

GREENTOP LIGHT

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CHAPTER / COUNCIL
Group Meeting
MOUNTAIN TOP DEGREE

Mountain Top degree
was conferred by the
Scottish Rite A.F.M.
Club from Spartanburg,
South Carolina.

Greenville Lodge No. 3
F. & A. M.
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JOHN WALTER SAYNE - WORSHIPFUL MASTER

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The Worshipful Master's Address

I want to personally thank my Officers and those who assisted with the Mountain Top degree this year. Shortly after South Carolina started the degree, a thunderstorm came directly over the mountain. We moved the degree back to Greeneville Lodge for completion.

I want to thank the Scottish Rite A.F.M Club from Spartanburg, South Carolina for participating in the Mountain Top degree this year and for the beautiful painting of Brother George Washington. I hope that this event will continue to grow. I also want to thank Most Worshipful Grand Master of South Carolina Brother Michael D. Smith for making the trip. Right Worshipful Senior Grand Warden of Tennessee Brother Robert Reed was also in attendance.

On July 8th, Greeneville Lodge hosted the district Chapter / Council group meeting. The Companions welcomed

Most Excellent Grand High Priest Companion Ronald J. Coates and Most Illustrious Grand Master Companion Paul Frederick Richards.

District Deputy Grand High Priest Joe Byrd wants to thank everyone who attended the Chapter / Council Group Meeting and especially thank Companions Royce Peterson, Jim Gosnell, Dwayne Wells, and Doyle Skinner for their efforts in making the picnic a success.

On July 11th, Grand Lecturer, Brother Dewey Cox graded our Lodge at the annual official visit. The Lodge was graded on opening / closing, calling off / on, and the conferral of the first section of a Fellow Craft degree. The three lectures were also communicated.

I was very pleased with our official visit and want to thank the Officers and members who attended. When it comes to proficiency of degree work, I would put our Lodge against any in the State. I

want to thank each of our members for their hard work and dedication.

My inspirational thought for the month of August, just because it rains on your parade does not mean that you cannot take your party somewhere else.

Fraternally,
John Walter Sayne
Worshipful Master



Group Meeting



*Most Excellent Grand High Priest
Ronald Coates*

*Excellent High Priest / Illustrious Master
Dwayne Wells*



*Past Grand High Priest – Michael Lett
Past Grand Master – Dickie Johnson
District Deputy Grand High Priest – Joe Byrd*



*Most Illustrious Grand Master
Paul Richard*

*Secretary / Recorder
Jim Gosnell*



*(Left to right)
Dwayne Wells
John Sayne
Charlie Williams
Doyle Skinner*

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



First three Chapter degrees will be held on August 14th at Greeneville Lodge starting at 6:00 p.m.



Spartanburg A.F.M. Club presenting Greeneville Lodge a portrait of George Washington.

Mountain Top

Even though the Mountain Top was rained out, it was a great day of fun and fellowship. The A. F. M. club from Spartanburg, South Carolina presented Greeneville Lodge with a portrait of George Washington. They have shown interest in coming back to participate in the future. Everyone had a great time at this year's event. Hopefully, next year we will have better weather conditions.



Announcements

~ *Greenville Lodge Stated Meeting –
August 1st @ 7:30 p.m.*

~ *Eastern Star Stated Meeting –
August 10th @ 7:30 p.m.*

~ *Chapter Degrees –
August 14th @ 6:00 p.m.*

~ *Greene County Scottish Rite Club –
August 17th @ 6:30 p.m.*

~ *Commandery Stated Meeting –
August 28th @ 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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