

**ANCIENT ACCEPTED
SCOTTISH RITE
SPRING REUNION**

2010



**VALLEY OF NEW HAVEN
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Lobster or Filet Minion @ \$ 25.00 pp

July 1, 2010 Director's info to Secretary
FOR FALL 2010 BULLETIN

July 24, 2010 Picnic & Scholarships
REHEARSAL DATES

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4th. Degree (OLD) Bruce R. Bellmore, MSA, 33°
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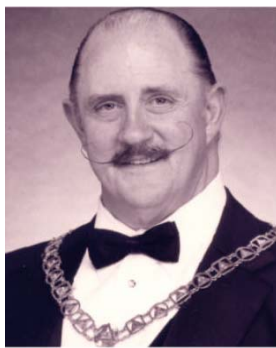
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**SEE PAGE 16 & 17 FOR ADDRESSES
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Raymond W. Terrell	09/08/2008
William E. Weiner	08/02/2009
Raymond E. Westlund, Jr.	05/14/2008

**To a beautiful garden these friends have gone, To the land
of perfect rest. Their work is done, And the setting sun
has sealed their life's long quest. They have left this
earthly garden for a home beyond the sea. Though they
are gone, they still live on in our garden of memory.**



WELCOME FROM THE THRICE POTENTENT



Greetings Brethren,

It is with the greatest sense of humility that I greet you officially as the Thrice Potent Master of E. G. Storer Lodge of Perfection. I reflected on the past eight years that I have moved up the officer's line and wondered where the time went. It seems not that long ago I had my first real opportunity to witness the 14th degree from

the sidelines and was struck by the symbolism and the emotion of the ritual. Never being one to pass up a great ritual part, I asked how I could get involved; only to find out I had to be appointed to the Lodge of Perfection line to get the chance. Fortunately, my old friend and mentor RW Brother Gus Lawrence was finishing the year as Deputy Master and was only too happy to appoint me a junior officer. I have learned a great deal from those brothers that have preceded me to this office and I hope replicate their good work.

We have an exciting line-up of degrees this fall at our reunion and I hope to see the sidelines filled with a large class of candidates and a large showing of members of the Valley of New Haven. I particularly send a special invitation to my brothers at Annawon Lodge and hope they may make the 11th and 14th degrees. Speaking of the 11th degree, we have not conferred this degree in a number of years and I hope the brethren will make a particular effort to attend. It is a wonderful script with a compelling message of the importance of sincerity, duty and truth.

Finally allow me to express my sincere gratitude to the number of Past Trice Potent Masters that have supported and encouraged me over the years. Let me also give thanks to those Illustrious Brothers of the 33rd degree who supported me in my rather long route to joining their ranks. I will continue to do my best to solicit your praise and warm feelings.

I look forward to an exciting and rewarding year in the Scottish Rite.

≠ Sidney W. Isenberg, Thrice Potent Master

E. G. STORER
LODGE OF PERFECTION
Sidney W. Isenberg, 33°, T. P. M.

FOURTH DEGREE
MASTER TRAVELER
Monday, January 25, 2010

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Scene 2 - Toward Perfection -Valley of New Haven

King David **Paul L. Chello, 33°**
Solomon **Steven P. Schreck, MSA, 33°**
Joseph **Frank Heaven, 32°**
Sepa **Robert J. Knowles, 32°**

Scene 3 -Truth in Council -Valley of Waterbury

Araspes **Clyde W. Kayser, MSA, 33°**
Artaban **Joseph T. Cyr, MSA, 33°**
Bartacus **Valley of Waterbury**
King Darius **Valley of Waterbury**

Scene 4 -Spirit of Rose Croix Valley of Bridgeport

Most Wise Master **Edward R. Ham, 33°**
Junior Warden **Gustaf R. Bodin, 33°**
Senior Warden **Elliot J. Wilcox, 32°**

Scene 5 -Consistory

Chaplain **Sidney W. Isenberg, 33°**
Chief Spotted Eagle **Elmer F. Manley, MSA, 33°**
George Washington **Bruce R. Bellmore, MSA, 33°**
Constans **Martin Ede, MSA, 32°**

Rehearsals: 7:00 PM - Monday 1/20/2009

Here is the introduction to Scottish Rite Masonry. This degree provides us with a preview of the moral truths we shall witness on our journey through the Scottish Rite..

E. G. STORER
LODGE OF PERFECTION
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OLD FOURTH DEGREE

MASTER ELECT

Monday, January 25, 2010

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Zabud..... Bruce R. Bellmore, MSA, 33°
Zadok Valley of Waterbury
Ahishar Elmer F. Manley, MSA, 33°
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LEVITES

Martin Ede, MSA, 32°

Frank H. Lesco, MSA, 32°

Timothy C. Wilkins, 32°

Richard C. Calabria, 32°

Dinner: 6:15 P.M.

Rehearsals: @ 7:30 P.M. Monday Jan. 20, 2009

This degree teaches that a violator of his obligations and commitments will not go unpunished and, further, that excuses, rationalizations, and other evidences of lack of repentance will very likely increase the severity of the penalties.

E. G. STORER
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GRAND ELECT MASON

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Carleton V. Erickson, 33°

Rehearsals: @ 7:00 PM - Jan. 26 & Feb. 1, 2010

*In the Scottish Rite, this degree is the summit of
Ancient Craft Masonry. As the crowning degree of the Lodge
of Perfection, its essence is the holiness of God and reverence
for His Holy Name. God will not hold him guiltless that taketh
His Name in vain.*

**VALLEY OF NEW HAVEN
SCOTTISH RITE
FOURTH ANNUAL WINTER PICNIC**

**MAGICIAN
GAMES PRIZES**

Picnic food

Make your own sundaes

*Come for a winter afternoon of fun and food for
all ages*

Adults, children and/or grandchildren

February 20, 2010 from 1- 4 p.m.

285 Whitney Ave., New Haven

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NO COST**

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Name _____

How many coming _____

How many are children _____

Scottish Rite
Valley of New Haven
Dinner Theater
A NIGHT WITH “ABE”

DATE

May 15, 2010

PLACE

**New Haven Temple
285 Whitney Ave
New Haven, CT**

TIME

**Dinner 6:30 P.M.
Theater at 7:30**

DINNER CHOICES

**Baked Stuffed Lobster
Or Fillet mignon**

Cost

\$25.00 per person

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Chartered at New Haven August 19, 1874**

Eliphalet Gilman Storer (1793-1870) for decades served all grand bodies in Connecticut as Grand Secretary/Recorder. As such he became the most conspicuous figure in Masonic circles of Connecticut in his generation. He was Grand Commander of Knights Templar (1847-48). His name appears at the head of the list of applicants in 1848 for what was to be a transitory Lodge of Perfection at New Haven.

The Lodge of Perfection 4^o - 14^o, inclusive, are commonly called the Ineffable Degrees. In these eleven lessons, the candidates will observe many references, scenes, and characters which recall and amplify the three Symbolic Degrees.

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FRATERNAL GREETINGS FROM THE SOVEREIGN PRINCE

Greetings my Brothers and welcome to the Scottish Rite Historical Degrees of the Elm City Council Princes of Jerusalem Spring Class. The degree's we confer are the 15th Degree-Knight of the East or Sword and the 16th Degree-Prince of Jerusalem and we alternately confer these degrees in the fall and spring.



This class will be receiving the 16th Degree. Our degree's positioned after the ineffable degree's of the Lodge of Perfection and before the Philosophical degrees of the Chapter of Rose Croix prepare you for the continuation of your Scottish Rite journey. I look forward to sharing this journey together with you, as new candidates and some old friends I have made along my own journey. It has often been said that you get from Masonry what you put into it, but I can honestly say that is not true, you received far more.

So welcome and enjoy the Greatest and oldest Fraternity in the World.

Fraternally,

≠ Steven P. Schreck,

ELM CITY COUNCIL
PRINCES OF JERUSLEM
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SIXTEENTH DEGREE
KNIGHT OF THE EAST OR SWORD
Monday, March 1, 2010

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Rehearsals: @ 7:30 PM Thursday - February 25, 2009

*This degree teaches fidelity to duty and devotion to
truth*



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**ELM CITY COUNCIL
PRINCES OF JERUSALEM**

Chartered at New Haven August 18, 1875

The hundreds of beautiful elm trees which, a century ago, shaded the Green and lined Hillhouse Avenue, as well as other streets, gave New Haven the well deserved name of "Elm City." Because of blight to the trees and redevelopment the title is less applicable today. It was at New Haven that Masonry was first introduced into the state with organization of the present Hiram Lodge # 1 in 1750.

The Council of Princes of Jerusalem 15°- 16°, inclusive, teach lessons using settings based on the ancient captivity of the Hebrews and the building of the second Temple.



GREETINGS SUBLIME PRINCES

**As Most Wise Master of New Haven
Chapter of Rose Croix, I welcome all Sublimed
Princes to the Seventeenth And Eighteenth De-
gree for this 2010 Spring Reunion.**

**⚡ Fraternally
Willis E. Copeland, MSA , 32°**

**NEW HAVEN CHAPTER OF ROSE CROIX
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SEVENTEENTH DEGREE

**KNIGHT OF THE EAST & WEST
MARCH 22, 2010**

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PHARISEES

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HEROD'S COURT

Members from the Valley of New Haven

Dinner: 6:15 P.M. Degree at 7:30 P.M.

Rehearsals: at 7:30 P.M. on Feb 18, 2010, March 10, 2010
and March 18, 2010

The lessons of this degree are that man will fail in
efforts that are based on power, greed and envy and that
divine guidance is needed to keep us from repeating the
errors of history.

NEW HAVEN CHAPTER OF ROSE CROIX

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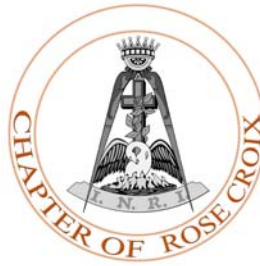
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Rehearsals: @ 7:00 PM Wednesday 10/14/2009
& Wednesday 10/21/2009

The lessons taught in this degree are that man must have a new Temple in his heart where God is worshiped in spirit and in truth and that he must have a new law of love which all men everywhere may understand and practice. This degree affirms the broad principle of universality and tolerance.



**LIVING PAST MOST WISE MASTERS
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Randy S. Stevens, 33°	1996
Joseph P. Fagan, 32°	1997
Edwin F. Dingus, 33°	1998
Charles F. Warfield, 33°	2000
John D. Williams, Jr., MSA, 33°	2001
Gary T. Dingus, 32°	2002
Bradley K. Cooney, 33°	2003
Steven P. Schreck, MSA, 33°	2004
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Robert D. Sherrick, 33°	1993
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John H. Goodrich, Jr., 32°	1999
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Robert D. Sherrick, MSA, 33°	1994
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Martin Ede, MSA, 32° Nominee	2010

DIAGRAM OF SCOTTISH RITE MASONRY

CONSISTORY TRADITIONAL AND CHIVALRIC DEGREES

- 33 Sovereign Grand Inspector General
- 32 Sublime Prince of the Royal Secret
- 31 Knight Aspirant
- 30 Grand Inspector Inquisitor Commander
- 29 Knight of St. Andrew
- 28 Knight of the Sun
- 27 Commander of the Temple
- 26 Prince of Mercy
- 25 Knight of the Brazen Serpent
- 24 Prince of the Tabernacle
- 23 Chief of the Tabernacle
- 22 Prince of Libanus
- 21 Patriarch Noachite
- 20 Master ad Vitam
- 19 Grand Pontiff

CHAPTER PHILOSOPHICAL DEGREES

- 18 Knight of the Rose Croix of H. R. D. M.
- 17 Knight of the East and West

COUNCIL HISTORICAL DEGREES

- 16 Prince of Jerusalem
- 15 Knight of the East, or Sword

LODGE OF PERFECTION INEFFABLE DEGREES

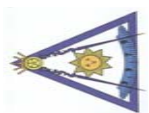
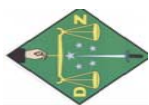
- 14 Grand Elect Mason
- 13 Master of the Ninth Arch
- 12 Grand Master Architect
- 11 Sublime Master Elected
- 10 Elect of Fifteen
- 9 Master Elect of Nine
- 8 Intendant of the Building
- 7 Provost and Judge
- 6 Intimate Secretary
- 5 Perfect Master
- 4 Master Traveler

BLUE LODGE SYMBOLIC DEGREES

- 3 Master Mason
- 2 Fellow Craft
- 1 Entered Apprentice

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