

Medford Lodge No. 178 F. & A. M.



Trestleboard

January 2019 AD 2019 AL 6019

**Grand Master of Masons of New Jersey
M.W. Roger B Quintana**



**CONSTITUTED
MARCH 11, 1903**

MEETS SECOND MONDAY
(EXCEPT JULY & AUGUST)

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Medford Lodge 2019 Officers

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Message from the East



Dear Brothers,

Our year begins again. January starts our year both in Lodge, and life in general. It takes its' name from the old Roman god "Janus". Janus was usually depicted as having two faces, one looking back and one looking forward. This is a time of year when it is common to look back at what one has accomplished, and look forward to what is to come. I think that Medford Lodge can deservedly look back in pride, and look forward in anticipation. I have been placed, by your consent, in the East of one of the most active Lodges in the 19th District (in my opinion). The enthusiasm and commitment of the Brothers have brought Medford Lodge to where it is now, and I hope to help us continue that growth.

I am truly gratified by the confidence shown in me by my Brethren, and hope that I can prove worthy of it. I look forward to working with all my Brothers. My contact information is in every Trestleboard, please don't hesitate to contact me with any questions, suggestions, complaints, or for any reason. I look forward to seeing everyone in Lodge.

Fraternally,

Rick Young

Calendar of Events



Dates to Remember — January

Day	Date	Time	Event	Location
Monday	7	6:30 PM	District Lodge of Instruction Dinner 6:30pm - DLI Opens 7:15pm Officer Expected to Attend / Master Mason Encouraged Dress: Business	Mount Holly Lodge 15 Garden Street Mt Holly, NJ 08060
Monday	14	6:30 PM	Regular Communication- AED Presentation by SW Dinner/Fraternal Networking 6:30 pm / Open 7:30 pm Dress Officers: Formal / Masons: Business Dinner Catered by Femmina - Bro. Franco Coppola	Medford Lodge 25 Bank Street Medford, NJ 08055
Monday	21	7:15 PM	Officer Rehearsal—Fellowcraft All Officer's Expected to Attend Dress - Casual / All Master Masons Welcome	Medford Lodge 25 Bank Street Medford, NJ 08055
Saturday	26	8:00 AM	Masonic Education Seminar Master & Wardens Expected to Attend 8:00 AM Registration Event from 9-12pm See Attached Flyer	Masonic Fellowship Center 1114 Oxmead Road Burlington, NJ 08016
Monday	28	6:30 PM	Emergent Communication: FC Degree Dinner/Fraternal Networking 6:30 pm / Open 7:30 pm Dress Officers: Formal / Masons: Business Dinner Catered by Femmina - Brother Franco Coppola	Medford Lodge 25 Bank Street Medford, NJ 08055

Just a bit of History:



On January 2, 1901 President Theodore Roosevelt was initiated into Matinecock Lodge #806, in Oyster Bay NY.

A quote from our famous Brother; "Far and away the best prize that life has to offer is the chance to work hard at work worth doing."

[This is a link to all the 19th District Upcoming Events](http://www.19thdistrictnj.org/19th-district-events/)
<http://www.19thdistrictnj.org/19th-district-events/>



DUES

Dues for 2019 are now due and payable to Medford Lodge #178. Please remit to the Secretary.
Lodge Dues for 2019 (\$122.50) and include Grand Lodge Assessment.

Masonic Birthdays

Brother	Raised	Years	Brother	Raised	Years
Wallace H Cabler Jr.	1/10/1983	36	Nicholas L Matteo	1/11/1993	26
Todd A Cottle	1/28/2015	4	Trond G Olsen	1/18/1993	26
Alan S Craine	1/28/1991	28	Charles D Parker	1/15/1996	23
Jack A Crosby	1/8/1990	29	Frederick A Tantleff	1/24/2000	19
A. John Ellor	1/16/1996	23	Paul J Thompson III	1/15/1996	29
Thomas J Fitzpatrick	1/13/1965	54	Charles A Trethewy	1/17/1984	35
Jeffrey Fitzpatrick	1/28/2015	4	Daniel L Weaver	1/15/1996	23
Richard A Godin	1/8/1973	46	K. Charles Westen	1/15/1996	23
Andrew J Kean	1/26/2004	15	George J Wigginton Jr.	1/11/1993	26
Thomas J Kosdemba	1/30/1989	30	Larry W Wilson	1/29/1966	53
Robert C Marter	1/18/1993	26	Richard W Woodhull	1/30/1989	30
Rocco L Marvaldi	1/25/1999	20			

Making Good Men Better

To be Balloted:	Mr. Thomas Anton Jereb, Residence: Lumberton, NJ
	Mr. Michael Angermeier, Residence: Medford, NJ
In waiting for the Fellowcraft Degree:	Bro. John Paul Froggett
	Bro. Nicholas Charles Gondolf
	Bro. Shawn R. Metzcher
	Bro. Harry A. Mayer
	Bro. Neal Stanton Smoyer, III
In Waiting for the Master Mason Exam:	Bro. David M Carvin Jr
	Bro. Ryan R Wilno
	Bro. Gary C Gubbei
	Bro. Robert T Gadsby
	Bro. Steve Woods



Notes from the Worshipful Master:



My Brothers, I believe that we all have slightly different interests, or inclinations when it comes to the Lodge. Some of us are most interested in the social aspect. It is very enjoyable to spend time with friends in pleasant surroundings. Some are more attracted to the activities, the Lodge shoot, bowling events, Table Lodges, while other brethren are most interested in our charity work. Our recent survey showed (in my view anyway) that we have a variety of reasons for our participation.

One thing that sets Masonry apart from most other organizations is our Ritual. Medford has long had good reason to be proud of the Ritual work. Practicing, and learning, the Ritual, is part and parcel of being a Mason. As much as the fellowship and camaraderie, it helps bind us together. Participation in rehearsals is important. No matter how well you know your part of the work, the Ritual is a group effort, and it is important to work together. Your part of the work keys off of someone else, and another Brother's work keys off of yours. Many, if not most, of you have heard me say "Everybody's Pavarotti in the shower". Working together, in the Lodge room is important for a good result. Please Brothers, bear that in mind, and do your best to attend rehearsals.

See you in Lodge,
Rick

Reminder Feb 11th
Official Visit of the DDGM to Medford Lodge
Please be at rehearsals to show the DDGM and DRI
Medford Lodge's BEST ritual!!!

Junior Warden



Senior Warden



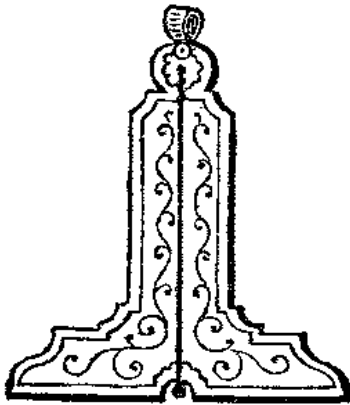
Worshipful Master



Congratulations to all the Officers of Medford Lodge for the
2019 Masonic Year



From the West



Brethren,

I hope you all enjoyed a wonderful holiday season with your families. As we now make plans for the upcoming New Year, your input is needed. As you may know, Brother Christine has distributed over the internet a Lodge survey. So far we have received about 50 responses. To help ensure that the Lodge continues to grow and improve your opinion is important.

I want to clarify the questions about a possible Lodge increase. The question is only for informational purposes. Any actual increase would have to be discussed, voted on and approved by both the Lodge and the Grand Lodge. There has not been an increase in a long time and any additional funds would be used to have more activities at the lodge and increased charity giving.

If you have not yet received a link to the online survey please contact Brother Hugh Christine hfchristine@comcast.net. If you would prefer a paper survey please see me in the Lodge or contact me at drflv@verizon.net or by phone or text at 609-472-9291. Here is the [link to the survey](#).

This will help us make a great Lodge even better by keeping and adding the actives most valued.

Thank you and have a wonderful New Year with peace and harmony in 2019.

Larry Vernamonti, SW

Survey: <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/8L8WP33>

Officers & Committees



2019 Medford Lodge Officers

Worshipful Master

Frederick "Rick" C. Young Jr.

Senior Warden

Larry Vernamonti

Junior Warden

John A Quintana

Treasurer

WB Daniel O'Brien

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Secretary

WB David Carvin, Sr.

25 Bank Street, Medford, NJ 08055

Senior / Junior Deacon

Rigil Abellanosa

Hugh Christine

Senior / Junior Master of Ceremonies

Rudy Hatala

Ryan Stradling

Senior / Junior Steward

Joseph "Kip" Duffy

George Massey

Chaplain

Thomas Beamer

Marshal

John Farrace

Tyler

Michael Redner

Historian

WB J Edward Hunt, PM

Proxy to Grand Lodge

Rigil Abellanosa

Committees

Lodge Trustees

WB Ed Michaloski, PM (1)

Harry Srolovitz (2)

Joseph F. Alter (3)

Temple Trustees

RW Jeremiah Phillips (1)

WB George Wigginton, PM (2)

WB John Ellor, PM (3)

Sickness & Distress

RW Howard I Black, 2nd

Larry Vernamonti

Rudy Hatala

Audit Committee

WB Daniel Nemcek

DB Russ Carvin Jr

William "Bill" Crozier

Ritual Committee

WB David Carvin, PM

RW Russ Bauer, GC

RW Jeremiah Phillips

Relief Committee

Larry Vernamonti

By-Laws

WB David Carvin, PM

RW Russ Bauer, GC

Hospitality Committee

John Quintana

RW Jeremiah Phillips

Franco Coppola

Stewards

Educator & 1st Responder Scholarship

Kip Duffy

Grand Lodge & District Info



Most Worshipful Roger B. Quintana
Grand Master of Masons of the State of New Jersey

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Lodges of the 19th District

Beverly Riverside #107

Meets 3rd Thursday
621 Chester Avenue, Riverside, NJ 08075

Burlington #32

Meets 2nd Tuesday
2308 Mt Holly Rd, Burlington, NJ 08016

Central #44

Meets 3rd Wednesday
23 Plum Street, South Hampton, NJ 08088

Covenant #161

Meets 1st Friday
1007 Highland Avenue, Palmyra, NJ 08065

Maple Shade Moorestown #281

Meets 1st Thursday
15 North Fellowship Road, Maple Shade, NJ 08052

Medford #178

Meets 2nd Monday
25 Bank Street, Medford, NJ 08055

Mount Holly #14

Meets 3rd Monday
15 Garden Street, Mount Holly, NJ 08060

Mount Moriah #28

Meets 2nd & 4th Wednesday's
121 Farnsworth Avenue, Bordentown, NJ 08505

Pemberton Pyramid #92

Meets 4th Tuesday (Except Dec) & April 2nd Tuesday
122 Hanover Street, Pemberton, NJ 08068

Past Masters



In Honor of our Living Past Masters

Richard S. Dellmyer	1966 (+)	Richard D. Dolbec	1999 (EXP)
Calvin Walters	1974	Borys I. Umyn	2000
Frederick H. Beals III	1976 (DMT)	George J. Wigginton Jr	2001
Robert S. Middleton, PGC	1977, 79	Stephen C. Sweeney	2002
Frederick D. Domako	1977 (D)	John Bradshaw, PSGD	2004, 08 (D)
Richard A. Godin	1980	Peter M. DeStefano	2004
Ralph H. Berringer	1980 (D)	William J. Ward, Jr.	2005 (A)
J. Edward Hunt	1981	Jerry S. Albrecht	2005
John F. Hall, PGC, PDGI	1982 (D)	A. John Ellor	2006 (D)
Orrin Dillabough	1982 (D)	Conrad Dombkiewicz	2008
Wayne Hartman	1983 (D)	Joseph W. Keresztury Jr.	1976, 2009 (D)
Alfred D. "Gov" Gilmour	1985	David M. Carvin	2010, 14
Frederick L. Schmidt	1986	Roy A. Winter, DRI	2010, 14 (D)
Howard I. Black 3 rd , PGMar	1987	Mark K. Crosby	2011
David B. Stoneback	1989	Edwin A. Michaloski	2012
Richard B. Lechner	1990	Daniel L. Nemcek	2013
Owen D. Brennan, PGSB	1990 (+)	Russell A. Bauer, PGC	2015
Howard I. Black 2 nd , PJGS	1991	Robert Shestack	2016 (D)
Mark Birnbaum	1993 (D, S)	Jeremiah H. Phillips, JGD	2016
Ronald Gervasoni	1994 (S)	Jonathan Murray	2017
William B. Watson	1995	John Bradshaw, PSGD	2017, 2019 (D)
Dennis J. Coloski	1996	Daniel O'Brien	2018
Charles F. Markelwith	1996 (D)		
Allan D. Kline	1997 (DMT)		
John T. Kubit	1998		

(+) = Affiliated

(DMT) = Demitted

(D) = Dual

(S) = Suspended

(EXP) = Expelled

In Memoriam — Dec 2018 & 2019

[Donald Schroeder—12/4/2018](#)

[WB C. William Cornelssen Sr.—12/17/2018](#)

Harold "Hal" W. Giatto—12/26/2018



Past Masters



In Memory of our Deceased Past Masters

Frank A. Braddock	1903	Harold S. Farrow	1952
Samuel A. Garwood	1904	Charles N. Parker	1953
J. Maurice Garwood	1905-06	Norman R. DeLong	1954
Harry Brick	1907, 37-38	Henry Emenecker Sr, PGC	1955, 64
William D. Cowperthwait	1904, 40	A. Robert Merrion	1956
Alfred E. Darnell	1909-10	Jerald Carey	1957, 63
Carlton J. Garwood	1911	Harold E. Easlick PGC	1958, 62
Charles J. Hollingshead	1912	Dean W. Cramer (+)	1958
Wilbert F. Branin	1913	Kenneth G. Rexon (D)	1958, 80
C. Edgar Haines	1914	Gordon L. Beeler	1959
Albert F. Kirby	1915	Herbert M. Hays	1960
Isaac E. Ballinger	1916	George D. Richer Jr	1961
E. P. Warner	1917	Fred A. Sharkey III	1965
S. Thackara Haines	1918	David C. Morton	1966
Fred W. Branin	1919	Richard S. Dellmyer (+)	1966
Charles H. Griscom	1920	George W. Beisley	1967-68
Henry S. Lippincott	1921	William L. Springman	1969
Eckard J. Ballinger	1922	Arnold Earle (+)	1969
Clinton H. Cowperthwait, PSGS	1924, 47	Benjamin J. Amadio	1970
Charles F. Clymer	1925	Thomas J. Fitzgerald (+)	1970
George M. Hiles	1926	Oscar Cahall	1971
Francis Mickle	1927	Carl P. Rehor	1972
William C. Griscom	1928, 39	William H. Moffett (+)	1972
Lawrence G. Mingin	1929	John D. Cooper	1973
Garfield Alloway	1930	Richard B. Snavely (+)	1974
Harvey Hiles	1931	Ernest L. Seth	1975
Karl G.J. Bingemann	1932	Frederick D. Domako (D)	1977
Charles H. Leeds	1933	C. William Cornelssen	1978
Ralph E. Curry	1934	Wilheml Launhardt (+)	1980
Fred R. Boyd	1935	Paul D. Garlanger PDDGM (+)	1981
Robert N. Henderson	1936	Russell C.S. Williams	1982
Edwin M. Johnson	1941-44	Joseph W. Siatkowski	1983
George W. Otto (+)	1941	V. James Minerva	1984
George Korradi (+)	1942	Harry T. McNeill	1945-46
Edwin E. Wood III, PSGM	1988	Edwin Holzschuher	1948
Frederick H. Tillwick	1992	Joseph E. Bealer Jr	1949
Ronald L. Hodge	1993	E. Lester Small	1950-51
William E. Stockum	2003	Robert E. Seufert	2003-04 (A)
		Thomas Wright II, PJGD	2007

(+) = Affiliated

(**D**) = DUAL



DeMolay New Jersey



New Jersey Rainbow



“In a world too often seen through a screen, DeMolay and Rainbow reminds us there are other choices”.

Members of DeMolay (12-21) and Rainbow (11-20) develop civic awareness through community service projects, personal responsibility by planning and executing their own activities, and gain self-confidence through leadership and public speaking.

For more information on these organizations for your son, daughter, grandchild, niece, nephew or neighbor, please call or email me.

RW Rick LaBaw (609-902-7516) rflabawjr@comcast.net



Medford Lodge App

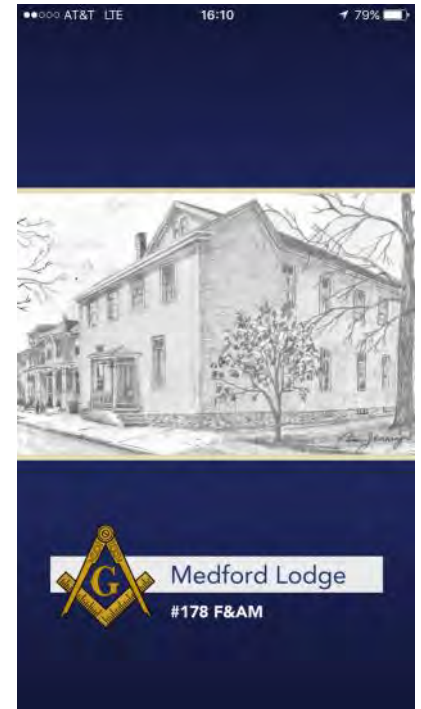
In regards to technology, it is exciting that we, like many organizations, can make use of up-to-date, convenient tools that can benefit our fraternity in an easy to use way. The new Medford Lodge #178 app will allow for just that!

To download and use the Medford Lodge #178 app, you can visit Play Store or iTunes store to download- just search Medford Lodge #178

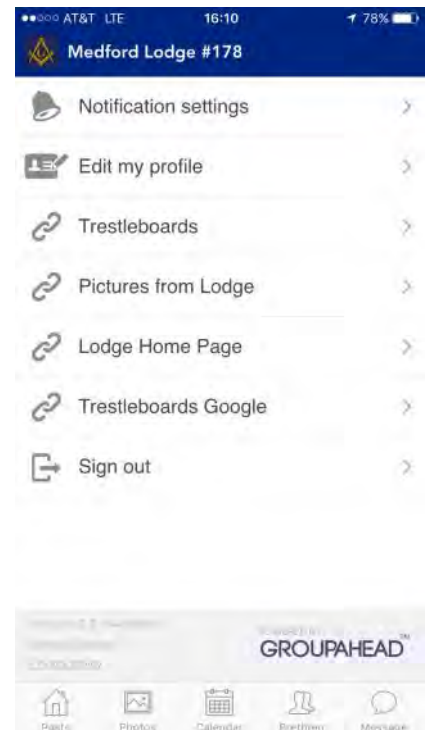
Once you download the app at your app store you will be able to:

- View up-to-date calendar information for lodge events, to allow members to plan to attend lodge events
- Use the messaging feature to communicate with other lodge members, and join private and public chats for individual members or Committee groups
- Access members' contact information
- View and upload photos from lodge events

Additionally, the app will also have links to our monthly Trestleboards so you can view them when you're on the go!



Here is the link to download: [Non-Apple](#) - [iTunes Store](#)





The Masonic Kilties of New Jersey

Cordially invites you to our annual

Burns Dinner Dance



Saturday, January 26th 2019

6:30 - 11:30 pm

\$65 Per Person, 4 Hour Open Bar

Open to Non-Masons

Featuring

The Kearny Caledonian Pipe Band

The Hanover Manor • 16 Eagle Rock Ave • East Hanover, NJ

Phone: (973) 887-2682



*******JOIN*******

THE MASONIC KILTIES OF NEW JERSEY

and

The Grand Master of Masons for New Jersey

for our annual

ROBERT BURNS NIGHT DINNER DANCE

PLACE: The Hanover Manor, 16 Eagle Rock Avenue, East Hanover, NJ

TIME: Saturday, January 26, 2019, at 6:30 PM to 11:30 PM

ACTIVITIES:

Open Bar, Hors D'Oeuvres, Dancing to Outstanding Music by "The Late Show", the Usual Festive Toasts and Responses, Address to the Haggis and an Outstanding Meal with a choice of Top Sirloin of Beef (TSB), Chicken Français (CF), or Broiled Salmon (BS). Great Fellowship!

DRESS CODE:

The suggested attire for the evening is Highland Dress, Tuxedo or dark suit for the gentlemen; and formal or semi-formal dress for the ladies. As always it is hoped that you will wear something Tartan (a tie, a sash, a ribbon, or whatever tickles your fancy).

COST:

\$65.00 per person. Please make your check payable to "Masonic Kilties of N.J.". Reservations are required for all who attend. We request that reservations with checks be received no later than **Friday, January 4th, 2019.** Don't delay and miss the fun!

(PLEASE PRINT ALL INFORMATION)

Contact Name: _____ Phone #: _____

(Please make a dinner selection for each name on the list below)

- 1 _____ TSB CF BS 6 _____ TSB CF BS
- 2 _____ TSB CF BS 7 _____ TSB CF BS
- 3 _____ TSB CF BS 8 _____ TSB CF BS
- 4 _____ TSB CF BS 9 _____ TSB CF BS
- 5 _____ TSB CF BS 10 _____ TSB CF BS

Number of Reservations _____ × \$ 65 = \$ _____ (total amount of the check)

*Arrangements can be made for tables of 8 to 11.
Indicate special seating you require with your reservation.*

Please Mail reservations and payment to
David M. Russen, Jr., 1022 Philadelphia Avenue, Point Pleasant NJ 08742-2971

must be received by **Friday, January 4, 2019.**



MOST WORSHIPFUL ROGER B. QUINTANA

**GRAND MASTER OF MASONS OF THE STATE OF NEW JERSEY
CHAIRMAN OF THE MASONIC CHARITY FOUNDATION**



PRESENTS: MASTERS' & WARDENS' EDUCATION DAY

**WORSHIPFUL MASTERS & WARDENS ARE EXPECTED TO ATTEND
OTHER OFFICERS ARE WELCOMED**



*Admission
is free!*

REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED
BY PHONE OR EMAIL

**8:00AM * REGISTRATION * COFFEE * LIGHT REFRESHMENTS
9:00AM – 12:00PM * SATURDAY * JANUARY * 26 * 2019**

PRESENTATIONS

- ▶ "PATH TO THE EAST" BY R.W. GLENN VISSCHER
- ▶ "HOW TO RUN A BUSINESS MEETING" BY R.W. MICHAEL NEUBERGER
- ▶ "A PATH TOWARDS SUCCESSFUL MEMBERSHIP GROWTH" BY R.W. MICHAEL ROTHMAN
- ▶ "MASONRY—A SCHOOL FOR GOVERNANCE" BY R.W. KEITH HERMAN
- ▶ REMARKS BY THE GRAND MASTER—M.W. ROGER B. QUINTANA



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ATTIRE: BUSINESS CASUAL

LOCATION: FELLOWSHIP CENTER, 1114 OXMEAD RD., BURLINGTON, NEW JERSEY 08016



40th Annual Brotherhood Night

Hosted by The Grand Lodge of Delaware

Friday, March 22, 2019

NUR Shrine Temple

198 S. DuPont Highway
New Castle, DE 19720-4149

Social Hour: 5:30 PM

Dinner: 6:30 PM

\$40.00



Grand Marshal / Secretary to the Grand Master Reception



Mount Moriah Lodge #28
and
Clifton Lodge #203
Cordially invite you
To attend the Official Visit of

Most Worshipful Roger B. Quintana,
Grand Master of Masons of the State of New Jersey
Chairman, Masonic Charity Foundation

for the Open Reception in Honor of
R.W. Henry P. Fratz, Grand Marshal
&
R.W. Leonard Vander Horn, Secretary to the Grand Master

Saturday, April 6, 2019

Fellowship Center
1114 Oxmead Road
Burlington, NJ 08016

Social Hour (Open Bar) 5:00 PM, Dinner 6:00 PM, Reception 7:30
PM

Mail To: RWButch Elliott, 38 Main St. - Flanders, NJ 07836

Questions? Contact RWButch Elliott at (201) 390-3415

Deadline: May 28, 2019

Checks Payable to: "Clifton Lodge #203"

No tickets will be issued

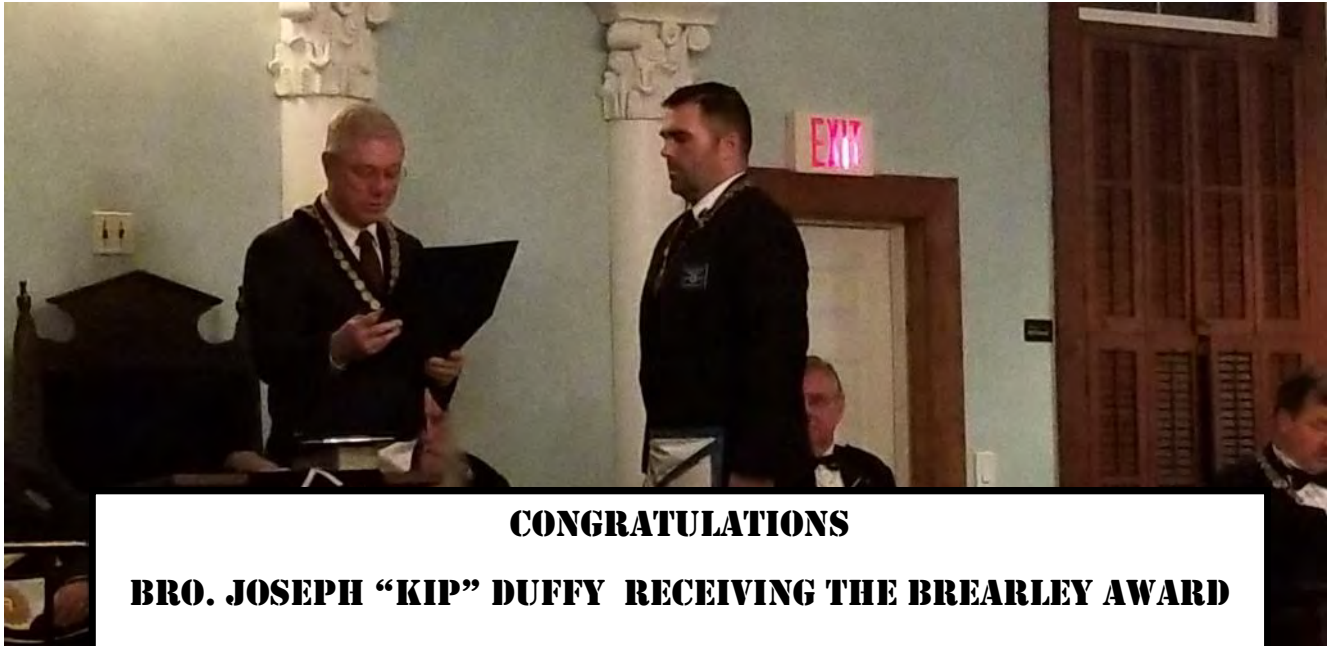
I would like ___ Reservations @ \$60 each Total Enclosed: \$_____

Please write the names of any additional attendees included in this reservation on the back of this form.

NAME: _____ GUEST: _____

DISTRICT: _____ LODGE: _____ TITLE: _____

EMAIL: _____ PHONE: _____



CONGRATULATIONS
BRO. JOSEPH "KIP" DUFFY RECEIVING THE BREARLEY AWARD
AWARDED BY RW DDGM ROBERT BOULTON

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