

Great Lights Lodge #181 Monday, March 12th, 2007 March Stated Meeting

Dear Brethren,

This past week we laid to rest Brother Don Davis after a sudden illness. May Brother Don rest in peace. His presence in the lodge will surely be missed by us all.

We had to cancel the 3rd degree that was scheduled for Brother Gary Schlerman on February 26th. We will reschedule this degree when we meet again on March 12th. There will also be a building committee meeting on the 12th. This will take place immediately following the lodge meeting.

On March 22nd, we will be meeting for dinner at Nob Hill. Wives and significant others are also invited to attend. Social hour will begin at 6:00 PM and dinner will be at 6:30. After dinner, foreign exchange students Sebastian Häberer from Wellen, Germany and Ondrej Hajek from Teplice, Czech Republic will be giving brief presentations about their homelands and will answer any questions that you may have. These two young men have lived with my wife and me since August. These presentations should be interesting and informative. Please **RSVP either YES or NO** to Brother Dave Dunlavy (563-387-3736) by Tuesday, March 20th. West Union lodge is hosting the regional friendship night on Wednesday, March 28th with a dinner at 6:30. The cost of the dinner is \$10.00 a person. You should have received a letter from Grand Lodge concerning this event. Brethren who bring prospective candidates will eat free of charge.

Fraternally,

Eric J. Sommermeyer, WM