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132ND SUPREME COUNCIL CONVENTION



The Hilton Cincinnati Netherland Plaza

July 4-10, 2022 Cincinnati, Ohio



Reds game at the Great American Ball Park



Golf outing at Reeves Golf course



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A MESSAGE FROM THE GRAND MONARCH





Dear Brother Prophets and your Ladies:

Well, it has been an interesting and fun filled several months! As I stood before you in accepting this high honor to represent and to serve the Grottoes of North America, I was humbled and so proud beyond belief. Little did I know that this feeling would

grow with every waking hour. The Grottoes Monarchs Balls and the Associations visited, I was honored to share in all of their fellowship and fun. The most unbelievable experience, as your Grand Monarch, was the excitement and the faces of the Master Masons looking forward to being made a "Prophet!" Seeing their enthusiasm and listening to their new ideas and why they want to charter a New GROTTO!! For their future is strong and it left a great taste in my mouth. I could smell great fellowship and fun.

As I finish my travels and get ready for Convention, it seemed like I was on target for our 132nd Supreme Council Session in Cincinnati. I do my best not to take any day, time or place for granted. Doing my best to do my job as I was elected to do and to keep the direction focused and on target. It is hard to be prepared to handle everything. I experienced a moment that our strong tradition and honor was tested. Please understand that the Supreme Council Grottoes of North America at no time will ever accept or condone in any way, any and all forms of racism or discrimination to any person, place, group or Association. That also includes any and all forms of digital communications.

Being the Grand Monarch it's always a pleasure to visit as much as I could throughout the realm, from many Association installations, Grotto installations, Monarch's Balls and also to attend the many events and fund raisers to help our Foundation. I must say nothing could have prepared me more for the unbelievable feeling of pride and joy to see a new Grotto receive its charter. Standing in front of all the Master Masons that are good and true and performing their Charter, their Institution and their Installation of their new officers! The excitement they show and the smiles looking forward to an amazing future. Knowing that I had a part in bringing these Master Masons to further light. I always congratulate our Grottoes that are celebrating their 5th - 10th - 25th - 100th years as a Grotto. Let's not take these years for granted. It's easy to just sit back and let the routine take over while losing the enthusiasm and the real truth in Fun and Fellowship. If you or your Grotto seems to have fallen into a slump, sit back and realize "let's not give up." Start visiting other Grottoes and be sure to attend a New Grotto Charter which will help get that excitement back, then do so. Yes, the good fun and fellowship awaits us all. As I traveled, I have seen more different ways to have fun and good fellowship. Each state's Grotto have their ideas and formulas that works for them! Check it out! Remember

your "5" Senses won't let you down. Look at your Grotto and look at theirs and together a fun and strong future is guaranteed. Let's not give up because your glass is "half" full.

It's been over 8 months serving all of you. It's my pleasure and honor, but I must admit it's coming close to my end as your Grand Monarch. The week of July 4th in Cincinnati will be home to our 132nd Convention. It will be a time to again strengthen our future and review our past. For me, it's time to visit and again shake hands and hug all who have made my year so great. "A Day in Time" and there were so many for me. Each and everyone of those days were met with my "5" Senses. I thank you all! Register soon so you won't be left out. Help me to celebrate our times and our laughter together. The sharing and the reinforcing what it is to be a Prophet!

There will be a "convention" hug and handshake waiting. Bless you all with prayers of good health and safe travels.

Yours in Goodfellowship,

James K. Drake Grand Monarch



2021 – 2022

THE FIVE SENSES

SEE • SMELL • TASTE

TOUCH • LISTEN

Greetings Prophets,

Pursuant to the Provisions of Chapter 1 of the Supreme Council Code, I, James K. Drake, Grand Monarch of the Supreme Council, direct that the official notice be given that the 132nd Annual Session of the Supreme Council M.O.V.P.E.R. will be held at The Hilton Cincinnati Netherland Plaza, Cincinnati, Ohio, July 6-10, 2022.

This is accordance with the provisions of the Supreme Council Code.

Yours in Goodfellowship,

James K. Drake

James K. Drake Grand Monarch Attested:

William "Skip" Moerch, PM, Executive Secretary

On Skip Moerch

GRAND MONARCH'S ITINERARY

DATE	EVENT
March 12, 2022	Ohio's 14th District Grand Masters Reception
March 19, 2022	National Grotto Day
March 26, 2022	Ohio - One Day Class
March 24-27, 2022	MWGM Terry Fowler of Louisiana Conference at Lake Charles, LA
April 1-2, 2022	ILSGA Zone Conference
April 8-9, 2022	BOG Meeting - Gahanna, OH
April 17, 2022	Easter
April 22-24, 2022	Charter
April 23, 2022	ESGA Spring Meeting
April 29-30, 2022	New Charter Krazo - St. Louis, MO
May 6-7, 2022	OGA - Canton, OH
May 12-15, 2022	SEGA - Memphis, TN
May 20-21, 2022	Chi-ill Installation - Chicago, IL
May 28-June 2, 2022	Conference MWGA Jeff Foster of FL
June 4, 2022	New Charter Koz - Fenton, MO
June 11, 2022	Achbar Grotto Golf Outing
July 4-10, 2022	132nd Annual Session - Cincinnati, OH

Preliminary Schedule of Events 132nd Annual Supreme Council Session

July 4-9, 2022

Event	Time	Room
Monday, July 4, 2022		
Board of Governor's Meeting	9:00am - 5:00pm 9:00am - 5:00pm 12:00pm - 1:00pm 6:40pm - 10:30pm	Salon G Salon F Salon DE Great American Ball Park
Tuesday, July 5 2022		
Board of Governor's Meeting	9:00am - 5:00pm 9:00am - 5:00pm 12:00pm - 1:00pm 6:30pm - 9:30pm	Salon G Salon F Salon DE BB Riverboats
Wednesday, July 6 2022		
Golf Outing (8:00am Shotgun Start) Registration Vendor Area Open Contest Committee Meeting Grand Opening Hospitality Rooms	8:00am - 4:00pm 8:00am - 4:00pm 1:00pm - 4:00pm 6:30pm - 10:00pm	4th Floor Registraton Office Caprice 1, 2, & 3 Salon M Pavillion
Thursday, July 7 2022		
VIP Breakfast	9:00am - 12:00pm	Pavillion 4th Floor Registraton Office Caprice 1, 2, & 3 Rosewood Salon FG Salon DE Salon BC Salon HI Rookwood Julep Hall of Mirrors Pavillion
Friday, July 8 2022		
General Business Meeting	8:00am - 4:00pm 8:00am - 4:00pm 12:00pm - 2:00pm 12:00pm - 2:00pm 1:30pm - 3:30pm 1:00pm - 3:00pm	4th Floor Registraton Office Caprice 1, 2, & 3 Hall of Mirrors Rookwood Salon HI Julep Hall of Mirrors
Saturday, July 9 2022		
Vendor Area Open	10:00am- 12:00pm 12:00pm - 2:00pm 2:30pm - 4:30pm 7:00pm - 10:00pm	Hall of Mirrors Salon HI Salon BC Pavillion Caprice Ballroom

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July 6-10, 2022









The Hilton Cincinnati Netherland Plaza

- A dedicated National Landmark
- One of the best examples of Art Deco architecture in the country
- · One of the top performing Hiltons in North America
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132ND SUPREME COUNCIL SESSION

The Hilton Cincinnati Netherland Plaza • Cincinnati, OH July 6-9, 2022

PRE-REGISTRATION FORM

ROPHET:	GROTTO:			
ADY OR GUEST NAME:				
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Pre-Registration Event Prophet Registration Lady or Guest Registration Thursday-Secretary/Treasurer Association Luncheon Please indicate your lunch choiceTuna Thursday Night Buffet Dinner (Chicken and Salmon) Friday-Men's General Luncheon Friday-Ladies' General Luncheon	Cost \$20.00 \$10.00 \$39.00 Ham \$63.00 \$53.00 \$53.00	Quanity	Total Cost \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$	
Friday-Grand Monarch's Friday GM's Banquet (Roebling Buffet)	Banquet \$88.00		\$	
Saturday-Red Tassel "A Day in Time" TOTAL ENCLOSED:			\$	
REDIT CARD PAYMENT: Name on Card: Se				

Complete this form and enclose check or money order made payable to:

132nd Supreme Council Session

Mail to: Supreme Council MOVPER, 430 Beecher Road, Gahanna, Ohio 43230

PAYMENT AND FORM MUST BE RECEIVED BY JUNE 10, 2022

Do not send golf or tour money to supreme council office.



132ND SUPREME COUNCIL SESSION

The Hilton Cincinnati Netherland Plaza • Cincinnati, OH July 6-10, 2022

TOUR RESERVATION FORM

NAME:	GROTTO:
GUEST NAME:	
GOEST W.W.E.	
ADDRESS:	
PHONE:	EMAIL ADDRESS:

(All Prices in U.S. Dollars)

TOUR RESERVATION	COST	NUMBER OF TICKETS	TOTAL
Monday, July 4, 2022 • 6:40PM Cincinnati Reds vs. New York Mets at the Great American Ball Park Hotel three blocks to park, transportation provided if need be.	\$95 per person		
Tuesday, July 5, 2022 • 6:30PM-9:30PM BB Riverboats Dinner Cruise Dinner and Cruise on the beautiful Ohio River Transportation provided if need be.	\$80 per person		

TOTAL ENCLOSED:

Complete this form and enclose check or money order made payable to:

AMROU GROTTO Convention Fund

Mail to: Jeff Hunt @ AMROU 2560 Old River Road Zanesville, Ohio 43701



Join us for a night at the Great American Ball Park

Monday, July 4, 2022 at 6:40PM



VS.



Enjoy a private space with friends and fellow members.

\$95 per person

Each ticket comes with an unlimited ballpark buffet and two beers.

For questions contact Reilly Burns at RBurns@reds.com





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PROGRAM ADVERTISING FORM

PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY

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SUPREME SESSION GOLF TOURNAMENT

Wednesday, July 6, 2022

CINCINNATI REEVES GOLF COURSE

4757 Playfield Ln, Cincinnati, OH 45226

8:00 am Shotgun start—Best Ball Foursome Scramble Prizes for all players—lunch to follow



SIGN UP DEADLINE MAY 15, 2022

\$460 Foursome Sponsor Includes Four (4) Players and Advertisement on T	ee or Green
\$100 Hole Sponsorship Includes one (1) Player and Advertisement on Tee	e or Green
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CONTEST RULES AND REGULATIONS

- 1. Penalty points will be assessed for late contest registrations. All registration forms must be received in the Supreme Council Office by the close of business June 10,2022. Any individual contestant or 4. The Themed Hospitality Room Contest will be held on unit whose registration form is received after the above date will have the penalty points deducted from their contest score at the convention.
- 2. The Web Page Contest will be the Best Web Page by a Grotto or Association. The rules for this contest are available from the Supreme Council Office and entries should be received by June 10, 2022, to give the Judges 5. As a reminder, during the clown judging on Saturday, the time to review and judge the web sites before they leave home for the Convention.
- 3. An award certificate will be presented to the winners at the Awards Ceremony on Saturday evening. After the

- Supreme Council Office personnel return home, they will prepare the checks and send them to the winning contestants and units.
- Wednesday night, July 6, 2022, following the Grand Opening. This year's theme will be "A Day In Time." The rules for this contest are available from the Supreme Council Office. It should be noted that the registration forms for this contest must also be in the Supreme Council Office by June 10, 2022.
- clowns will be required to do a 3-minute act showing their clowning skills. This will be in addition to the judging of their makeup and dress.

-2022 CONTEST AND UNIT REVIEW ENTRY FORM —

Register your Motorized Units and Show-off your Stuff! Grotto Name _City__ We wish to enter the following Units and/or Individuals, in competition in Cincinnati, OH at the 132nd Annual Supreme Council Session in July 2022. INDIVIDUAL ENTRY A. List Category Entering B. Contestant (Fill in #1 and/or #2) If Prophet 1. My Name is: If Related 2. My Name is Check One: I am the Wife Widow Daughter Sister Mother of Prophet (Prophet's name) **UNIT ENTRY** A. List Category Entering B. Approximate Number of Members in Unit Competing **INSTRUCTIONS:** Complete this 2022 Entry Form and forward to the Supreme Council Office at 430 Beecher Rd, Gahanna, OH 43230, prior to June 10, 2022. You will be sent Contest Rules covering the categories you have entered. Individual or Unit entries received at the office or at the Supreme Council Session after the above date will be assessed late points. All Contestants must be registered to participate to compete at Convention. If only one participant, no cash prize will be awarded. PLEASE MAIL THE RULES TO:

City_____State____Zip___

CONTEST CATAGORIES Something NEW has been Added!



Do you like taking pictures?

Then we have a Contest for you!

Three Categories:

#1 - Grotto Functions #2 - Association Functions #3 - Photo with the Grand Monarch

Rules:

One (1) photo per category
You may enter all 3 categories
Photo must be a 5x7
Photos will not be returned!

Prizes:

1st Place: \$100.00 2nd Place: \$75.00 3rd Place: \$50.00

Note: Minimum number of three (3) contestants for each category for a cash prize to be awarded.

No professional photography.

GROTTOES OF NORTH AMERICA Contest Prize Awards

Category	1st Place	2nd Place	3rd Place	4th Place	Ladies' 1st Place	Ladies' 2nd Place	Men's 1st Place	Men's 2nd Place
Concert/March Band	\$500	\$200						
Swing/Dance Band	\$500	\$200						
Pipe Band	\$500	\$200						
Choral	\$400	\$200						
Solo-Male							\$125	\$100
Solo-Female					\$125	\$100		
Chorus-Mens	\$400							
Chorus-Women	\$400							
Men's Quartet	\$200							
Women's Quartet	\$200							
Clown-Whiteface					\$125	\$100	\$125	\$100
Clown-Auguste					\$125	\$100	\$125	\$100
Clown-Tramp					\$125	\$100	\$125	\$100
Clown-Character					\$125	\$100	\$125	\$100
Clown unit-Mech	\$175	\$125						
Clown unit-Non Mech	\$175	\$125						
Motor Patrol - 350 Up	\$500	\$200						
Motor Patrol - 350 Down	\$500	\$200						
3 & 4 Wheeler	\$500	\$200						
Unique Unit	\$200							
Drum & Bugle	\$500	\$200						
Men Patrol Drill	\$225	\$125						
Lady Patrol Drill	\$225	\$125						
Color Guard	\$200	\$125						
Officers Open/Close	\$225	\$125						
Revelers	\$300	\$200						
Goodfellow	\$125	\$100						
Poster Display	\$150	\$125	\$100					
Publication	\$125	\$125	\$125					
Balloon Making	\$100	\$75						
Web Page	\$150	\$125						
Hospitality Room Contest	\$350	\$250	\$150	\$100				
Grottoes Got Talent	\$400	\$200	\$100					
Photography	\$100	\$75	\$50					
Totals								

GROTTOES GOT TALENT!



Can you sing, play an instrument, dance, write poems, tell jokes? Any other talents that we didn't think of? You could earn money. The competition is open to everyone. All you have to do is register.

During the convention, you will be performing in front of 3 judges. The winner will be announced during the Red Tassel Party on Saturday night.

Did you ask what the prizes are?

Prizes:

1st Place -\$400.00 2nd Place -\$200.00 3rd Place -\$100.00

Remember, if only one person signs up, there will not be any prizes given out!

2022 MEMBERSHIP PROGRAM



2021-2022 Membership Program
Beginning May 1, 2021 and Ending April 30, 2022



ACHIEVE THE SET GOAL OF **7%** AND THE SUPREME COUNCIL WILL REWARD YOUR GROTTO

\$100.00!

GRAND MONARCH JAMES K. DRAKE will present your Grotto with a check for \$100.00 AT THE 132nd Annual Session in Cincinnati, Ohio.

ACHIEVING THIS GOAL WILL ALSO EARN RECOGNITION OF YOUR GROTTO IN THE FALL 2022 MAGAZINE!

YOUR GROTTO'S GOAL IS A **7%** increase in members. **7%** will be based on your total active memberships as of May 1, 2022. Minimum number of new Prophets is seven (**7**).

RULES:

- ✓ INITIATE NEW MEMBERS BETWEEN MAY 1, 2021 AND APRIL 30, 2022
- ✓ SUBMIT NEW INITIATE PAPERWORK "NO LATER" THAN MAY 10, 2022

DUAL MEMBERS, DEATHS, DEMITS AND SUSPENSIONS WILL NOT COUNT

V.I.P. & Membership Programs



VIP PROGRAM

Any Prophet who sponsors a new member or reinstated member who has been out of the Grotto for at least 13 months between May 1 and April 30 will be awarded a VIP pin and card and is entitled to attend the Grand Monarch's VIP breakfast at the Supreme Council Convention in Orlando, Florida.

SLEEP ON US

The first ten (10) Prophets sponsoring 10 new or qualified reinstated Prophets between May 1st and April 30 will receive one (1) FREE Night stay in the convention host hotel during the Supreme Council Session. The first Prophet to sponsor twenty-five (25) new Prophets will receive four (4) free nights at the host hotel.

KEY PROPHETS

Any Prophet sponsoring 3 new or qualified reinstated members between May 1st and April 30th will be awarded a distinctive GOLD Key emblem. Any Prophet sponsoring 5 new members will receive a RUBY Key and for 7 or more new members a DIAMOND Key. A Prophet will receive one (1) key of the Highest level he has earned. If in attendance at the Supreme Council Session, the key will be presented by the Grand Monarch.

MASTER MASON NIGHTS

The Supreme Council will reimburse a Grotto 50% of the cost, up to \$300.00 for a Master Mason night once a year. Contact the Supreme Council Office for details and A REGISTRATION FORM. Preapproval of the event must be obtained.

RECRUITER OF THE MONTH

The Prophet sponsoring the greatest number of new members initiated in the entire Realm in any month, with a minimum of two (2), will receive a \$100.00 cash award. The initiation report must be turned in to Supreme Council office by the close of the following month. Awards will be split if a tie occurs.

"IT'S GREAT TO BE A PROPHET"

Booklets are available at no charge from the Supreme Council office. A Grotto may have up to 100 per year. Sufficient quantities will be given to every candidate of a one-day class if allowed by the Grand Lodge of that Jurisdiction.

LODGE VISITATIONS & REFRESHMENTS

We will reimburse a Grotto up to \$75.00 for attending and providing refreshments at a Blue Lodge Meeting. You must obtain preapproval and form from the Supreme Council Office.

TRADE SHOW STYLE DISPLAY

An eight (8) foot tall display is available for MASONIC HOSPITALITY and other similar events where a large number of Masons are present.



CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR TOP LINE SIGNERS!

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Patrick Gilkey Richard C. Manion William R. Wise

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Michael Lewis

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Edward McIntosh

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Arthur Moore

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Craig Green
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Douglas Shelby
Michael West
Todd Spicer
William "Willy" Sollers

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GRAND HISTORIAN'S MESSAGE

In light of a resurgence of new Grotto formations and renewed interest of masons joining existing Grottoes, I found this article from El Texa Grotto published in "THE EL TEXAN" and republished in the "PROPHETABLE IDEAS" March 1962 still relevant.

CANDIDATES

A CANDIDATE is the most important person in our business!

A CANDIDATE is not dependent on us, we are dependent on him.

A CANDIDATE is not an interruption of our work – he is the purpose of it.

A CANDIDATE honors us when he joins – we are not doing him a favor by obligating him.

A CANDIDATE is a part of us – not an outsider.

A CANDIDATE is not a cold statistic – he is a flesh and blood human being with feelings and emotions like our own.

A CANDIDATE is a person who brings us his wants – it is our job to fill those wants.

A CANDIDATE is deserving of the most courteous and attentive treatment we can give him.

A CANDIDATE is the life-blood of this and every other organization. Let's get one now!

HOW TIMES HAVE CHANGED, anyone planning a Grotto, Association, or Supreme Council event with required lodging negotiations knows the difficulty of arranging clean, desirable, and most of all, affordable housing. This was taken from the April 1942 "PROPHETABLE IDEAS"

SINGLE ROOMS-----\$3.30, \$3.85, \$4.40, \$4.95, \$5.50

DOUBLE ROOM – 2 PEOPLE-----\$4.95, \$5.50, \$6.05, \$6.60

ROOM WITH TWIN BEDS - 2 PEOPLE-----\$5.50, \$6.05, \$6.60, \$7.15, \$7.70

To help put this in perspective Google reports \$1 in 1942 is worth \$17.25 today.

YOURS IN GOOD FELLOWSHIP

MARK L. MCCOMBS PGM/GRAND HISTORIAN

WELCOME, NEW GROTTOES! Al Haboob, Nox Lux and Sayaad



Al Haboob Grotto

Lubbock, TX Instituted February 11, 2022

Nox Lux Grotto Temple, TX

Instituted November 26, 2021



Sayaad Grotto

Cypress, TX Instituted January 29, 2022

A MESSAGE FROM THE HUMANITARIAN FOUNDATION TRUSTEES

We would like to take this opportunity to apologize for the delay in getting your Enchanted Lanterns and Fairchild certificates to you. We have had some personal and office issues in the last couple of months. But be assured that everything is getting back on track, and you will be receiving your certificates in a more timely manner.

We have hired another employee for the Humanitarian Foundation, Robin Edwards, who is working out great. Also, our new programs for Dental, Enchanted Lanterns and Fairchild Society will be up and running sometime the latter part of March. This will make it easier to provide you with any information you request on your donations.

Again, thank you for your understanding and patience during the last couple of months. It means quite a lot to us to have the support of everyone and thank you for the donations that keep coming in.



IN GOOD FELLOWSHIP, THE HUMANITARIAN TRUSTEES



LANTERN TALK

Imagine with me that we are back in 1888 or 1889 in a small town in upstate New York. Your name is Sydney Smith, and I am LeRoy Fairchild and I own the local clothing store. We live in a prosperous and growing town that use to be Paynes Hollow but is now called Hamilton after Alexander Hamilton. I'm the appointed leader of a group of masons called the Fairchild Deviltry Committee that gets together after lodge for some cards, a cold drink, a hot cigar, and some High Jinks. We meet at different shops around town in the evenings after lodge; frequently we meet at my store.

Imagine that you and I meet on morning in front of Big Phils Italian Barber Shop. You say to me: "Say LeRoy, a group of the Lodge boys want to get together tonite, and there are some masons who are traveling salesmen and came in on the train who are at the hotel tonite. They want to join us again as well."

I say "if there are that many, we better meet at my place in the basement club room I set up. It may be a Grotto like cave down there, but it's still a good place to meet."

As we part, I agree to put the usual signal out on the front of the store so the guys in town will know the meeting's at my place this time.

That signal was a Red Lantern they hung on flag poles in front of whatever store they were meeting at.

The following year, in New York, that Fairchild Deviltry Committee was organized as the Grottoes of North America. Sixty years later in Long Beach, CA, the Grotto adopted that Red Lantern, that was used as their meeting signal, as the symbol of their Humanitarian Foundation.

Back in 1889, LeRoy Fairchild, as the leader, was called King Devil. Today, we call our leader Grand Monarch. And today, the Grand Monarch has called on the Supreme Council to meet, so it is time to put out that Red Lantern, so we all know where the meeting is.

INSTALL AND LIGHT LANTERN

The Supreme Council is now assembled, and as Master Masons, we are taught to seek our God for help and guidance before starting anything important.

Prophet Grand Chaplin, you will attend at the altar, open the Holy Bible, and deliver our invocation.

Please remain standing for the presentation of the Color Guard, after which I invite you to remain standing and join me in the International Pledge of Allegiance, as traditionally led by PGM Robert Black.

Color Guard, present the American & Canadian Colors.

National Anthems: Canadian & United States



JUST MY LEGS ARE SHOWING BUT THERE'S A SMILE ON MY FACE! SO... HELP TODAY AND HOPE TOMORROW.



THE STORY OF THE ENCHANTED LANTERN

By EARL STRICK, P. M.

Hundreds of years ago the story is told of the "spiritual hobo" who had an Enchanted Lantern. By simply waving a wand over it, his every wish was granted.

The riches of the land became his; the most beautiful women and people of the country where he lived were his slaves.

In his greediness, the power of the Enchanted Lantern was used only for his personal gain and satisfaction.

This lantern could bring happiness, good health and the finer things of life for both its holder and those about him, but it was never used except for the material things, power and greed.

One day, so the story goes, greed became such an important factor in the life of the holder of the Enchanted Lantern he forgot it required good fuel to keep it burning. It went out; his dictatorship came to an end, his people revolted and his life was exterminated by them. He died a violent death.

The Enchanted Lantern fell into the hands of a worthy, kind, man who discovered its power by helping his fellowman. Its light again became powerful and the miracles it was intended to perform has been a guiding force for good ever since, except for short periods of time when it got into the hands of the spiritual hoboes.

There are many so-called "spiritual hoboes" among us today—free riders, so to speak, always looking for a handout but never assuming any of the burden of others. Helping their fellowman is the least of their thoughts and how insulted they are when their plea for food, doctor's care or shelter is turned down.

Little do these spiritual hoboes realize that no man liveth who is not dependent on their fellowman, that all receiving and never giving has no place in the human race and usually ends in a violent death.

Until a few years ago, the Grotto was much like a spiritual hobo, using its Enchanted Lantern for mirth, fun and good fellowship among its members. Suddenly out of the darkness of the night the rays of the lantern brightened into a program of assuming the burden of others who cannot help themselves—our National Cerebral Palsy Foundation.

The light and glow of the lantern is still dim; the donations for Enchanted Lantern certificates is necessary to brighten its beams. Every certificate adds another ray of light and happiness into the heart of its donor and ino the life of a helpless child.

Let's all throw off the yoke of the spiritual hobo, make a donation for an Enchanted Lantern certificate, and become a true humanitarian and add another ray of light in our Enchanted Lantern by having our name on the roll of honor in our great humanitarian project.



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- ✓ LeRoy's Boys funds go to the Supreme Council Fund for LeRoy's Boys as a not taxdeductible option to build and support the Supreme Council for years to come. You can donate at www.scgrotto.org.
- ✓ The Hardship Fund funds go to the Hardship Fund as a non-taxdeductible option to aid Prophets or Grottoes hit by tragic or devastating losses. You can donate at www. scgrotto.org.
- ✓ The Humanitarian Foundation as a tax deductible option, the official charity of the Grottoes of North America, "Helping Special Needs Children, One Smile at a Time." Go to www.hfgrotto.org to learn more.

Or contact the SC or HF Office to find out how you can support your organization today.

Thank you!

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