

Companions: We will have the opportunity to participate in several of the year's major events during the next few weeks. The Royal Arch Degree will be conducted by and in Annandale Chapter #77 at 7:00 p.m. on Wednesday, May 4 at Elmer Timberman Lodge. On May 7th the Grand High Priest, **Most Excellent Gordon Hector Sprigg Jr.** will make his official visit to District # 1 at Annandale Chapter # 77 with a dinner at 6:30 P.M. Tickets for dinner are available from me or the Secretary at \$20 for individuals, and \$35 for couples. Make checks payable to **Right Excellent George R. Bierman** (District Deputy Grand High Priest, District #1). This will be an OPEN visitation. We need a good turn out and if you can't get to many RA events, here's the one you ought to especially try to attend. At our stated on 11 May, **Companion Roger Peak** will present a fascinating program on "The Tabernacle". His talks are always well researched and very informative. Remember that 8 June will be **DC NIGHT at Arlington Chapter!** This will be one of the highlights of the year and we urge you to attend. It will be a fun night, and dinner will be served beginning at 6:30 P.M. Daniel C. Duvall
HP Arlington RAC #35

Trestle board

May 7th Grand High Priest visit to District # 1 at Annandale # 77
May 11th Stated 7:30 P.M.
" The Tabernacle " by Roger Peak
June 8th DC Night

Commitment to Mankind

Other District 1 Chapters

Mount Vernon #14

First Tuesday
George Washington Masonic National Memorial, Alexandria

Annandale #77

Third Wednesdays
Elmer Timberman Masonic Temple

Fifty Year Members

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| Homer G. Bauserman | 1948 |
| John P. Funkhouser | 1949 |
| David H. Graham | 1950 |
| Elgin B. Kirby | 1950 |
| Henry J. Bausili | 1952 |
| Guy D. McCombs | 1943 |
| William M. Sisk | 1944 |
| Oscar L. Buchanan | 1945 |
| Edward L. Mason | 1946 |
| Edward E. Buckley | 1947 |
| Robert A. Kelly | 1949 |
| Elwood S. Nichols | 1949 |
| William T. Guise | 1950 |
| James W. Brown, Jr. | 1951 |
| Robert L. Connor | 1951 |
| John E. Wise | 1952 |
| John G. Dudley Jr. | 1953 |
| George D. Stevens | 1953 |
| Robert A. Dudley | 1953 |
| John F. Kelley | 1954 |
| Walter W. Cosby Jr. | 1955 |
| Wilbert Kahoun | 1954 |

DID YOU KNOW? In George Washington's days, There was no indoor plumbing; men and women bathed only twice a year, in May and October. In the late 1700s, many houses consisted of a large room with only one chair. The one sitting in the chair became known as the "chair man". "Straight laced" ladies wore corsets.

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Scroll down to Royal Arch and there we are!

Laugh of the month:

1. Cannibals attacked a circus and ate the clowns. One turned to another and said "Does this taste funny to you?"

2. My uncle invented streaking. He got out of the shower, reached for the Preparation H, and got the Ben Gay!

Do you have a "Did You Know" or "Joke of the Month" to share? Please let me know and we'll run it in the monthly communication.

John Bullach, editor

Capitular Birthdays

MAY

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| James W. Brown | 1951 |
| Cleveland F. Oliver | 1955 |
| Mac H. Morris | 1962 |
| James S. Petty | 1963 |
| Anthony DiStefano | 1967 |
| Eugene R. Bryan | 1972 |
| James L. Fowler | 1976 |
| Robert L. Peake | 1977 |
| Martin C. Juul | 1981 |
| Floyd M. Davis | 1984 |
| David W. Griffis | 1986 |
| Kenneth L. Adams | 1987 |
| Charles W. Holman | 1987 |
| Robert E. Schindler | 1989 |
| Robert L. Wright Sr. | 1989 |
| Francis R. Brown | 1990 |
| Roy L. Learnard | 1993 |
| Raymond P. Raehn | 1998 |
| John W. Bullach Jr. | 1999 |
| John J. McClland | 1999 |
| Alvin E. Wyman | 1999 |
| Kenneth C. Cowan | 2002 |
| Christopher D. Dalton | 2002 |
| William C. Laufer | 2002 |