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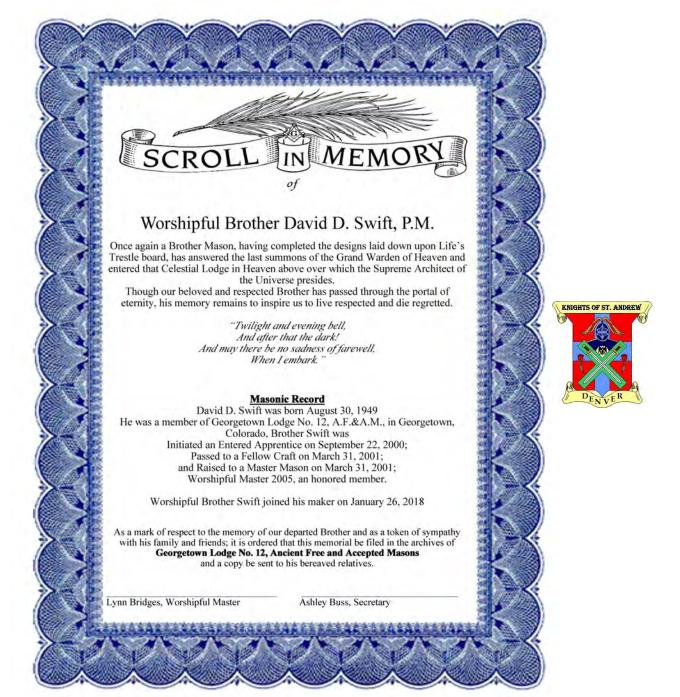
OUR KEY TO NEW MEMBERS

DID YOU KNOW ... Transportation can be arranged for those who need a ride to our stated meetings, the Reunions, and Denver Consistory special events. All you need to do is CALL THE OFFICE at 303-861-4261 and let us know you need a ride. You do not need to stay home because you do not have transportation to the Consistory.

PLANNING CALENDAR

FEBRUARY 2018					
Fri, February 2	11:30 a.m.	Consistory Lunch (Fried Chicken)			
Sat, February 3		Calling Committee			
Mon, February 5	6:30 p.m.	KSA Meeting in Lodge Room			
Fri, February 9	11:30 a.m.	Consistory Lunch (Taco Bar with all the fixin's)			
Fri, February 16	11:30 a.m.	Consistory Lunch (Oriental Buffet—Chinese New Year)			
Mon, February 19		Stated Meeting—Feast of Kadosh Parking Garage Available			
		Colorado Council of Kadosh Ritual Opening and Closing			
	5:30 p.m.	Red Room Business Meeting			
	6:00 p.m.	Dinner (Swiss Steak)			
	7:00 p.m.	Awards and Announcements; Entertainment (President's Day, Valentine's Day			
	7:30 p.m.	Split Meeting—Almoner & Life Membership Annual Reports to CLOP			
Fri, February 23	11:30 a.m.	Consistory Lunch (Mexican Peccadillo)			
MARCH 2018					
Fri, March 2	11:30 a.m.	Consistory Lunch (TBD)			
Mon, March 5		KSA Meeting in Lodge Room			
Fri, March 9		Consistory Lunch (TBD)			
Sat, March 10		Rockies Retail Sales Training - Consistory Classroom			
Fri, March 16	11:30 a.m.	Consistory Lunch (TBD)			
Mon, March 19		Stated Meeting Parking Garage Available			
	5:30 p.m.	Red Room Business Meeting			
	6:00 p.m.	Dinner (TBD)			
	7:00 p.m.	Awards and Announcements			
		Past Presiding Officers Recognition Night			
		Rockies workers Recognition - ROCKIES SHIRT NIGHT			
Fri, March 23	11:30 a.m.	Consistory Lunch (TBD)			
Tues, March 27	6:30 - 7:30 p.m.	Friends of the Scottish Rite (Prospect Night)			
Fri, March 30	11:30 a.m.	Consistory Lunch (TBD)			
Sat, March 31	2:00 - 3:00 p.m.	Rockies Retail Sales Training - Consistory Classroom			
		APRIL 2018			
Sun, April 1	6:30 a.m	Easter Sunrise Service (Knights Templar Association)			
Mon, April 2		KSA Meeting in Lodge Room			

Sun, April 1	6:30 a.m.	Easter Sunrise Service (Knights Templar Association)
Mon, April 2	6:30 p.m.	KSA Meeting in Lodge Room
Fri, April 6	11:30 a.m.	Consistory Lunch (TBD)
Fri, April 13	11:30 a.m.	Consistory Lunch (TBD)
Sat, April 14	9:00 - 11:00 a.m.	KSA Spring Cleanup
	9:00 - 11:00 a.m.	Calling Committee
Mon, April 16	5	Stated Meeting Parking Garage Available
	5:30 p.m.	Red Room Business Meeting
	6:00 p.m.	Dinner (TBD)
	7:00 p.m.	Awards & Announcements
		Celebration of Remembrance and Renewal
Fri, April 20	11:30 a.m.	Consistory Lunch (TBD)
Sat, April 21	7:00 a.m noon	9 Health Fair Parking Garage Available
	12:30 p.m.	9 Health Fair Volunteer Luncheon
Fri, April 27	11:30 a.m.	Consistory Lunch (TBD)
Sat, April 28	11:30 a.m 1:00 p.m.	Ladies Luncheon Parking Garage Available



It is with a heavy heart and deep sadness that I have to inform you of the passing of Brother David Swift, who went to meet the Supreme Architect of the Universe, Friday 26, 2018, at around 1832.

I can now confirm that arrangements for Brother Swift's funeral service. The Minister will be W:.Bro:. Jim Harris, P.M. Georgetown Lodge #12 A.F.&A.M. will do the Masonic Service, and Denver Consistory will perform the Rose Croix service.

The services will be held on **Saturday, February 17, 2018, at 1000 hours** in the Chapel of the Eastern Star Masonic Retirement Center, 2445 S Quebec Street Denver CO 80231. There will be a light lunch following the service.

W:.Bro:. Kelly McCormick, P.M. is heading up the Funeral team, of which I have asked to be Worshipful Master, Brother Barry Graham has asked to be Chaplain, and David's son Kenny has asked to be Junior Warden thus far, if you would like to participate, please contact Kelly at 303-403-4872.

Please keep Cyndi and his family in your prayers as they all move through this difficult time.

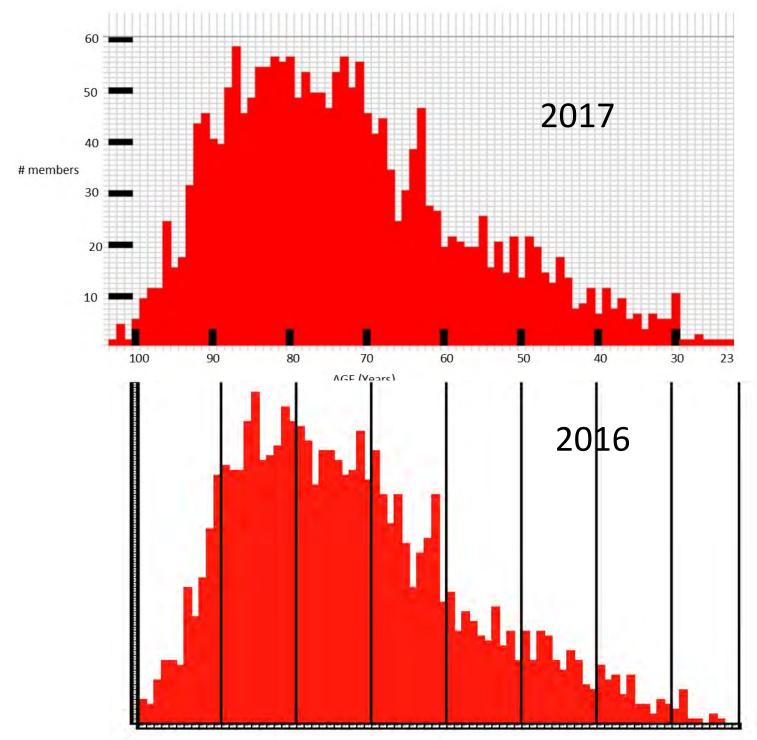
EDITOR'S CORNER



BY: BILL HICKEY, 33°
EMAIL: <u>wa3h@hotmail.com</u>



Along about a year ago, I did one of my "engineering" analyses on the Consistory's membership versus age. Well, I did it again this year. Take a look at the two graphic displays of our membership versus age and compare how they look from year to year. See much change?



Editor's Corner - Continued from previous page

I don't see much difference between the two years, yet we've lost a lot of brothers to death and NPD's, and we've gained a number of new brothers in the interim. But, basically, we're in a "holding pattern" - where not much is changing - either in absolute numbers OR the age spread of those numbers. To quote a familiar maxim: If you don't change how you're doing business, why on earth would you ever expect the outcome to change? Since the outcome hasn't changed, doesn't that sort of imply that we haven't REALLY changed how we're doing things? Oh, we have changed a bit of the way we hold meetings, but do we see more of our new brothers coming to the next stated meeting? No. Do we see more and more of the new brothers engaged in Consistory activities? Maybe, but maybe not in the overall sense. Ask yourself WHY? And, don't be afraid to be candid, and brutally honest with your observations. Because we can't possibly make the changes our younger brothers expect and need for them to replace us if we don't understand what they are and why they're important. The numbers, from all over the country, simply don't lie—the "good old days" of Masonry when we were exploding with growth— are gone, probably never to return. That's reality. So, we need to be real in the examination of our processes and procedures - and note, I did NOT say we need to change our VALUES.



Denver Consistory's 2018 9HealthFair will be held on Saturday, 21 April from 7 a.m to noon.

As in past years, we rely on our members and families to volunteer to support the fair and interact with the community. This is an important activity for public awareness - not just for publicity for our activities, but for health in our neighboring communities.

We can especially use any MEDICAL volunteers—so if you are medically trained, get in touch with Brother Fred Runyan fred5645@aol.com or 303-250-3448 (cell). If you are not medically trained, but still want to help us in some administrative way - get in touch with Brother Jack White, 32° KCCH - jdwhite244@aol.com or 970-685-9372. We will be looking at what medical screenings we might be able to offer that previously we couldn't - but we need medically trained and qualified professionals to make that happen. If you know someone that might be willing to help us, have them call me - Bill Hickey - wa3h@hotmail.com or 303-494-0384 (H).

With your help, this will be a great fair year (weather permitting, of course).

I'm looking forward to working with all of you this year.



From the Secretary's Desk

Matt Raia, 33°

WELCOME TO OUR 2018 OFFICERS! (L-R) WM, Rose Croix: James C. Crenner, 32° KCCH

VM, CLOP: Danny D. Will, 32° KCCH

Commander of Kadosh: Darren R. Klinefelter, 32° KCCH Master of Kadosh: Keith M. Anderson, 32° KCCH



Our January Stated Meeting consisted of the Annual Reports of the Centennial Lodge of Perfection, the Scottish Rite Masonic Center, the Scottish Rite Cathedral Association, and the Scottish Rite Properties. After the reports, the Personal Representative installed the 2018 officers.



Illustrious Brother David W. "Doc" Powell, 33°, Personal Representative of the SGIG, retired as Personal Representative after fifteen years of service. A plaque was presented to Doc in appreciation of his service to the Consistory.

The SGIG has appointed **Illustrious Brother Ron Birely, 33°,** as his Personal Representative for Denver Consistory.

The Knights of Saint Andrew annual Burns Supper was held on January 20th. It was a very fun event, as always. Thank you KSA for a job WELL DONE! See the photos later in this issue.





Illustrious Brother Tommy Thompson, 33° presented Brother David Vitali, 32° with his 25 year award in the Consistory Office.

COMING EVENTS AT THE CONSISTORY

Saturday, February 3rd will be the next Calling Committee, 9:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m. Contact the Secretary if you would like to volunteer to come to the Consistory office and help call some of your brothers.

Monday, February 5th at 6:30 p.m. will be the next meeting of the Knights of Saint Andrew. All Scottish Rite Masons are invited to attend.

Monday, February 19th - At our next stated meeting, we will present class photos and patents to the members of the last reunion class. We will also present Double Eagle Jewels and pins to those who have earned the awards. The entertainment for the evening will be a presentation by Brother Ben Williams, 32° KCCH, on the United States Founding Fathers. The ladies and guests will have their separate meeting. The Colorado Council of Kadosh will open in ritual form and conduct the Feast of Kadosh, and we will hear the annual reports of the Almoner and the Life Memorial Membership Fund.

The Spring Reunion will be held May 10 - 12, 2018. This will be the 52nd Consecutive Reunion of Denver Consistory. Our goal is to surpass the 24 candidates we had in the Spring 2017 Reunion.

Supreme Council 7th Annual "Celebrating the Craft" will take place on **Saturday, May 19, 2018** from 6:30 p.m. to 11:30 p.m. EST (4:30 - 9:30 p.m. MST). CTC is the Supreme Council's annual webcast supporting the Rebuilding the Temple Campaign and local Scottish Rite charities. The goal is to make this the Scottish Rite's largest membership event and fundraiser of the year. Last year, donors were offered the option to give half of their donation back to their Orient. In 2018, donors will be offered the opportunity to send half of their donation to a **designated charity at the Valley level.** For Denver Consistory, the SGIG has approved the Scottish Rite Masonic Center and the Scottish Rite Foundation as designated Valley charities.

What kind of talent are they looking for? Juggling, Impressions, Impersonations, or accents, Painting, Drawing, Live Art, Poetry Slam, Stand-up comedy, Ventriloquism, Contortionism, Tap dancing, Swing dancing, Magic, Music, Vocals, Bands, Film making, etc.

On-line submissions are due **March 1**st http://www.Hightail.com/u/ScottishriteSJ Full program details for CTC and Scottish Rite Has Talent can be found on-line at:

http://scottishrite.org/development/giving/celebrate

LIFE MEMBERSHIP FEE

75 years old and older - a single payment of \$1,000. **62-74** years old - a single payment of \$1,500. Younger than **62** - a single payment of \$2,500.

Extended payment terms may be arranged. Contact the office for details. 303-861-4261 or by email denverconsistory@denverconsistory.org



The Scottish Rite – The Rockies Experience 2018

2018 Colorado Rockies Baseball Season begins on April 6th at Coors Field in a game with the Atlanta Braves. What is the Rockies Experience you might ask? As Scottish Rite Masons, your families and friends can work at Coors Field during home games, selling retail goods, such as hats, shirts, and other novelty Rockies items. **That's the Rockies Experience.**

What is your reward for participating in the Rockies Experience? Every time you work, you have the opportunity to interact with people who have interesting stories, they may be from other States or even from a foreign country, and occasionally there is a celebrity.

More importantly, you, your family/friends can contribute directly to the upkeep of your **Scottish Rite Masonic Center**. Every game you work, you are earning \$75 for the Scottish Rite Masonic Center. Last year, our Scottish Rite volunteers earned \$5,120 for the Center. Oh, did I mention that when you volunteer for the Rockies Experience, you get your name on the list of monitory contributors for the Center – displayed in the Green Room. Finally, for each game worked, you will earn points toward your Denver Scottish Rite Service Jewel.

Retail Sales Training:

March 10, 2018 - 2:00pm to 3:00pm in the Consistory Class Room, 1st Floor

March 31, 2018 – 2:00pm to 3:00pm in the Consistory Class Room, 1st Floor

At this training, you will get an overview of what is expected by Aramark, where to park, how to get from parking to the stadium, how and where to check in. An Aramark employee will help you get to your station. Aramark provides our volunteers with a meal and drink ticket.

After you have completed Aramark Alcohol Policy Training Class, you would also be eligible to sell beer at home games. Training dates will be announced in January.

SignUpGenus:

We track our Rockies Experience Volunteers via "SignUpGenus." This is a calendar with all of the home games for the 2018 season. A sign-up calendar is available at:

http://www.signupgenius.com/go/4090f4fafae2ea1ff2-rockies

Please sign up for one, two or more games.

Tom Lincoln, 32° - Rockies Program Coordinator (303) 968-7731



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DONATE YOUR CAR - We have a donation plan in place to give you a receipt for a tax deductible donation to the Scottish Rite Masonic Center. Donate your car, truck, RV, or boat. Contact the office for details.

KING SOOPERS LOYALTY CARD



The SRMC receives a donation from King Soopers when you use your card. Money from the Loyalty Cards is used to help pay for maintenance and repairs to our building. This is an easy way for you to donate money to the Denver Consistory Scottish Rite Masonic Center AT NO COST TO YOU! If you do not have a card, you may obtain one from the office for a fee of \$10. The card is

preloaded with \$10 credit, so the card actually costs you nothing. Take the card to any King Soopers service counter and add credit to your card and then use the card to pay for your purchases, including fuel at King Soopers fuel centers, and the SRMC receives a donation. You have to purchase food anyway, so why not do so utilizing a SRMC King Soopers Loyalty Card? If you would like further information about the card, contact Brother Bill Skewes, 32° KCCH. Email: bill@skewes.com or 303-674-2452.

As a side benefit—when you use this card at the King Soopers Gas stations, there is NO PER-SONAL INFORMATION about you on the card, so even if there is an illegal skimmer at the station, it will not compromise your personal information like it would if you used your own credit cards.



From the East

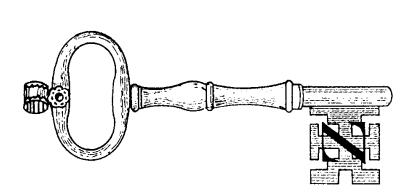
By Danny D. Will, 32° KCCH
2018 Venerable Master
Centennial Lodge of Perfection



As I prepare for the new year ahead, I find myself also contemplating the past year. We brought in 47 new brothers. We had all lines working together in planning and executing the activities of the Consistory. Ritual openings were instituted to promote education, and we will be expanding on these this year. We had our successes and our challenges, and we will continue to improve with your help.

But, now is the time to move forward. The days are growing longer and rehearsal season for the Spring Reunion is just around the corner. Each of us knows a brother in our lodges that would make a great addition to our Consistory. Let's start talking to them now. Remember that feeling when you first put on the black hat? Let's spread that feeling around. To the new brothers from the last classes, I would like you to commit to working at the Spring Reunion in SOME capacity. Becoming involved allows you to take full advantage of everything the Denver Consistory has to offer. Also, let us not forget those brothers that we haven't seen in a while. Talk to them at lodge. Invite them to accompany you to the next meeting. Remind them of that feeling again.

In conclusion, I would remind you that this is YOUR Consistory. The presiding officers are only temporary custodians. If you see something you like, let us know. Positive feedback lets us know that we are on the right track. If there is something that bothers you or you think something can be improved, let us know that too. Our consistory is a place to which everyone should look forward to coming. So, now that we've recovered from the Burns Dinner, let's roll up our sleeves and get to work.







DENVER CONSISTORY KNIGHTS OF ST. ANDREW

BY: Timothy N. Lambert, 32° KCCH VENERABLE MASTER



I am pleased to report a very successful Burns Dinner event. The event sold out for the first time. Actually, it sold out three times. I kept extending the number of seats and tables until both the classroom, for the Whisky College, and the dining room, for the dinner, were pretty much full to capacity. For those of you who wanted to join us, but were denied, I'm sorry. Make sure to get your reservations in early next year. The suggestion was made to move the event to a larger venue next year. That would be a question for next year's Venerable Master, but for me, I think we should keep it at the Consistory, where we have a chance to show off our beautiful building to our guests and it also helps to maximize our profit margin for our ultimate donation back to the Cathedral Association.

The dinner started out with a 16-member Pipe Band greeting the Whisky College attendees as they exited the elevator and entered the dining room. Many positive comments on the amazing music that greeted them. Knight of the Year was presented to Sir Curtis Robinson, 32°. Curtis is absolutely invaluable as a brother who always gets the task done. Congratulations to Sir Curtis. The poetry was very Scottish, with not only Gordon Bell giving the Address to the Haggis, but Brother Sir Miguel giving us an accurate Scottish brogue during "A Man's A Man, For All That." The Celtic music by Emily Dawson was spectacular. During her rendition of Caledonia, you could have heard a pin drop. The crowd was enthralled. She also gave us a Burns tune, "Scots Wha' Hae." Again, total silence.

The silent auction was great. One item of note was a Scottish dirk donated by Audrey Ford, which was the dirk owned and worn by the late III. Gerald Ford, 33°, back in the day when he was with the Shrine Pipe Band. That item was won by Sir Curtis Robinson. What a find!

My Senior Warden, Sir Heath Firestone, and I polished off the Quaich of Scotch in due form. The last couple of inches in the bottle were donated to the Pipers of the Michael Collins Pipe Band, because piping is a very "dry" business.

My goal was to keep the evening as short as possible. I hoped to finish the evening by 9:30 and was told I had a fat chance. As it were, my Marine Corps training paid off. I was the emcee and kept the ball rolling until my watch said 9:27 as I wrapped up the evening. All in all, I think we had a wonderful event and I can't wait to see what happens next year. Can it be better? Come and see for yourself.

A final note: as I am writing this, I am also following the live news coverage of the shooting and killing of a friend of mine here at the Adams County Sheriff's Office. You will have heard of it by the time this is printed, and I will very likely be playing bagpipes at his funeral. Proudly, but with broken heart. Please pray for Deputy Gumm's family as well as the entire Adam's County Sheriff's Office family.

Last Month Around the Consistory



Lost and Found



If you're wondering where you may have lost that pair of glasses or favorite cup, call us – we may have it!



Oh what a Very Wise Man John is!

> Vic Ament and Andrew visit the Ladies ©



Have you Hugged your Server Today?





THE PRELATE'S PULPIT

Rev. Jim Harris, 33°



January is a month of change as new officers took their positions during the installation service at our January stated meeting. Illustrious Brother "Doc" Powell retired as the Personal Representative of the SGIG and Illustrious Brother Ron Birely was appointed as the new Personal Representative. I was reappointed Prelate for the Denver Consistory, and I am humbled by the appointment. I am responsible for prayers at events, meals, and stated meetings.

Besides the officers, we have hundreds of brothers serving on committees, making phone calls, and serving in various ways. With all of us working together, the Denver Consistory functions throughout the year. Using the team approach, the Consistory is alive, functioning and vital in "Making Good Men Better" and serving the needs of our community.

An epigram maker has said, "If you have stopped trying to change things, but accept them as they are, you are growing old." As we enter this new year, we are going to see many changes. As for me, I have learned to accept change as I journey down the road of life. I am growing older, Denver is no longer a "cow town," and much of the Denver I once knew is gone. We made some changes this year in the manner our stated meetings are conducted. We are always striving to make improvements, trying some new things, and "Moving Forward."

I have lost weight, I am taking better care of myself, and continually seeking to improve myself. I used to work for the Santa Fe Railroad in their sales department. Their motto was "Always on the move, toward a better way." Are YOU?

Freemasons have always been agents of change from the days of George Washington. The accomplishments of the past should not anchor us in cement, but be a springboard to propel us into the future. What are you doing to improve yourself? What are you doing to serve the Supreme Architect of the Universe?

Peace, my Brothers.





Denver Consistory Committees

Scottish Rite Masonic Center

The **MISSION** of the Scottish Rite Masonic Center, a nonprofit Colorado Corporation, is to solicit and receive tax-advantaged contributions to maintain and perpetuate our historic building. Its **GOAL** is to build an endowment fund large enough that its earnings cover the annual operating expenses of the building.

2018 SCOTTISH RITE MASONIC CENTER BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Steven M. Munsinger, 33° (Active), SGIG
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Scottish Rite Properties, Inc.

The **MISSION** of SRP, Inc., a Colorado nonprofit corporation, is to hold title to real property for a tax-exempt organization and to manage income from that property. Its **GOAL** is to provide maximum earnings from that property to help cover annual operating expenses of the Scottish Rite in the Valley of Denver.

2018 SRP, Inc., Board of Directors
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Matthew A. Raia, 33°
Richard W. Schmidt, 33°
Edward L. Zorn, 33°

Denver Consistory Committees

Scottish Rite Cathedral Association

The **MISSION** of the Scottish Rite Cathedral Association, a Colorado nonprofit corporation, is to hold title to real property, to maintain that property, and to manage income from it. Its **GOAL** is to maintain and preserve the property, to control operating expenses, and to generate maximum outside revenue from rental of space.

2018 Scottish Rite Cathedral Association Board of Directors

Robert W. Applegate, 33°

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Stephen M. Munsinger, 33° (Active) SGIG Ronald D. Birely, 33° Personal Representative

Centennial Lodge of Perfection

The **MISSION** of the Centennial Lodge of Perfection is to manage the business affairs of the Scottish Rite in the Valley of Denver. The Executive and Finance Committees are created to evaluate and recommend sound business principles to the Personal Representative for the Valley to help accomplish this mission.

2018 Executive Committee Members

Ronald D. Birely, 33° (Chairman)

Wayne G. Arner, 33° (Treasurer)

Matthew A. Raia, 33° (Secretary)

John S. Russell (term expires 12/31/18)

Grover L. Sardeson, 33° (term expires 12/31/19)

John H. Mai, 33° (term expires 12/31/20)

Paul W. Whannel, 33° (term expires 12/31/21)

Robert W. Gregory, 33° (term expires 12/31/22)

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Kent O. Davis, 32°
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Robert R. Swope, 32°
Donald M. Wollenzien, 32°

12/06/2016 01/07/2018 12/12/2017 01/26/2018 01/28/2018 09/30/2017 12/04/2017



ROSE CROIX FUNERAL TEAM

All Scottish Rite Masons in good standing are entitled to have a Rose Croix Funeral service at the time of their passing. Members should advise their families of their wishes to have this beautiful service. It is a very dignified service intended to help bring comfort to the family.

The current members of the Denver Consistory Rose Croix Funeral Team are: James C. Crenner, 32° KCCH - Chairman; John H. Buchanan, 33°; Scott A. Bates, 32° KCCH; Jerry L. Fenimore, 33° GC; M. Edward Johnson, 33°; Richard W. Mitchell, 33°; Matthew A. Raia, 33°; Daniel A. Rivers, 32° KCCH; Roy A. Snyder, 33°; John A. Warren, 33°; and Richard M. Wenzel, 32° KCCH.

If you are interested in joining the Rose Croix Funeral Team and helping them, contact the office or Dan Rivers, 32° KCCH for more information.

Special Birthdays

102 Years YOUNG!

George M. Gilmore

90 Years Young

Charles R. Graham Alexander L. Matthews

80 Years Young

James H. McMaster William J. Rapp

70 Years Young

Gerald A. Byassee Robert G. Sumner Robert J. Williams

40 Years Young?

Stephen Baca

30 Years "OLD"

Rhoads R. Cannon David K. Clark Nicholas R. Freeburg

23 Years!!!

Corey D-T Clerkin (Our YOUNGEST member)







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