



BYKOTA LODGE No. 333 F.&A.M.
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EPHESIANS CHAPTER 4 VERSE 32 "AND BE YE KIND ONE TO ANOTHER..."

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Chartered April 21, AD1960 AL5960

Stated Communication:

2ND & 4TH Mondays

Dinner 6:30 P.M. | Meeting 7:30 P.M.

FLAG PRESENTATION OPEN TO PUBLIC

MASONIC EDUCATION

Presented by: **Walter Arnett, SW** at our
March Stated Communication.

MARCH 2020

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SETTING THE CRAFT TO WORK

Sunday, March 8

FELLOWSHIP BREAKFAST AT BYKOTA LODGE 8:00 AM TO 11:00 AM
GOOD FOOD AND FINE FELLOWSHIP

Monday, March 9

Stated Communication, Dinner at 6:30 P.M. and Meeting at 7:30 P.M.
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Monday, March 16

Lodge Officers Meeting at 6:30 P.M.
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Saturday, March 21

PILGRIMAGE DAY AT THE MASONIC HOME
CANCELLED DUE TO CORONAVIRUS THREAT

Saturday, March 28

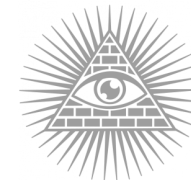
OPEN BOOKS AT HARMONIA LODGE NO.138
1896 Palm Beach Lakes Blvd #200 • WEST PALM BEACH, FL 33409
9:00 A.M. to 12:00 P.M.

Monday, March 23

Stated Communication, Dinner at 6:30 P.M. and Meeting at 7:30 P.M.
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WIDOWS SONS BYKOTA CHAPTER

Scott Frum, President 561-252-9546
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Stated Meetings: 2nd Monday of Each Quarter



Message from the East

Greeting my Bothers,

As we head into the month of March, I am excited to inform you about several events which we will be participating in during the coming weeks that we talked about during our last Stated Communication.

The MMA picnic will be held on Saturday April 4th from 12:00-4:00pm at Buttonwood Park. Location is 5300 Lantana Rd. Lake Worth FL 33463

The April MMA Meeting will be held at Bykota Lodge on April 6th. Dinner at 6:30 and meeting at 7:30. Dinner is being catered by our newest member, Worshipful Ricky Espiritu. Come by and see what's going on in the district!

If you have any questions about these events, please do not hesitate to let me know.

Also, we voted and will be going dark for the second meeting in May for Grand Lodge, and the second meetings of June, July, and August for summer.

*****Pilgrimage Day has been postponed indefinitely. We will notify you once it has been rescheduled.*****

Due to the threat of the Coronavirus, Pre-Board and Board of Trustees Meetings at the Masonic Home are closed to members only until further notice. We cannot afford to bring any serious illnesses to the Masonic Home and risk the health and safety of our residents as well as our Masonic Home Staff.

Yours in fellowship,

Joe Harvey
Worshipful Master 2020

BYKOTA LODGE Past Masters

*Deceased | +Unity Lodge | **Honorary | ++BYKOTA-Unity

BYKOTA Lodge

1960 John Luke*
1961 Garth W. Staley*
1962 Robert E. Conklin*
1963 Ernest A. Hurley*
1964 Rex R. Stoddard*
1965 Clifford Del Santos*
1965 William A. Horejs** *
1966 Richard H. Cate*
1967 Ted Goddard*
1967 Kenneth C. Bachtel** *
1967 Dean W. Christian*
1968 Raymond F. Kindred*
1969 Joseph E. Miller*
1970 Roy E. Church*
1971 Homer D. Doyle*
1972 William B. Hawkins*
1972 N.W. Sutton, Sr.** *
1973 Dean W. Christian*
1973 William L. Hopper** *
1974 Frank Balash*
1975 Wilbur J. Smith*
1976 Ronald J. Schmitt
1977 Joseph Spinazzola*
1978 N.W. Sutton, Sr.*
1979 Richard C. Moran*
1980 Walter F. Brown, Jr.
1981 Walter F. Brown, Sr.*
1982 Jack B. Gardner
1983 John C. Gee
1984 James S. Cole
1985 John W. Peak
1986 N.W. Sutton, Sr.*
1986 George A. Perkins**
1986 Frank Balash*
1987 John T. Irvine
1988 Billy M. Taylor*
1989 W. Vonn Edwards
1990 Frank K. West, Jr.*
1991 J. Steven Reynolds*
1992 Michael C. Shearer
1993 Jerome T. Gill
1994 J. Doug English
1995 James Weitkamp
1995 Dick Adams** *
1996 Raymond I. Mosley*
1997 Ed Handy
1997 James Keller**
1998 Leonard Volpe*

1999 Wayne Sinot*
2000 Wayne Miller
2001 Raymond Hart
2001 Henry Johnson** *
2002 Michael Cribbet+
2003 Dean Heasley++
2004 Robert Schooley++
2005 David McGrew++
2005 Mike Wheelles**
2006 Patrick Paynter++
2007 Patrick Reardon++*
2008 Ed Handy
2009 John McIntosh
2010 Ken Reese
2011 Daniel Larsson
2012 Evan Richtman
2013 Wayne M. Thibeault
2014 Wayne M. Thibeault
2015 Kenneth W. Gray
2015 Gerry Moore **
2016 Allan D. Mason
2017 Bill Comer
2018 Beau Cisco
2019 Matthew Johnson



Wellington Lodge

1985 Moe Evans
1986 Moe Evans
1987 George D. Kinard
1988 Ralph L. Leighton*
1989 Robert G. Stearns
1990 Richard M. Gray
1991 William Hess*
1992 Walter C. Johnson
1993 Robert Flachosky*
1993 Sam Schooley** *
1994 Charles F. Alderson
1995 Stephen E. Henwood*
1996 John A. Angevine *
1997 Timothy Church*
1998 Shawn P. Hinman
1999 Gary G. Robeson
2000 Scott F. Thompson
2001 Michael Grace

TRESTLEBOARD BOOSTERS

JOE HARVEY, WM
MATTHEW JOHNSON, JPM
FRANK MUNIZ
ALLAN MASON, PM
JAMES ENGLISH, PM
BEAU CISCO, PM
SCOTT FRUM
MIKE BECK, PM
LARKIE SNOW
BRUCE BARTON
ROBERT SCHOOLEY, PM
WAYNE THIBEAULT, PM
BILL COMER, PM
KEN CAMER
MIKE WHEELLES, HPM
BRUCE LEFFLER, PM



Dress Code for all Lodge Communications

Brethren are encouraged to wear slacks and dress shirt; Officers are required to wear provided Lodge shirts; and Tuxedo's with white jacket when specified by the Worshipful Master.

Message from the Secretary

CIRCUMSCRIBE

At the 186th Annual Grand Communication of The Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of Free & Accepted Masons of Florida, a new software application, Circumscribe, was presented and implemented during this Masonic year. The Lodge membership data migration is now complete, and you now have access to the new system. It is important for you to login as soon as possible, review your profile, make any appropriate changes to your contact information, and upload a current picture for your new permanent ID card.

To login to Circumscribe, simply follow these instructions:

- Open your internet browser (NOTE: be sure to enable cookies, and disable private browsing)
- Navigate to: <https://glfl.circumscribe.net>
- Enter your initial Username ("FL" + "Your Grand Lodge Number" + "@changeyouremail.info" -- for example, FL1234567@changeyouremail.info)
NOTE: your Grand Lodge Number is printed on the top / middle of your current Dues card.
- Enter your temporary Password ("FL" + "Your Grand Lodge Number" -- for example, FL1234567)
- You will be immediately prompted to change both your username and password; your NEW username can be any email address that you frequently use, or have regular access to; your NEW password must contain 8 characters and 1 number, and you must enter it twice.
- Upon successfully entering both, you will be required to logout, and then log back in with your NEW credentials.
- Once you have successfully logged back in, navigate to your Masonic profile by selecting "Profile" from the menu items on the left side of the screen. Review your profile and make any appropriate change to your contact information, and upload a current picture for your new permanent ID card if desired.

Ensuring that your personal contact information is current on this portal will allow the Lodge to maintain better contact with you. Further, accessing this portal will allow you the opportunity to take educational courses such as Master Mason (parts I, II and III) in the comfort of your own home - and it also affords you the flexibility to pay annual dues electronically if you desire.

Please do not hesitate to reach out to me if you need assistance with completing this process.

Fraternally,
Allan Mason, PM, Secretary 2020

Message from the West

506 Main St, Arrow Rock, MO 65320

My brothers,

I am grateful to see the many of you have been coming to lodge the success of this year depends on your dedication and your commitment to our fraternity. It is good that more and more brothers are attending meetings the election of new potential candidates has already begun. I encourage you to come out and meet these new candidates who will soon become your brothers.

Our lodge is growing and it can only become better with your help. We have a wonderful Easter celebration planned for our breakfast in April, I look forward to seeing many of you there.

With Grand Lodge quickly approaching I encourage my brothers to attend our lodge meetings and give your opinion on the upcoming legislation that inevitably will steer our Lodge and our Grand Lodge into the future. Your opinion matters and you matter to here at your lodge.

Wishing you all the best.

Walter Arnette
Senior Warden 2020

The Secretary's Message

Greetings Brothers,

BYKOTA Brothers... We are implementing a **Trestleboard E-mail system**, the better to enable us to communicate more efficiently. Plus it cuts the cost of postage and printing. **We need your current E-mail** to make this program work. Send your E-mail to: amazon@PBSproducer.com

We are using E-mail Merge to send lodge attachments, so there are no BCC or CC email addresses for anyone to see or capture.

Fraternally,
Allan Mason, PM Secretary 2019-2020



Message from the South

To all of my Masonic Brothers,

March is here my brothers. It has been my pleasure to serve all of the meals for our meetings a breakfasts. However, I would ask all of the brethren that have the time to please come and help with meals both in preparation and cleanup. There is always something that could use a helping hand in the kitchen.

In hopes of getting ahead of the Holiday we are starting to make plans for our Easter breakfast. It would be great to offer a few special dishes in celebration of the Holiday. Any suggestions would be appreciated.

We will also be preparing the dinner for MMA in the month of April and hope to have a good turnout from all of our members.

Yours in service,

Kenneth Camer, Junior Warden 2020

NOTICE

BYKOTA Members: The Officers are discussing entering into an agreement with Gulfstream Lodge No.245 to lease use of our facility.

This will be on the agenda at our March23th meeting. This is your chance to give your input. The motion has been made; consider this the 30 day holdover; discussion and vote takes place March23, 2020.

AWAITING DEGREES

DEGREE DATE: TBA ENTERED APPRENTICE	DEGREE DATE: TBA FELLOW CRAFT	DEGREE DATE: MASTER MASON
Daniel Berringer Jr.	Leonard Loiacono Robert Gullett Justin Schooley Donaid Cassius Seals	

ROSSLYN CHAPEL IN SCOTLAND



So much history in this old, old building. It is filled with architecture that shows evidence of Masonic and Knights Templar presence somewhere in it's history.

It is said to be the place of Worship where the Knight's Templar took refuge in circa 1309 with the permission of the wealthy *St Clair* family.

It was also featured in the highly controversial "*Da Vinci Code*" but the room they supposedly go into below the chapel is not there.

THE ORIGINAL ROSSLYN INN



Down the street from the Chapel is the oldest inn along with a row of shops, but doubtless there are Masonic regalia on display. Least there were none in plain sight.

MASONIC EDUCATION

Masonry teaches that each person has a responsibility to make things better in the world. Most individuals won't be the ones to find a cure for cancer, or eliminate poverty, or help create world peace, but every man, woman and child can do something to help others, and to make things a little better.

Masonry is deeply involved with helping people, and spends more than \$2 million dollars every day in the United States just to make life a little easier. And the great majority of that help goes to people who are not Masons.

Some of these charities are vast projects, like the Crippled Children's Hospitals and Burn Institutes built by the Shriners.

BYKOTA'S TRESTLEBOARD IS ON LINE TOO

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RECEIVE YOUR TRESTLEBOARD BY E-MAIL

SEND YOUR LATEST E-MAIL TO THE SECRETARY AND IT SHALL BE DONE!

Charity of the Quarter

MASONIC HOME OF FLORIDA

ST. PETERSBURG, FLORIDA

March's Masonic Birthdays

BIRTHDAY DESSERTS SERVED AFTER THE LAST MEETING

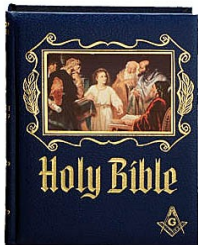
Mark Alexander

Michael Beck

Marshall Bishop

Steven Schooley

MASONIC FAMILY EDITION



Order your 9 X 11.75 X 2.25 Masonic Bible as the official Bible of BYKOTA Lodge. Price is \$36.00 and Includes the Lodge name gold stamped on the cover. See the Secretary.

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Chairman: Walter Arnett, SW
Allan Mason, PM, Secretary
Matthew Johnson, JPM, Treasurer

VIGILANCE COMMITTEE

Chairman: Ken Camer, JW
Barry Fay, PM, Chaplin
John McIntosh, PM, JD

PETITIONS COMMITTEE

Chairman: Allan Mason, PM Sec.
Ken Camer, JW
John McIntosh, PM, JD

MASONIC EDUCATION COMMITTEE

Chairman: Walter Arnett, SW
Allan Mason, PM, Sec.
Bill Comer, PM

BOARD OF RELIEF

Chairman: Walter Arnett, SW
Bill Comer, PM
Beau Cisco, PM

CHARITY COMMITTEE

Chairman: Barry Fay, PM, Chaplain
John McIntosh, PM, JD
Walter Arnett, SW
David Lund, RW, SD

LODGE PROPERTY COMMITTEE

Chairman: Walter Arnett, SW
Ken Gray, PM
Allan Mason, PM, Sec.

LODGE INSTRUCTORS

Chairman: David Lund, RW, SD
Allan Mason, PM, Sec.
Scott Frum
Bobby Stearns, PDDGM

MEALS AND DINING ROOM

Chairman: Ken Camer, JW
Bruce Barton, SS
Mike Wheelles, HPM

SICKNESS AND VISITATIONS

Chairman: Barry Fay, PM, Chaplain
Ken Camer, JW
John McIntosh, PM, JD

OUTREACH/WEBSITE COMMITTEE

Chairman: Walter Arnett, SW
Allan Mason, PM, Secretary
Beau Cisco, PM

MARCH 2020

BYKOTA LODGE NO.333

EVENT CALENDAR

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
GARDEN LODGE NO. 366 FELLOWSHIP BREAKFAST FROM 8:00 AM TO 11:00 AM ALL YOU CAN EAT \$10.00	MASTER MASON ASSOCIATION MEETING 6:30 PM DINNER 7:30 PM MEETING AT BOYNTON LODGE NO.236	GARDEN LODGE NO. 366 STATED COMM 6:30 PM DINNER 7:30 PM MEETING	GULFSTREAM LODGE NO. 245 STATED COMM 6:30 PM DINNER 7:30 PM MEETING	BOCA-DELRAY LODGE NO. 171 PALMWOOD LODGE NO. 303 STATED COMM 6:30 PM DINNER 7:30 PM MEETING		
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
BYKOTA LODGE NO. 333 FELLOWSHIP BREAKFAST FROM 8:00 AM TO 11:00 AM ALL YOU CAN EAT \$5.00	BYKOTA LODGE NO. 333 HARMONIA LODGE NO. 138 STATED COMM 6:30 PM DINNER 7:30 PM MEETING	JUPITER LODGE NO. 340 LANTANA LODGE NO. 372 STATED COMM 6:30 PM DINNER 7:30 PM MEETING	SHRINE MEETING 6:30 PM DINNER 7:30 PM MEETING	BOYNTON LODGE NO. 236 STATED COMM 6:30 PM DINNER 7:30 PM MEETING		
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
	BYKOTA LODGE NO. 333 OFFICERS MEETING 6:30 PM MEETING	GARDEN LODGE NO. 366 STATED COMM 6:30 PM DINNER 7:30 PM MEETING	GULFSTREAM LODGE NO. 245 STATED COMM 6:30 PM DINNER 7:30 PM MEETING	BOCA-DELRAY LODGE NO. 171 PALMWOOD LODGE NO. 303 STATED COMM 6:30 PM DINNER 7:30 PM MEETING	SEM-I-NO GROTTO 6:30 DINNER AT SELECTED LOCATIONS 7:30 PM MEETING AT BYKOTA LODE NO.333	PILGRIMAGE DAY MASONIC HOME ST. PETERBERG CANCELLED DUE TO CORONAVIRUS
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
	BYKOTA LODGE NO. 333 HARMONIA LODGE NO. 138 STATED COMM 6:30 PM DINNER 7:30 PM MEETING	JUPITER LODGE NO. 340 LANTANA LODGE NO. 372 STATED COMM 6:30 PM DINNER 7:30 PM MEETING	SCOTTISH RITE AT HARMONIA LODGE NO.138 6:30 PM DINNER 7:30 PM MEETING	BOYNTON LODGE NO. 236 STATED COMM 6:30 PM DINNER 7:30 PM MEETING		OPEN BOOKS HARMONIA LODGE NO. 138 9:00 AM TO NOON
29	30	31				