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Friday, October 6

3:30PM Rite Care Board  
4:30PM Cathedral Board  
6:00PM Social  
6:30PM Dinner  
7:30PM Feast of Tishri  
8:00PM Stated Meeting  
Lodge of Perfection in Charge  
Women's Association

Saturday, October 7

9:30AM Knights of Saint Andrew  
11:00AM Master Craftsman Group

October 13-15

Grand Lodge Annual Communication  
San Francisco

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Fall Reunion (See Page 7)

Saturday, October 21

Fall Reunion (See Page 7)

Friday, October 27

Fall Reunion (See Page 7)

Saturday, October 28

Fall Reunion (See Page 7)  
4:30PM Pizza Party



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## Women's Association News

Gentlemen please share this newsletter with your family

Dear Ladies,

By the time you receive this we will have been back into the groove with work, school, meetings and approaching holidays.

The new school year has begun for our young folks and they are well on their way to many new learning experiences. Please remember, our Women's Group would love to hear from the children of any age, with any special project, talent, or hobby that they have created. This could be a special report from school, scouts such as badges they have earned, projects they have achieved or experiences they have had and would like to share.

We would love to hear their stories. Remember, this is a great, low key learning experience for our young folks. ☺ Please call Lynda Lockhart at 909 938-5923 so we can plan for their special presentation.

We usually play fun games, visit, and or view interesting movies. Please come join us! It's fun!

Our fundraiser for the Language Center this year will be a bake sale in November and December. Please sign up with Lynda (909 938-5923) to donate some homemade goodies to sell.

Look forward to seeing you in October. Remember we meet upstairs - elevator button #2 which is, one level above the auditorium, after dinner.

Sincerely,

Lynda Lockhart

President

## Ronald W. Alcorn III, 32° KCCH

*Venerable Master*  
Lodge of Perfection

This being my last time writing to you as Venerable Master, I would like to thank you, the Scottish Rite members in the Valley of Pasadena, for the privilege of serving you this year as Venerable Master. Several years ago when I was appointed an Officer in the Lodge of Perfection, this date seemed far in the future but, the years have flown by. The year of my leadership will soon end and my successor is in the wings ready to serve in 2018.



On October 6th we will celebrate the Feast of Tishri. Thus in observing the Feast of Tishri we reaffirm our dedication to human concord and the brotherhood of all men in a world of peace as individuals and brothers in the Rite. We resolve to build, as Solomon did, through harmony and cooperation, ever seeking peace of mankind.

Have you brought in any new members to our Valley this year? If not you still have a chance, the M. Emil Cevik, 32° KCCH Memorial Class will be your last opportunity in 2017. For the Fall Reunion schedule please see page 7 and for information on the lectures occurring on the 21st and 28th see the ad on page 14.

Please come out and support our new candidates when they receive thier degrees, especially if you signed thier application. And don't forget reservations for the Stated Dinner and Reunion Dinners are due by 2pm the Wednesday prior to the dinner.

Fraternally,

Ronald W. Alcorn III, 32° KCCH  
Venerable Master, Lodge of Perfection

## Feast of Tishri

As the children of Israel were led through the wilderness, God decreed the celebration of a seven-day feast in the Jewish month of Tishri, during which they were to live in “sukkahs” (shelters or Booths) – He decreed that this feast be celebrated annually to forever remind the Israelites that He had rescued them from Egypt. This “Feast of Tishri” (or “Feast of Succoth”) is thus a symbol of freedom.

Some 450 years after its origin, the Feast of Tishri was utilized in dedicating the newly completed King Solomon’s Temple, and this association led to its adoption by Scottish Rite Masonry to symbolize our dedication to brotherly love and human accord in a peaceful world.

This adaptation is evidenced in lessons taught by the Third Degree lecture (Blue Lodge), wherein we learn that David, King of Israel, was denied the privilege of building the Temple of God due to the “many wars and much bloodshed” associated with his reign. On his death, Solomon (his son) ascended the throne and brought peace and tranquility in the world through wisdom and righteousness – God thus chose him to perform “so great and glorious an undertaking” as that denied David. And so it was that through Solomon, construction of the Temple was seemingly guided by the hand of God – for indeed it was.

Association of the Feast of Tishri with the dedication of the Temple of Solomon led to its third name – the “Feast of the Tabernacle”. The Feast of Tishri thus epitomizes the character, principles and purposes of Scottish Rite Masonry, all being consistent with the dictates of the God who spake it into existence.



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## Knights of St Andrew’s Feast

Benefiting the Language Center



**Saturday, Nov 11, 2017**

**from 5-10pm**

**@ Pasadena Scottish Rite**

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 information as it becomes available.**

Pasadena Childhood Language Center



Donations may be made by a group, an organization, a couple, or an individual. They may be made **In Honor of...**, **In Memory of...**, as a member of the **365 Club**, or as **Friends of the Center**. All donors are recognized in the bulletin.

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The Secretary's Memo Pad

Ill. William F. Rook, 33°



| Current Year Membership Statistical Changes |     |
|---|-----|
| Initiations:                                | 37  |
| Affiliations:                               | 3   |
| Reinstatements:                             | 3   |
| Deaths:                                     | 25  |
| Demissions:                                 | 3   |
| Suspensions (Non-payment):                  | 1   |
| Suspensions (Other reasons):                | 11  |
| Current Lodge Membership                    | 850 |

| Current Dues Statistics                   |       |            |                  |                        |
|---|-------|------------|------------------|------------------------|
|   | Count | % of Total | Orient Wide Avg. | Jurisdiction Wide Avg. |
| Active Members with Dues Paid in Full:    | 17    | 2.0%       | 3.2%             | 6.6%                   |
| Active Members with Current Dues Balance: | 498   | 58.5%      | 52.4%            | 53.2%                  |
| Active Members with Arrears Dues Balance: | 138   | 16.2%      | 15.8%            | 12.4%                  |
| Active Members that are Dues Exempt:      | 93    | 10.9%      | 10.5%            | 8.4%                   |
| Active Paid Life Members:                 | 105   | 12.3%      | 18.1%            | 19.5%                  |

BOO!

Welcome to the Fall of 2017.

You should have by this time, received your dues invoice and they are due and payable by December 31, 2017. Thank you to the many, many who responded immediately to the request and paid their dues. You may send your check to the office, or may go online at [scottishrite.org](http://scottishrite.org) to pay your dues. You may also call the office and leave your credit card info with Mary and she will charge your card.

Looking at the above statistics we see we have grown with membership by 43 initiates, affiliations, and reinstatements. But of the other hand we

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## The Secretary's Memo Pad Continued...

have lost 40 members from death. Demits, suspension for non-payment of dues, and suspension and expulsion from a constituent lodge. We have a growth factor of 3 at this moment. But we do have Fall Reunion approaching this month. As of this writing we have 22 applications for degrees. But interlacing good news with bad news we have 29 members facing suspension for non-payment of dues come December 15. That would leave us with a -4 growth factor.

To those brothers who are three years in arrears in their dues, we are authorized by Supreme Council to offer to allow you to pay your 2018 dues and we will remit your 2016, 2017 dues. We want you to maintain your Scottish Rite Membership and hope this will encourage you to keep your membership current.

Bill

## IN MEMORIAM

Boris Koneff, 32°, KCCH  
Glendale Lodge #368  
August 26, 2017

May Almighty God, in his infinite mercy,  
Grant that we may meet again, to part no more.

## Good Cheer Report

Steven Johnson, 33°  
Hospital

Scott Manoogian, 32°, KCCH  
Hospital

*Please take a moment to call upon your distressed brethren.*

## October Dinner Menus

### Stated Meeting on October 6th

Chicken Noodle Soup  
Garden salad with Honey Dijon dressing  
German Beer Boneless Short Ribs  
Yukon roasted potatoes  
Green beans  
Baileys Chocolate Mousse Cake

Last Day for reservations: Wednesday, October 4th at 2pm

### Reunion Dinner on October 20th

Garden Salad with Raspberry Vinaigrette Dressing  
Tenderloin Steak with Mushroom & Wine Sauce  
Garlic Mashed Potatoes  
Garden Vegetables  
Dessert

Last Day for reservations: Wednesday, October 18th at 2pm

### Renunion Dinner on October 27th

Green Salad with Ranch Dressing  
New York Steak  
Baked Potato  
French Green Beans with Roasted Almonds  
Dessert

Last Day for reservations: Wednesday, October 25th at 2pm

Number of Reservations at \$15.00 Per Person.....  
Fish or Vegetarian on request only when making reservation.

*Remember - a reservation made is a reservation paid.*  
*mary@pasadenascottishrite.org* or 626-795-4213 Ext: 101

Director of Membership Continued...

of the sections of the MC program, so you can check your answers at class. I am also available to you via a phone call or email if you have a time-sensitive question or concern.

Supreme Council has minted a beautiful Challenge Coin which is awarded to all who recruit a candidate who becomes a 32nd degree Mason. It is a coin you can be proud to have as a part of your Masonic accomplishments. It is hoped that our Valley will be able to present you with this beautiful coin for bringing in a member for the Fall Class.

Sincerely & Fraternally,

Steven D. Klein, 32° KCCH

PLEASE JOIN THE PASADENA SCOTTISH RITE FOR OUR FALL REUNION



## LIGHT & REFLECTION

EDUCATIONAL LECTURE & MEDITATION SERIES



SATURDAY OCTOBER 21<sup>TH</sup> • 11:30<sup>AM</sup>  
**THE BENEVOLENCE OF MASONIC CHARITY**  
 PRESENTED BY JIM HOERRICKS, 33°

SATURDAY OCTOBER 28<sup>TH</sup> • 11:30<sup>AM</sup>  
**DECODING THE SACRED NAME**  
 PRESENTED BY JOSEPH F. TISCHLER

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### M. Emil Cevik, 32° KCCH Memorial Class Reunion Schedule

#### FRIDAY – OCTOBER 20TH

5:00 PM Class Registration  
 6:00 PM Dinner  
 7:00 PM Classroom Meeting  
 7:30 PM **4<sup>th</sup> Degree**  
 8:30 PM **5<sup>th</sup> Degree**

#### SATURDAY – OCTOBER 21ST

7:30 AM Continental Breakfast  
 8:00 AM Meditation  
 8:30 AM Classroom Instruction  
 10:30 AM **14<sup>th</sup> Degree**  
 11:30 AM Lunch  
 12:00 PM Lecture "The Benevolence of Masonic Charity"  
 12:30 PM Classroom Instruction  
 1:30 PM **18<sup>th</sup> Degree**  
 3:30 PM Classroom Instruction  
 5:30 PM End of Day 2

#### FRIDAY – OCTOBER 27TH

6:00 PM Dinner  
 7:00 PM Classroom Instruction  
 7:30 PM **28<sup>th</sup> Degree**

#### SATURDAY – OCTOBER 28TH

7:30 AM Continental Breakfast  
 8:00 AM Meditation  
 8:30 AM Classroom Instruction  
 9:30 AM **30<sup>th</sup> Degree**  
 12:00 PM Lunch  
 12:30 PM Lecture "Decoding the Sacred Name"  
 1:00 PM Classroom Instruction 31st degree  
 1:30 PM **32<sup>nd</sup> Degree**

## The P.R.'s Corner

Ill. Rees Padfield, 33°

Here we are, the time of ghosts and goblins. Watch out for the young ones as they are excited about candy not you. As we approach our limited fall in Southern California we can watch some color change of the trees, which should remind us of life's cycles. Some things come to a close and later some things begin anew. The same is true in Masonry. Our year end is approaching and new dues notices have been sent. Please think of the Language Center when you prepare your 2018 dues payments. Watching the incoming and outgoing children always gives me great pride in our organization, that we are able to help as many of the deserving children as we can. You're thoughtful and gracious contributions will ensure the number of children being helped is maintained and maybe even increased. The pictures below are of our new solar power array in our southern parking lot. By the time you are reading this, it should be operational.



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## Director of Membership

Steven D. Klein, 32° KCCH

Dear Brethren,

The Fall Reunion is near. It is time to double our outreach efforts to our Blue Lodge brothers to invite them to share the beauties and lessons of Scottish Rite Masonry. Let's make this Reunion as historic and successful as possible. A large class is wonderful, but Masonry was, is and always will be more than mere numbers or statistics. Another important barometer of our success is how many of these brothers take an active part in our Valley.



This leads me to a natural segue to discuss the VMAP program - Valley Membership Achievement Program. VMAP addresses the entire gamut of a Valley's activities. VMAP analyzes a Valley in about a dozen categories. We have a strong Valley and it has been made stronger by using VMAP as a way to reflect on our practices, find ways to improve, and build on our successes. We have strong teams in place !!

With the assistance of the VMAP committee and the brethren, I will begin to prepare the 2017 VMAP report in the near future. I may be contacting you with a question or two or asking your help in drafting some text. Your help will be appreciated, and in many instances, indispensable. There is little doubt with the teams we have in place now, we should meet VMAP requirements for the third consecutive year and be VMAP compliant for this year.

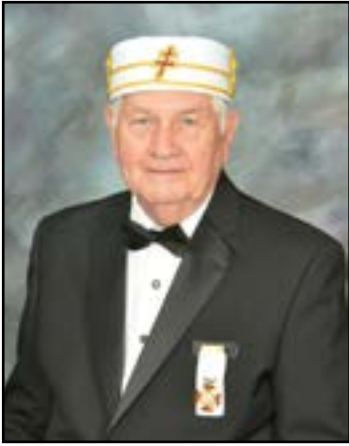
We will have the Master Craftsman class on Saturday, October 8th, at about 10:30am. Refreshments are always provided, and free of charge. We have a dedicated corps of attendees and hope, with additional brothers, we can grow the program. It is fun to learn the degrees in greater depth with the viewpoints and perspectives of other brothers. I have learned so much more this way than I would have learned in isolation. We have keys for almost all

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New Inspectors General Continued...

### Stuart A. Wright, 33°



A third-generation Freemason, Right Worshipful Stuart Alexander Wright was raised a Master Mason in Henry Knox-Westlake Lodge No. 392 (now Wisdom Lodge No. 202) on October 22, 1986. He served as Master of the Lodge in 1990 and in 1998 was presented with the Hiram Award.

Brother Wright has served the Grand Lodge of California in several capacities over the last 25 years. He served on the Insurance Committee from 1990-2014 and was the chairman for years. In 2011, he was appointed to Masonic Homes of California Board of Trustees and elected Vice President in 2014. He currently serves as Trustee on The California Masonic foundation, CMMT and Acacia Creek Board.

In addition to his service to his Lodge and our Grand Lodge, Brother Wright has been very active in the concordant and appendant bodies. In 1988, he joined Al Malaikah Shriners in Los Angeles and served as Potentate in 2000. His service extended to the Imperial Shrine serving as the chairman of the California/Texas Shrine All-Star Football game for five years, Chairman of the Western Shrine Association Parade, Director general of the Imperial Shrine Convention in 2007 held in Anaheim, Ca., and he served three years as the Chairman of the Board of Governors of the Shrine Hospital in Los Angeles.

He is a member of the Signet Chapter No. 57 Royal Arch Masons, Omega Council No. 11 Cryptic Masons, and Los Angeles Commandery No. 9 Knight Templar. He also belongs to Dr. Rob Morris Chapter Order of the Eastern Star, St. Gabriel Conclave of the Red Cross of Constantine, the National Sojourners and the Heroes of '76.

After a long career with the Insurance Company of North America (INA), Stu is the owner and President of Stuart A. Wright Associated Insurance Service. Stu is an avid golfer and he enjoyed playing hockey for a number of years, including five years with the LA Senior Kings. He and his wife Julie, live in Woodland Hills. They have five adult children and seven grandchildren.

The P.R.'s Corner Continued...



I am proud of our Valley's accomplishment's this year. However, we can always try to do better. Our fall reunion is fast approaching. Please ask your Blue Lodge Brothers if they would like to know more about Masonic imagery and history and invite them to join our Valley.

Rees Padfield, 33°

Personal Representative

## Mission Statement

Scottish Rite of Freemasonry, Southern Jurisdiction, USA

It is the mission of the Scottish Rite of Freemasonry, Southern Jurisdiction, USA, to improve its members and enhance the communities in which they live by teaching and emulating the principles of Brotherly Love, Tolerance, Charity, and Truth while actively embracing high social, moral, and spiritual values including fellowship, compassion, and dedication to God, family and country.

**Meet our new Inspectors General Honorary**

M. Bruce Chubbuck, 33°



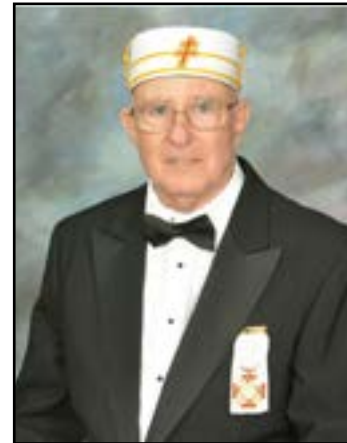
Illustrious M. Bruce Chubbuck is another brother completely indigenous to the Pasadena area having been born here. He was educated in the Pasadena School system, Edison Elementary, Eliot Jr. High and John Muir College where he received his High School diploma and an AA in business administration. Bruce is a “motorcycle man” having worked at his father’s Harley-Davidson dealership while in High School and continuing after his Father’s death and closed it at the end of December 1983. On April 17, 1984, he was in Milwaukee signing on as an employee of the Harley-Davidson Motor Co. where he managed the West Coast Fleet Test Center preparing Motorcycles for magazine road tests, Police Demo’s, Movies and Television.

Bruce was President of the H-D Dealers Assn of So. California and was Secretary Treasurer for many years. Bruce was in his 9th year in the Naval Reserve, who, from a quirk of timing missed active duty. Nevertheless, for a non-active duty Reservist he was the first to achieve the rate of Second Class Petty Officer. He joined the then San Pasqual Lodge #452 in 1957 and coaching first degree candidates while waiting for his second etc. Was candidates coach then Marshal, took some time off while his kids were little then was Chaplain and went into the line in 1969 and was master in 1973 and again in 1979 and 1980. He was Chaplain over 20 times. He was honored with the Hiram Award in 1987.

He was Class President when he joined our Bodies in 1977 and he has since taken part in degrees and other presentations, he worked in the kitchen and stage craft. He was Commander of the Council of Kadosh in 1993 and 1994. He was Venerable Master of Lodge of Perfection in 2008. Bruce is a Shriner and a chapter member – what else – the Motor Patrol. As an active churchman, he has served as a Deacon and Assistant

Treasurer of the Pasadena Christian Church. Bruce and his wife Lynda who live in Altadena, have been married for 55 years. Parenthetically, Lynda has taken part in our Living Constitution Play as Betsy Ross. He has 2 daughters and 5 grandchildren. In 2007, he received the Golden Veteran award from Grand Lodge.

Philip T. George, 33°



Illustrious Philip Thomas George is another native- born Los Angelino. He attended school in the San Gabriel Valley and graduated from Montebello High School. By trade he was an electrical contractor conducting his own business, mainly industrial wiring, at times employing upwards of 20 people, until his retirement in 1991 when he turned his business over to his son.

He was raised a Master Mason in 1986 in The Gardens Lodge #621, now consolidated as Greenleaf Gardens #670. He has served from time to time as a junior officer, and he also served on the Temple Board. He has been a dedicated worker at his lodge and in 2001 the lodge honored him with the Hiram Award. Illustrious Phil received the Scottish Rite degrees in our Bodies in our 1989 Spring Class and he has been an active member of the stage crew ever since. He is a regular attendance with our Wednesday morning crews and he has done a great deal of necessary re-wiring and other repair work on the stage. For his dedication to the Scottish Rite the four Masters in 2003 we selected him as the recipient of our prestigious Illustrious Roy J. Henville, 33° Meritorious Award. He also joined Al Malaikah Shrine in 1989.

Our brother has 2 children and 4 grandchildren. For the past 27 years he and his Lady Dolores have made their home in La Habra Heights and Highland Park.