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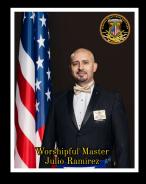
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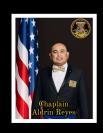






































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2024 Officers

Julio Ramirez Worshipful Master

Shahen Tarakdzhyan Senior Warden

Vahe Tarakchyan Junior Warden

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Eric Mendoza, PM Secretary

Aldrin Reyes Chaplain

Ron Ramores Asst. Secretary

Conrado Montero II Senior Deacon

John Bozard Jr. Junior Deacon

James Zacharia Marshal

Eric Yalung Senior Steward

Anzel SantosJunior Steward

Paolo Leano Organist

Alex Torio Tiler

Mike Reyes, PM Officer's Coach

Lito de Vera, PM Officer's Coach

Celso Cardano Jr., PM <u>District</u> Inspector

Greetings from The East



Greetings Brethren,

Summer is here! Happy July and July 4th Independence Day! The month of July is named after Roman leader Julius Caesar before the name change, July was known as Quintilis. Quintilis, the Latin word for five, was the fifth month on the Gregorian calendar.

On July 4th, 1776 the original 13 colonies of the United States declared its independence from the British, and the rest is history.

I would like to give a big shout out to our 3 brothers who participated in the 705th Masonic District Ritual Competition! Brother Ron Ramores, Brother Wes Bozard, and Brother Eric Yalung all did great! Thank you for all your hard work and for representing Granada Hills Lodge #378. A job well done! Congratulations to Brother Wes Bozard as the overall winner. Good luck as you move on to compete at the division level.

Our lodge continues thrive! Some of our highlights of this past quarter was the raising of our Brother Tigran Chivchyan and Brother Khatchik Ekizian to the Sublime Degree of Master Mason and our 12th Annual Golf Tournament! Thank you so much to the Chairs and Committee for a very successful event!

The following are some items on our agenda for the 3rd Quarter:

- 1st Degree Conferral at the Masonic Homes in Covina on Jul 13
- Beach Clean-up & Picnic at Torrance Beach on Jul 20
- Grand Master's Annual Breakfast at Hilton LAX on Jul 21
- GHL Camping at Lake Cachuma on Aug 23-25
- 3rd Degree Conferral at Acacia Lodge #49 in Las Vegas on Sep 20-22

The Master Mason of the Quarter, 2nd Quarter was awarded to Brother Conrado Montero, II for his exceptional service to the lodge. Job well done, Brother! Congratulations!

To the 2024 Officers and Officers Coaches - Thank you for your continued support and committment. I appreciate it very much! We have a bright future ahead of us and I'm looking forward to seeing the Officer's continue to progress in their Masonic journey.

In closing, Let us continue in harmony and love through our brotherhood in Freemasonry. Our collective goal should be to promote peace, understanding, and the presence of the divine. #WeAreOneFamily

Upon The Square,

Julio Ramirez
Worshipful Master
2024







Greetings from the West

Dear Brethren.

It is with great pleasure to write to you all once again. We have reached our half way point of the lodge year and may I say we have done that successfully. With the leadership of our Worshipful Master, we have overcome many obstacles and accomplished so much. The strength and comradery of our brethren has shown that this lodge prevails with peace and harmony. I commend you all for your hard work and dedication to the craft of Masonry.

I would like to thank you all for the trust and care you are putting into the lodge. It's beautiful to see our brethren dwell together in peace and harmony. From all of our events, to the degrees, your dedication

has made this lodge what it is. We have many more events and degrees planned for the upcoming quarter and I hope we can continue to show support for our wonderful Master.

To the officers, thank you all for all of your hard work. Our degrees keep getting better and better! To our officers coaches, Wroshipful Master Mike Reyes and Worshipful Master Lito De Vera, we cannot have done this without you! Let us continue to build off of this in our next quarter! I hope you all have a wonderful rest of the year!

On The Level,

Shahen Tarakdzhyan Shahen Tarakdzhyan

Senior Warden



Greetings from the South

Hello Brethren,

As we kick off the third quarter, our lodge is doing great and there's a lot of good stuff coming up. I really hope you all can join in for our events and meetings. It's important because when we all get involved, our lodge gets even better.

Don't forget to save the date for our next stated meeting dinner on July 3, 2024, at 6 PM. It's a great chance for us all to catch up, talk about what's been going on, and plan for what's next.

Let's all work together to make this quarter a really productive and fun one. Looking forward to seeing everyone more and building even stronger ties.

By The Plumb,

Vahe Tarakchyan Vahe Tarakchyan

Junior Warden





Greetings from the Secretary's Desk

Greetings Brethren! As we are preparing for the 2nd part of the year, we are trying out new things. We have many exciting events in the upcoming calendar. We are doing a 1st Degree Conferral at Destiny Lodge #856 located at the Masonic Homes in Covina. We are also exploring a 3rd Degree Conferral in Las Vegas, Nevada in September 2024. We are planning to participate in the Granada Hills Holiday parade in December 2024. Please support these upcoming events.

Congratulations to Brother John Wesley Bozard Jr.; Brother Ronald Ramores; and Brother Eric Yalung for representing Granada Hills Lodge #378 in the Ritual Competition for the 705th Masonic District. They performed the Middle Chamber Lecture. GHL378 appreciates your hard work and dedication. Brother John Wesley Bozard Jr. won the competition. He will perform and compete on the next level. Good Luck Brother John Wesley Bozard Jr.!

iMember 2.0 is being updated. There is the new look on the dashboard. Please see our membership information below. Log on and try out the new iMember 2.0 to familiarize yourself with it.

Fraternally and Sincerely,

Jerrico Mendoza

Jerrico Eric Mendoza, PM

Secretary

Members Report from 07/01/2023 to 6/30/2024

GAINS		LOSSES		MEMBERSHIPS	
Initiated	5	Withdrawls	1	EA Count	7
Passed	2	Suspension NDP	0	FC Count	3
Raised	4	Suspension Trial	0		
Affiliations	5	Expulsion	0		
Affiliations (Out of State)	0	Deaths	1		
Restored to Good Standing	1			Total Master Masons	180
Total Gains	17	Total Losses	2	Total Memberships	190





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JULY BIRTHDAYS

Reynaldo Pajarillo Agojo, III	2-Jul
James Robert Dean	2-Jul
Leomel Rustia Dela Cruz	3-Jul
Sheila Marie Malabanan	4-Jul
Agnes V. Corpus	6-Jul
Albert Raymond Abellanosa	7-Jul
Mark T. Calinog	7-Jul
Joel Buenavista Corpus, PM	8-Jul
Jec Battung	9-Jul
Ralph Knute Shrode, PM	10-Jul
Michael Palenzuela Lim, PM	13-Jul
Peggy Williams	14-Jul
Jagger Galang Sacramento	15-Jul
Joseph Edwardo Malabanan	16-Jul
Daisy Ebronce Torio	16-Jul
David Kenshin Sumida	19-Jul
Iris Vigonte Firaza	21-Jul
Elizabeth Flores	21-Jul
Michelle S. Vasandani	22-Jul
Jolan D Pascua	23-Jul
Edward Donovan Moran	25-Jul
Janet Hardin	27-Jul
Lynnette Amerian-Bogstad	28-Jul
William Allen Johnson	30-Jul
Noelee E. Fox	31-Jul
Benjamin Ignacio Llamas, PM	31-Jul





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AUGUST BIRTHDAYS

John Leroy Jarvie	1-Aug
Sevak Mike Aghavelyan	2-Aug
Florence J. Bogstad	2-Aug
Alvyn Alinea Arrieta	4-Aug
Marie O'Campo	7-Aug
Dolly de Vera	10-Aug
Robert Russell Riggin, PM	13-Aug
Arlene Morales Fedelicio	15-Aug
Joselito Pacheco de Vera, PM	16-Aug
Manuel Gatchalian Briones	19-Aug
Sheldon Jay Johnson	20-Aug
Garabet Tatevossian	20-Aug
Jane Balser	21-Aug
Bona Dea Sales Agojo	25-Aug
Mitchell Allen Tosti	26-Aug
Betty Jane Oglesby	27-Aug
Marx Anzel Acedera Santos	27-Aug
Howard Edwin Falk, Jr.	30-Aug
Robert Bridges	31-Aug
Ian Mamaril Orquiola	31-Aug
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SEPTEMBER BIRTHDAYS

Jerry Lynn Falk	2-Sep
Celso Valdez Cardano, Jr., PM	3-Sep
Miles Logan Robinson, PM	3-Sep
Bradley Randolph Marsh	3-Sep
Maria Theresa De Jesus	4-Sep
Robert Blane R. Gowrie	4-Sep
Roy Brown	6-Sep
Rosemarie Lacsamana	6-Sep
Lani Corpus	8-Sep
Irving Ivan Miranda	ll-Sep
Teofilo D. Sison, Jr.	ll-Sep
Robert Leroy Perkins, PM	14-Sep
Ebradu Garcia Udarbe	14-Sep
Gregory Paul Arias	15-Sep
Thomas Stanislaus Nekala	17-Sep
Rock Lopez Sodusta, PM	17-Sep
Tyrone Enguancho Hernandez	18-Sep
Jan Paul Elemen De Pano	18-Sep
Crisandra Cardano	21-Sep
Pauline Anne Cayetano	22-Sep
Anita Donchin	25-Sep
Brian Flores Talens	27-Sep
Gloria G. Ryan	30-Sep





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"MONTHLY STATED MEETING"

Monthly Stated Meeting is the first Wednesday of every month starting at 7:30pm. Our Stated Dinner starts at 6:00pm. The dinners are open to everyone, including women. These dinners are an opportunity to join in fellowship.

"MASTER MASON OF THE QUARTER, 2ND QTR"

CONGRATULATIONS TO: BROTHER CONRADO "CLIPPER" MONTERO, II

"DINING HALL RENTAL RATES"

- * Members of GHL #378 \$200, Flat Rate
- * Masons from other Lodges \$300, Flat Rate
- * Non-Masons \$200/Hr. with a minimum of 4 hours



MASTER'S CALENDAR

JULY 3, 2024 STATED DINNER @6:00PM STATED MEETING @7:30PM

JULY 10, 2024 1ST DEGREE PRACTICE @7:00PM

JULY 13, 2024

1ST DEGREE CONFERRAL @10:00AM AT THE MASONIC HOMES IN COVINA

JULY 17, 2024

LODGE DEGREE PRACTICE/ QUALIFICATION @7:00PM

JULY 20, 2024

BEACH CLEAN-UP & PICNIC @10:00AM AT TORRANCE BEACH

JULY 21, 2024

GRAND MASTER'S ANNUAL BREAKFAST AT THE HILTON LAX @8:00AM

JULY 24, 2024

DEGREE PRACTICE @7:00PM

JULY 31, 2024

LODGE DEGREE PRACTICE/ QUALIFICATION @7:00PM



AUGUST MASTER'S CALENDAR

AUGUST 7, 2024 STATED DINNER @6:00PM STATED MEETING @7:30PM

AUGUST 14 2024 DEGREE PRACTICE @7:00PM

AUGUST 16-17, 2024 MGM AT MLQ LODGE #874 IN SAN DIEGO

AUGUST 21, 2024 LODGE DEGREE PRACTICE/QUALIFICATION @7:00PM

> AUGUST 23-25, 2024 GHL CAMPING TRIP AT LAKE CACHUMA

> > AUGUST 28, 2024 LODGE IS DARK



SEPTEMBER MASTER'S CALENDAR

SEPTEMBER 4, 2024 STATED DINNER @6:00PM STATED MEETING @7:30PM

SEPTEMBER 11, 2024 DEGREE PRACTICE @7:00PM

SEPTEMBER 18, 2024 DEGREE PRACTICE @7:00PM

SEPTEMBER 20-22, 2024 3RD DEGREE CONFERRAL AT ACACIA LODGE #49 IN LAS VEGAS, NV

> SEPTEMBER 25, 2024 DEGREE PRACTICE @7:00PM



APRIL STATED MEETING WEDNESDAY, 4/3/2024















MASTER & WARDENS RETREAT (ANAHEIM) APRIL 5-7 2024



Make sure you and your fellow officers are positioned for a successful year ahead. The 2024 Leadership Retreats are different from year's past.

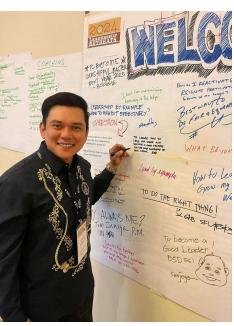
Seasoned members will lead most sessions, and there is ample time planned for you to make new connections, have deep discussions, and learn from one another.









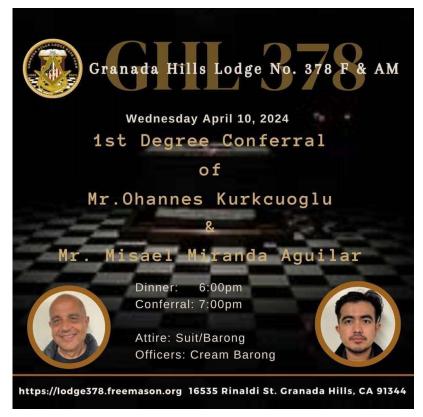




1ST DEGREE CONFERRAL OF MR. OHANNES KURKCUOGLU & MR. MISAEL AGUILAR WEDNESDAY, 4/10/2024











SUPPORTING OUR YOUTH ORDER - DEMOLAY HOLLYWOOD CHAPTER & JOBS DAUGHTERS BETHEL #289 APRIL 12 & 23 2024



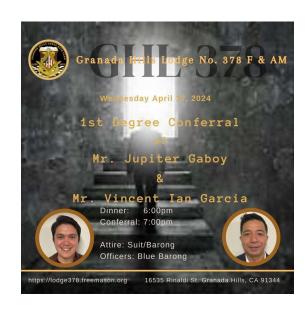








1ST DEGREE CONFERRAL OF MR. JUPITER GABOY & MR. IAN GARCIA WEDNESDAY, 4/17/2024













IN COMMEMORATION OF THE 109TH YEAR OF THE ARMENIAN GENOCIDE-REMEMBERANCE DAY WEDNESDAY, 4/24/2024











SUPPORTING THE 2ND ANNUAL MERCEDES-BENZ CLASSIC CAR SHOW FUNDRAISER TO HELP FIGHT ALZHEMERS SUNDAY, 4/28/2024







2nd Annual Mercedes-Benz Classic Car Show

FUNDRAISER FOR



ALZHEIMER'S (ASSOCIATION

SUNDAY
APRIL 28TH
CAMPUS GROUNDS

Event Schedule
Registration 9:00AM-10:30AM
Judging 10:30AM-11:30AM
Lunch 11:30AM-1:00PM
Award Ceremony 1:00PM-2:00PM

Open to all residents, staff, family, and the community.













MAY STATED MEETING WEDNESDAY, 5/1/2024











GHL #378 GOES TO THE YE OLDE CUP & BALL #880 STATED MEETING AT THE FAMOUS MAGIC CASTLE! SATURDAY, 5/4/2024













MASONIC EDUCATION WITH VW CHARLES CROSS, GRAND TREASURER OF THE GRAND LODGE OF CALIFORNIA WEDNESDAY, 5/15/2024













LA FOOD BANK VOLUNTEERING WEDNESDAY, 5/18/2024



















705TH MASONIC DISTRICT RITUAL COMPETITION WEDNESDAY, 5/29/2024







12TH ANNUAL GOLF TOURNAMENT SATURDAY, 6/1/2024

























JUNE STATED MEETING & BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION OF SISTER CELIA DY WEDNESDAY, 6/5/2024



















3RD DEGREE CONFERRAL OF BRO. KHATCHIK EKIZIAN & BRO. TIGRAN CHIVCHYAN SATURDAY,6/29/2024



















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ID No	Name	Suffix	Year	Lodge
68730	Richard Lorain John, Jr.	PM	1986 & 1989	GHL378
68750	Robert Leroy Perkins	PM	1975	GHL378
68753	Thomas Burl Kiser	PM	1983	GHL378
68781	Robert Russell Riggin	PM	1987	GHL378
68800	Ralph Knute Shrode	PM	1965	GHL378
68829	Michael Angelo Amodei III	PM	1982	GHL378
140723	Bruce Evan Mullin	PM	1989	GHL378
140807	Bruce Turner	PM	1977	GHL378
140829	Bruce L. Ewald	PM	2004, 05, 06	GHL378
152973	Charles Paul Perry	PM	1999	GHL378
154418	Edward Barr	PM	2002	GHL378
198008	George Gil Sanchez	PM	2007 & 2019	GHL378
201133	Salvador D. Olbes	PM	2008 & 2010	GHL378 & SFL343
225411	Restituto B. Corpus	PM	2015 & 2017	GHL378
218891	Michael P Lim	PM	2010	GHL378
214309	Rolan J. Cabalar	PM	2009	GHL378
218892	Raul R. Nadres	PM	2011	GHL378
219490	Celso V. Cardano, Jr	PM	2012, 2020 & 2021	GHL378/ CFS Daylight 866
219543	Emmanuel D. Espiritu	PM	2014	GHL378
322129	Wilhelm B. Adoremos	PM	2013	GHL378
331158	Benjamin I. Llamas	PM	2020	GHL378
342169	Michael A. Reyes	PM	2016	GHL378
348458	Rock L. Sodusta	PM	2018	GHL378

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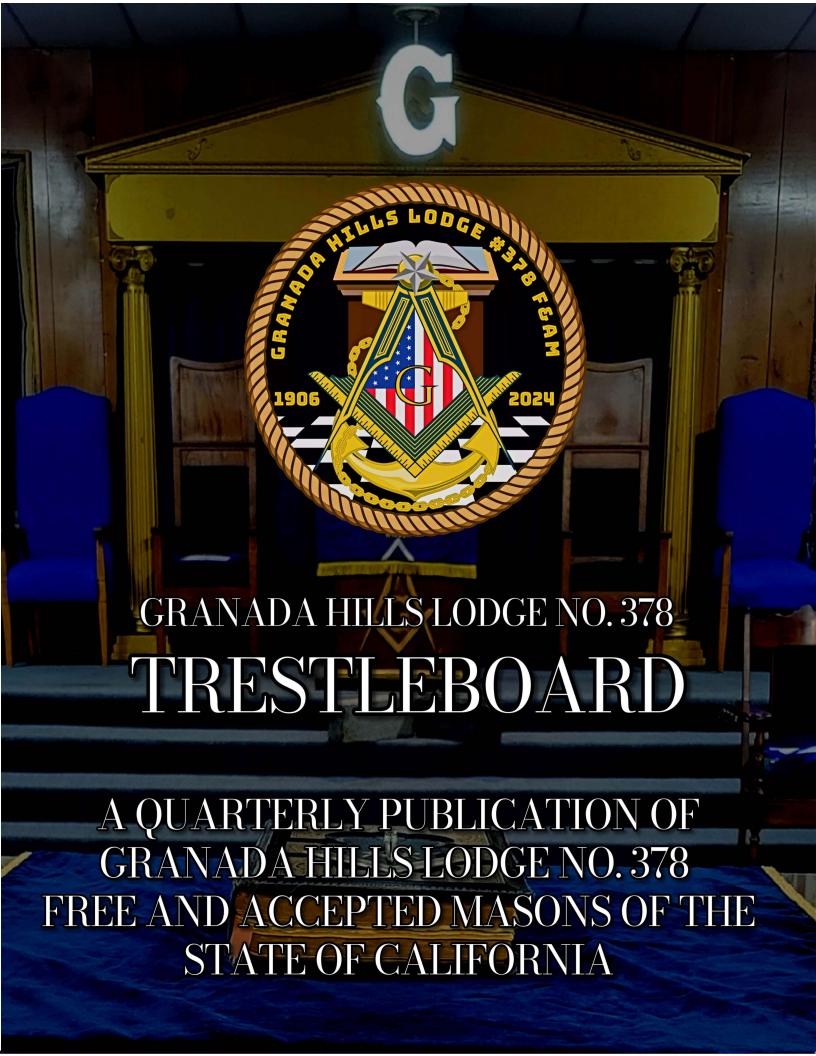
3497	73	Joel B. Corpus	PM	2021	GHL378
3528	50	Jerrico P. Mendoza	PM	2022	GHL378
3604	46	Joselito P. De Vera	PM	2023	GHL378
3567	47	Julio Cesar Ramirez	WM	2024	GHL378
1408	13	Ronald Lee Koretz	PM	1991	Ionic Composite No 520
2037	53	Timoteo D. Zuniga	PM	2020	Greenleaf Garden No. 670
3490	79	Rogelio R. Soriano	PM	2019	CFS Daylight 866
3354	90	Miles L. Robinson	PM	2015	Hesperian 264
3463	85	Daniel E. Acuna	PM	2017	Evergreen Lodge 259



HIRAM AWARDEES



ID NO.	NAMES	SUF- FIX	YEAR	LODGE
140827	DAVID BEATY WOODY	MM	2005	GHLODGE378
198008	GEORGE GIL SANCHEZ	PM	2008	GHLODGE378
140829	BRUCE LOYOLA EWALD	PM	2011	GHLODGE378
218891	MICHAEL PALENZUELA LIM	PM	2012	GHLODGE378
211794	THOMAS KEVIN SHEEHAN	MM	2014	GHLODGE378
220029	JOSELITO HUFANO GAERLAN	MM	2017	GHLODGE378
191073	MANUEL GATCHALIAN BRIONES	MM	2018	GHLODGE378
225411	RESTITUTO B. CORPUS	PM	2019	GHLODGE378
349773	JOEL BUENAVISTA CORPUS	PM	2022	GHLODGE378
342169	MICHAEL ARELLANO REYES	PM	2023	GHLODGE378
346762	JOHN T. SOLETOS	MM	2017	SOCAL RESEARCH NO #105
140813	RONALD LEE KORETZ	PM	2008	IONIC COMPOSITE #520
349079	ROGELIO LOPEZ SORIANO	PM	2018	CFS DAYLIGHT NO. #866
219490	CELSO VALDEZ CARDANO, JR	PM	2022	CFS DAYLIGHT NO. #866









705TH MASONIC DISTRICT GRAND LODGE OF CALIFORNIA