

**Gideon Lodge #84
Kingston, NH
November 2013 Trestleboard**



8 Church Street, P.O. Box 372
Kingston, NH 03848
Gideon Lodge.
Chartered June 12, 1867

Stated Communications: 7:30 pm
1st Tuesday of Month
Dark July and August
Dinner Reservations Required
Wor. Gerald J. Parziale 603-382-8478

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Committees For 2013

Lodge building committee: Tim Lavallo, Clovis Leach, Ken Weyler, Gerald Parziale, David Hendersen, John Paiva,

Key List: will be kept by the Secretary
Fund Raising Committee: Ken Weyler, Tim Lavallo, James Dobson, Todd Dabrieo, Paul Szot

Masonic Relief Committee: Richard Gordon, Gerald Parziale, Kenneth Weyler, James Alexander, Tim Lavallo

Scholarship Fund Committee: Richard Gordon, David Henderson, John Lumnah,

Special Ladies Committee: Kenneth Weyler, John Paiva, Clovis Leach

Finance Committee: Kenneth Weyler, Richard Johnson, Tim Lavallo, Gerald Parziale

Elected Officers for 2013

Worshipful Master	Gerald Parziale (603) 382-8478 giparz24@yahoo.com
Senior Warden	David Henderson (603) 303-3758 ddhenderson@comcast.net
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Associate Secretary	R W Clovis Leach (603)642 4320 junclo@comcast.net
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Junior Steward	Todd Dabrieo
Marshal	Jim Alexander
Tyler	Corey King
Organist	Matt Orio

Message from the East

Dates to Remember

Oct. 27th. Veterans program open to semi-public at 1:00 p.m. Light lunch to follow.

Nov. 5th. Stated meeting; dinner at 6:30 p.m. Meeting to follow. Opening lodge for the DDGM at 6:00 p.m.

Nov. 11th. Veterans Day. Remember our Brethren and others who have saved our country for all of us.

Nov. 16th. Grand Lodge. Opens at 9 a.m. Please remember to bring your dues card.

Brethren, veterans program will be on the 27th of the month of October and we will be giving our 25 to 50 year pins to our veterans of our lodge. It will be a great time for all masons and their families.

We are approaching the Holiday season. We will again be delivering items to our brethren and their widows. Also we will be organizing charitable donations to our communities for all the people in need.

If you know of anyone in need of assistance, please contact one of our lodge officers.

We had a very good turnout for our Open House on the 14th of October. A special thank you to all the brothers of the lodge who participated in making the day a great success.

Brethren, if you know of any sick or distressed, please contact our lodge officers. We are here for them. Let us try to visit with a brother who cannot get to the lodge or is having a difficult time getting around. It will be most enjoyable for both.

Respectfully,
WM. G.J. Parziale

What's In It For Me

Brother Libby prepared a thoughtful talk which he gave at the October stated meeting. He was talking about the question: "Masonry: What's In It For Me?"

He asked several questions relating to membership in Masons:

"Why did you join Masons?"

"What did you expect to gain from being a Mason?"

"Do you believe it makes good men better?"

Several brothers responded with answers. They related their experience of meeting nice people they would not have known if they were not members of the order. Others thought about experiences they had when they were traveling. Some liked the degree work and the lessons that they learned such as the fact that Masons "meet on the level and part on the square". One of the amazing things that one of the new brothers was surprised to see that his neighbor was a brother Mason. Another told about joining the Army at twenty-one. When he attended a meeting on the base, he was surprised to see

his commanding officer sitting in the meeting.

The brothers relating these stories alluded to the question, "What was in it for them?"

Thank you brother Libby for the interesting discussion.

Clovis Leach, PM

PLEASE !!!!

Plan to share your experience with the calls that you made to the Brothers that we haven't seen recently.