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FROM THE PERSONAL REP

February – The month of Love

By Ill. Bro. Wayne I. Smith, 33°

In February we traditionally celebrate Valentine's Day, February 14th and honor our Sweethearts with our Sweethearts Dinner on Friday the 10th. As Masons we are taught to do much more than send/give our ladies a Valentine Card or take them to dinner at our Sweethearts night.

Many of our Scottish Rite degrees teach love in one form or another. Consider our 5th degree where we are admonished to prepare in advance that our demise may not leave our loved ones in distress. Remember the 18th degree where we are taught about New Law of Love and where we are reminded to Love One Another and that it is better to love than to hate. The 19th degree implores us to remember that the Great Being loves us all and we are to love him and all things he has created. The 20th degree teaches us to love one another. In our 28th degree we vow to guard the honor of women, not neglect the sick and suffering, and to live to serve our fellow man. The 30th degree again teaches us to love our Brethren and the 32nd degree admonishes us to love all of our Brethren.

However none are more demanding than those in our first three degrees. We learned in the first degree to have charity for all mankind, to render our neighbor every kind office which justice or mer-

cy may require and to relieve his distresses and to never forget those truly Masonic ornaments, Brotherly Love, Relief and Truth. The second degree admonishes us to abide with faith, hope and charity but the greatest of these is charity. Our third degree gives us the working tools of a Master Mason but more especially the Trowel which we are to use to spread the cement of Brotherly Love and affection. Remember the closing charge given at the close of every communication which says in part "Remember that at this altar you have promised to befriend and relieve every Brother who shall need your assistance. You have been enjoined to remind a Brother in the most friendly manner of his fault, to endeavor to aid his reformation, and to defend his character. These generous principles extend further, for every human being has a claim upon your kind offices."

So love goes much further and beyond just that to our Sweethearts, Ladies and families. It is something that we are to display and practice with every one of our Brethren and society as a whole. Let's all join together to make this February truly the month of Love with charity, relief and Brotherly affection for all.



From The Secretary

Ill. Charrison Lochaby, 33°

A new Worshipful Master in a small Georgia town spent the first four days making personal visits to each of the members, inviting them to come to his first Lodge meeting.

The following Thursday the Lodge was all but empty. Accordingly, the Worshipful Master placed a notice in the local newspapers, stating that, because the Lodge was dead, it was everyone's duty to give it a decent Masonic burial. The funeral would be held the following Monday afternoon, the notice said.

Morbidly curious, a large crowd turned out for the "funeral." In front of the Altar, they saw a closed coffin, smothered in flowers. After the Chaplain delivered the eulogy, he opened the coffin and invited his Brethren to come forward and pay their final re-

spects to their dead Lodge

Filled with curiosity as to what would represent the corpse of a "dead Lodge," all the Brethren eagerly lined up to look in the coffin. Each "mourner" peeped into the coffin then quickly turned away with a guilty, sheepish look.

In the coffin, tilted at the correct angle, was a large mirror.

Remember the obligation we all took my brethren, attend and support your Lodge!!!!

Brethren, reserve your Friday Nights for Scottish Rite, however, don't forget to attend your Blue Lodge, for they always will enjoy your presence and it is always a good time to meet up with your old friends and possibly make some new ones.

The members of the Valley of Everett extend to all the Brethren listed below, born in the month of February a very **Happy Birthday.**



- John E Aldrich
- John O Anderson
- Wayne C Betts
- Walter L Bisson
- Thomas R Booth
- Will Burge, III
- Edward Carlin
- Howard T Cromer
- Donald L DuBois
- Kenneth D Frank
- Tony L Gill
- Mark D. Goldberg
- Carl R Goodman
- Eugene N Hasson
- Richard L Kerr
- Jerry R Kunkle
- Theodore E Rupley
- Anthony C Schwab
- Alberto P Tcruz

Goose & Gridiron or (G & G)

By Ill. Bro. Walt Moody, 33°

We are a band of mostly retired and some not that can make it to Patty's Egg Nest on the second & fourth Wednesday of the Month. We have lunch & discuss a range of things, some Masonic & many not. Our main purpose is Fellowship and two Charities, the Challenger School and the Snohomish Christian Farm. Although we cannot clothe or feed all that are in need, we are making a small dent in the problem. A warm coat or pair of shoes is the little we do but make a big difference to those who have not. School supplies and hoodies, tooth paste, deodorant and soap are little, but helps. This is just part of the G&G. We also have a great time with lunch and a social hour. We have no I's or Me's and give out no Ribbons or Plaques, but you do get a Pin that says G&G. So if you think you are our kind of Person, ladies and/or gentlemen, we welcome you at 11:30AM on the second and fourth Wednesday at Patty's Egg Nest Restaurant on Evergreen Way, Everett, WA.

HAVE A HONKING GOOD DAY,
PAPA GOOSE

FREEMASONRY ON THE WEB

Brothers, please go to www.freemasoninformation.co/masonic-education/esoteric/the-holy-saints-john

This Masonic Website offers interesting article about the Holy Saints John, there and other corollary articles that may be of interest. If you are interested in further learning of the Craft, then this is a good place to check it out for yourself.

The Golden Years

Reprinted from the Rite Works bulletin of the Denver Consistory

*I worked forty-five years for someone else so that I could retire.
I dreamed of sleeping late and sitting by the fire
I dreamed of long vacations, enjoying stage and song.
But, let me set you straight on that concept, it is simply wrong.*

*I did junk my safety glasses and the work boots that cramped my toes.
But, the rest of it had a mind of its own and this is how it goes.
My wife had been thinking of retirement and had plans of her own.
She had spent much time with the kids, but now they are grown and gone.*

*We sold our cattle and horses so we wouldn't have that chore.
I poured concrete over my alarm clock, but I still wake up at four.
I get my eyes checked on Monday. Ann gets hers checked the next day.
I go for a colon check on Wednesday and pass my wife going the other Way.*

*I have a dental appointment on Thursday. Ann goes for a test on her heart.
Friday we go get prescriptions filled and browse a while at Wal-Mart.
Saturdays we just stay home and try to get the paperwork right.
We can't take any overnight trips 'cause we can't see to drive at night.*

*Restroom confusion keeps us out of church on Sunday and we really do hate that.
There's nothing wrong with the restrooms, we just can't remember where they're at.
We don't need to plan next week, just make sure we can drive
and not forget where the hospitals and clinics are.
We'll need them to survive.*

*So, don't build your castles too high, my friend, while strolling through the clover.
This is a typical week in retirement and Monday we start all over!*

Author unknown

WHAT MASONRY TEACHES

By Dewey H. Wollstein, PGM, 32°KCCH

The opportunity for study which Masonry offers is unlimited. Like thought, Masonry has no frontiers. The Ancient Mysteries, the Cathedral Builders, the beginnings of Speculative Masonry, a study of the great Masonic writers, and of the great men whose lives were influenced by Masonry- all are subjects which rouse the interested Mason to painstakingly research and study.

It is all important. The earnest student who seeks to learn so that he may teach, represents the strongest factor in the efforts of man to perpetuate underlying truths.

There is, however, this to remember: that wherever our study may lead, we should be conscious of what we actually have of precious value which we can make use of in our lives and transmit to the lives of others. Where Masonry is derived from is an important study, but more important is the fact that Masonry has a philosophy, a system of morality, truths expressed through symbolism and a way of life.

We must remember also that Masonry is for those who are prepared to receive it.

What is easily secured is never appreciated. The teachers of Masonry must speak to attentive ears and responsive hearts. In this way the teacher continues to be the pupil, and the pupil becomes the teacher.

Valley of Everett Scholarship Program By David McCuiston, 32°, KCCH

Everett Valley awards two \$2,500 scholarships each year to graduating high school seniors in the Everett area in the Everett and Mukilteo School Districts. The following criteria is on each application:

Everett Valley Scholarship eligibility & required documentation:

1. Must be a high school senior enrolling in a Public institution of higher learning, which includes a 2-year community college, a 4-year college or university, or vocational-technical college;

2. A copy of current high school transcript must accompany the application;

3. Three Letters of Recommendation from your school counselor, teachers, or School Administrator; and

4. We also ask a question about financial hardship, which we confirm with the school counselors.

Eligible students should contact their high school scholarship counselor after January 1, 2012 for the application.

Scottish Rite Foundation of Washington

To be eligible for a Scottish Rite Undergraduate Scholarship, student candidates must be:

a U.S. citizen;

a Washington State Resident;

entering third year (Junior), fourth year (Senior) or (if required for degree) fifth year undergraduate;

attending an accredited 4-year college or university in the State of Washington as a full time student for the full academic year;

maintaining a college level GPA of at least 3.0.

Applicants must provide a completed application and three letters of reference to a Director of the Scottish Rite Scholarship Foundation of Washington by March 31, 2012. Interested students must realize this an extremely competitive process between high caliber students.

To begin the application process, go to www.srscholarships.org to complete your SRFW Student Profile. A Foundation Director will be alerted to your initial application process and will respond accordingly to arrange an interview.

For additional information, interested students can contact David McCuiston at da-vidmcc44@frontier.com.

Freemasonry, Something to Think About

Bro. Leon Robert Albury, Joppa Lodge No. 55, F. & A. M.

Prince Hall Grand Lodge, State of New York

Submitted by David McCuiston 32° KCCH

"Freemasonry", well it's.....

It's about what brings men together

It's about the ties that bind – the one Common Mind

The Virtue of the White Lambskin Leather

It's about emphasizing the things they share naturally

One God, one Earth and one Humanity

It's about leaving behind the low state of mind

And its weapons on the side of the river

It's about rowing across the River of Peace

To a land full of Milk and Honey

Where beneath the Sun all may be One

With no regard of Race, Property or Money

It's about when we die and Rise to the skies

And enter the portals of Heaven

And drive up to the gate of the Temple we made

By Working the Three Five and Seven

It's about at the Banquet where the GAOTU stand

And raises his glass in a toast

To our lives well lived and our Temple so grand

We will know we're more than just ghosts

For we are True Spirits of Virtue and Right

We were GAOTU's perfect reflection

We'll sing out our Praise to the endless days

For we Live and there is a Resurrection

It's about a Communion below and above

A place here on earth filled with God's Love

It's about living as Brothers in Truth

Is the pure object of Freemasonry

Further Brother Albury explains.....

Masonry is about possessing "Dignity".

Masonry is about building Character.

Masonry is about Self Improvement.

You are in good company and around a better class of people.

It's about the **Moral** caliber of "Friends" you keep.

Masonry is not about the job you have.

It is about the Job you Do, (with your life).

Freemasonry is a Way of Life. That is what it is all about.

Brother Albury ends each paragraph of the statements with the words: **Think About That**".

The above was taken from Brother Albury's booklet entitled "**Something to Think About.**" He writes through the voices of animal conversations about Freemasonry, what it is about and what it is not about, what one must "be" to become a member, and a variety of other aspects of the Masonic Order told through the memory of a Moth who had listened to a lecture about Freemasonry. The above is a summary by the Moth as told to the other animals to whom the Moth was talking. The implication speaks to the "Mystic Tie" of Masonry that binds the Brotherhood into one common band of men with a like mind and value system.

As the hymnal says, "Blest be the tie that binds.....", so be it with the tie that binds us Masons. So may it ever be, so may it never be broken, so may it ever thrive and spread through mankind.

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February/March 2012 Degree Schedule

BY Kenneth Thompson, 32°, KCCH

The Valley of Everett will be commencing the school of instruction for **12° - Master Architect** This degree teaches faith in morality, virtue and God. "Life is what each man makes of it; the optimist turns a trial into a blessing". The apron of the 12th Degree consists of a white outer shell lined with blue and gold, symbolizing the Craft Degrees, with a protractor, plain scale, sector and compasses. The jewel is a heptagonal medal of gold. The duty is to seek wisdom through knowledge. the year 2012.

Brethren—Due to the severity of the storm in mid January it has been necessary to reschedule the 4° to January 27th.

The 5° and 6° degrees are cancelled and will be communicated.

On February 17th the 9 & 10 Degrees will be conferred as scheduled and listed on the pocket calendar

February 24, 2012

12° - Master Architect This degree teaches faith in morality, virtue and God. "Life is what each man makes of it; the optimist turns a trial into a blessing". The apron of the 12th Degree consists of a white outer shell lined with blue and gold, symbolizing the Craft Degrees, with a protractor, plain scale, sector and compasses. The jewel is a heptagonal medal of gold. The duty is to seek wisdom through knowledge.



13° - Royal Arch of Solomon (Knight of the Ninth



Arch) Liberty in our mind and hearts and motivated by duty and honor are the lessons of this degree. The apron of the 13th Degree is purple, bordered with white and with the "Enochian delta" (hexagram with inscribed Tetragrammaton) in the center. The jewel comprises a circular medal of gold. The duties are to seek knowledge and to be motivated by duty and honour.

March 9, 2012

VIRTUS JUNXIT MORS NON SEPARABIT
"WHOM VIRTUE UNITES DEATH SHALL NOT SEPARATE"

14° - Perfect Elu (Grand Elect, Perfect and Sublime Mason) This degree teaches us to reflect and scrutinize ourselves. We should strive to be true to ourselves and



our God. The apron being of white silk, bordered in gold with the Ineffable Delta in the Center, is truly emblematical of the degree. The jewel of the 14th Degree is split; one being a quadrant (compass open to ninety degrees) topped by a crown and with a nine-pointed star on the obverse; the other being a five-pointed blazing star with the Tetragrammaton on the reverse. The compass is opened on a segment of a circle inscribed with the numbers 3, 5, 7, 9. The duties are to assist, encourage and defend the brethren; to protect the oppressed and relieve want and distress; to enlighten the people and serve the common good.

March 23, 2012

15° - Knight of the East, of the Sword, or of the Eagle Fidelity to obligations and perseverance of purpose



under difficulties and discouragement are the lessons of this degree. The striking crimson velvet apron of this degree is edged with green, having a bleeding head above two crossed swords and a triangle (top point to the left) with three interlaced triangles inside it. The jewel is three golden concentric triangles encompassing two crossed swords. The duty is to rebuild the Masonic Temple of liberty, equality and fraternity in the souls of men.

Scottish Rite Education

Guideposts to the upcoming degrees for the Valley of Everett

Guidepost for the 9°--As we continue to learn and develop, we become more sensitive to the wrongs in the world, and we must learn the difference between being moved to correct a moral wrong from a sense of outrage, from that of taking a destructive action because of the petty emotion of anger.

Lessons--physical bravery is important, but moral bravery is even more important. Morality involves our relationships with people (as contrasted with virtue, which involves our relationship with Deity). To avoid doing right because of fear is to be less than human. Living uprightly and moderately are necessary for our own self-development as well as for the growth and protection of society as a whole.

Ideas Explored--we have an obligation and duty to help set right the things which are wrong with the world. When the actions of men have unbalanced society (or when natural disasters impose a special burden on society) it is our duty as ethical men to try and make things right. Wrongness never limits its effects to the person or situation which is wrong --it effects everyone to some degree or another.

Guidepost for the 10°--While being outraged can be a helpful reaction, we must never let it blind our judgment. To be an advocate for a position is good, and to work for right is honorable, but there is a trap we must avoid if our Masonic journey is to be fruitful. We must avoid fanaticism at all costs, regardless where it arises.

Lessons--What evil men do finds them out. Even if we are not punished by civil or religious authority, we punish ourselves. You cannot do wrong and expect positive results. There are forces for good in the world. If we align ourselves with them, we experience strength and positive results. If we choose evil, even the evil of perverted good, we pay the price.

Ideas Explored--The concepts of divine justice and human justice. The cooperation of the forces of good and right against wrong and evil. The need for moderation in all things.

Guidepost for the 11°--Whenever possible, we should validate our thinking and our insight by discussion with others. Never lose sight of the big picture by denying other points of view.

Lessons--Judgment is best shared. Trial by jury is important, not because it releases the judge from responsibility, but because it assures that the judgment of several persons are involved and thus has a better chance of being fair.

Ideas Explored--Justice is social concept. It takes into account more than just the facts of a case (e.g. rather than punish the woman taken in by adultery, punish the men who lead her into that life). The importance of civil administration and the ills which can befall society when such administration is inadequate.

Theme--Political/judicial--the first two assassins are presented for trial and convicted. The idea of trial by jury is introduced.

Guidepost for the 12°--As we become more aware of the great forces of the universe, we may be tempted to think that our actions make little difference. But every action effects our plan of life. There is no such thing as an unimportant action. There is no such thing as fate. There are actions and consequences to actions. We can have whatever life we want.

Lessons--We primarily build ourselves, and the selection of materials for our intellectual and spiritual life are the most important decisions we will ever make.

Ideas Explored--The philosophy of fatalism is explored and rejected. Man

is transcendent over events and fate.

Theme--The candidate is instructed in the philosophical lessons of the instruments of mathematics.

Guidepost for the 13°--As we learn more to take control of our life, we discover that the spiritual, and not the material, must be at the center of our being. And we should seek that spirituality within ourselves, don't look for it outside. Our first Quest, therefore, the Quest for spiritual awakening, nears its close.

Lessons--Seek the spiritual center deep within yourself. This is a strengthening and development of the lesson of the Middle Chamber in the Fellow Craft degree. Spiritual development is a matter of awakening and bringing to light that which is already there. There is a light of the divine within you.

Ideas Explored--Enochian philosophy and the completion of the temple. Since the allegory of the temple is always symbolic of the building of the life of the individual Mason, the degree suggests that the awakening of spiritual awareness within ourselves, analogous to the sacred light which flooded the Holy of Holies during the dedication of the Temple of Solomon, is the act which completes the building of your life.

Rose Croix Funeral Service

This service is very beautiful and available to all members of the Scottish Rite; however, Members must make their desires known to their families and the Valley. Should you desire a Rose Croix Funeral Service, when the time comes, please let your families know now. Ensure that they have the phone number of our Valley Secretary, Charrison Lochaby when that time does come. Charrison can be reached at 1-888-530-0816, toll free.

Outreach Services

by Mary Craves-Hollands, Director

UPDATE ON THE MASONIC OUTREACH SERVICES AMBASSADOR PROGRAM

by: **VW DOUGLAS HAUGHTON**
SPECIAL DEPUTY FOR MASONIC OUTREACH SERVICES

This is an update to the fraternity about the progress of developing the Ambassador Program. The Ambassador program is the key infrastructure for Outreach Services. At this time they have three key matters they are working on.

1. Present to the Lodges in their Districts the power point program that explains the purpose and programs that are the goals of Outreach Services.
2. Act as the voice of the program in their districts of new programs being developed.
3. Convey to Mary Craves-Hollands, Director of Outreach Services the needs of their fraternal brothers.

There are 29 Districts in this Jurisdiction; 18 Districts have at least one Ambassador. Several Districts have multiple Ambassadors to better serve their District. Following is the honor roll of the initial Ambassadors.

- a. District 2: Ellis Nichols
- b. District 7: Matthew Roalkvam
- c. District 8: Steve Martin
Vance Whippo
- d. District 9: Jerry Lounsberry
- e. District 11: Darel Maynard
- f. District 12: Tom Dangelo
- g. District 13: Steve Ross
Duane Wilcox
- h. District 14: Cappy McIntire
- i. District 15: Fred Docker
- j. District 16: Paul Nelson
- k. District 17: Ken Kessler
- l. District 19: Jimmy Johnson
- m. District 20: Mike Gostovitch
- n. District 23: Terry Guynes
- o. District 27: Kim Roddy
- p. District 28: Jeffery L. Pietila
Gregory Rash
- q. District 30: Jerry Clayburn

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If you are interested in having the program presented at your Lodge or Chapter please contact the Ambassador in your District. If you might be interested in becoming an Ambassador please contact myself or the Director: Mary Craves-Hollands.

Finally; Mary and I want to thank all that have helped us in building this infrastructure. To the Deputies in the above Districts, thanks for all of your help.

To All; please remember that this is just the start of the program; your help and assistance will be needed as long as we develop and grow Outreach Services.

VALLEY OF EVERETT REFRIGERATOR CARD

(Please cut out this card and place it on your Refrigerator as a reminder of upcoming Scottish Rite and other meetings, appointments or events)

February 2012

Feb 10 - Lodge of Perfection - Stated Meeting - Sweetheart Dinner and Reception for the Grand Master- 6:30 PM Punch Bowl - 7:00 PM Dinner - RSVP required

Feb 12 - Executive Committee Meeting - 2:00 PM

Feb 17 - Lodge of Perfection - 6:30PM Buffet - 9° & 10°

Feb 24 - Kadosh Stated 6:30 Buffet— Confer 12° & 13°

March 2012

Mar 9 - Lodge of Perfection - 14° Degree - 6:30 PM Buffett

Mar 11 - Executive Council Meeting—2z:00 pm

Mar 16—Consistory Stated Meeting - Ceremony of Remembrance - 6:30

PM Punch Bowl - 7:00 PM Dinner

Mar 23 - Confer 15° - 6:30PM Buffet



Valley of Everett Scottish Rite February/March Degree Schedule

6:30 PM Dinner 7:30 PM Degree
February 2012

Feb 17, 2012 - 9th & 10th Degree
Feb 24, 2012 - 12th & 13th Degree

March 2012

March 09, 2012 - 14th Degree
March 23, 2012 - 15th Degree

*VALLEY OF EVERETT
COMING EVENTS*

SWEETHEARTS DINNER
RECEPTION FOR THE GRAND MASTER

Friday, February 10, 2012

Everett Masonic Center

6:30 PM Punch Bowl

7:00 PM Dinner

Prospective Members and Families, Members Ladies,

Guest and Children are invited to attend

Ladies Free - RSVP Required

CEREMONY OF REMEMBRANCE

Friday, March 16, 2012

Everett Masonic Center

6:30 PM Punch Bowl

7:00 PM Dinner

Prospective Members and Families, Members Ladies,

Guest and Children are invited to attend

VALLEY OF EVERETT CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Reserve Friday Evenings for your Scottish Rite

Feb 10 - Lodge of Perfection - Sweetheart Dinner & Reception for the Grand Master 6:30 PM Punch Bowl - 7:00 PM Dinner RSVP Required

Feb 12 - Executive Council - 2:00 PM

Feb 17 - Lodge of Perfection - Stated Meeting - 6:30PM Buffett - 9th and 10th Degree

Feb 24 - Kadosh Stated - - 6:30 PM Buffett - 12th and 13th Degree

Mar 09 - Lodge of Perfection - Stated Meeting - 6:30PM Buffett - 14th

Mar 11 - Executive Council - 2:00 PM

Mar 16 - Consistory - Ceremony of Remembrance - 6:30 PM Punch Bowl - 7:00 PM Dinner

Mar 23 - Rose Croix -Confer 15th Degree - 6:30PM Buffett

DISTRICT EIGHT MASONIC HAPPENINGS

February 2012

<i>Date</i>	<i>Day</i>	<i>Time</i>	<i>Lodge</i>	<i>Event</i>
1	Wednesday	7:30 PM	Alpha 212	Stated Meeting
	Wednesday	7:30 PM	Centennial 25	Stated Meeting
5	Saturday	8:00 AM	Crystal 122	SLOC Meeting
7	Tuesday	6:30 PM	Crystal 122	Stated Meeting-
		7:30 PM	Sultan-Monroe 160	6:30PM Dinner -Stated Meeting
0	Wednesday	7:30 PM	Arlington 129	Stated Meeting
9	Thursday	6:30 PM	Peninsular 95	6:30 PM Dinner - Stated Meeting
13	Monday	7:30 PM	Everett 137	Stated Meeting
14	Tuesday	7:30 PM	Damascus 199	Stated Meeting
15	Wednesday	7:30 PM	Alpha 212	Stated Meeting
	Wednesday	7:30 PM	Centennial 25	Stated Meeting
21	Tuesday	6:30 PM	Crystal 122	Stated Meeting
		7:30 PM	Sultan-Monroe 160	Stated Meeting
22	Wednesday	7:30 PM	Arlington 129	Stated Meeting
23	Thursday	7:30PM	Peninsular 95	Special Communication - 6:30PM Dinner
27	Monday	7:30 PM	Everett 137	Special Communications

DISTRICT NINE MASONIC HAPPENINGS

February 2012

<i>Date</i>	<i>Day</i>	<i>Time</i>	<i>Lodge</i>	<i>Event</i>
1	Tuesday	6:30 PM	Mount Baker 36	Stated Meeting
2	Thursday	6:30 PM	Burlington -United 93	Stated Meeting
9	Thursday	7:30 PM	Camano 19	Stated Meeting
14	Tuesday	6:30 PM	Fidalgo 77	Stated Meeting
16	Thursday	7:30 PM	Garfield 41	Stated Meeting
20	Tuesday	7:30 PM	Whidby Island 15	Stated Meeting
28	Tuesday	6:30 PM	Langley 218	6:30 PM Dinner - Stated Meeting
29	Wednesday	7:30 PM	District 9	Lodge Officers Assoc, Reg. Meeting

Note: Brethren take the time to visit your local Blue Lodges and share with them the opportunities that are available to them in our valley

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What is Scottish Rite? Although there is no higher degree than that of Master Mason, the 29 degrees of the Scottish Rite serve to enrich the philosophy of the Symbolic Lodge. A Mason who chooses to further his Masonic experience by becoming a 32° Scottish Rite Mason will be expanding upon the fundamental principles of Freemasonry. The moral and ethical lessons will allow him to be constantly reminded of his duty to God, Family, Country, and Fellow Man.

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Web masters' Note: Come visit the Everett Valley web site. It is located at:

www.everettscottishrite.org

DATES TO REMEMBER

Friday, February 10, 2012

***Sweet Heart Dinner
Reception for the
Grand Master***

6:30 PM Punch Bowl

7:00 PM Dinner

**At the Everett Masonic Center
Ladies Free - RSVP**

Friday, March 16, 2012

Ceremony of Remembrance

6:30 PM Punch Bowl

7:00 PM Dinner

**At the Everett Masonic Center
Ladies Free - RSVP**

From the Almoner's desk

John Friesen, 32°

If you know of anyone who is ill, in a nursing home or hospital please let me know so I can send them a card or pay them a visit. May God bless you and be with you always. I can be contacted at 425-337-1655 or email me at: john-friesen@comcast.net

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