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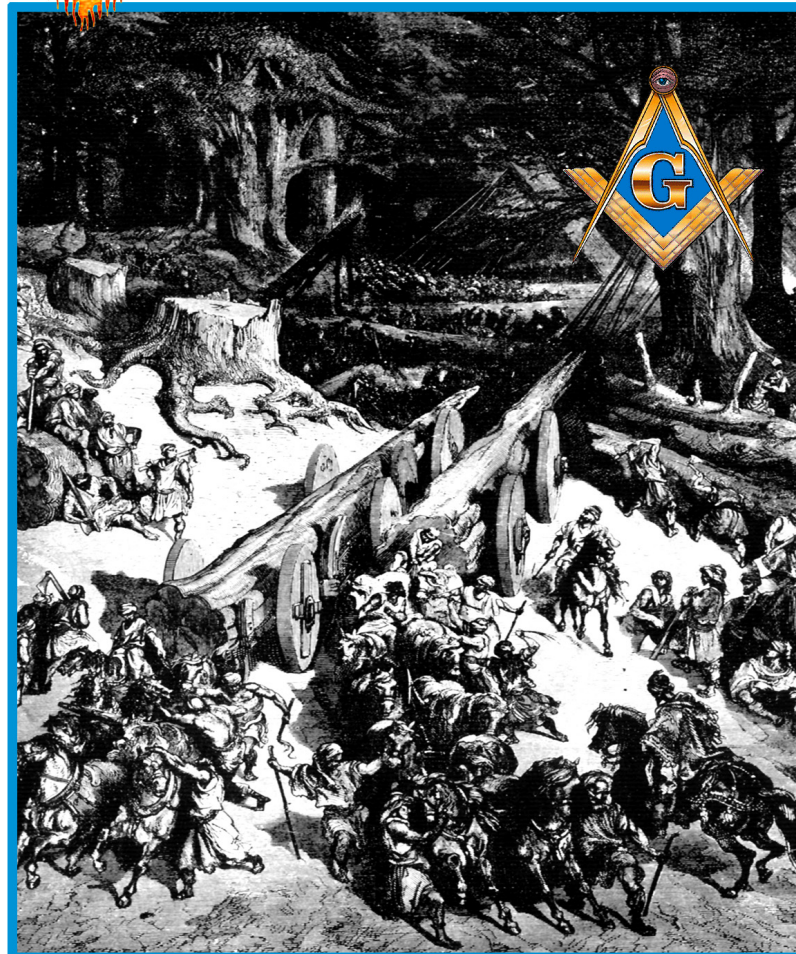
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**SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 24, 2011**  
 Dinner 6:00pm  
 Performances 6:00pm

**\$15.00 DONATION**



  
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**Youth Orders**



  
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## SCOTTISH RITE BODIES VALLEY OF SAN BERNARDINO

4400 Varsity Avenue - San Bernardino, CA 92407 - (909) 887-4415

- September 13th – 6:30 P.M. – Executive Board Meeting  
September 20th – 6:30 P.M. – Dinner ( *Ticket Reservation required* )  
Masonic Sweethearts Night  
– 8:00 P.M. – Stated Meetings – AASR in Auditorium,  
SBSR Women's Association in Board Room  
September 24th – 6:00 P.M. – Dinner  
– 7:00 P.M. – “A Night South of the Border”  
A Charitable Event, Folklorico Dance  
Performance at 7:00 P.M. Donation: \$15.00  
to Benefit the William and Beverly Rainbolt  
Childhood Language and Literacy Center.



## Gate City O.E.S. #212

- Sept. 9 Members Night, Dinner 6:00pm  
Cost: \$10.00-Members and guests  
please RSVP to the secretary or treasurer.  
7:30 Meeting-Hawaiian theme-Members fill  
Officers stations.
- Sept. 16 Grand Officers Revelations  
EvergreenMasonic Center - 7:30pm  
RSVP to Kin Cooke, secretary of Ugava OES.
- Sept. 23 Brothers Night, Ante-room meeting prior.
- Oct. 14 Election of Officers for 2012-- 7:30pm

Hope ever urges us on and tells us tomorrow will be better.

– Tibullus

## Greetings from the East



I can't believe its already September, our annual retreat with our Brothers of Flagstaff Lodge was a great success and I am proud to say that Brother Dennis Croyle is our newest Master Mason and I look forward to spending time with him in and out of Lodge.

As always with September comes our Annual Communication in San Francisco. I have read over the legislation that the Senior and Junior Wardens and myself will be voting upon this year and while I have formed some initial thoughts on each piece of legislation I want to hear from each of you as our votes are to reflect the thoughts and opinions of the offices and members of our lodge. I will have several copies of the legislation with me at the September for members to pass around and discuss. Please let your thoughts and opinions be known to myself and the wardens of our lodge so we can take them into consideration as we head to Grand Lodge.

There are only a few months left in 2011 but we show no sign of letting up. The new lodge is coming along right on schedule, and I am thankful for the hours of work that the members of the design committee have put into meeting with the Architect, Wor. Darell Fryer, Wor. Tom Meyer and Bro. Rick Stilt as shown in the pictures shown at the August Stated Meeting Dinner.

I look forward to finishing the year out strong so please make sure to come to as many events as possible if you need a ride please call myself or one of the other officers and we will be sure to get you one to and from lodge or any other special event you wish to attend.

Wor. Eric L. Bordner  
Master



## Greetings from the West



Greetings Brothers. Another good month of degrees is now behind us and we look forward to doing many more. If our Lodge is any example, Masonry appears to be turning the corner as more and more of our membership is under the age of 40. As good as this is, we “older” Masons need to be there for THEM. **We need to insure that the most excellent tenants of our institution are transmitted unimpaired** to this new generation. How do we do this? One way is through mentoring. Much is to be gained on both sides of the age gap when we fellowship as a group, not just at stated meetings, but at less formal times such as lodge clean up days, BBQ’s or over coffee. As we get closer and closer to the day that we have our own lodge building again, we’re hoping to have more social activities that will bring us together again. For this reason, I’m asking all of you who read this to let me know what activities you are interested in, and what it would take to bring some of you “old timers” back to our **society of friends and brothers**. Please let me know, remember, this is **your** lodge, and we need and appreciate your valuable input.

Ponder on these:

I’ve learned.... That the best classroom in the world is at the feet of an elderly person. ....Andy Rooney

Words To Live By: “The soul is dyed the color of its thoughts. Think only on those things that are in line with your principles and can bear the full light of day. The content of your character is your choice. Day by day, what you think, and what you do is who you become. Your integrity is your destiny...it is the light that guides your way”....Heraclitus.

Rick Stilt Senior Warden

## Sickness & Distress

Irv Uffer - is now in Virginia  
George Ellis is at Somerford Place - Redlands

Please visit these brothers if you can.  
Prayers Work!!! Just ask someone who has come back from a illness!

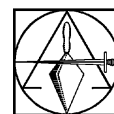
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### Keystone Chapter No. 56, R.A.M.

September 7th – 7:00 pm – Building Board Meeting  
September 7th – 7:30 pm – Stated Convocation  
September 17th – 8:00 am – Conferral of Chapter Degrees



### Valley Council No. 27, C.M.

September 7th – 7:00 pm – Building Board Meeting  
September 14th – 7:30 pm – Stated Assembly  
October 8th – 9:00 am – Conferral of Cryptic Degrees



### St. Bernard Commandery No. 23, K.T.

September 7th – 7:00 pm – Building Board Meeting  
September 21st – 7:30 pm – Stated Conclave  
October 22nd – Conferral of Commandery Orders –9:00 am  
at San Diego Scottish Rite Center

## SHRINE WIDOWS & FRIENDS CLUB

The Shrine Widows invite all widows and their guests to visit our San Bernardino Widow's and Friends Club. They normally meet on the 4th Thursday of each month at The Gourmet Restaurant, 1445 E. Highland Ave., San Bernardino at 11:30 am. Theirs is often enjoyable entertainment. There will be menu choices to choose from. For more information and reservations, call Eleanor Seccombe at 886-8026 about 2 weeks prior so she may take orders for lunch and prepare appropriate introductions.

### Meeting Dates for 2011

JAN, 27, 2011	APR 28, 2011	JULY 28, 2011	OCT 27, 2011
FEB 24, 2011	MAY 26, 2011	AUG 25, 2011	NOV 17, 2011
MAR 24, 2011	JUN 23, 2011	SEPT 22, 2011	DEC 15, 2011

## ***OUR NEW LODGE ROOM!***



*“The Present View” of the interior of our New Lodge Room.*



*“The Future View” of the interior of our New Lodge Room.*



## **From the Secretary Desk**

Hello Brothers! August was a busy month, the building board has been meeting nearly non-stop with the architect working on getting the final details for the building finished, and WOW does the concept drawing look good! In addition, we had our annual duel degree with our Brothers up in Flagstaff, and they always treat us like KINGS! And with August gone and September in front of us, it is time to consider the Annual Communications. Brothers, there are a lot of important issues that will be voted on at Grand Lodge this year. If you would like a list, you can find them on the Grand Lodges website. If you have an opinion on any of the issues, the Master and both Wardens will be going this year, and they would like to hear from you. As always, it has been a long time since we have seen most of you at lodge, and we would love to have you come down for Stated meeting, one of the degrees, or even one of our practices so you could come by and say “Hi” and get to know the current officers. Either way, we would love to see you.

Fraternally,

Bro Thad Coffing, PM

Secretary - San Bernardino Lodge #178

## **In Memorium**

***Bro. Frank A. Waller, Bro. David Allen,***

***Wor. Bro. Mike Betschart***

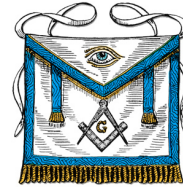
***Bro. Louis Mercuri, Bro. Roy Stephenson***

***Bro. Hue Covey, Bro. Robert E. Davis***






Into thy loving hands we commend the spirit of our departed brothers. If you hear of someone passing on please let the Secretary know, so that he can send a card to the family.

San Bernardino Lodge

# September 2011



Upcoming Events to Watch for:  
September 23–25 Grand Lodge

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				1  Stated Meeting 6:30 P.M.	2  Hi-Twelve Arrowhead CC- 11:30 am	3  Job's Daughters at Scottish Rite Center
4	5	6  De Molay at Scottish Rite Center	7	8  Degree or Practice 7:15 P.M.	9 <u>Hi-Twelve</u>  Gate City O.E.S. Members Night Dinner - 6:00 P.M.	10
11	12	13  at Scottish Rite Center 6:30 pm - Executive Board Meeting– 6:30 P.M.	14	15  Degree or Pactice 7:15 P.M.	16 <u>Hi-Twelve</u>  Grand Officers Revelations at Evergreen Masonic Center 7:30 P.M.	17  Job's Daughters at Scottish Rite Center National Sojourners Fort Nolan
18	19	20  at Scottish Rite Center 6:30 pm -Dinner Masonic Sweethearts Night	21	22  Degree or Pactice 7:15 P.M.	23 <u>Hi-Twelve</u>  Gate City O.E.S. Brothers Night 7:30 P.M.	24  at Scottish Rite Center 6:00 pm - Dinner “A Night South of the Border” and Folklorico Dance Performance
25	26	27	28	29  Degree or Pactice 7:15 P.M.	30	31