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Brethren:

It has been both a perplexing and a confusing question to myself, since I became a member of this great Fraternity, as I am sure it has been to you, — **What purpose does Masonry serve?**

There seem to be simplistic answers that come immediately to your attention, such as, friendship, comradery, social activity, and a basic contentment at which you arrive, by surrounding yourself with what we like to call friends and Brothers.

Although in the beginning, our desires and expectations are satisfied by these 'first impressions', the passage of time and the history of our Organization necessarily leads us to imagine greater and more important uses for Masonry.

In the town meeting of our local governments, are not our abilities required in the formation of policies that will determine how our community and the governing of it will progress?

In our churches and temples, is not our presence required to support and build those faiths and beliefs that mean so very much to us?

In our community in general, isn't it necessary for our talent and skill to be employed in the performance of those necessary tasks, which so often are left undone because of lack of manpower or general apathy?

In our State and Federal government, has not the presence of Masonry, and the practice of our Craft, been a corner-stone and support in which we have taken great pride and self-exaltation?

Masonry has given me opportunities to learn, to appreciate, to practice, and perhaps, most important of all, to question. These opportunities are also available to you, my Brethren. Come to the Lodge, whenever possible, and receive the opportunities to which you are entitled.

I am sure that the answers to the questions you may have, cannot all be answered by myself or even by the most knowledgeable and experienced of the Craft that we have available; but, I am willing to bet you, that as a unit, we cannot only answer the questions, but provide acceptable solutions to any task that we may undertake.

Sincerely and Fraternaly,
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Worshipful Master

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Brethren:

You are cordially invited to attend the following regular and emergent communications.

REGULAR COMMUNICATION

FRIDAY, SEPT. 2, 1988 — 7:30 p.m. — Regular business meeting Shekinah Lodge. Refreshments

EMERGENT COMMUNICATION

SATURDAY, SEPT. 17, 1988 — Annual Visitation of Phoenix Lodge No. 75; Fellowcraft degree to be conferred upon Brother E.A. Tim William Ryan and Brother E.A. Robert Lee Dooley. Dinner 6:30 p.m. Please come out and visit with our Pennsylvania Brethren, and show them how much we look forward to their visit.

DATES TO REMEMBER

WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 21, 1988 — 7:30 p.m. — District Lodge of Instruction to be held at Vineland Lodge No. 69.

In attendance that evening will be R.W. Leo Otway. Discussion will be held concerning changes to be made in R.W. Brother Otway's year.

All Wardens and deacons are requested to attend. Brethren are always welcome.

TUESDAY, SEPT. 27, 1988 — 7:30 p.m. Official Visit of R.W. Richard R. Boston, to Evening Star Lodge No. 97 in Cedarville. Officer should attend. Brethren always welcome.

FRIDAY, SEPT. 30, 1988 — Junior Grand Wardens Reception Masonic Temple, Barracks St., Trenton, NJ. Social hour 5:30 p.m. — Dinner 6:30 p.m. — Reception — 7:30 p.m. Dinner tickets \$15.00.

For tickets, contact, Brother Len Mandelblatt, 1200 Newton St., North Brunswick, 08902. (201) 846-9591, or R.W. Richard R. Boston.

Attest: Marvin White, P.M. Secretary

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

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