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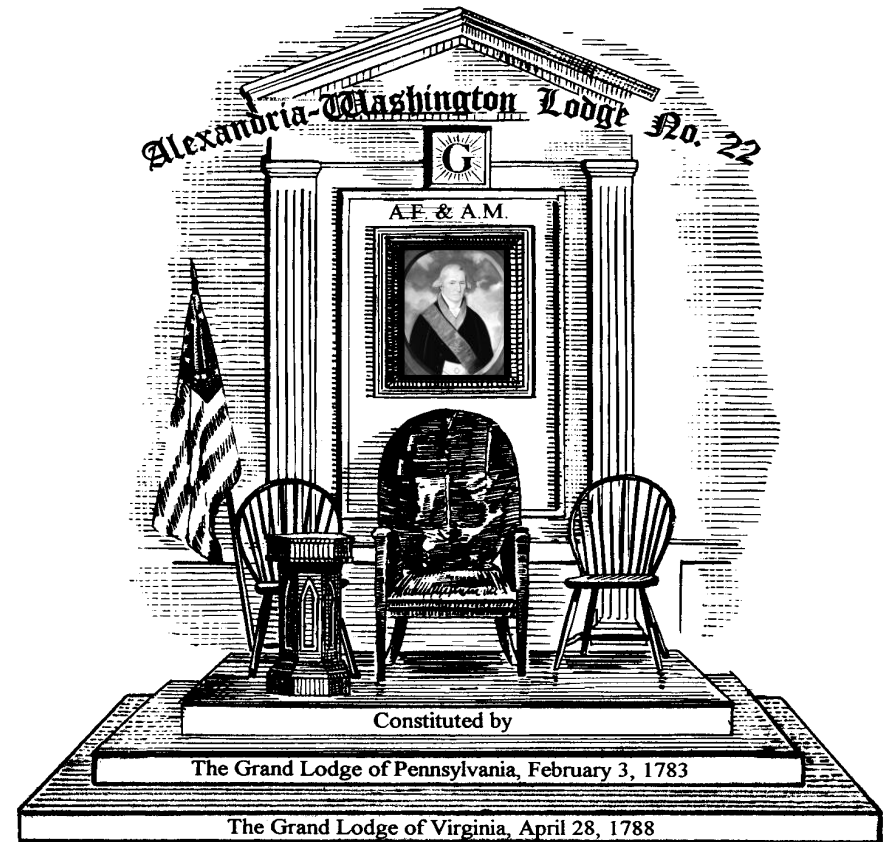
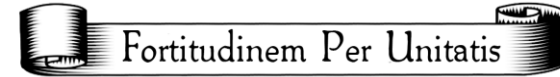
BOARD OF TRUSTEES

KERRY D. KIRK 2019
 HEBER C. WILLIS III. PM..... 2020
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LIVING PAST MASTERS ON THE ROLLS

DONALD M. ROBEY, PGM..... 1975	DANIEL M. CLARK..... 2002
JAMES B. STONE..... 1976	JAMES M. STEVENSON..... 2003
JAMES R. FREEMAN..... 1980	FRANK S. SKWIRUT..... 2004
WILLIAM A. JONES..... 1988	JESSE T. MCMAHAN..... 2005
EARL C. MILLION..... 1991	THOMAS G. LITTLE..... 2006
GRANVILLE C. CANARD, JR., PDDGM..... 1992	ROBERT G. WATKINS, PDDGM..... 2007
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MARK W. UNDERWOOD, PDDGM..... 1996	JOHN P. OLSON..... 2011
WALTER L. MARGESON, II..... 1997	MICHAEL L. BAILEY..... 2012
PHILIP J. HAYS..... 1998	JOSHUA D. ADLER..... 2013
MICHAEL P. BIBLE, DDGM..... 1999	ROBERT T. WESTON..... 2014
TERRY L. GIGURE..... 2000	STEPHEN J. PEZZETTI..... 2016
BRENT N. CAMPBELL..... 2001	MICHAEL P. BIBLE, DDGM..... 2017
	MARK W. UNDERWOOD, PDDGM..... 2018

LODGE BULLETIN



July 2019

The Master's Message

Greetings, Brethren:

After a relatively cool June, the true local summer heat has finally arrived.

We enjoyed a truly wonderful evening of fellowship at our Table Lodge meeting at the historic Gadsby's Tavern in Old Town Alexandria on June 24. Forty brothers from AW22 and from multiple other Lodges were in attendance, including two of our youngest Entered Apprentices.

July will be yet again a month full of many opportunities for everyone to participate. We will start with our Stated Communication on July 11, where Rt. Wor. Bro. Mike King will deliver a presentation on Ritual, Duties and Responsibilities. Rt. Wor. Mike is our Division Instructor of Work, and we have been blessed to have him serve as our Lodge Instructor of Work, pro tem, since the beginning of this year.

The Grand Master Official Visit to our Masonic District 1A will take place on July 20 at the Alexandria Scottish Rite. This is an open event and you are welcome to invite your family and friends. Please join your officers in showing appreciation to our Grand Lodge Officers and in spending quality time with your brothers from the district. If you are planning to attend, please contact Rt. Wor. Jack Canard at secretary@aw22.org before July 7.

In July, we will also visit our brothers at both Cherrydale-Columbia Lodge No. 42 and Arlington Centennial Glebe Lodge No. 81. This year's fellowship in the new consolidated district has been spectacular and there are many leaders in that regard, most importantly our own twice Past Master and DDGM for 2019, Rt. Wor. Mike Bible who has done a methodical and inspiring job of strengthening the fraternal ties between the Lodges. Our Senior Warden, WB Daniel Froggett has also been instrumental in this effort, serving as the Secretary for the Masters and Wardens Association of the Masonic District. Together with WB Troy Van Winkle, he organized the Annual District Picnic, hosted at Elmer Timberman Lodge No. 54, this past Saturday, June 29.

Sincerely and Fraternaly,
Nikola Nikolov
Master

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MASTER'S TRESTLEBOARD

JULY 2019

- 11 THU 7:30 PM STATED COMMUNICATION:**
RITUAL, DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES
6:30 PM Dinner, RSVP: reservations@aw22.org
7:30 PM Tiled Meeting
- 18 THU 6:30 PM FRATERNAL VISIT TO: CHERRYDALE-COLUMBIA No. 42**
- 20 SAT GRAND MASTER OFFICIAL VISIT TO 1A**
SCOTTISH RITE, 1430 W BRADDOCK RD.
6:30 PM Social
7:00 PM Dinner Followed by Open Meeting
- 21 MON 3:00 PM ARCHIVES COMMITTEE MEETING**
- 22 MON 6:30 PM FRATERNAL VISIT TO: ARLINGTON CENTENNIAL GLEBE**
LODGE No. 81
- 23 TUE 6:30 PM MASTERS AND WARDENS MEETING**
KEMPER-MACON WARE LODGE No. 64
- 24 WED 7:00 PM DISTRICT 1A RITUAL SCHOOL**
(ALEXANDRIA-WASHINGTON LODGE No. 22)



STATED COMMUNICATIONS: The stated communications shall be held at the George Washington Masonic National Memorial (GWMNM), Alexandria, Virginia on the second Thursday of each month with the additional stated communications for the observance of George Washington's birthday on February 22, Saint John the Baptist Day on June 24, and the Installation of Officers on December 27.

CALLED COMMUNICATIONS: As announced herein with the trestleboard.

LODGE RITUAL SCHOOL: Conducted every Thursday at 7:30 PM, excluding our stated communication. All members are encouraged to attend.

CATECHISM & EDUCATION SCHOOL: Every Monday and Thursday at 7:30 PM and every Saturday at 10 AM unless otherwise noted in the trestleboard.

Photo 1: Group photo after Table Lodge at Gadsby's.



Photo 1: With our two newest Master Masons, Bro. Adams and Bro. Hamilton after their raising.



From the Secretary's Desk –

“Lodge of Washington” Medallion -

Thanks to the efforts of RW Mark Underwood, our Lodge now has a Medallion, representing “The Lodge of Washington,” which can be worn by all members of the Lodge. The Medallion is available to be purchased from the Lodge for \$25.00. You can get the Medallion by sending your payment to the Secretary, made payable to “Alex-Wash Lodge No. 22,” or use the PayPal link:

<https://www.paypal.me/AlexWash22/26.06> (\$25.00 for the Medallion plus \$1.06 PayPal fee) Once your payment is received, you can pick up the Medallion from the Secretary at the next Lodge meeting you attend.



In Memoriam

Brother George Washington Motley, III

Born June 18, 1941

EA: June 30, 1977 - FC: November 28, 1977

MM: March 2, 1978 - Died: May 11, 2019

Brother Charles Michael Andrae

Born May 15, 1934

EA: April 18, 2005 - FC: August 27, 2005

MM: August 27, 2005 - Died: June 22, 2019

RW G. C. “Jack” Canard, Jr., PDDGM
Lodge Secretary

To George Washington from Masonic Lodge, No. 22, Alexandria,
Virginia, 29 August 1793
From Masonic Lodge,
No. 22, Alexandria, Virginia
Alexandria [Va.] 29th Augt 1793

Sir and Brother

Actuated by the warmest sentiments of personal affection, and encouraged by that masonic relation, by which you are connected with us in a social capacity—We the Alexandria Lodge of Free and accepted Masons venture to address you on a subject particularly interesting to us.(1)

We deem it an honor of the highest and most pleasing nature, that our Charter is distinguished by your name, and if no greater could be conferred upon us, we might be satisfied that the parent of our Institution is the greatest character of the age—But although history shall hand-down your virtues and patriotic services to the latest posterity, and although the name of George Washington must ever be dear to every good Mason and especially to the members of No. 22, yet will it be a source of the most refined gratification the tracing out and contemplating the various ornaments of his character in the resemblance of his person. To this end we beg leave to solicit you to set for your portrait. The person we have chosen to execute the painting is Mr Wm Williams, an American Artist—From a number of Specimens we have seen of this Gentleman’s performance, we are persuaded he is the most successful portrait painter that we have yet seen or heard of in America.(2)

We remain with the sincerest fraternal affection your Brethren of Lodge No. 22. Signed in behalf of said Lodge

⟨M.⟩ Flannery Secy

Elisha C. Dick. Master
James Taylor[.] Senr Warden
Ch: Simms[.] Jur Warden (3)
DS, DLC:GW.

Endnotes:

(1) On GW’s membership in the Alexandria Lodge, No. 22, see Brockett, *Lodge of Washington*, 22, 30.

(2) Although no reply from GW to this request has been found, he agreed to sit for the painting, despite the fact that he had refused to sit for William Joseph Williams in the previous year (GW to Henry Lee, 3 July 1792). Williams completed the pastel portrait showing GW in full Masonic dress in Sept. 1794 (Eisen, *Portraits of Washington*, 2:505–6).

(3) Michael Flannery (d. 1813) was a teller in the Bank of Alexandria and was among those Masons from the lodge who attended Washington’s funeral in 1799 (Brockett, *Lodge of Washington*, 49, 99, 112). Alexandria physician Elisha Cullen Dick (c.1750–1825) was one of the doctors who attended GW on his deathbed (Tobias Lear’s *Narrative Account of the Death of George Washington*, 15 Dec. 1799). Dick was again Worshipful Master of the lodge in 1799, and, as such, he led the Masonic rites at GW’s funeral. James Taylor, as “acting Senior Warden,” was among the Masons from the lodge who attended the ceremonial laying of the cornerstone of the U.S. Capitol on 18 Sept. 1793. Alexandria lawyer Charles Simms, whose legal services GW sometimes employed, was one of the pallbearers at GW’s funeral (*ibid.*, 49, 98–99, 117–18, 128–29).

Source: founders.archives.gov