

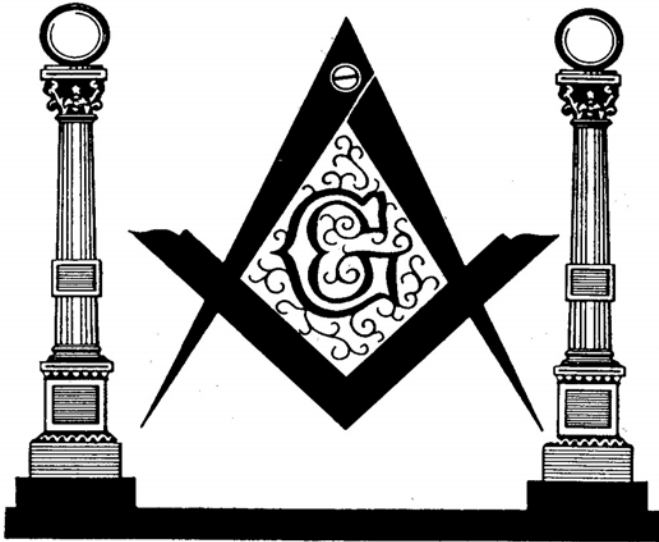
PAST MASTERS

* Deceased ‡ Affiliated † Demitted # Hereford § Dual

*Israel Hughes	1854-55-56-57	*Charles J. Goessel	1965
*Virgil M. D. Marcy	1858-59-60-61	‡*Harold Fisher	1965
	62-63-64-65-66-67-70	*Richard Warner	1966
*Samuel R. Stites	1868-69-73-74	*‡Salvatore Anzalone, PGH	1966
	75-79-80	*Jeron Glenn Holman	1967
*William F. Cassidy	1871-81	James S. Parker, Jr.	1968-94
*Joseph Q. Williams	1872	#*Paul D. Greenland, Sr.	1968
*Joseph H. Hanes	1876-77	*Ambrose J. Brown	1969
*Samuel S. Marcy	1878	Samuel J. Kitchen, PDDGM	1970
*William Farrow	1882-83	#Donald E. Cooper	1970
*Thomas Stewart	1884	‡*William B. Evoy, PDDGM	1950-71
*Wesley G. Hughes	1885	†Howard J. Kelly	1972
*Joseph P. Henry	1886-87	#Robert W. Cooper	1972
*Benjamin S. Curtis	1888-89	§†Ewald S. Forsbrey, PDDGM	1972
*William G. Essen	1890-91	*Robert E. Wallace, Jr.	1973
*William P. Sheppard, PDDGM	1892-93	#Aaron W. Bozarth	1973
David W. Rodan	1894-95	Frank E. Baker	1974
†*Charles F. Quidort	1896	*David W. Marre	1975
*I. Leaming Sheppard	1897	*John Berry	1976
*Samuel H. Moore	1898	†Wynn W. A. Evoy	1977
*J. Ashton Williams	1899	*John J. Foley, PGC	1978-93
*Charles L. Stites	1900	*Lawrence A. Brown	1979
*Stillwell H. Townsend	1901	Ronald F. Stackhouse	1980
*Robert H. Fadeley	1902	Ernest Utsch, III PDDGM, PGLT	1981
*Everett J. Jerrell	1903	‡ *Stephen Petruska	1981
*Thomas S. Stevens	1904-06	*#James L. Fisher	1981
*Virgil M. D. Marcy, Jr.	1905	*Charles C. Schulz, PGC	1982
*Henry S. Rutherford	1907-08	*#Ernest W. Kiefer	1982
*Frank B. Mecray	1909-10-21	James J. Collins, PGC	1983
*Francis D. Hines	1911-12	†William G. Broderick	1984
*Gilbert C. Hughes	1913	*Herbert L. Wills	1985
*William W. Hickey	1914	#John E. Williams, PGC	1985-95-96
*Clifford Harker	1915	*Faber W. Kearse, Jr., PGC	1986
*Henry H. Eldredge	1916-17	‡*Paul D. Kauffman	1986
*Frank R. Hughes	1918	*#Albert J. Pinkerton	1986-87
‡*Thomas B. Schellenger	1918	*Richard A. MacDonald	1987
*Warren Richardson	1919	Dennis H. deSatnick, PDDGM	1988
*Walter P. Taylor, PGSB	1920	Craig C. Rinkerman	1989
*Harry S. Fisher	1922	George B. Gable	1990
‡*Norman E. Bull	1922	*Bernard F. Buganski	1991
*A. Leon Ewing	1923	*John N. Davis, Jr.	1992
*William C. Mecray	1924	#S. Harvey Roach, PGC	1992
*William H. Newkirk	1925	#Earl B. Ostrander	1993
*Lester A. Rodes, PDDGM	1926	*§Robert A. Grace, PJGD	1993-99-00-06
*Harry W. Bell	1927	#Joseph J. Farley	1994
‡*William G. Seyfarth, PGC	1927	‡Harry L. Wyatt	1994
*William H. Stevens	1928	*George J. Carpenter	1995
*F. Mulford Stevens	1929	*Charles M. Collins, PDRI	1996
*Milton H. Bingham	1930	#Gary L. Fox	1996
*Swain Hoffman	1931	Daniel G. Delano	1997
*Walter H. Savage	1932	Richard Fellows	1998
*Daniel J. Ricker	1933	*Vincent M. Colasanti, PGC	1999
*George T. Patterson	1934-35	Bruce S. Graham, PDDGM, MCFT	2000-01
*Edward M. Henderson	1936	David P. Perry, PDDGM	2002
*Charles A. Swain, Jr.	1937	Robert M. Keith	2003
*Frank W. Hughes	1938	#§Clifford E. Heim	2003
*W. Harry Reeves	1939	Edward M. McGuire	2004
*E. R. Brunyate	1940	Rocco L. DeNote	2005
*William S. Hess	1941	*Thomas M. Perry	2006
*Clifford B. Thayer	1942	Charles J. Prendergast, Jr.	2007
*Paul Snyder	1943	#Robert A. Pollis II	2007-08-09
*Julius C. Morton	1944	Randy L. Whitt, PSGD	2008
‡*Frederick E. Hessey	1944	Ronald N. Menear, DDGM	2009
*J. Kenneth Love	1945	William H. Marsden, PDDGM	2010
*T. Lee Lemmon	1946	§Greg R. Young, PGC	2010
*Samuel Perry	1947	Harry F. Sundstrom, Jr.	2011
*Arthur W. Sheets	1948	Charles R. Newton, III, PDDGM	2012
*R. Campion Reeves	1949	Anthony J. Baltuskonis, PAGM	2013
*Louis W. Cox	1950	David F. Eakin, PGC	2014
*Charles B. Shields	1951	†Robert H. Boyd	2015
*George F. Munger, PGC	1951	Kevin M. Farrell, PGC	2016
*Thomas H. Jowett	1953	Charles E. Kirkbride	2017
*Charles I. Young, PDDGM	1954	Joseph S. Andrzejczak	2018
*Everett M. Jackson	1955	John K. Donley Jr.	2019
*Max L. Kurland, PGC	1956	Dayton K. Umholtz	2020
*John W. Douglass	1957	Justin J. Aftanis	2021
*Frank J. Simonsen, Sr.	1958	Thomas M. Doherty III, GC	2022
*George W. Larsen	1959	James W. Bratten IV	2023
*Harry J. Kunz	1960	David B. Peck	2024
*William S. Hess, Jr.	1961		
*Arthur H. Hoover	1962		
*Courtland V. R. Reeves	1963		
*Joseph T. Buzby	1964		

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	TRUSTEES ELECTED • THREE YEAR TERMS	
	Expires 2025	
R.W. Kevin M. Farrell	D.B. Gary W. Coleman	
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	Expires 2026	
W.B. John K. Donley Jr.	D.B. Theodore J. DeSantis	
609-425-3763	609-425-2090	
	Expires 2027	
R.W. Thomas M. Doherty III	R.W. Charles R. Newton, III	
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	TRUSTEE APPOINTED • ONE YEAR TERM	
	D.B. William N. DeHart	
	609-780-5726	

2025
Cape Island Lodge No. 30
F. & A. M.



CHARTER GRANTED JANUARY 11, 1854
LODGE INSTITUTED JUNE 8, 1854

REGULAR COMMUNICATIONS
Second and Fourth Tuesdays of Each Month, Except:
(a) The Fourth Tuesday in June
(b) The Months of July, August and December
(c) The Second Tuesday in September
(d) Legal Holidays

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GRAND LODGE OF NEW JERSEY MISSION STATEMENT
FREEMASONRY promotes a way of life that binds like-minded men
with the principles of Brotherly Love, Relief and Truth in order to serve
God, Family, Country, Neighbor and Self.

June 2025
MESSAGE FROM THE EAST

**THE TENETS OF FREEMASONRY: BROTHERLY LOVE, RELIEF,
AND TRUTH**
(Researched by R. Montana Williams, PM)

Freemasonry, a centuries-old fraternal organization, rests on three fundamental tenets: Brotherly Love, Relief, and Truth. These tenets form the bedrock of Masonic principles, guiding the conduct of Freemason and shaping their contribution to society. At the heart of Freemasonry lies the principle of Brotherly Love. It transcends social, racial, and religious boundaries, fostering a bond of affection and respect among Freemasons. The concept’s origins can be traced back to the fraternity’s medieval roots, where stonemasons worked together in harmony to construct grand cathedrals. In contemporary Freemasonry, Brotherly Love promotes a spirit of unity, compassion, and support, enabling Masons to see one another as brethren on a shared moral journey.

Relief represents another vital tenet within Freemasonry. Derived from the Masonic commitment to helping those in need, Relief manifests as charitable efforts, both within the Masonic community and society at large. The principle of Relief originates from the operative masons’ practice of caring for their fellow craftsmen during challenging times. In its speculative form, Freemasonry applies Relief to assist not only Masonic brethren but also the broader community through philanthropy, disaster relief, and educational initiatives.

The tenet of Truth holds significant philosophical implications within Freemasonry. It emphasizes the pursuit of knowledge, wisdom and understanding. The symbolic tools of Freemasonry, such as the square and compasses, represent this commitment to aligning one’s actions and beliefs with moral truth. Truth encourages Masons to seek enlightenment and practice integrity in their personal and professional lives. Through introspection and self-improvement, Masons strive to attain higher levels of truth and moral virtue.

To comprehend the enduring relevance of Brotherly Love, Relief, and Truth, it is crucial to explore their historical context and evolution. From operative masonry’s origins to the speculative Freemasonry of the Enlightenment era, these tenets have evolved to accommodate social changes while preserving their core values. Brotherly Love, Relief, and Truth operate as essential components of Freemasonry’s moral and ethical framework. Their influence extends beyond lodge rituals, guiding Freemasons in their daily interactions and contributions to society. These principles imbue Freemasonry with a sense of purpose and moral responsibility, emphasizing the importance of virtuous living.

Masonic rituals serve as powerful conduits for embodying the tenets of Brotherly Love, Relief and Truth. Initiation ceremonies and Masonic degrees instill these principles through symbolic gestures, allegorical teachings, and shared experiences, fostering a deeper understanding of the fraternity’s core values. The cultivation of Brotherly Love, Relief, and Truth in Freemasonry has a profound impact on personal development. Through Masonic teachings and fellowship, members are encouraged to reflect on their actions, cultivate virtuous traits, and strive for moral growth. This transformative journey enhances self-awareness, empathy, and a commitment to service. Freemasonry’s focus on Brother Love, Relief, and Truth extends beyond its member to positively impact society. By embracing these principles, Freemasons engage in charitable initiatives, promote education, and foster a spirit of cooperation that contributes to the well-being of the community.

In conclusion, Brotherly Love, Relief, and Truth stand as the enduring pillars of Freemasonry, guiding Freemasons on a path of moral excellence and compassionate service. Through their philosophical depth and practical applica-

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tions, these tenets continue to inspire personal growth and meaningful contributions to society, reaffirming Freemasonry’s timeless relevance in an ever-changing world.

Fraternally,
Robert H. Spicer
Worshipful Master

TRESTLE BOARD

03June25	Tue	Cape Island Lodge	7:30 PM	Officer’s Meeting/Rehearsal Topic: Gold Token Degree
10June25	Tue	Cape Island Lodge	7:30 PM	Regular Communication Gold Token Service Pin Awards Balloting
17June25	Tue	Cape Island Lodge	7:30 PM	Officer’s Meeting/Rehearsal Topic: FC Degree
24June25	Tue	Cape Island Lodge	7:30 PM	Officer’s Meeting/Rehearsal Topic: FC Degree

OTHER DATES TO REMEMBER

12June25	Thurs	Harpoon’s on the Bay	6:00 PM	Social District Lodge of Instruction
05July25	Sat	Cape Island Lodge	8:00 AM	Hoagie Sale
19July25	Sat	Cape Island Lodge	1:00 PM	Annual Picnic

Attest: R.W. BRUCE S. GRAHAM, Secretary

In case of sickness or distress, please contact the Worshipful Master, Wardens or Secretary. Please notify the Secretary of any change of address.

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OTHER LODGES OF THE 24TH MASONIC DISTRICT

Star Lodge No 65 in Tuckahoe meets the 1st Wednesday
Cannon Lodge No 104 in South Seaville meets the 3rd Tuesday
Ocean City Lodge No 171 in Ocean City meets the 1st Thursday

COMMITTEES APPOINTED 2025

COMMITTEE	CHAIRMAN	PHONE
RITUAL INSTRUCTORS	R.W. Charles R. Newton III W.B. John K. Donley Jr.	457-8603 425-3763
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SICK & SHUT-IN	W.M. Robert H. Spicer	374-4966
KEVIN J. WARD MEMORIAL GRANT	W.M. Robert H. Spicer	374-4966
STATE OF THE CRAFT	R.W. Bruce S. Graham	425-1180
BUILDINGS & GROUNDS	Bro. James P. Crowther	408-7343
BLOOD BANK	Bro. Arthur W. Sparks	827-8421
LODGE HISTORY	Bro. Edward Kraemer	980-5483
RELIEF AND NECROLOGY	W.M. Robert H. Spicer	374-4966

Dual/Affiliation Membership Applications

Bro. Robert J. Hudzik, member of Sylvania Lodge #354 in
Shickshinny, Pennsylvania

IN WAITING**

EA Degree

FC Degree

MM Degree

Mr. Andrew J. Bulakowski
Mr. Alvin Ramirez Rivera

**Due to printing deadlines and scheduling of Degrees, some of this information may not be up to date.

Permanent Fund Committee Members

R.W. Ernest Utsch III (expires 2026) R.W. Dennis H. DeSatnick (expires 2029)
W.M. Robert H. Spicer
R.W. Bruce S. Graham (Secretary)
Bro. Daniel K. Morley (Treasurer)

***Do you want to come out to Lodge meeting but haven’t done so
because you need a ride?***

***Don’t miss out on participating and seeing your Fellow Brethren!
Contact the Worshipful Master or any one of the officers to make
arrangements to be picked up and taken home.***