

# The Trestle Board

December 2022

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## Master's Message

Brethren,

Greetings from the East!

We are at the tail end of another awesome masonic year! The pandemic tested us as a fraternity. But brotherly love, care and passion for the fraternity have helped us come out stronger on the other end.

After many degree nights, education nights, travel nights, social nights, dinners, and charitable events - it feels like we are back to business as usual.

I'd like to thank each and every one of you for giving me and the rest of the officer line the opportunity to serve Oriental 20.

My hearty congratulations to the 2023 officer line! We have an incredibly talented and committed officer line and the future looks bright for Oriental 20!

As you celebrate this holiday season, I request you to keep the less fortunate in your prayers, thoughts and action. Merry Christmas, Happy Holidays and have a great 2023!

Fraternally,  
Ragav Gopalan  
Worshipful Master

*Trestle Board articles need to be in by the  
15th of the month.*

*Send articles to [secretary@oriental20.com](mailto:secretary@oriental20.com)*

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## From the West

Brethren,

2022 has been a wild ride and I am looking forward to another eventful year in 2023. I want to thank WM Ragav for leading us this year. Without his initiative and leadership, we wouldn't have accomplished as much as we did. I hope everyone has an amazing Christmas and happy holidays!

Fraternally,

Justin Stevens  
Senior Warden



## From the South

Brethren!

As my time in the South comes to an end and I look to the West, I reflect on the honor you bestowed upon me when you entrusted me as your Junior Warden for the past year. 2022 was a wonderful year for Oriental #20. We put in a lot of work and Initiated, Passed and Raised several new Brothers. In the midst of this work, we enjoyed refreshment and fellowship amongst Brethren through our weekly meals. Thank you all for your regular attendance and participation in both the Lodge and this refreshment. It was a great honor to provide these meals and to facilitate this fellowship. None of this would have been possible without each of you!

As we move into 2023, let's continue this participation and support our new Junior Warden, Br Marc Geyer, during his year in the South. I am so appreciative of my journey into and through Freemasonry thus far and look forward to serving the Lodge as your 2023 Senior Warden. Following WM Elect, Br Justin Stevens, through the line has been an absolute pleasure and I look forward to assisting him during his year in the East.

Happy Holidays to all of you and yours.... See you in 2023!!

Fraternally,

Michael Harris  
Junior Warden



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# Appendant Bodies List

If you are a member of one of these appendant bodies and have not attended for awhile, come on back. You will surely be welcomed. You can reunite with old acquaintances and meet some new ones. So, come on out at the time and dates noted. We would love to see you again.



**MESA STARLIGHT NO. 16**

*Order of the Eastern Star*

**Meets 1st - 3rd Monday at 7:30 p.m.**

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Renee Hurd (480) 861-8081	Secretary



**BAA HANII COURT NO. 9**

*Order of Amaranth*

**Meets 2nd & 4th Friday at 7:30 p.m.**

Mildred McKay (937) 221-9716	Royal Matron
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*International Order of Rainbow for Girls*

**Meets 2nd & 4th Monday at 7:00 p.m.**

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Don Wilson, PM (480) 962-9001	Board Chairman



**BETHEL NO. 13**

*Job's Daughters International*

**Meets 1st & 3rd Fridays at 7:00 p.m.**

Hannah Elgart	Honored Queen
Alexandra Houseman (480) 209-5821	Bethel Guardian



**VALLEY OF THE STARS NO. 62**

*Order of Eastern Star*

**Meets 2nd Wednesday at 1:00 p.m.**

Mickie McKay (480) 221-9716	Worthy Matron
Bill Udell (847) 909-0727	Worthy Patron
	Secretary



**EAST VALLEY LODGE OF PERFECTION**

**AUX**

**Meets 3rd Wednesday at 7:00 p.m.**

Kenneth Von Hopf (480) 252-7249	Venerable Master
	Scribe

**December Anniversaries**

Happy Anniversary.

<u>Name</u>	<u>Raised</u>	<u>Years</u>
Joseph C Leston	12/03/1987	34
Daniel D Ayala,	12/08/2005	16
Gordon Stevenson	12/12/2000	21
Jack M Garrett, PM	12/21/1970	51
Dennis E Haworth	12/29/2001	20

**December Birthdays**

Happy Birthday

<u>Name</u>	<u>Birth Date</u>
Justin R Stevens SW	12/01
Jack M Garrett, PM	12/03
Thomas H Rhodes	12/04
Ray T Samson, III, PM	12/05
Manuel Campana	12/06
Joe A Scarborough, Jr.	12/08
Douglas J Lucas	12/10
Michael L Flynn	12/10
Justin S Ivey, JS	12/13
Thomas P Lewis, PM	12/17
Don E Stanton, PM	12/19
Charles E Daugherty, II	12/19
Edward L Roberts, PM	12/20

**Board of Trustees**  
**Meets the last Monday of the month at 6:30**

<b>Term Expires 2022</b>	<b>Term Expires 2023</b>
Justin Stevens   Michael Harris	Frank Moir   Marc Geyer
<b>Term Expires 2024</b>	
Donald Davis, PM	Neil Nisbet, PM

# December 2022

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
<b>Reminder</b> Lodge dues cards expire December 31st.				1  Apache Lodge # 69 Meeting @ 7 p.m.	2  Bethel 13 JDI Meeting @ 7 p.m.	3  Camelback Lodge #75 Breakfast @ 9 Meeting @ 10 a.m.
	5  Mesa Starlight 16 Meeting @ 7:30 p.m.	6  Oriental Lodge #20 Dinner @ 6 p.m. Stated Meeting @ 7 p.m.	7	8  Apache Lodge # 69 Stated Meeting @ 7 p.m. Dinner @ 6p.m.  York Rite Meeting @ 7:30 p.m.	9  Baa Hanii Court # 9 Meeting @ 7:30 p.m.	10
11	12  Rainbow Assembly 9 Meeting @ 7:00 p.m.	13	14  Valley of the Stars #62 Meeting @ 1 p.m.	15	16  Bethel 13 JDI Meeting @ 7 p.m.	17  Oriental -20 Installation 10 a.m.
18	19  Mesa Starlight 16 Meeting @ 7:30 p.m.	20	21  Scottish Rite Meeting @ 7 p.m. Dinner @ 6 p.m.	22	23	24
25	26  Rainbow Assembly 9 Meeting @ 7:00 p.m.  Oriental 20 Trustee Meeting @ 6:30 p.m.	27	28	29	30	31