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October 1985

Dear Brethern:

I am sure we all go through our daily routines day after day and after a period of time look at ourselves and realize that we are in a rut. Did you ever think of a rut as being a good thing? Ruts are made by motion and by constant use and usually signify a proven way. Ruts come from somewhere and go somewhere. They have a beginning and a destination, and were made by someone who had a plan or purpose.

A person who has no plan or purpose will wander around with no end in view, and leave no trace of his doings. Others will follow the rut because experience has proven that it leads somewhere or to something. Ruts were made by progress and not by stagnation.

Masonry has been on the same track for centuries. It is in a rut that has a beginning and a destination. Its beginning was in almost total darkness, but there was a glimmer of light far off in the East; and through the years the light has grown brighter and brighter. Masonry has grown and ruts are still being made by thousands of men who have a plan and a purpose, and a need to make progress. Masonry's destination will be governed by the actions of the Master Masons of the present, who are making the ruts that will lead to the future of the Fraternity.

Faternally,
WILLIAM C. PARR, JR., Worshipful Master

Set your goal higher than you can reach. Then reach for it.

IN MEMORIAM

THOMAS H. DODDS

Raised March 22, 1946 Died August 16, 1985

LEWIS A. THOMPSON

Raised May 24, 1946 Died August 17, 1985

HAROLD E. NICHOLS, P.M.

Raised June 20, 1930 Died September 11, 1985

200th Anniversary Coordinator

Robert D. Barber, P.G.C.

REMINDER – DUES ARE PAST DUE

Brethern:

You are cordially invited to attend the following communications of Shekinah Lodge:

REGULAR COMMUNICATION

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 4, 1985 – 7:30 P.M. Regular Business and Balloting on Petition for Dual Membership of: Bro. Jesse F. Schenck, Age 64, 803 D St., Millville and Wor. Herbert E. Reback, Age 68, S. Delsea Dr., Vineland.
Important Business to be discussed regarding the acceptance of the proposed merger of Salome Lodge No. 145. Refreshments following the Meeting.

EMERGENT COMMUNICATION

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 26, 1985 – 7:15 P.M. Annual visitation of Phoenix Lodge No. 75, Phoenixville, Pa. Entered Apprentice Degree to be conferred upon Mr. Rosario Fiordimondo, Jr. Dinner at 6:15 P.M.

DATES TO REMEMBER

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 3, 1985 – 7:30 P.M. Official Visit of Right Worshipful Richard R. Boston, District Deputy Grand Master of the 22nd Masonic District to Brotherhood Lodge No. 292, Vineland, NJ.

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 15, 1985 – 7:30 P.M. Official Visit of Right Worshipful Richard R. Boston, District Deputy Grand Master of the 22nd Masonic District to Evening Star Lodge No. 97, Bridgeton, NJ.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 16, 1985 – 7:30 P.M. District Lodge of Instruction at Brotherhood Lodge No. 292, Vineland, NJ. Officers should attend, Brethern welcome.

MONDAY, OCTOBER 21, 1985 – Official Visit of Most Worshipful James E. Duke, Grand Master of Masons of the State of New Jersey and Celebration of the 125th Anniversary of Excelsior Lodge No. 54, Salem, NJ. Dinner at 6:45 P.M. Tickets \$10.00. For tickets contact Right Worshipful George F. Jerram, P.J.G.S. Telephone – 609-299-3313.

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 22, 1985 – Official Visit of Most Worshipful James E. Duke, Grand Master of Masons of the State of New Jersey and Reception for Right Worshipful Carl G. Schreib, Grand Sword Bearer to be held by Neptune Lodge No. 75 at Shekinah Lodge No. 58, Millville, NJ. Dinner at 6:45 P.M. Tickets \$10.00. Contact Officers of Neptune Lodge No. 75 for tickets.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 23, 1985 – Past Masters and Wardens Association Dinner Meeting at Brewster Villa Inn, Vineland, NJ. Social Hour 6:00 P.M. Dinner at 7:00 P.M. Contact Right Worshipful P. Wayne Astheimier, P.G.C. for tickets. Telephone 609-692-2679.

LOOKING AHEAD

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 15, 1985 – Past Masters Night, Shekinah Lodge No. 58.

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 16, 1985 – Shekinah's Ladies Night at the Savoy Inn, Vineland, NJ. Tickets \$22.00 per person.

WILLIAM C. PARR, JR., Worshipful Master

Attested: Ronald N. Spiels, P.M. Secretary

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GRAND MASTER

Most Worshipful JAMES E. DUKE

34 Richard Lane, West Long Branch, N.J. 07764

DISTRICT DEPUTY GRAND MASTER OF THE 22nd MASONIC DISTRICT

Right Worshipful RICHARD R. BOSTON

31 Dogwood Drive, Bridgeton, N.J. 08302 (Phone (609) 455-5696

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- ROBERT JOHNSON Junior Steward
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TRUSTEES

- Walter S. Earling, PM One Year
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FINANCE COMMITTEE

- Robert Barber, PGC, (Ch.)
- George Satterlee
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- Kenneth Grace
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- Floyd Taylor
- Edwin Lindquist
- Wayne Henry
- Robert Johnson
- Scott Cossaboon

LIVING PAST MASTERS

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| Sheppard W. Hogan . . . 1917 | John A. Shea 1957 | Richard A. Jervis 1972 |
| Lester M. Hand 1928 | William S. Stagg, Jr. . . 1961 | Robert F. Andrews . . . 1973 |
| Shirley D. Haines 1931 | Herbert W. Dunham, Jr. 1963 | Anthony Padilla 1974 |
| Delbert H. Pfeiffer 1934 | George S. Leacock 1945 | William H. Stiles 1975 |
| Walter S. Earling 1939 | William H. Bowen 1964 | Ronald N. Spiels 1976 |
| Frank B. Lutz 1943 | Milton Moroz 1964 | Norman H. Peek 1977 |
| Marshall H. Roe 1946 | Horace B. Hand 1948 | J. Douglass Abdill . . . 1978 |
| Lewis E. Ferguson, Jr. . . 1949 | Robert D. Barber 1966 | Robert W. Estell 1979 |
| Charles F. Finch 1952 | Vernon C. Minkwitz, Sr. 1967 | J. Roy Oliver 1980 |
| James J. Molloy, Jr. . . . 1953 | F. Edward Barsuglia . . 1968 | George Carty 1981 |
| Norman H. Fowler 1954 | Harry H. Potter 1969 | Leonard R. Potter, Jr. . 1982 |
| Robert T. Shannon 1955 | William H. Goshen 1970 | Paul Pantelis 1983 |
| Harold E. Nichols 1956 | Russell A. Roberts 1971 | Robert Hayes 1984 |

Regular Communications - 1st Friday 7:30 P.M. — Except July and August

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