

Solomon's Lodge No. 5, F. & A.M.

P.O. Box 23 - 711 Frankfort Rd. Shelbyville, KY 40066

At a **Regular Meeting, August 25, 2008** Communication

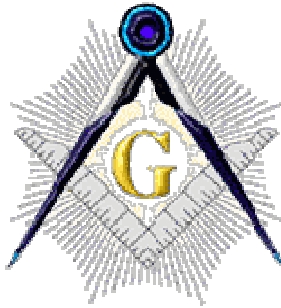
Bro. S. Moffett W. M.

Bro. M. Yount, P.M. S. W.

Bro. E. Tirbs J. W.

Bro. R. Webb, P.M. Treas.

Bro. R. Webb, P.M., P.T. Sec'y



Bro. J. Hall, P.T. S.D.

Bro. J. Colvin, P.M., P.T. J.D.

Bro. _____ S.S.

Bro. _____ J.S.

Bro. R. Moffett, P.M. Tiler

Bro. R. Webb, P.M., P.T. Chaplin

The lodge was opened in due form at 6:15p.m. The lodge was called to ease for a meal to be received by members and guests.

At 7:30p.m., members and guests were invited upstairs and Bro. Steve Moffett, Master, welcomed everyone. HE turned the program over to Mike Yount, Senior Warden. Bro. Yount introduced the following special guests: Debra Finneran, Administrator of Masonic Homes of Shelbyville; Carl D. Black, Governmental Affairs Committee; Kerry Sluss, Keepers of the Work Committee Chairman; Chirs L. Stout, Grand marshal of Grand Lodge of Kentucky; William G. Hinton, Past Grand Master and Most Worshipful Jurisprudence Committee and L. Todd Eastham, Grand Senior Warden of the Grand Lodge of Kentucky. Public grand honors were given to special guests entitled.

Doris Riddle introduced the members of the Order of the Eastern Star, Shelby Lodge, who had prepared and served the meal. Appreciation of their efforts was extended by all present. Three widows were present and introduced: Helen Stratton, Martha Parker and Ann Harris. Each was given a red carnation and a widow's pin was presented to Helen Stratton and Martha Parker. Past Masters were introduced. There were ten present from Solomon #5.

Fifty-year members were recognized. Three of them were present as follows: Roy W. Baker, Roy Jackson Graves and James Richard Albright. Each was presented a 50-year pin by Todd Eastham, Grand Senior Warden. Two others were recognized. They were James Mansfield Stodghill and Charles Emmett Chatham, Jr. A special committee will present their pins to them.

A memorial service was held in memory of the following: Robert J. Stratton, Tolbert E. Green, Conley McGuire, Joe A. Perkins, O.J. Simpson, Charles H. Stevens and David Graybeal. A red rose was placed on the alter in memory of each of these members who have passed away within the last year. A single white rose was place in memory of all members who have passed away.

The floor was then opened for members and guests to speak. Many good comments were offered from the floor. The program ended at 8:15p.m. Master Steve Moffett called the Lodge back at 8:20p.m. Bro. Michael Young made a motion that no business be conducted until the next regularly stated meeting. Bro. Cecil McGee seconded the motion, and it passed unanimously.

Announcements included an outdoor raising by Salt River Lodge on September 13. Sunset Lodge is having an 8 a.m. breakfast on September 20. An Alabama degree team is coming to perform their work. Hiram #4 is having a Past Masters Night in November.

L. Todd Eastham, Grand Senior warden, talked on widows and taking care of them. He charged the members to do a better job in this area. Bro. Moffett proceeded to close the Lodge. The Lodge was closed in due form at 8:35 p.m.

S. Moffett, Master

R. Ross Webb, P.M., Sec. Pro-Tem