



# Beberly-Riverside Lodge No. 107

Free and Accepted Masons



Established April 12, 2000  
Meets Every Third Thursday at 7:30 p.m. Except July and August

**A.D. 2011**

**November**

**A.L. 6011**



- November 1st - DLI 7:00 pm for Senior Wardens and Qualification Committees
- November 3rd FC Degree Rehearsal 7:00 pm
- November 10th FC Degree Rehearsal 7:00 pm
- November 17th Regular Communication, 7:30 pm  
Dinner at 6:30pm
- December 1st FC Degree 7:00 pm, Dinner at 6:00 pm
- December 15th Annual Communication 7:30 pm
- December 16th Installation (Open) - Dinner 5:45 pm  
Installation 7:00 pm

## **From the East**

### **Julio Hernandez**

### **Worshipful Master**

Greetings Brethren;

We had a busy October and will continue the same for the rest of the year. We held a Lodge cleanups on the 15th and Kudos to the Hall Trustees and everyone who came out to help. The roof was refur-

bished and a number of lights in the parking lot were replaced; we continued the day with our annual Square & Compass Day and attracted three very potential candidates.



At our regular Communication we were treated by two discourses from the Right Worshipful Gerald Sharpe, Junior Grand Warden. His personal stories on Dyslexia were very moving and informative. I encourage all our members to visit the Grand Lodge Site and look into getting involved in this worthy undertaking, below is a copy from the site:

There are 54 Children's Dyslexia Centers (A Scottish Rite, Masonic, Community Partnership) in the Northeastern part of the United States. Our Center is one of 5 located in New Jersey. The Children's Dyslexia Centers of New Jersey, Inc. is a non-for profit 501(c) 3 entity, allowing all donations to be fully tax deductible. Our Centers have been actively engaged in helping children overcome the obstacles of dyslexia. Thousands of dyslexic children have received free one-on-one multisensory reading and written language tutoring, and hundreds of school teachers and other individuals interested in becoming certified tutors have received training at no cost. Additionally, our Learning Centers continue to support clinical research programs that primarily focus on dyslexia.

The Right Worshipful also gave us a good idea of his philosophy on membership and the role that each lodge should have towards member assistance and retentions.

I have to congratulate the officers of the lodge of their outstanding work in exemplifying and opening at the Grand Lodge of Instruction on the 25th, received numerous compliments on the floor work as well. We great pride we congratulate the members who received lecture bars that evening. Out of seven bars presented , Beverly-Riverside Lodge was the recipient of three. Brother Dave Tilton for the Interrogatories and Chargers; Brother Rick Stonking for exemplifying the Middle Chamber of the Fellow Craft Degree inside the Lodge and your humble servant for the Entered Apprentice Lecture.

This is the result of hard work and much dedication of our officers during rehearsals and much is also owed to the selfless guidance of our Ritual Instructors, WB Tim Cole and WB Mike McGuire. Again thanks to all.

Sincerely *Peace Profound* *Julio Hernandez, WM*

## Masonic Light

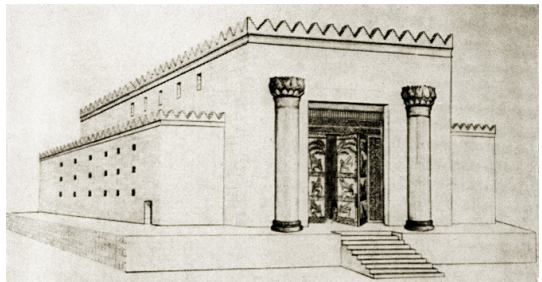
Submitted by Julio Hernandez, WM

### More Light

Here is an interesting account of King Solomon, the Temple and Our Operative Grand Master Hiram Abiff

.....In the secret traditions of Freemasonry - as we know from an oration by Chevalier Michael Ramsay in 1736—Solomon recorded his magical knowledge in a secret book, which was later laid in the foundations of the second temple in Jerusalem. In Jewish folklore Solomon's reign was so splendid that gold and silver became as common as stones in the street. But because the Jews had no tradition of building temples up to this time, having been a nomadic people. Solomon chose to employ as architect for this project a Phoenician, Hiram Abiff. If the building seems, on the evidence of the measurements given in the Old Testament, no larger than a parish church, it was nevertheless crammed with ornamentation of unparalleled magnificence.

In its middle stood the Holy of Holies, lined with gold plate and encrusted with jewels. It was designed to contain the Ark of the Covenant, containing the tablets of Moses. The Cherubim, whose wings stretched protectively over it, were, as we have seen, representatives of constellations of the zodiac belt On the corner of the altar stood four horns, representing the moon, and a golden



candlestick with seven lamps - of course, a representation of the sun, the moon and the five major planets. - The most extraordinary feature of the temple seems to have been a sea - or according to the Koran, a fountain- of molten brass. Again, as with the bronze serpent nailed to a pole by Moses, this image of smelting should alert us to the presence of secret practices dedicated to transforming human physiology.

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Hiram, the Master Builder, employed a brotherhood of craftsmen to realize his designs. He classified them according to three grades, the Apprentices, the Companions and the Masters. Hence we see ideas of fraternity that will eventually spread beyond the narrowly esoteric, to transform the organization of society as a whole, but in the story of the murder of Hiram Abiff we see too a warning of how it may all go wrong ...



There is an undercurrent of rivalry between Solomon and Hiram Abiff in some secret traditions. The Queen of Sheba visited Solomon, but she was also curious to meet the man who had *designed* such a miraculous temple. And when she felt Hiram Abiff's gaze on her, she experienced a sensation like molten metal inside. She asked Hiram how he managed to bring the beauty of the heavens down to earth in the architecture of the temple. He responded by holding aloft a Tau cross, a cross in the shape of the letter T. Immediately all of the many workers swarmed into the temple like ants. There are traditions preserved in the Talmud and the Koran that the temple was built with the aid of a mysterious insect able to carve stone, called the Shammeer. As with the image of the Beehive, we have here an image of spiritual forces which Hiram is able to command.

Three of Hiram's workers were jealous of his secret powers. They decided they wanted to know the secrets of the molten sea. They ambushed him at the end of the day, as he was leaving the temple. When he repeatedly refused to disclose his secrets, they murdered him, each dealing him a massive, hemorrhage inducing blow to the head. It is said that certain secrets died with him and are still lost, that the secrets divulged in the Mystery schools and secret societies ever since have been lesser secrets.

### Hall Trustees

Thank you to all the Brothers who came out for the October 15  
Lodge Cleanup Day

Respectfully,  
Ken Fynan





The Grand Lodge of the Most Ancient and Honorable Society of  
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## ANNUAL FEAST OF ST. JOHN

Presented by The Grand Lodge of NJ

Date: Saturday, December 10, 2011

5:00 PM Social Hour

6:30 PM Welcome and opening exercise

6:45 PM Dinner

8:00 PM Program

Fellowship Center  
1114 Oxmead Road,  
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\$50.00 Per Person

Program:

A Re-enactment of The Grand Lodge of New Jersey's  
founding fathers

Conducting the very first Lodge meeting in the state

Deadline for Reservations – Friday, November 25, 2011

Tickets may be purchased by mailing a check along with a *self-addressed stamped envelope* along with the names of the persons attending to The Grand Secretary's Office: 100 Barrack Street, Trenton, NJ 08608. Tickets mailed from the office must be paid for in advance. Please note that no tickets will be sold at the door. Table reservations may be made for groups of 8 or 10.



Mark your calendars for the annual Beverly Riverside Fellowship Craft Club St Patty's day party March 17th. More details to follow.

Brethren,

You are cordially and fraternally invited to attend a Regular Communication of Beverly-Riverside Lodge No. 107, F&AM at 621 Chester Ave., Riverside, NJ on Thursday, November 17, 2011 at 7:30 pm Dinner served at 6:30 pm

Order of Business

- Opening of Lodge
- Regular Business
- Closing of Lodge



Official Dress: Business Attire

Brethren,

You are cordially and fraternally invited to attend an Emergent Communication of Beverly-Riverside Lodge No. 107, F&AM at 621 Chester Ave., Riverside, NJ on Tuesday December 1, 2011 at 7:00 pm Dinner served at 6:30 pm

Order of Business

- Opening of Lodge
- Regular Business
- Conferral of FC Degree on:
  - Eddie Nazereth
- Closing of Lodge



Official Dress: Formal Attire

### **Masonic Home High Twelve Club News.**

Monthly Lunch meeting - Monday November 21st @ 12 pm in Grow Hall at the Masonic Home. Join your Brothers for Lunch. \$5.00



# AM I A BUILDER?

Author Unknown

I watched them tearing a building down,  
A gang of men in a busy town.

With a ho-heave-ho and a lusty yell,  
They swung a beam and the sides fell.

I asked the foreman, "Are these men skilled  
And the kind you would hire, if you had to build?"

And he gave me a laugh and said, "No indeed,  
Just common labor is all I need.

I can easily wreck in a day or two  
What other builders have taken a year to do."

And I thought to myself as I went my way,  
"Which of these roles have I tried to play?"

Am I a builder that works with care,  
Measuring life by the rule and square.

Am I shaping my deeds to a well made plan,  
Patiently doing the best I can?

Or am I a wrecker who walks the town,  
Content with the labor of tearing down."

## NOVEMBER MASONIC BIRTHDAYS

Bro. Samuel D. Elvert	74	WB Richard A. Isolda	33
Bro. William B Barr	59	Bro. Floyd L. Melton	33
Bro. Walter M Gehm	59	WB Jay B. Pennell	32
Bro. John B. Leham	57	Bro. Ralph E. Griggs	26
Bro. Albert V. Hart	56	Bro. I.E Parker	26
WB John Schmidinger	55	WB Paul Doerr	26
Bro. Donald J. Armstrong	52	Bro. S. Jimmy Molnar, Jr.	25
WB J. Donald Brown	52	WB Carlyle L. Honneywell, Jr.	22
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Bro. Frederick W. Bohnberger	43	Bro. David N Tilton	5
Bro. Stephen Lankenau	38	Bro. Charles Davis Wolfe, Jr.	1
Bro. Robert L. Underkoffer	37	Bro. Chris R Mozy	1
Bro. Daniel C. Brown	35	Bro. Steven L Rockhill	1



Be sure to come out to our regular communication of the lodge on the month that your birthday appears here. You will be recognized for your years of service to the Fraternity. If your birthday falls on your 10th, 20th, 25th, 30th, 35th, 40th, or 45th anniversary, come

# THE NOVEMBER 2011 TRESTLEBOARD

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1 DLI for SWs Beverly- Riverside Lodge	2	3 Rehearsal FC 7:00 pm	4	5
6 Daylight Saving Ends	7	8	9	10 Rehearsal FC 7:00 pm	11  Veteran's Day	12
13	14 Hall Trustees Meeting 7 pm	15	16	17 Regular Communication 7:30 pm	18	19
20	21	22	23	24 	25	26
27	28 Fellow Craft Club Meeting 7 pm	29	30	1 Emergent Com- munication EA 7 pm Dinner at 6		

## Important Information

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### Websites of Note

Beverly-Riverside Lodge No. 107 Website  
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Grand Lodge of NJ Website  
<http://www.newjerseygrandlodge.org>  
19th Masonic District Website  
<https://www.19thdistrictnj.org>

### **Beverly-Riverside Hall Trustees - Meets regularly on the 2nd Monday of each Month**

2011	2012	2012
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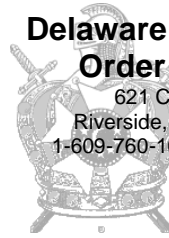
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# IN HONOUR OF OUR LIVING PAST MASTERS

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Albert V. Hart	1960
J. Donald Brown	1965
William T. Mckenzie	1976
Vincent Parzyck PGC	1977
Firman H. Abdill, Jr. PDDGM	1980,85
John B. King	1981
Robert C. Parsons	1983,84
Paul E. Doerr	1991
Stephen F. Kelly	1992
Tracy B. Evans	1993
C. Laing Honeywell, Jr.	1994
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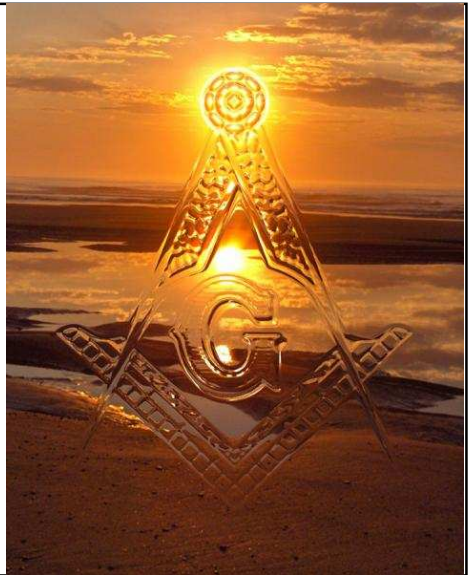
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Lucian D. Craig, PGSB	2001
Matthew Korang	2002
Ronald S. Stubbs	2003
William D. Ewan	2004
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Edward Marren	2006
Marcus N. Carroll III	2007
Stephen G. Devenny, Sr.	2008
Michael P. McGuire	2009
Dennis E. Topoleski	2010

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We can easily forgive a  
child who is afraid of the  
dark; the real tragedy of  
life is when men are afraid  
of the light...

....*Plato*



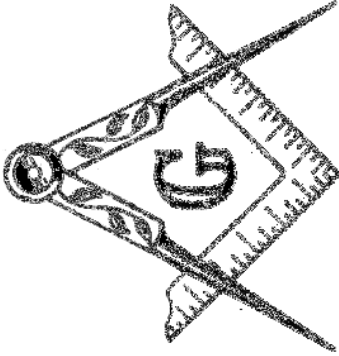
*Please keep our service men and  
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