



Lafayette Lodge # 83 AF&AM

3rd QUARTER 2016

Welcome

2016

Brothers

Entered

Apprentice

Bro. Tyler

Williams

Bro. Louis

Gonzalez

Bro. Craig

Murphy

Bro. Grady

Nesbitt

Fellow Craft

Bro. Nicholas

Kissel

Bro. Robert

Aiken III

Master Masons

Bro. Jeffery

Cheeseman

Masters Corner

Brethren,

Greetings from the East!

“How good and pleasant it is for brothers to dwell together in unity”
This passage from Psalm 133 is often recited at lodge when we meet but I recently found another meaning. It isn't just good to dwell with brothers for personal knowledge or to share a laugh or two but most importantly for the purpose of contributing something back to the brethren. What anecdote, what learning can I pass on to others., especially newer brethren. It's not so much what you get but what you give.

Fraternally

WBro. J.R. Suarez, Master



Secretary's Desk

Brethren,

Make sure and turn in your stubs with your Fund Raiser money so they can be included in the drawing. Make sure they are turned in by Nov 15th as this is the day of the drawing.

Fraternally

Bro. Robert Savacool

Necrology Report

No Brothers of Lafayette Lodge # 83 lost this quarter

Items of Interest

Fund Raiser will be held at the Lodge on Friday November 4th.

Sale your tickets and come help out

Grand Lodge was a good time as always, being able to see and to share time with many Brothers .

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Masonic Words

Steward

This came into general use through the church, in which it was adopted as the name for an important official and also for an important theological doctrine; the doctrine of stewardship. The word itself had a peculiar origin. In Anglo Saxon *stigo* was a sty or place in which domestic animals were kept; a *weard* (see "warden") was a guard or keeper therefore the steward was the keeper of the cattle pens. Its meaning became enlarged to include the duties of general over-seer one who is in charge of a household or estate for another; and still more generally, one who provides for the needs for food, money, and supplies. In the history of Masonry the office of steward has performed a variety of functions; the caring of funds, distribution of charity, preparing for banquets and similar services.

Subdue

To quite or bring under control by physical force or persuasion; to reduce the intensity or degree of; town down

Superfluity

overabundance; excess; immoderate, especially living habits or desires.

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