry Liese.....1975	* Robert F. Aguiar1991	James I. Ogilvie.....2008
* James Daley1959	Larry J. Farnham1976	Edwin T. Carlson1992	* Jesse H. Edwards's III.....2009
* George E. Lord, Jr.....1960	Elmer H. Palmer.....1977	* Edwin M. Keenan1993	Robert J. Kempf2010
* Ray C. Arnold.....1961	Donald J. Parker.....1978	M.W. Richard L. Ault, Jr., PGM1994	Todd P. Derksen2011
* Harrie N. Arnold.....1962	* R.W. Raymond A. Hargraves.....1979	Carl H. Liese.....1995	Michael O. Dixon2012
* Russell M. Birtwistle1963	* Robert E. Harrop1980	Paul C. Liese.....1996	Edward J. Diggle.....2013
* Arthur G. Irish1964	Richard E. Harris1981	R.W. Kenneth F. Poyton1997	Steven Waxman2014
* Arthur J. Dennis1965	Josef A. Polichetti1982	Carmine DePetrillo.....1998	Alfred Anton2015
* R.W. Robert F. Poyton1966	* Phillip G. Rollins1983	Kenneth A. Angilly1999	Michael A. Cunningham2016
* M.W. Charles M. Menge, PGM.....1967	Ronald S. Page1984	* R.W. Joseph B. McGrath.....2000	Merrill I. Torgan, Jr.2017

* 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. Smith1964	William G. Strozier1977	† 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. Mosier1954	* Donald A. Bostrom.....1967	† Robert A. Fife.....1980	* Steven R. Hayes, Sr.....1993
* Alfred E. Grant.....1955	* John W. Boardman.....1968	† Frederick F. Fairfield, III.....1981	* Steven R. Hayes, Sr.....1994
* Robert D. Stone.....1956	* William H. Hurry.....1969	* William Savasta.....1982	Donald M. Aquilante.....1995
* Alf Gabriele1957	* Robert A. Wicklund.....1970	* Leland H. Wilson.....1983	Thomas P. Piscopio.....1996
* R.W. David L. Hildebrand.....1958	* Oscar M. David1971	Stephen C. Markham.....1984	Thomas P. Piscopio.....1997
* George H. Goff.....1959	* M.W. Julio A. Paniccia, PGM1972	Donald M. Aquilante.....1985	Edward A. Eklof.....1998
* P. Richard Swajian.....1960	* Leland H. Wilson.....1973	* Alexander Peligan1986	^ Ronald J. Bowser.....1999
* Irvin D. Follett1961	George H. Marshall.....1974	* Robert A. Wicklund1987	† John K. Chin.....2000
* Kenneth F. Reed1962	† Melvin L. Ayers1975	M. Paul Rego.....1988	^ Alan A. Abbott.....2001
* Erle D. Forrest.....1963	* Michael H. Margolis1976	M. Paul Rego.....1989	

* Deceased † Demitted ^ Non Member

LIVING WORSHIPFUL PAST MASTERS RHODES LODGE #44, F. & A.M. and Recently Deceased Past Masters of Rhodes Lodge

* Lester H. Smith1951	* George J. Leaver1961	† James G. Johnson1971	† Thomas G. Brown1981
* M.W. Charles R. Bonnemont, PGM..1952	* Michael Lezanic1962	† Robert C. Johnson1972	* Philip L. Kershaw1982
* Gilbert C. Machon1953	* Frank Allen1963	† Lewis F. Salk1973	* Richard J. Pollock1983
* George W. MacClean1954	* Walter M. Anderson1964	* Henry W. Fraser, Jr.1974	* Charles C. Cokely1984
* William H. Romer1955	* Russell Salisbury1965	* Carl F. Diaz1975	* Charles C. Cokely1985
* Abram M. Fraser1956	* Burton Salk1966	Richard L. Wood1976	Richard L. Wood1986
* Harold M. Cornell1957	* James H. Winch, Jr.1967	* Raymond H. Brown1977	Richard L. Wood1987
* George R. Handel1958	^ Herbert N. Clark1968	* Raymond H. Brown1978	* Charles R. Bonnemont, PGM1988
* Edward L. Gregson1959	* Victor H. Persson1969	^ Allyn L. Larson1979	
† Robert A. Cottrell1960	Herchell J. Talan1970	* Richard J. Pollock1980	

* Deceased † Demitted ^ Non Member

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

* Chester I. Maymon1950	* R.W. William A. Carlow, Jr.1964	* Harry J. G. Grattage, Jr.1978	† Paul H. Giard1992
* Clarence E. Degross1951	† George W. Gange, Jr.1965	* Hyman Lipet1979	William J. Kitson III1993
* Edwin A. Farrow1952	R.W. Edwin E. Fielder1966	* Robert A. Siple, Jr.1980	Ernest E. Widergren, Jr.1994
* Richard A. Barker1953	* M.W. Elmer F. Perkins, Jr., PGM1967	* Mark A. Rosenholm1981	Timothy P. Madden1995
* Russell G Anderson1954	* Arthur B. Worden1968	* R.W. Gilbert A. Howard, Sr.1982	^ Ronald L. Bernier, Jr.1996
* Max F. Gee1955	† Paul A. Kane1969	* Robert W. Bourne1983	Charles E. Goins II1997
* Allan E. Reynolds1956	* Walter M. Germond, Jr.1970	James W. Dowding1984	^ Alan A. Abbott1998
* George W. Cherry, Jr.1957	* R.W. Fred S. Jurmann1971	Christopher J. Dawley1985	* Joseph E. Thompson1999
* Archibald Burnside1958	* R.W. Earland W. Fielder1972	Donald G. Scott1986	Manuel J. Fox, Jr.2000
* Kenneth C. Steinmetz1959	* Anthony A. Pusateri1973	* Ernest E. Widergren, Sr.1987	Arthur F. Chapman, Sr.2001
* Milton A. Phillips.....1960	R.W. Robert J. Steans1974	Arthur F. Chapman, Sr.1988	Ernest E. Widergren, Jr.2002
M.W. A. Sheffield Reynolds, PGM.1961	* Charles E. Barker, Jr.1975	* John V. Grieve1989	* Raymond R. Hogarth2003
* Frank D. Whorf1962	* Paul B. Alexander1976	John H. Grover1990	
* Douglas C. Brush1963	* R.W. J. Elwin Wilcox1977	* Albert A. Abbott1991	

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