



# Trestle Board

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## August Charity

United cerebral palsy  
of Winter Garden



## From The East



Brethren,

I find many passages on the internet which pertain to our order and would like to share the following with you today.

*"The law of manifestation operates like a triangle: First, know what you want and visualize it as if you already had it; Second, see it behind the illusion of reality, practice it in your decisions, choose the people you hang out with, etc.; Third, believe, have faith and work on your emotions to be at the right frequency. This triangle of manifestation is one of the secrets of many religions: Christianity, Scientology, and Freemasonry. In Masonry is seen as "heart, mind and desire"; in Scientology is perceived as "reality, communication and affinity"; in Christianity is understood as "Father, son and holy ghost"; basically, "actions, learnings and emotions". In Christianity, the Father equals reality or the Creator of the illusion, the son is the way, the path, the road of our decisions and actions, and the holy ghost is our heart, instincts and desires manifested in that same path. In other words, through Jesus, and with the power of the holy ghost, you reach God. This is an allegory that not many Christians can understand. Jesus represents behavior - right and wrong, the holy ghost is our faith, your heart and emotions reflecting back at you what you attract, it's the energy that connects you to your dreams, and God represents the Architect of Reality. So, through moral behavior and positive emotions, your understand God and life, and then you receive "paradise". This paradise is whatever you dream for yourself. Furthermore, if someone has shown you this way, he has been as an angel to you, a messenger of God; if someone stopped you from reaching it, he has been as a demon, a worker for Satan, the enemy; if you failed in seeing this path, you have redirected yourself towards hell. And if you hate your life, you are already in hell. If you want to get out of hell, you must accept the truth, and this truth is that you must know God, for He is the truth. He and the truth are one and the same."*

— Robin Sacredfire

## Calendar of Events

**August 1st:** Stated Meeting of Winter Garden Lodge, 7:30 PM

**August 3rd:** Masters & Wardens at Oviedo 243, Breakfast 8AM, meeting 9AM

**August 12th:** Master Mason Degree at Mokanna 329, Light dinner at 6PM, 1st section at 6:30 PM

**August 15th:** Stated Meeting of Winter Garden Lodge, Family Dinner-6:30, Meeting-7:30 PM

**August 16-18th:** Tennessee Cave Degree, Kingston, TN

**August 24th:** Open Books at Winter Park 239, 8:00 AM until Noon

**August 28th:** District School of Instruction, Oviedo 243 at 7:00 PM

\*Degree Practice / Masonic Education Every Tuesday at 6:30 PM\*

## From The West



Greetings from the West,

I hope that as of the publication of this Trestleboard every one of the brethren and their families are fine and enjoying great health.

Our very own R.W. D.D.G.M. Jerry Clark continues to visit all of the lodges in our district. These visits are informative and develop camaraderie among the brethren. It would be a great show of support if members of our lodge travel with him when he meets with our brethren from other lodges. This is a great way to meet the brothers, learn of upcoming events in our district and obtain traveling wages. Our W.M. David Baron has traveled with the R.W. to every lodge so far. W. Brother David is always traveling and spreading the word of the good work we do here at Winter Garden Lodge. I continue to ask that you please make yourselves available to R.W. Jerry as he will be needing all of our help this year in guiding our fraternity through difficult times.

Please keep the following brothers and their families in your prayers: R.W. Steve Teal and his family; R.W. Johnny Brock's wife and his family; W. Clawson Peacocks wife and family; Bro. David Seuratan and his family; W. Mike Hatcher and his family; W. Mike Kilgore and his family, Brother Dennis Ickes and his family, R.W. Keith Albright and his family, Brother Fred Kidwell and his family and all of the brothers needing our prayers.

The Italian Dinner night on July 20th at Mokanna was spectacular. The meal was very well prepared, the ambiance was relaxing and the brothers serving as waiters did a terrific job. Although the event was well attended it was disappointing that only two families from our lodge showed up. I encourage all of the brothers to please try to attend next year. We really have to support each others fundraisers and events to grow our fraternity and support the Charities we hold dear to us. Mokanna is raising funds and supplies for No-Kill animal shelters. It is truly a noble cause and helps protect some of God's most defenseless creations. I encourage anyone who can provide funds, food, blankets, or any type of animal related supplies to please do so.

This month I want to bring to the attention of the craft the fine work our Junior Deacon has been doing. Brother Jose Morales (affectionately referred to as "Hose B") is always assisting the Junior Warden when the Stewards are unavailable. He has always been available to assist the W.M., myself and all brothers who need of his assistance. Not long ago he assisted me in helping to paint several rooms of a home belonging to one of our much older brothers. He always allows his talented daughter to perform at our lodge and his wife and family are always there assisting us on the Fourth of July, Installation day and any time we need them.

Brother Jose is truly a dedicated, kind and caring Mason. Don't forget to check out his daughter's talent on YouTube. Her latest video is titled "Bridesmaid" by Liza Marie.

Remember that Brother J.W. Master Chef Luis de Oliveira will be competing in the Masonic version of Iron Chef/Chopped at Mokanna Lodge. This is where all the Junior Warden's showcase their culinary talents. Ask the Junior Warden for details of this event.

Finally, I would like to ask the brethren to please continue to pray for the sick and needy in 2019. See you at the Lodge!

Fraternally,

Bro.: Gil Alvarez, Senior Warden

*The genius of Freemasonry is not our Masonic buildings and temples or the trappings of our organizations. It is not our great charities or community activities. It is not our beautiful rituals or their teachings! It is the 'practice of Freemasonry' by the Freemasons. Yet we cannot practice that which we do not know or understand. Thus Masonic education is the foundation for our Fraternity. Brother Carl H. Claudy in The Master's Book says, '.. one thing and only one thing a Masonic Lodge can give its members which they can get nowhere else in the world. That one thing is Masonry.*

## From The South



Greetings from the South my Brothers all!! I can't imagine we are in August already!!!

First of all I'd like to thank all Brothers who spend the 4th of July volunteering with us. The 15th Annual Kids Parade was a huge event for the community. A special thanks to Br. Sr. Deacon Steve Czerniejewski for the tremendous organization of the event. Everything was perfect!!!

On August 15th we will have our family dinner. Bring family, kids and friends for a good meal and fellowship!!! I'm planning a very good meal this month....

Last month we were very proud to present to Brother Joe Gracey an award for his 65th year being a mason. Also, we presented Brothers Zander and Austin Arthur their membership certificates.

### Save the dates below my Brothers:

Masters and Wardens Meeting: Saturday 3rd at Oviedo lodge - 8am breakfast, meeting at 9am.

On August 12th Brother Chuck Norman will be raised to the sublime degree of Master Mason. The Ceremony will be held at Mokanna Lodge. Light dinner at 6pm, 1st section starts at 6:30pm. Let's support him and make a huge audience at Mokanna.

Open books at Winter Park August 24 @8am

School of Instruction: August 28 at Oviedo - 7pm

Also a FC degree is coming up. No date set yet but we will inform shortly

As always I strongly recommend attending the School of Instruction and Open books.

United we stand, by unit in our Fraternity.

Fraternally,

Bro.: Luis Oliveira, Junior Warden



## Orange Assembly No. 134 International order of Rainbow Girls



This year Orange #134 had the pleasure to attend the 73rd Annual Grand Assembly #INSPIRE session in Florida for the International Order of the Rainbow for Girls.

Our assembly had three Grand Representatives this year. Shelby Manley, Grand Representative of California and Illinois; Jackie Burbank, Grand Representative of Massachusetts and New Mexico; and Haley Bonavitacola, Grand Representative of Michigan and Nebraska. These girls represented our assembly very well. Shelby won 2nd place for decorating her Grand Representative sash.

While there we, as an assembly, competed in many competitions, and we won quite a few. Our seat cover won 1st place, Rachel Negron won first place in the Rose Talk ritual competition, and thanks to the great support from the Master Masons of the Proud 16th District, Orange #134 was the assembly who collected the most coins for Camp Boggy Creek. Our total was \$700. While our Camp Boggy Creek Logo, Assembly Identifier and Assembly banner did not win we heard good reviews from the competition judges on them.

This year Orange #134 is honored to have three Grand Floor appoints, Haley Bonavitacola, Grand Love; Jackie Burbank, Grand Nature and Shelby Manly, Grand Outer Observer. In addition to these floor appointments we also are honored to have a Grand Representative. Jennifer Jenkins, Grand Representative of North Carolina and Canada.

Orange Assembly #134 had an Installation of Officers on July 30th. Jackie Burbank, Grand Nature, was installed as Worth Advisor, Rachel Negron was installed as Worthy Associate Advisor, Haley Bonavitacola, Grand Love, was installed as Drill Leader, and Jennifer Jenkins, Grand Representative of North Carolina and Canada was installed as Confidential Observer. Shelby Manley, Grand Outer Observer, will be installed as Chaplain on a later date.

The Worthy Advisor's term theme is Fun in the Sun, which emphasizes appreciating God's natural creation, the beach. The assembly will be doing service projects including Second Harvest Food Bank and a beach cleanup. The assembly also plans on visiting the Shriner's Hospital to donate supplies.

Thank you for supporting our assembly and to everyone that attended our Installation.

Sincerely,

Jennifer Jenkins

Grand Representative of North Carolina and Canada and

Jackie Burbank, Grand Nature and Worthy Advisor

Orange Assembly #134

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| <b>Senior Steward</b><br>Bro. Paul Izzo, Jr.  | <b>Junior Stewards</b><br>Bro. Glen Miller<br>Bro. Jefferson Biava<br>Bro. Keith Phillip Kovatch<br>Bro. Mauricio Garcia-Velz | <b>Tyler</b><br>W. Tom Jenkins  |

## Past Masters

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|--------------------------|------------------------------|-------------------------------|----------------------------|------------------------------|--|
| 1907 Joseph Elwell *     | 1931 H.C. Mink *             | 1956 M.T. Minor *             | 1980 Gordon W. Giddens +   | 2004 J. Steven Teal PDDGM    | <b>AFFILIATED PAST MASTERS of</b>              |
| 1908 Charles H. Tilden * | 1932 Harry M. Smith *        | 1957 W.H. Hinson *            | 1981 John H. Linebarrier + | 2005 Robert Whyte            | <b>ROBERT B. SHUGART LODGE no. 393</b>         |
| 1909 Charles H. Tilden * | 1933 Harry M. Smith *        | 1958 L.G. Donahay *           | 1982 Carl A. Sheperd *     | 2006 Barton "Bart" A. Patria | 1998 Thomas V. Lemoine                         |
| 1910 George T. Smith *   | 1934 Waymon A. Wilkes *      | 1959 W.D. Hartzog *           | 1983 Charles D. Counterman | 2007 George "Jabo" Pellam *  | 1999 John Carroll*                             |
| 1911 J.E. Petris *       | 1935 Thomas D. Mack *        | 1960 A.J. Thunell*            | 1984 Bernard C. Williams * | 2008 Wilbur A. Smith III     | 2000 Phillip E Moffses                         |
| 1912 W. T. Hickman *     | 1936 Charles Gregory *       | 1961 Vard J. Hager*           | 1985 Robert A. Davis + *   | 2009 Scott Penvose           | 2001 Fred G McNabb                             |
| 1913 Joseph Elwell *     | 1937 L.Frank Roper *         | 1962 Charles McMillian *      | 1986 Paul W. Tinsley       | 2010 Ken Lyons               | 2002 Jeans Claude Perche*                      |
| 1914 J.E. Petris *       | 1938 R.M. Morris *           | 1963 Clarence E. Heidt*       | 1987 George C. Woodward*   | 2011 Garland "Gary" Story    | 2003 Edward Burchette+                         |
| 1915 Roy R. Roper *      | 1939 C.L. Stanford *         | 1964 Harvey L.Davis *         | 1988 John W. Carroll + *   | 2012 Michael Kilgore         | 2003 Phillip E Moffses                         |
| 1916 E.F.Niblad *        | 1940 W.E. Reaves *           | 1965 John H. Loucks *         | 1998 L. Wade Rich          | 2013 Sly Cawley              | 2004 Robert V Hall+                            |
| 1917 A.J. Willis *       | 1941 O.L.Sands PDDGM *       | 1966 John V. Tyndall *        | 1990 Robert R. Jones*      | 2014 Jerry Clark             | 2005 G Scott Penvose                           |
| 1918 Charles H. Tilden * | 1942—1943 O.L. Sands *       | 1967 D.E. Duppenthaler        | 1991 Paul O. Harvey        | 2015 Francisco Lopez         |  |
| 1919 Louis D. Jones *    | 1944 W.E. Reaves *           | 1968 Jonathan N. Branch *     | 1992 Veryl M. Summerlin*   | 2016 J. Mark Kirkley         | <b>AFFILIATED PAST MASTERS OF OTHER LODGES</b> |
| 1920 Bert H. Roper *     | 1945 Bruce N. Jones PDDGM *  | 1969 Charles W. Irrgang III * | 1993 Darrell W. Clay       | 2017 Clawson Peacock         | 1970 Lou Edge                                  |
| 1921 H.G. Briley *       | 1946 Bruce N. Jones *        | 1970 Jack L Quesberry PDDGM   | 1994 Charles F. Roper      | 2018 Michael Kramer          | 1985 Ed McMullen                               |
| 1922 A. F. Landstreet *  | 1947 Robert H. Augustberry * | 1971 Billy E. Peavey *        | 1995 Arthur F.Young Jr.    |                              | 1999, 2000 Lawrence Drake Sr*                  |
| 1923 W. Fred Roper *     | 1948 Harry M. Danie I *      | 1972 J.Gordon Russ            | 1996 Weldon L.Wichman      |                              | 1999 Gerald Whitlock                           |
| 1924 J.E. Clonts *       | 1949 M.G. Parramore PDDGM    | 1973 Nial P. Handley *        | 1997 Frankie D. Colburn    |                              | 1999 Craig Frazier                             |
| 1925 Clarence Lau *      | 1950 Ed C. Reaves *          | 1974 John Cook *              | 1998 Thomas B. Jenkins     |                              | 2002 Mike Hatcher                              |
| 1926 Waymon A. Wilkes *  | 1951 R.F. Anderson *         | 1975 Galen Cline *            | 1999 Rodney C. Hollis*     |                              | 2007 Jim Palo                                  |
| 1927 L.H. King *         | 1952 Roger B. Seidner        | 1976 Walter P. Carreker +     | 2000 Lawrence A. Drake Jr. |                              | 2012 Adam Alvarez                              |
| 1928 L.H. King *         | 1953 J.M. Groover *          | 1977 Herbert H. Blitch        | 2001 Reid J. Revels        |                              | 2015 Fauzi Saab                                |
| 1929 W.H. Hamage *       | 1954 L.E. Johnson *          | 1978 Zeb C. Peacock Jr. *     | 2002 Robert E. Burke Jr.*  |                              |  |
| 1930 Harry M. Smith *    | 1955 Clyde E. Roberson *     | 1979 Julian L. Revels *       | 2003 James A. Avera*       |                              |  |