

# TRESTLEBOARD

UNIVERSITY LODGE 141

JUNE 2022



Brothers!



After two months of being dark, I'm so glad to be welcoming you all back to lodge! I hope everyone has been able to stay cool and healthy during these last heat waves. I'm excited to hear all your stories and reignite fellowship within our lodge. As it is September, remember; we will be having our meeting the following Friday after the first Monday due to the holiday. I must've forgotten that the first two years I was a member. I look forward to seeing you all and catching up.

Fraternally,

W.M. Ben Stagner

## University Lodge 141 Stated Meeting

**Friday, September 9, 2022**

*Doors open at 6:00pm*

*Dinner served at 6:30pm*

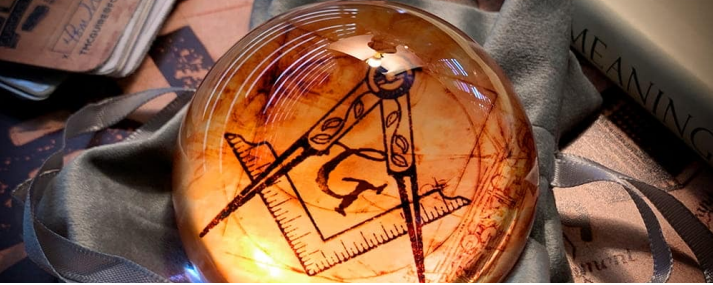
*Lodge starts at 7:30pm*

*Per our By-Laws, when the first Monday of the month is a holiday, then our Stated Meeting is held on the following Friday. Since September 5<sup>th</sup> is Labor Day, our meeting will be held on Friday, September 9<sup>th</sup>.*

We will be playing **Bingo**  
during dinner at our  
September 9<sup>th</sup> Stated Meeting.

Winners will receive  
a University Lodge  
Cannon, Masonic  
pins, keychains and  
much more!





### JOSEPH ALBERT FELT

Born: July 5, 1928

Raised: June 10, 1953

Died: June 6, 2022



### DAVID BUFORD STONER

Born: April 6, 1936

Raised: January 27, 1977

Died: July 11, 2022



### DWIGHT ALBERT JACKSON, SR

Born: October 17, 1934

Raised: October 18, 1976

Died: March 1, 2022



## Brethren Raised in September

|                  |      |
|------------------|------|
| Donald Spreine   | 1964 |
| William Crockett | 1969 |
| William Adams    | 1971 |
| Samuel Haleva    | 1983 |
| Walter Buscher   | 1984 |
| Peter Anderson   | 1988 |
| Steven Anderson  | 1988 |
| Richard Kovak    | 1992 |
| Richard Pedersen | 1994 |
| Rhys Nunnelee    | 2014 |
| Benjamin Stagner | 2014 |
| Bryan Baldwin    | 2014 |
| Nana Gyesie      | 2016 |



## Upcoming Meetings

**October 3<sup>rd</sup>**

**Elections and Philanthropy Budget**

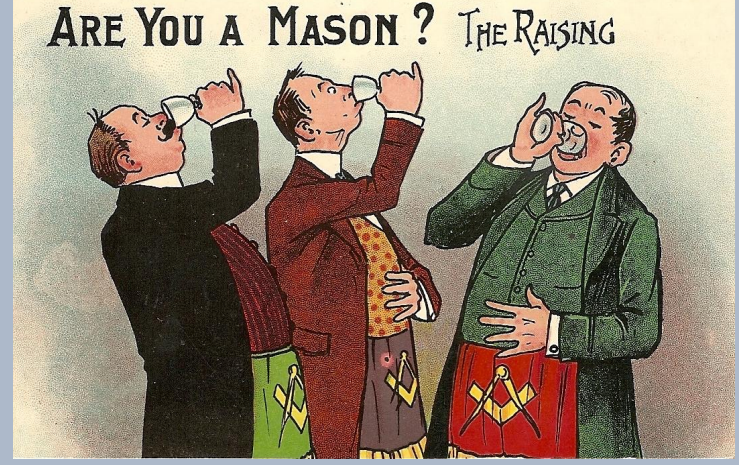
**November 7<sup>th</sup>**

**Step Up Night**

**December 5<sup>th</sup>**

**Toys for Tots and Holiday Dinner**





**Masons are masters of the use of language, appreciate poems and prose,  
and love none other than a good pun...**

- I have a few jokes about unemployed people, but none of them work.
- How does an attorney sleep? First, he lies on one side, then he lies on the other side.
- How do you make holy water? You take some regular water & boil the hell out of it.
- Is it ignorance or apathy that's destroying the world today? I don't know and don't really care.
- What's the difference between a hippo and a zippo? One is really heavy and the other is a little lighter.
- Hear about the new restaurant called Karma? There's no menu - you get what you deserve.
- What did the grape say when it got stepped on? Nothing - but it let out a little whine.
- I wasn't originally going to get a brain transplant, but then I changed my mind.
- Which country's capital has the fastest-growing population? Ireland. Every day it's Dublin.
- A cross-eyed teacher couldn't control his pupils.
- She had a photographic memory but never developed it.
- Will glass coffins be a success? Remains to be seen.
- When everything is coming your way, you're in the wrong lane.
- My ex-wife still misses me. But her aim is starting to improve.
- The guy who invented the door knocker got a no-bell prize.
- Saw an ad for burial plots and thought: "That's the last thing I need!"
- Need an ark? I Noah guy.
- I used to be indecisive; now I'm not so sure.
- Sleeping comes so naturally to me, I could do it with my eyes closed.
- I went to buy some camouflage trousers yesterday but couldn't find any.

33 Degrees?  
You have 33  
Degrees in  
Freemasonry?  
But why?

There are the first 3  
Degrees. And those  
above are for those  
that did not understand  
the first 3 Degrees.





Brothers hanging out at the lodge picnic in July!



Brothers volunteering at the University Food Bank in August!

# Did You Know?!?

When Mussolini gained control of Italy, Masonic lodges were declared illegal and the Grand Master was arrested, tried, and imprisoned, where he died. Mussolini also ordered all Masonic references removed, including the emblems on the base of Garibaldi's monument in Rome. After the restoration of the republic, fascist emblems were removed and the Masonic emblems restored.



ROMA O MORTE



“Watch your thoughts, they become your words; watch your words, they become your actions; watch your actions, they become your habits; watch your habits, they become your character; watch your character, it becomes your destiny.” — Lao Tzu

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