

SHINE LIGHT

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**CELEBRATING THE CRAFT
2017**

MAY 20TH 6:00 P.M. - MIDNIGHT

Tune in to watch Bro. John Sayne 32
perform live in Washington D.C.
To see his performance go to
www.scottishrite.org.

**GREENEVILLE LODGE NO. 3
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JOHN WALTER SAYNE - WORSHIPFUL MASTER

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The Worshipful Master's Address

Spring is in the air. This is a busy time for nature and is a busy time for Freemasonry. District meetings are underway after a great Grand Lodge session. Spring Festivals and Reunions are taking place across the Nation. Preparations are being made for the various events during the summer months ahead.

Even though these Masonic events are certainly important, and I strongly encourage you to attend as many as possible, but also remember your family. Family is number one. Without support from family, there is no Freemasonry. The foundation that Freemasonry rests upon is love, and there is no greater love than that of family.

The Upper East Tennessee York Rite Association will be conferring the Council degrees on Saturday, May 20th at Dashielle Lodge in Elizabethton. If you are a member of Cryptic Masonry and have yet to receive the Super Excellent Master degree, this is a great

opportunity to receive this most impressive degree.

The Mountain Top degree will be taking place in July. A Lodge from Spartanburg, South Carolina will be conferring the Master's degree this year. This will be the first-time South Carolina has conferred a Master's degree for the Mountain Top. This is an event that you do not want to miss. More details will be provided soon.

Fraternally,

John Walter Sayne
Worshipful Master



Celebrating The Craft

Celebrating the Craft is an annual web-a-thon event hosted by the Supreme Council of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite of Freemasonry. The event is conducted like a traditional telethon but is broadcast over the internet. Thirty five states make up the Southern Jurisdiction of the Scottish Rite and talented members from the Scottish Rite are selected to perform live during the event.

Brother John Sayne 32^o has been selected to return and perform for his second year in a row. Brother Sayne is a pianist and vocalist from the Valley of Knoxville. His performances will take place during the 8 o'clock hour and the 10 o'clock hour.

Celebrating the Craft primarily about raising money for the Scottish Rite RiteCare Foundation. RiteCare was started in the early 1950's to help children with speech and language disorders. Today clinics all over the United States provide speech therapy to pre-school aged children. East Tennessee has two clinics that provide speech therapy and are located at the University of Tennessee and East Tennessee State University.

Celebrating the Craft also helps raise funds for the immense task of restoring the House of the Temple. The H.O.T. serves as the headquarters for the Supreme Council of the Southern Jurisdiction. It contains the first public library in Washington D.C. and consists of one of the largest and complete collections of Freemasonry. It also holds a very impressive Masonic museum.

Celebrating the Craft is far more than a fundraiser for the Scottish Rite. As the name implies, it is a celebration of Freemasonry. Throughout the 6-hour event, guest speakers discuss all things Masonic.

Celebrating the Craft will take place on May 20, 2017 from 6:00 p.m. – midnight. To watch the event, go to www.scottishrite.org. Please feel free to donate in support of RiteCare.



*John Sayne
Celebrating The Craft
2016*

Greeneville Commandery No. 43



HOLY LAND PILGRIMAGE

\$3,248.38

Funds Raised

\$4,200.00

Funds Needed

LODGE OF SORROW
2017

- Charles Henry Worley

Greeneville York Rite



York Rite Council degrees will be held May 20th in Elizabethton



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Announcements

~ *Greenville Lodge Stated Meeting –
May 2nd @ 7:30 p.m.*

~ *Chapter / Council Stated Meeting –
May 8th @ 7:00 p.m.*

~ *Eastern Star Stated Meeting –
May 11th @ 7:30 p.m.*

~ *Greene County Scottish Rite Club –
May 18th @ 6:30 p.m.*

~ *Commandery Stated Meeting –
May 22nd @ 7:00 p.m.*



*Greenville Lodge No. 3 F. & A. M. now has a Facebook page.
Follow us on Facebook to get updates on events taking place
at the Lodge.*

https://www.facebook.com/groups/1014991715301621/?ref=br_rs

Guiding Light

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Please feel free to submit articles, pictures, news, favorite quotes, ect. This applies to all Bodies that meet at Greenville Lodge No. 3 F. & A. M. Submissions can be sent to the Editor.

All submissions will be reviewed and approved by the Editor before publishing. Having a steady flow of content is crucial for the success of this newsletter. Thank you for your contribution and support.

John Sayne (Editor)

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