## **Past Masters**

(Last 15)

Worshipful Brother William R. Hughes 1996 Worshipful Brother Mitchell V. Hertzberger 1997 Worshipful Brother Edward J. Domenico 1998 Worshipful Brother Joseph G. Connelly 1999 Worshipful Brother Don L. Klaus 2000 Most Worshipful Brother U. Dean Mathena 2001-2004 Worshipful Brother Randy Crask 2005 Worshipful Brother Lawrence Fritz, Jr. 2006, Worshipful Brother Randy Crask 2007 Worshipful Brother Winston W. Scott Jr. 2008 Worshipful Brother Lawrence Fritz Jr., 2009 Worshipful Brother Michael Carlock 2010 Worshipful Brother Jaymie Vaughn 2011 Worshipful Brother Mark Mitzman 2012 Worshipful Brother Mike Roberts 2013



#### 2014 COMMITTEES

#### Temple Board

Chair, Chris Matthews Secretary Jaymie Vaughn 2-vr., Bruce Lawlor 1-yr., Ernie Shonrock 3-yr., Alan DeGeorge 1-yr., Rich Trujillo 1-vr., Chris Womack Charity

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Bruce Lawlor, Chairman Grievance

Jaymie Vaughn, Chairman Education

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### Work

Chairman-

1<sup>st</sup> Degree—Bro. Lee Linder 2<sup>nd</sup> Degree—Bro. Bruce Lawlor 3<sup>rd</sup> Degree—W.B Chris Matthews

# Message From the East

Good evening Brethren,

I am writing you tonight from Longmont United hospital where my wife just finished up surgery and is recovering mode. She is doing great and recovery will be long but worth it. In lodge, Lee talked about how great Miners night was here up in Longmont. They had beef stew that was good and enjoyed a performance from the brethren that was excellent. We read two petitions and voted on them and they were approved. I hope everyone had a great summer and with the colors changing, we need to prepare for the winter.

We will need to emulate the second degree in order to meet honor lodge requirements and this will take place in November. November is very busy starting with a tentative first degree on Saturday, November 1<sup>st</sup> at 9:00. We may have three candidates for that day if dates work out or we may have none. I am still waiting on confirmations. The second degree will happen after our Zone meeting on November 8<sup>th</sup> at 8:30. We will then have an officers meeting and then at 1:00 we will perform the second degree. We have a Grand lodge sponsored event November 22<sup>nd</sup> and 23<sup>rd</sup> in the Springs; please contact Jaymie for more information.

We will not have a meeting November 26<sup>th</sup> due to the Thanksgiving holiday and hold a no quorum. We will then hold elections on December 10<sup>th</sup> and please remember committee reports will be due this day as well. Please get with me if you have questions about the committees and I will also send out a separate email with the all the committees.

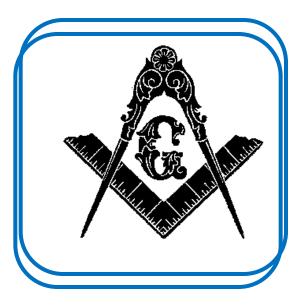
Please remember brethren that we are here to make good men great and this starts with the blue lodge. With all the new petitions going on, the holidays coming up, other Masonic organization being busy and the year coming to an end, please remember the blue lodge when you are busy and please keep Lafayette Lodge #91 in a special place.

Until next time.

Christopher Matthews Worshipful Master Lafayette Lodge #91



# LAFAYETTE LODGE No. 91 A.F. & A.M



Making Good Men Better

## **Stated Meetings** 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Wednesdays **Every Month**

Except June-August

November 2014

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CANDIDATE UPDATES
Entered Apprentices Working on Proficiencies
Fousseni Banao

Master Masons Working on Proficiencies
Jeffrey Lohse
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Raine McLellan

## **Stated Meetings**

October 22<sup>nd</sup> November 12<sup>th</sup> November 26th No quorum

## Special Meetings

November 1<sup>st</sup> 9 am EA Degree

November 8<sup>th</sup>
Zone meeting 8:30am
FC degree following

#### Brethren.

I have made arrangements for WB Wayne Arner to attend Lafayette Lodge on Wednesday October 22 for our Masonic Education. WB Wayne's presentations are always very interesting on the history of Lafayette Lodge as well as the history between all the other mining lodges in our area. It is an event not to be missed!

I am also calling an Officers meeting at Lafayette Lodge on Saturday November 8 immediately following the Zone meeting which we will be hosting. Zone meeting starts at 0830 but we are putting on breakfast to be served just prior to the meeting. I'll need some assistance with breakfast. Zone meetings usually run an hour or so. With that said I would anticipate starting our Officers Meeting about 10-10:30. Planning, agenda, expectations, assignments and volunteering will be done then. Bring your ideas and suggestions. This officers meeting should take no more than 1-1 1/2 hours. Baring death, dismemberment or work I expect officers to attend.

WB David Williams, our District Lecturer usually attends the Zone Meeting so anybody who needs to get funeral proficiencies and our step-up/step-down proficiency completed, that may prove to be an opportune time so we can get it submitted for Honor Lodge points.

Additionally, we need to do a Fellowcraft Degree, which usually takes about an hour and that too may be done on November 8 as well. As we don't have a proficient EA ready yet, we will communicate the degree with a stand-in. This too will give us credit for Honor Lodge points. I realize this represents a significant part of your Saturday, but it is absolutely necessary and I beg your indulgence in this endeavor. If we move things along I would hope we can be finished by 2pm or so.

Lafayette Lodge's Annual Meeting is on Wednesday December 10. All standing committee chairmen must submit written reports that night to be made part of the minutes. Elections for WM, SW, JW, Treasurer, Secretary and Temple Board will also occur that evening as well. Appointments for the ensuing Masonic year will then be announced.

If and only if I am elected to the East, then the installation will occur on Saturday December 13 beginning at 10:30am with light lunch to follow. Installing Officers will be WB Grover Sardeson as Worshipful Master and MIPGM and MEPGHP Rick Benish as Marshall (weather permitting of course).

Thanks for all your assistance. We will have a great upcoming year!

Sincerely and Fraternally,

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#### LABOR

#### by Silas H. Shepherd

Just a quiet little lodge-room, But a mighty force for good; With its loyal band of members Learning more of brotherhood: Striving, stumbling, but progressing Down a pathway toward the right; Just a humble bunch of plain folks, Reaching, seeking for the light. Just a quiet little lodge-room How it stirs the heart and soul With the thrill of great endeavor Toward a high and common goal; With each pledge of faith and courage To maintain the forward fight, On the road that leads them onward Ever onward to the light!

### 2014

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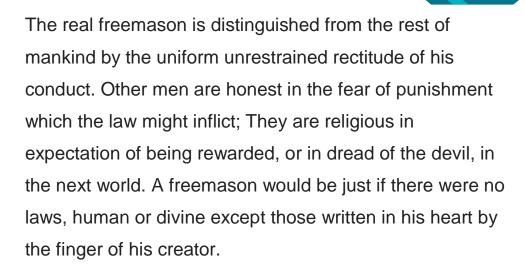
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# The Character of a Mason





In every climate, under every system of religion, he is the same. He kneels before the universal throne of God in gratitude for the blessings he has received and the humble solicitation for his future protection. He venerates the good men of all religions. He disturbs not the religion of others. He restrains his passions, because they cannot be