

SONS OF LIBERTY LODGE NO. 301



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FEBRUARY
2026



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EDGAR G. PEÑA	2002
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RW HANSEL F. ASMAR, PGIIm.	2004
HUMBERTO ROVIRA	2005
JULIO MORENO, JR.	2006
RW RAUL RAMOS, PGC	2008
RW YOEL LEE, PDDGM	2009
JAVIER FUENTES-BETTER	2010
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JOSÉ BERMUDEZ	2020
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RICKY JIMÉNEZ, GC	2023-2024
JOSE V. BERMUDEZ	2025



The Grand Lodge of New Jersey

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OUR 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.



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*Founded June 1973
Constituted January 26, 2002*

*1422 Paterson Plank Road
Secaucus, NJ 07094*

*Communications On Second
and Fourth Wednesdays.
Lodge Opens at 7:30 PM*

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D.L.I.

DISTRICT LODGE OF INSTRUCTION WILL BE HELD ON THE **3RD MONDAY OF EACH MONTH AT 7:00 PM.** A MINIMUM OF 7 OFFICERS **MUST ATTEND.**

LA LOGIA DE INSTRUCCIÓN DEL DISTRITO SE LLEVARA A CABO EL **TERCER LUNES DE CADA MES A LAS 7:00 PM.** UN MINIMO DE 7 OFICIALES **TIENE QUE ASISTIR.**



SONS OF LIBERTY #301

2nd & 4th Wednesday 7:30 PM
1422 Paterson Park Road
Secaucus, NJ 07094



PERUCHO FIGUEREDO #370

1st & 3rd Sunday 10:00 AM
1550 Irvington Street
Rahway, NJ 07065



DOM PEDRO #322

2nd Monday 7:30 PM
1912 Morris Avenue
Union, NJ 07083



AURORA #323

1st & 3rd Sunday 10:00 AM
508 43rd Street
Union City, NJ 07087



ESPERANZA #317

2nd & 4th Sunday 10:00 AM
508 43rd Street
Union City, NJ 07087

Masonic Helpline

In New Jersey Call: 1-800-792-8690
Outside of State Collect Call: 1-609-387-1333

If tragedy hits or help is needed call one of the above numbers. Help, even legal assistance, can often be provided where needed.

Be certain your family is aware of the above numbers and where to find them.

2026 ASSESSMENTS

Grand Lodge Dues	\$37.00
Grand Reserve Fund	\$12.00
Grand Lodge Capital Fund	\$6.00
Insurance	\$5.50
G.W.M.N.M	\$1.00
Historic Trenton Masonic	\$3.00
Temple	\$1.50
Rainbow for Girls	\$1.50
DeMolay	\$1.50
Masonic Charity Foundation	\$6.00
Masonic Renewal Committee	\$0.50
Grand View Fee	\$2.00

TOTAL PER MEMBER: 176.00

ANNUAL DUES

Member dues payable for the last year are:
Cuotas de miembros por los ultimos años son:

2025 \$175.00 \$100.00 (Dual Members)

Please Send Your Check to:
Favor de Enviar su Cheque a:

Sons of Liberty Lodge #301
c/o RW Nomar Vizcarrondo
PO Box 245
Tenafly, NJ 07670-0245
nvizcarrondo@gmail.com



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Or use email below:

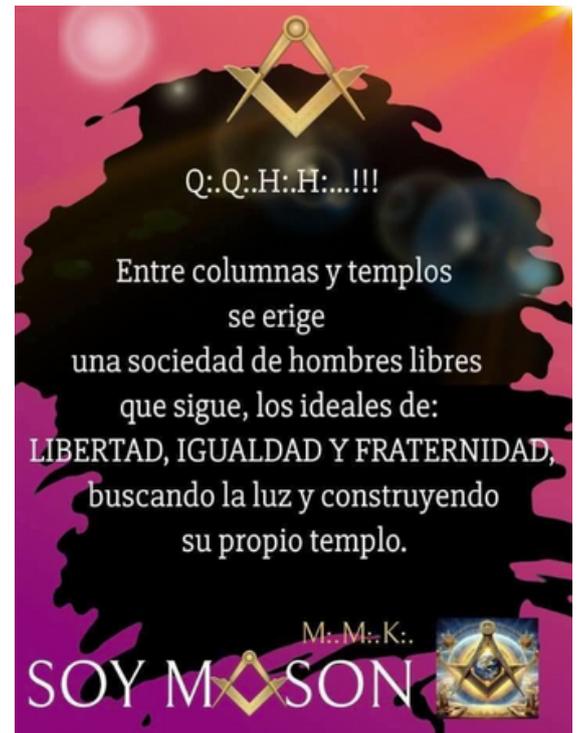
SonsOfLiberty301@hotmail.com

PETITIONS

FOR MEMBERSHIP

Mr. Geoffrey M. Santini

Resident of North Bergen, NJ. Works for Township of Weehawken. Age: 57 years old.



Sickness and Distress

Do you know of Brothers that are at home, in hospitals or Care Centers either sick or incapacitated and need our Tender Love and Care? Please contact Brother Frank Porras or the WM to inform the Lodge of sick or distressed brothers and to coordinate your visits:

Hermanos Enfermos

¿Conoces de algún Hermano que esté en su casa, hospital o centro de cuidado, enfermo o incapacitado y que necesita de nuestra presencia? Por favor llama al Hermano Frank Porras o al VM para informar a la Logia de Hermanos enfermos o en desgracia y para coordinar sus visitas.

FROM THE EAST



A Message from our Worshipful Master

My Dear Brethren,

February, the month of Valentine's Day, invites reflection on love—not only romantic love, but the broader bonds that unite humanity. In this spirit, February shares meaningful common ground with the core principles of Freemasonry.

Freemasonry teaches Brotherly Love, Relief, and Truth. Brotherly Love calls on us to regard all people with kindness and respect, echoing February's reminder to act with compassion and goodwill. Relief reflects charity and care for others, aligning with the season's emphasis on generosity, empathy, and heartfelt service. Truth, the foundation of Masonic virtue, encourages sincerity and integrity—qualities essential to any genuine expression of love.

Valentine's Day may focus on affection between individuals, but Freemasonry expands that idea into a universal love for mankind. Both remind us that love is not merely a feeling, but an action—expressed through understanding, self-improvement, and service to others. In this way, February becomes a fitting time to renew a commitment to love in its highest and most enduring form.

Mis Queridos Hermanos,

Febrero, el mes del Día de San Valentín, invita a reflexionar sobre el amor, no solo el amor romántico, sino también los lazos más amplios que unen a la humanidad. En este espíritu, febrero comparte un significado especial con los principios fundamentales de la Francmasonería.

La Francmasonería enseña Amor Fraternal, Ayuda y Verdad. El Amor Fraternal nos llama a considerar a todas las personas con bondad y respeto, reflejando el recordatorio de febrero de actuar con compasión y buena voluntad. El Alivio representa la caridad y el cuidado hacia los demás, en sintonía con el énfasis del mes en la generosidad, la empatía y el servicio sincero. La Verdad, base de la virtud masónica, promueve la sinceridad y la integridad, cualidades esenciales para cualquier expresión genuina de amor.

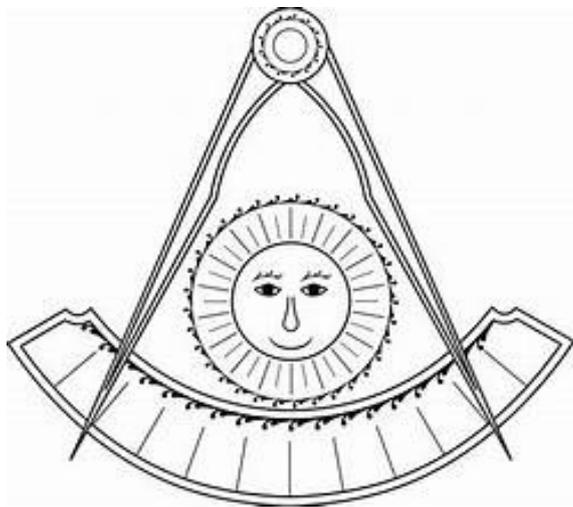
El Día de San Valentín puede centrarse en el afecto entre individuos, pero la Francmasonería amplía esa idea hacia un amor universal por la humanidad. Ambos nos recuerdan que el amor no es solo un sentimiento, sino una acción, expresada a través de la comprensión, el perfeccionamiento personal y el servicio a los demás.

Salud :: Fuerza:: Union::

Worshipful Master

2026

WB Frank Porras



UPCOMING EVENTS

SATURDAY FEB 21, 2026

FELLOWSHIP CENTER
1114 OXMEAD RD, BURLINGTON, NJ

SOCIAL
4:00PM

DINNER
5:00PM

RECEPTION
6:30PM



\$80 PER
PERSON



BYOB

Masonic Charity Foundation of New Jersey, in conjunction
with Cincinnati Lodge #3's Reception of the new Charity
Foundation Trustee and Jr. Grand Warden,
R.W. Glenn T. Visscher

Checks Payable to: Cincinnati Lodge #3
Mail To: RW Butch Elliott, 38 Main St. Flanders, NJ 07836
RSVP Deadline: February 13, 2026

UPCOMING EVENTS

*Celebrate America's 250th Anniversary with
M.W. Omar S. Morris and the Square and
Compassion Foundation at the:*

Grand Master's **GALA**

"REMEMBER THE LADIES"



On March 28, 1776, Abigail Adams wrote to her husband, John Adams, urging him to "remember the ladies" as our nation was being formed. Join us as we honor the past, celebrate the present, and embrace the promise of tomorrow.

March 15th, 2026 at 2:00 PM

The Liberty House, 76 Audrey Zapp Drive, Jersey City, NJ, 07305

Cost: \$125 Per Person • Dress Code: Black Tie

RSVP Details: Reserve your ticket via electronic form at tinyurl.com/gmgala26 (QR code below) & make check payable to "Team Morris NJ Grand Staff". It should be mailed to: R.W. Chris Roethke, 360 Central Ave., Woodbury Heights, NJ 08097.

Deadline: Sunday, February 1st, 2025 or until sold out
(only 300 tickets available)



UPCOMING EVENTS

THE ROAST OF
SENIOR GRAND WARDEN
BERNARD 'BUD'
MADGEY

THURSDAY,
MARCH 26
6:00 PM

MASONIC CLUB OF LYNDHURST
316 RIVERSIDE AVE, LYNDHURST, NJ **\$50**

To RSVP & Purchase
Tickets
<https://is.gd/DdDQKI>

Price includes
Food by Chef
Serafin
Cash Bar

UPCOMING EVENTS



**New Jersey
Grand Master Cruise
2026**

**Pricing Options via
Seaview Travel LLC's
Group Booking**

Please Keep In Mind:

- To take advantage of these rates, it is important to make a reservation and deposit as soon as possible. **These rates are locked for a specific amount of rooms per room type and will be filled on a "first come, first served" basis.**
- **Once we meet our max. amount of rooms for a category,** we are not able to add more rooms within that category at this price point. In this scenario, the travel agent will explore the other room options available to you and its corresponding cost.
- You will have until **May 2026** to cancel with a **full refund of your deposit** if you are no longer able to attend.
- The prices listed are for **2 people per room.**

Room Type/Price:

- **Promenade View Interior:** \$3,249.46 (20 cabins reserved)
- **Connecting Promenade View Interior:** \$3,203.46 (20 cabins reserved)
- **Ocean View Balcony:** \$4,941.46 (75 cabins reserved)
- **Ocean View:** \$3,715.46 (10 cabins reserved)
- **Ocean View:** \$3,693.46 (35 cabins reserved)
 - These ocean view options are the same type of room—the difference would just be location on the ship (ex. lower vs. higher deck or forward vs. midship).
- **Inside:** \$2,877.46 (15 cabins reserved)

UPCOMING EVENTS

Grand Lodge - Night in Nashville



A NIGHT IN NASHVILLE

featuring music from Nashville

MARCH 28TH

STARTING AT 6PM

COST: \$36.00

BYOB (Bring Your Own Beverage)

Location: Crescent Shrine 700 Highland Ave. Westampton NJ

To pay via Zelle use
the QR code or send to

"NJSGM2026@Gmail.com"

To pay by Check, make payable to
"Team Golway Staff Account"
and mail to 1071 Bonnie Blue Cir.
Williamston, NJ 08094



UPCOMING EVENTS

2026 GRAND MASTER'S **GOLF** OUTING

All proceeds
go to support
the Grand
Master's
Charities!

Monday, June 1st, 2026

PEDDIE GOLF CLUB
671 OLD YORK RD
EAST WINDSOR, NJ 08520

Check-in with continental
breakfast : 8:30am
Shotgun start: 10:00am
BBQ Lunch to follow

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\$175 - Per Player (Limit 80)
\$50 - Lunch Only (Limit 20)
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Register now. space is limited
tinyurl.com/gmgolf2026



UPCOMING EVENTS

✦ Sons of Liberty Lodge #301
PRESENTS

ATLANTIC CITY TRIP

Harrah's Atlantic City

 Sunday, February 15 2026

Meet at 8:30am • Return: 6pm



\$50 per person
+ \$15 Voucher

 Bus departs:
1422 Paterson Plank Rd
Secaucus NJ at 8:30am

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UPCOMING EVENTS

The BeeHive NJ

Break The Ice

Ice Skating Event

\$10
Donation



**FREE FOR
RAINBOW
GIRLS**

**FREE FOR
DEMOLAY**

150 PLAZA CENTER, SECAUCUS, 07094, NJ

Saturday - March 28, 2026 - 5:30 to 7:00

**THE BEEHIVE MICRO EVENTS ARE LIMITED TICKET EVENTS YOU
MUST RSVP - DM  @THEBEEHIVENJ OR TEXT  551-222-6324**

UPCOMING EVENTS



The Women's Auxiliary Club Presents:

**VALENTINE'S
DAY PARTY**

*At the
Masonic Club of Lyndhurst*

\$20 Singles • \$30 Couples

February 14th at 7PM

Cash Bar • Finger Food Included

*Zelle Karen:
201.323.8442*

316 Riverside Ave, Lyndhurst, NJ