

## TRESTLEBOARD

BRUCITE LODGE NO. 42,  
F & AM GABBS, NEVADA  
STATED COMMUNICATION SECOND  
SATURDAY OF THE MONTH, 10:30AM AT  
THE GABBS VFW HALL  
SEPTEMBER 12, 2009



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MARGARET JONES  
LILA PORTEOUS  
FRANCIS SIPE

If in the area please stop by and enjoy a  
delicious luncheon about Noon.

## BRUCITE'S GRAND LODGE OFFICER

WORSHIPFUL JAY DINI, PM (KATHY)  
GRAND BIBLE BEARER

## BRUCITE'S 2007 PAST

GRAND MASTER  
MOST WORSHIPFUL  
STANLEY E. WILLIAMS (MARY)

**JULY BIRTHDAYS**  
GEORGE BUFFINGTON (2)  
GIBB HILLS (5)  
HARVEY WILLIAMS (6)  
GALE KARELS (17)  
HAROLD NEWMAN, JR (31)  
**AUGUST BIRTHDAYS**  
JAMES CODY (4)  
FRANKLIN WOOD (8)  
C. WILBUR WHITTED (14)  
JERRY IVEY (31)  
**SEPTEMBER BIRTHDAYS**  
RICHARD CONROY (9)  
FRANCIS HILL (14)  
FRANK W. JONES, JR (27)  
TERRY RIVERO (30)

Brethren,

I hope this finds all of my brothers in Brucite Lodge #42 well and have had a good summer so far.

As we come out darkness and get ready for the Grand Masters OV with Hawthorne Lodge #36 and the first degree for Scott Hein, I want to remind everyone that it is going to make for a little of a long day. The Grand Master was going to stay for the degree but has informed me that he has to get back for a family function right after the OV, so we will open, welcome and receive the Grand Master, do our business, then the OV. We will then break for lunch and come back and do the Degree for Mr. Hein. I hope this works for everyone. September will still be busy for us as we have the outdoor Saturday the 19th Yerington, which Brucite does the second section, which starts at 9:00am. I will leave you all with this two articles and see all Saturday the 12<sup>th</sup> in beautiful downtown Gabbs:

The following is from a series of articles compiled by Worshipful Lerry Chalfant, Grand Trustee:

"A MASONIC THOUGHT" VOL III, #4 (16 FEB 07)

## THE YOUNG MAN MEDITATES

Masonry promised me nothing except opportunity for mental and spiritual growth and the opportunity to be serviceable to God and man.

I came of my own free will and accord as all men in all ages have done. I was received as all others have been received in the ages

past.

I learned that Masonry is interested in the character of man in man as a thinking, feeling being.

I learned that Masonry is not religion in the sense that we think of the church but that it is a form of worship and the true ally of all religions. I found that one grows stronger in his own religion, whatever it may be, as the result of Masonry.

I learned the real meaning of moral and spiritual teachings of charity, and that one's integrity of mind and soul is his most precious possession. All that I learned before was enhanced by the manner in which Masonry teaches sublime lessons. About me I see brothers, some young in Masonry, others who have been Masons for many years. Toward all I feel a bond of friendship and fellowship which is indescribable. To have the confidence of such a group of brothers, and to know that immutable bonds join you to them, as you are to every Mason in the world is indeed a priceless privilege.

All of this I learned; and I learned as well, that to maintain and to perpetuate all that I have received, I must give back my best to Masonry and to society.

ANONYMOUS

"A MASONIC THOUGHT" VOL IV, #17 (22 AUG 08)

Is Masonry a religion? The leaders and students of the Craft, as well as the rank and mass of its members, in English-speaking lands at least, do not regard Masonry as a religion-through as has been said, it has certain features which, in the strict technical sense, might lead those to regard it as such who wish from whatever motive, to regard it. As some of us prefer to put it, Masonry is not a Religion-not a church but a worship, in which men of all religious may unite, unless they insist that all who worship with them must think exactly and in detail as they think about all things in the heaven above and in the earth beneath. It is not the rival of any religion, but the friend of all, laying emphasis upon those truths, which underlie all religions and are the basis and consecration of each. Masonry is not a religion, but it is religious.

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