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What Makes a Man a Mason?

When he can look out over the rivers, the hills, and the far horizon with a profound sense of his own littleness in the vast scheme of things, and yet have faith, hope and courage, which is the root of every virtue.

When he knows that down in his heart every man is as noble, as vile, as divine, as diabolic and as lonely as himself; and seeks to know, to forgive, and to love his fellow man.

When he has learned how to make friends and to keep them... and above all, how to keep friends with himself.

When no voice of distress reaches his ears in vain, and no hand seeks his aid without response.

When he finds good in every faith that helps any man to lay hold of divine things and see majestic meanings in life, whatever the name of that faith may be.

When he knows how to pray, how to love, how to hope.

When he has kept faith with himself and with his God. In his hand a sword for evil, in his heart a bit of a song. Glad to live, but not afraid to die!

Such a man has found the true secret of Freemasonry, and the one which Masonry is trying to give to all the world.

(From "The Builders" by Joseph Newton)

May 6, 2013 STATED MEETING

The regular monthly business meeting of Union Lodge No. 38 was opened at 7:00 p.m. on Monday, May 6th, 2013. Prior to the meeting, Bro. Lou Scherf, PM, prepared a delicious meal of chili and cornbread. Over 40 Brethren attended.

Brethren heard reports from the Scholarship and Budget Committees. Bro. David Alexander discussed the status of Scholarship applications. Bro. Lou Devillon spoke on behalf of the Budget Committee and noted that various actions were underway to help to reduce Lodge expenses in order to maintain a balanced budget.

The Charter was draped in remembrance of Brother Paul Erskine Reagan. Brother Reagan was a 54 year member of Union Lodge.

Born 6/9/1922
EA 12/4/1951
FC 4/22/52
MM 8/26/52
Died 4/23/13

Rest in peace, Brother.

EVENTS AT UNION LODGE

May 20th, Kingston 405 Order of the Eastern Star.
Meal at 6:30 pm. Meeting at 7:30 pm.

May 21st, Union Lodge No. 38 - Official Visit at Union Lodge. Meal at 6 pm. Meeting at 7 pm

June 13th, Roane County Scottish Rite Club. Meal at 6 pm. Meeting at 7 pm.

August 16th and 17th - Union Lodge's 42nd Annual Cave Degree.

December 7th - Union Lodge Installation of Officers

Stated Meetings are held on the first Monday of every month. Meal at 6 pm. Meeting at 7 pm.

We practice ritual each week on Tuesday evenings at 7

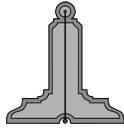
MASONIC EVENTS

May 13th - District 19 Meeting at Southgate Lodge No. 569,1306 Ruritan Rd Harriman, TN 37748

2013 – Grand Lodge of Tennessee Bicentennial Celebration. Honouring the 200th Anniversary of the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of Tennessee Free and Accepted Masons. (1813-2013).

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From the West

As Masons, we're encouraged to attend lodge, but we're not required to do so. One of the most satisfying aspects of our fraternity is socializing with our brother Masons. In fact, the "beginning" of modern Freemasonry began in the taverns of England in the 1700s. Attending lodge gives us an opportunity to meet old acquaintances, enjoy a good meal, and participate in the business of the lodge.

So if you haven't been to lodge lately, consider attending. Union Lodge No. 38 holds its Stated Meeting the first Monday of every month. We enjoy a hearty meal at 6 pm and meet at 7 pm. Come join us!

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