

December 2022 NEWSLETTER

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Fidelity Lodge No 339

100 Main Street

Farley, MO 64028

<https://www.Fidelitylodge339.org>



Upcoming Events

December 7

Stated Meeting

December 21

NO!! Study Club

January 4

Stated Meeting

**Fidelity Lodge 2022 Christmas
Party**
*Will be held 11 December 2022
If you are a member and have not
been contacted,
Please call and leave a message:
(816) 719-7614 for additional
Information.
See Detail Information Page 5*

November 2022 Attendance

Stated Meeting **10 %**

Study Club **8 %**

December 2022 Attendance

Stated Meeting **11 %**

Study Club **%**

Building Committee:

Will request three
contractor bids to finish
the restoration work.

**Please notice attendance
at left. Your attendance Is
Needed and will Be
Greatly Appreciated.**

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November Birthdays



William Palmer.....12/5
 Gary McMullin.....12/14
 Jeffery Wright12/14
 David Bennefield.....12/14
 Wilbert Tate.....12/14
 Steven Loyd.....12/19
 Terry O'Dell.....12/18
 Kevin Heinerikson...12/20
 Ronald Olds.....12/26
 Timothy Thompson.12/27



Location
 100 Main Street
 Farley, MO 64028

Mail Address
 Fidelity Lodge #339
 12280 NW Crooked Road
 C/O Joe Duffey
 Parkville, MO 64152
 (816) 885-6981

Living Past Masters

1986.... William B. Palmer
 1987..... Mark C. Reavis
 1990....L Michael Shelton
 1992.....Steven R. Loyd
 1997.....Charles R. White
 2003... Vincent R. Hoffman
 2007.....John A. Hart, III
 2009.....Roy Orth
 2010.....Joseph Fontenot
 2011.....Ben R. Orth, II
 2012... Timothy Thompson
 2014.....Jeremy Blowers
 2016.....Brian Aikmus
 2017.....Andrew Barnes
 2018.....Joe Castagno
 2019.....Kevin Heinerikson
 2021.....James Miller
 2022.....James Miller



Officers 2022

Patrick J. Mackey.....Master
 Montee Benien.....SR Warden
 Kirby Ingles.....JR Warden
 Joseph Duffey.....Secretary
 Kevin Heinerikson.....Treasurer
 Pascual Marquez.....SR Deacon
 William Foster.....JR Deacon
 Christopher Nelson.....SR Steward
 Michael Connolly.....JR Steward
 Larry Davis.....Chaplin
 James MillerMarshal
 Phillip Snell.....Tyler

Our Masonic Neighbors

Adelphi #355 Edgerton 4th Wed
 Alpha #659 N. KC, MO 2nd Mon
 Barry Daylight #17 KC, MO 3rd Wed
 Compass #120 N. KC, MO 2nd Thur.
 Fidelity #339 Farley, MO 1st Wed
 Rising Sun #13 KC, MO 1st Sat
 Weston #53 Weston, MO 1st Thur.

November Events
 17th District Activities are on
 page 3.

**Friday Lunch Group will
 meet on the 2nd and 4th
 Friday of each month.**
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 Page 3.**

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Morning,

The Friday Lunch Group plan is to meet at 11:30am on the second and fourth Friday of each month starting this Friday and, to keep it simple, we are going to the Asian Buffet at 511 NW Barry Road, Kansas City, MO 64155.

The Asian Buffet has a great selection, is reasonably priced, and easy parking. I need to update my lodge email list, including our widows, so if you would put this information out, I would appreciate it.

I plan on being there this Friday, 12/9 and we'll meet at the Asian Buffet again on 11/23.

Roy

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17th District

Alpha Lodge hosts a Monday morning study club at 10 am, all Masons are invited. Alpha Masonic Complex 2121 Gentry, NKC MO.

Alpha also hosts a Second Section of the Third Study Club on the First Wednesday of the month at the same address starting at 7 pm.

Rising Sun hosts a Study Club on the Second Wednesday of the month at Rising Sun Masonic Temple 2000 NE Barry Rd. starting at 7 pm.

Please attend what you are able; nothing welcomes a new or advancing brother like a full house for his degrees!

David Dexter
DDGL 17th District

Saturday, December 3rd:

RWB Glenn Burrows will be holding his School of Instruction at Alpha Lodge No. 659. Breakfast will be at 8 am with School in Session at 9 am. This will be Glenn's first school as our new Grand Lecturer so come support him if you can...His schools are always interesting!

Wednesday, December 7th:

First District LOI will be held at Adelphi Lodge No. 355 at 7 pm. We will be going over the opening and closing and focusing on the rod and floor work for the first part of a degree. All are welcome!

Tuesday, December 13th:

Kansas City Lodge No. 220 will be conferring a third degree. Dinner at 6 pm with lodge opening promptly at 7 pm.

Tuesday, December 27th:

Kansas City Lodge No. 220 will be hosting the Feast of St. John the Evangelist at Em Chamas Brazilian Grill in Parkville. We will start at 7 pm and will have a presentation by WB Aaron Rose as well as many traditional toasts. This is open to Masons only and will cost \$75.00. Seating will be limited so reserve your spot early!

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Hello Brethren,

It is that time of year again that we all come together to rejoice our friendships and celebrate another year passed. Please if you have not had an opportunity to speak to one of our lodge line officers can you **reply if you will attend, number of adults, number of kids under 12 with boy or girl. Please reply ASAP!**

- Christmas Party is *December 11th -- Start time 1:30pm*
- The party is at Rising Sun lodge, 2000 NW Barry Rd, Kansas City, MO.
- Attendees are asked to bring 1 dish that you would make to watch a football game dish (think meatballs, sliders, dips, etc...) and a desert for 4-6 people
- Santa Claus will make a showing with gifts for children under 12
- If you would like to volunteer to help cook, set up or clean up please let me know
- If you need transportation let us know and we will be happy to help
- Reminder that our regular lodge meetings are the 1st Wednesday of the month and each of you are welcomed with open brotherly arms
- MERRY CHRISTMAS!!

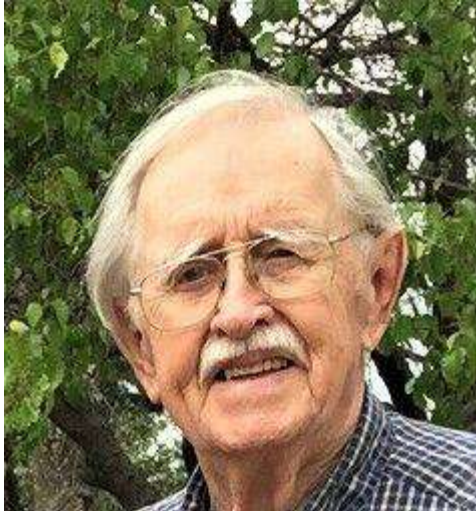


Senior Warden,

Montee Benien

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John C. Jackson, Platte City, MO, age 95, died October 12, 2022 at Kansas City North Care Hospice House.

Cremation is planned with a joint memorial and burial to be held at a later date with the future passing of his beloved wife, Louise. Until then, if you wish, donations may be made to the Platte County Historical and Genealogical Society or other charitable organization as you prefer.

John was born November 28, 1926, near Ridgely, MO to James F. and Stella (Sevier) Jackson and was a lifelong resident of Platte County. His parents and sister, Carrie, preceded him in death. He was a graduate of Edgerton High School and later the University of Missouri-Kansas City. He trained as a Navy pilot during World War II. He retired from the Federal Government, Department of Labor in 1985 after 36 years of service. Memberships included the Association of Federal Investigators, Christian Churches of Ridgely and Platte City, Committeeman of BSA Troop 248, Honorary Warrior-Tribe of Mic-O-Say, Historical Societies of Platte and Clay Counties, Masonic Lodge, Moila Temple, Legion of Honor and Shrine Club.

Survivors include Louise (Harpst), his beloved wife of 72 years; son, Steve Jackson (Billie); grandson, Stacen Jackson (April) and their children, Ainsley and Stella; and granddaughter, Bryann Jackson Bink (Joseph) and their children, Jada and Carissa; daughter, Sheri Jackson Ball (Barry) and their children, granddaughter Gena Ball, grandson Ethan Ball and step-grandsons Brodie Ball and Skylar Ball.