

The Grand Lodge of Texas

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ANCIENT FREE AND ACCEPTED MASONS

January 1, 2014

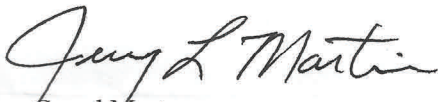
Solidarity Lodge No. 1437
10510 Harwin Drive
Houston, Texas 77036

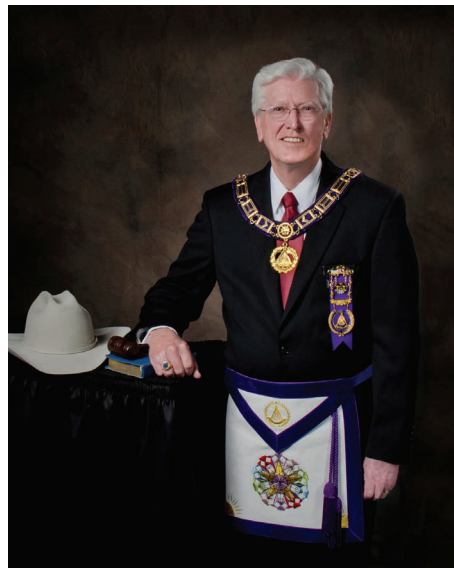
Dear Worshipful Master Hofilena,

On the occasion of the 20th anniversary of Solidarity Lodge No. 1437, I extend my personal congratulations to all the members past and present that have labored hard to make sure your Lodge continues to thrive and grow. When your Lodge was chartered on December 4, 1993 it was a time of excitement, yet probably some apprehensiveness as to whether the brethren could sustain it and make it grow. Twenty years later there can be no doubt of the success of Solidarity Lodge No. 1437. It is a vibrant, active Lodge with many activities to keep the members and family coming to the meetings, and is well known for the excellent meals served at your meetings.

On behalf of the Grand Lodge of Texas, I wish the members of Solidarity Lodge continued growth and best wishes for your future. If I can be of assistance to you in the future, please let me know.

Sincerely and fraternally,


Grand Master



Shrine



Scottish Rite



Grotto



Masonic Lodge



Chapter



Council



Commandery

Masons All



Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite of Freemasonry

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January 8, 2014

Worshipful Brother Weldon Hofilena
Solidarity Lodge No. 1457 A.F. & A. M.
10510 Harwin Drive
Houston, TX 770936

My dear brother Weldon,

First, I would like to thank you for your kind invitation to attend the 20th anniversary celebration of Solidarity Lodge No. 1457. I have consulted with my wife's schedule and we are both able to attend. We are looking forward to the festivities.

Your invitation to this celebration reminds me of the wonderful event where your Lodge worked in conjunction with the Houston Scottish Rite to organize a city wide Blood drive as part of Grand Master Walter Rogers' initiative of The Gift of Life Program. Solidarity Lodge not only did most of the hard work of organizing this event but was the clear winner in the contest to produce the most donors. For the record it was 97 pints. There is no doubt that Solidarity Lodge is an engine of enthusiasm and devotion to Masonic principles that will help our beloved Fraternity meet the challenges of the future.

Congratulations to you, Worshipful Master, and to all the Officers and Members of Solidarity Lodge No. 1457 on your 20th anniversary. In such a short time your Lodge has excelled and set a very high bar for others to follow. Please keep up the great work.



Richard W. Heale, 33°
Chairman and Personal Representative of the SGIG
of the Supreme Council, 33°



Arabia Shrine Center Houston

10510 Harwin Drive, Houston, TX 77036
P. O. Box 420549, Houston, TX 77242-0549
Phone 713.664.3437
Fax 713.664.3439

MESSAGE

2014 Potentate Elect



Solidarity Lodge No. 1457 is celebrating its 20th Anniversary. We are pleased to host their great event in our Arabia Shrine Center at 10510 Harwin Drive. They started 20 years ago in Arabia Shrine/Scottish Rite lodge room located at 2900 North Braeswood and continue to grow and prosper. Solidarity Lodge is very active in our community and is always promoting our Masonic beliefs.

May you continue to prosper and move forward for many years to come.

Fraternally,

L. Don Slayton
2014 Potentate Elect

SOLIDARITY LODGE NO. 1457 A.F. & A.M.

Under The Jurisdiction of The Grand Lodge of Texas A.F. & A.M.

MESSAGE



January 18, 2014

We warmly welcome all our honored guests, brethren, sisters, friends, and supporters to this celebration of Solidarity Lodge No. 1457's 20th anniversary of its constitution as a lodge by the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of Texas.

The past 20 years have seen tremendous growth in lodge membership. From a fledgling lodge of a mere 57 brethren, we have now swelled to 98 strong. Our fraternal activities have also expanded to include: Masonic education, family picnics, fund-raising events, Valentine's Day and Mothers' Day celebrations for our ladies, Golden Trowel Award and Community Builder Award ceremonies, attendance at the Grand Communication in Waco, Christmas Party, and a visit to the Masonic Retirement Center in Arlington, Texas.

Our community-directed efforts have also grown in scale. We continued to hold very successful semi-annual blood drives, where we average 70 units of blood collected each time, and provide refreshment to 500- 700 parishioners for 9 straight days during the *Simbang Gabi* celebration at Notre Dame Catholic Church. Recently, the lodge coordinated a Houston-wide blood drive involving all the 48 lodges within the city, and all the four not-for-profit blood centers in the area. This blood drive attracted 249 donors and yielded 190 units of blood. We also raised funds and gathered relief goods for the victims of the recent devastating earthquake and typhoon in the Philippines.

We realize that we cannot sit on our past laurels as more need to be done. With the enthusiasm and dedication exhibited by the brethren and our ladies, I entertain no doubt that we shall see more years of productive, heart-warming fellowship and fraternal gatherings.

To all those who made this celebration a success, particularly Bro. Rey Climacosa, our Over-all Chairman, I give you my deep appreciation and congratulations.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read 'W. Hofileña', written in a cursive style.

Weldon Q. Hofileña
Worshipful Master





GRAND LODGE
FREE AND ACCEPTED MASONS
OF WASHINGTON

To the Brethren, Ladies and Friends
Solidarity Lodge No.1457
Grand Lodge of Texas, A.F.&A.M.

Godofredo Santy Lascano
Past Grand Master
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To all,

It is a great pleasure and an honor to be given a chance to join in your celebration to commemorate the Constitution of your Lodge in its 20th Anniversary. I congratulate you and I express admiration to the efforts you have in focus to make the event a grand celebration. The respect and honor that you display toward sustaining the high dignity of the existence of your Lodge is commendable and very remarkable. To that I salute each and everyone for your actions.

The Constitution of a lodge should be given utmost dignity and importance. It should be placed in the same level of significance as the charter or warrant of a lodge. The lodge while constituted is the "House Not Made With Hands" where our behavior should be prudentially succeeded. An excerpt from Anderson's Constitution written in 1738:

VI. *Of BE HAVIOUR*, viz.

1. *In the LODGE while CONSTITUTED.*

You are not to hold private Committees, or separate Con-versation, without Leave from the *Master*, nor to talk of any thing impertinent or unseemly, nor interrupt the *Master* or *Wardens*, or any Brother speaking to the *Master* : Nor behave yourself ludicrously or jestingly while the *Lodge* is engaged in what is serious and solemn ; nor use any unbecoming Language upon any Pretence whatsoever ; but to pay due Reverence to your *Master*, *Wardens*, and *Fellows*, and put them to worship.

Again, please accept my appreciation for allowing me to partake in the auspicious event of celebrating the 20th Anniversary of the Constitution of Solidarity Lodge, No.1457 – A.F.& A.M. I look forward to enjoying the feast and fellowship in the celebration and thank you.

Mabuhay, congratulations and Godspeed.

Fraternally,


MWB.G. Santy Lascano
Past Grand Master – 2010 - 2011
Grand Lodge of Washington
Free & Accepted Masons



PROGRAMME

20th Anniversary Dinner- Dance Celebration

Solidarity Lodge No. 1457, A.F. & A.M.

Master of Ceremonies: Bro. Alex V. Lim, P.M./ Bro. Ron Malapitan, P.M.

- I Short Opening Remarks.....Master of Ceremonies
- II National Anthem (Star Spangled Banner).....Solidarity Ladies Choir
- III Invocation.....Bro. Melvyn Jurisprudencia, P.M.
- IV Welcome Address.....W:M: Weldon Hofilena
Worshipful Master, Solidarity Lodge
- V Dinner and Entertainment
- Recognition of Dignitaries and Community Leaders.....Master of Ceremonies
- America the Beautiful.....Solidarity Ladies Choir
- Musical Number.....Ira Perez
- Vocal Rendition.....Surprise Performer
- VI Short Talks
- Genesis of Solidarity Lodge.....Bro. Reynaldo B. Climacosa, P.M.
Over-all Celebration Chairman
- Masonry Transcends the Cultural Divide.....Bro. Lope Lindio, P.M.
- VII Introduction of Guest Speaker..... Master of Ceremonies
- VII Message.....M:W: Jerry L. Martin
Grand Master
Grand Lodge of Texas
- VIII Awards and Recognition.....W:M: W. Hofilena
Bro. Reynaldo B. Climacosa, P.M.
- IX Closing Remarks.....Bro. Gilbert Medrano
Senior Warden, Solidarity Lodge

Public Dance and Entertainment

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20th Anniversary of its Constitution

Arabia Shrine Temple Ballroom
10510 Harwin Drive, Houston, TX 77036

WORKING COMMITTEES

Over-All Coordinator: Rey Climacosa

Celebration Program/MC:

Ron Malapitan - Chairman
Alex Lim - Co-Chairman

Ticket Printing/Control:

Lino de Leon - Chairman
Vic Melgarejo - Co-Chairman
Florante Gaid - Member
Lito Lizarondo - Member
Steve Saulog - Member

Food & Services:

Gilbert Medrano - Chairman
Steve Saulog - Co-Chairman
Jherie Dizon - Member
Jose Aguado - Member
Danny Legaspi - Member

Souvenir Program:

Chairman - Lope Lindio
Co-Chairman - Vic Melgarejo

Gate Control:

Lito Lizarondo - Chairman
Wawa Villa-Real - Co-Chairman
Edith Lizarondo - Member
Ed Gonzales - Member
Maria Luisa Gonzales - Member
Domingo Fernandez - Member
Winston Villa-Real - Member

Reception/Ushers/Usherettes:

Ollie Veloso - Chairman
Eli Aparece - Co-Chairman
All the Ladies - Members

SEPT. 1990
PMAAI CONVENTION
JACKSONVILLE, FLORIDA



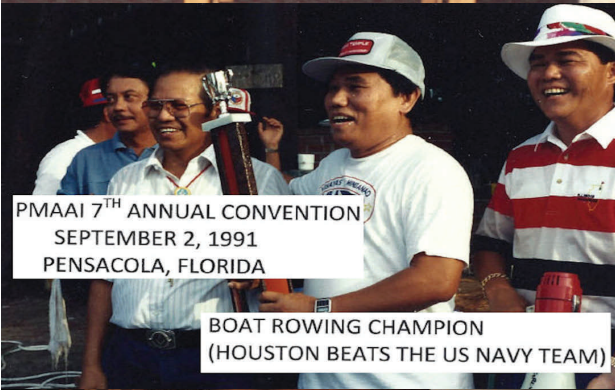
PMAAI CONVENTION
NEW YORK CITY - 1993
Houston Brethren



PMAAI 7TH ANNUAL CONVENTION
SEPTEMBER 2, 1991
PENSACOLA, FLORIDA



PMAAI CONVENTION
NEW JERSEY - 1997
BRO. TONY PERALEZ
IN CLOWN OUTFIT



PMAAI 7TH ANNUAL CONVENTION
SEPTEMBER 2, 1991
PENSACOLA, FLORIDA

BOAT ROWING CHAMPION
(HOUSTON BEATS THE US NAVY TEAM)





ROCKETS FUND RAISING EVENT



Quintana Park Trip



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176th Grand AnComm Waco, Texas 2011





Solidarity Lodge # 1457 A.F. & A.M.

Under The Jurisdiction of The Grand Lodge of Texas A.F. & A.M.

CHARTERED: DECEMBER 4, 1993

CONSTITUTED: JANURARY 4, 1994

Solidarity Lodge was formed by the members of PAMAT who hosted the 8th National Convention of the Phillipine Masonic Association of America on September 4-6, 1992.

Hosting the 8th National Convention was the turning point and the beginning of the formation of Solidarity Lodge No. 1457. We invited many past and present officers of the Grand Lodge of Texas: MW. Jerome Paul Vogel, GM as a guest speaker; RW Tom B. Johnson, DDGM 30B; RW Buddy Baccus, PGM as Keynote Speaker; RW W.P. Lamb, PGM; RW Billy Tinsley, grand Senior Warden, Bro. Tony Allegretti, District Instructor and other Grand Lodge Officers as part of the Grand Master entourages.

We were able to pass the information of our desire to form a Masonic Lodge through RW Buddy Baccus to MW Jerome Vogel. During the Gala Night the Grand Master received our desire to form the lodge and on the spot instructed Bro. Tony Allegretti to assist the PAMAT members under the guidance of RW Tom B. Johnson. The convention was concluded on Sunday, September 6th and on Wednesday 8th we are at Bro. Lope Lindio's Law Office planning to form the Masonic Lodge with Bros. Allegretti and R.A. Ford. The brethren are pondering in naming the lodge. Bro. Lope suggested and everybody agreed to revive the Solidaridad Lodge that was formed by our heroes in Barcelona, Spain. We decided to name Solidarity Lodge in English version.

The first year, in 1993 we applied for "Under Dispensation" (UD) and was approved on December Annual Convention at Waco, Texas. While under "UD" Bro. Allegretti teaches us the esoteric portion ritual of the Grand Lodge of Texas assisted by Bro. Ernie Arriaga.

On December 4, 1993 Solidarity Lodge No. 1457 was chartered at the Annual Convention at Waco, Texas. On January 4, 1994 MW Billy Tinsley, Grand Master of Texas Mason also our charter member, constituted Solidarity Lodge No. 1457, A.F. & A.M. at Houston Scottish Rite Building. Bro. Ernie Arriaga, Charter Master, Bro. Lito Lizarondo, Senior Warden and Reynaldo B. Climacosa, Junior Warden, Bro. Joe Santos, Treasurer, Bro. Jesus Raquitico, Secretary and other appointed officers.

The rest is history.

RW Reynaldo B. Climacosa

Past DDGM Masonic District #30A, MW Grand Lodge of Texas A.F. & A.M.

PM Solidarity Lodge #1457 A.F. & A.M.

PEOPLE & PLACES

Solidarity Lodge 1457 now fully installed

HOUSTON - After eight long years of waiting, the Filipino Masons who called themselves as the Philippine American Masons of Texas (PAMAT) has finally received the charter from the Grand Master of Texas.

It was not until they form the Solidarity Lodge, the word Solidarity having taken from the word La Solidaridad, that the Filipino Masons started working for the installation of the Solidarity Lodge.

Members which

formed the Solidarity Lodge came from the Temple Lodge No. 4 where most of the new Filipino Masons received their membership. Others came from PAMAT and other lodges in Houston.

First, the Solidarity



SOLIDARITY LODGE NO. 1457 received its charter from the Grand Lodge of Texas last January 4 in a ceremony held at the Scottish Rite Temple. Shown are the officers of newly installed Solidarity Lodge. The officers are: Ernesto Arriaga PM, worshipful master; Gerardo H. Lizarondo, senior warden; Reynaldo B. Climacosa, junior warden; Jose J. Santos, treasurer; Jesus S. Raquitico PM, secretary; Felix V. Luchavez, chaplain; Antonio J. Peralez, senior deacon; Mario P. Dipasupil, Jr., junior deacon; Esteban V. Saulog, senior steward; Urbano Yap, junior steward; Mario P. Tecson, marshal; Ronaldo E. Malapitan, master of ceremonies; and Ollie O. Veloso, tiler.

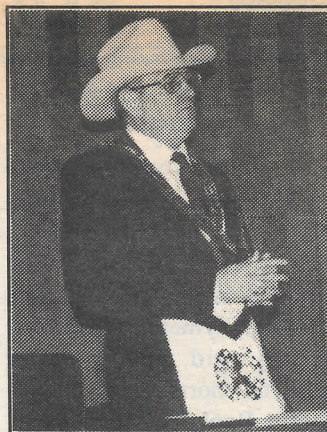
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was given the blessing by the Grand Master to form a lodge.

Solidarity members worked every day of the week trying to comply with the requirements set up by the Grand Lodge of Texas.

It was on a Tuesday, January 4, 1994 that it became a reality. The site of the installation was the Scottish Rite Temple. Members of the newly-installed Solidarity Lodge 1457 were in full attendance including their spouses and guests.

The Grand Lodge of Texas officers headed by Most Worshipful Billy W. Tinsley were in attendance. Other officers of the Grand Lodge are: R.W. Farris L. Benham, deputy grand master; R.W. Robert P. Walker, grand senior warden; R.W. Joseph W. Regian, grand junior warden; R.W. C.C. Barnett, grand treasurer; R.W. James D. Ward, grand secretary; R.W. Alton McMillan, grand chaplain; R.W. David B. Dibrell, grand orator; R.W. Roy J. Sheperd, grand marshal; W. Gerald B. Simpson, grand senior deacon; W. Henry E. David, grand junior deacon; W. W. Vernon Burke, Jr., grand senior steward; W. Stephen F. Cross, grand junior steward; W. Charles W. Briley, grand organist; W. Douglas



M.W. Billy W. Tinsley

Collins, grand photographer; and W. Burnis Covington, grand tiler.

Also in attendance were the 30th district grand masters, namely: 30A Robert B. Partain, Houston #1189; 30B Shearn Smith, Gray 329; 30C Vernon Fulbright, Aldine 1412; 30D John Shields, Tomball 1096; 30E Bobby Wilson, Houston 1299; 30F Collin Martin, Cedar Bayou 321; 30G Henry Knox, Park Place 1172; and 30H Kenneth Fischer, Louie J. Brown 1426.

Also in attendance were: R.W. Dan B. Jordan, 1974; R.W. W.P. Lamb, 1979; R.W. J.D. Buddy Baccus, 1983; R.W. J.P. Vogel, 1992, all past grand masters of the Grand Lodge of Texas.



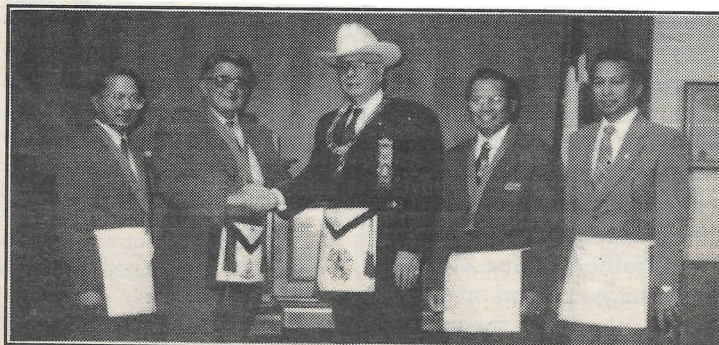
Worshipful Master Ernie Arriaga (left) is shown during his installation as the first head of the Solidarity Lodge 1457

SOLIDARITY LODGE 1457 INSTALLED OFFICERS



Solidarity Lodge No. 1457 A.F. & A.M., chartered on December 4, 1993, the first Masonic Lodge in Texas formed mostly by Filipino Masons. The first newly elected and appointed Lodge Officers were installed last July 30, 1994 at Houston Scottish Rite Temple. The officers are: Seated left to right: Jesus S. Raquitico, secretary; Rey Climacosa, senior warden; Lito H. Lizarondo, worshipful master; Tony Peralez, junior warden; Jose J. Santos, treasurer. Standing left to right: Mario P. Dipasupil, Jr., tiler; Ollie O. Veloso, junior deacon; Felix V. Luchavez, chaplain; Mario P. Tecson, master of ceremonies; Juan Gutierrez, junior steward; Ron. E. Malapitan, senior deacon; Art V. Sarmiento, senior steward; Steve V. Saulog, marshal.

Phil Sentinel - Oct. 1994



DISPENSATION. The Solidarity Masonic Lodge, whose members are mostly Filipinos, recently worked "under dispensation" with R.O. "Bob" Schnell, grand master of the Most Worshipful Lodge of Texas, at the Houston Scottish Rite Temple. From left are Rey Climacosa, junior warden; Ernie Arriaga, worshipful master; Bob Schnell; Lito Lizarondo, senior warden; and Ron Malapitan, master of ceremonies. □

Phil Sentinel - Oct 1-15, 1993

Solidarity Lodge # 1457 A.F. & A.M.

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FOUNDING MEMBERS



**Ernesto E. Ariaga PM
(DECEASED)**



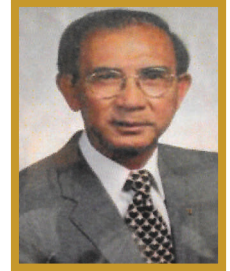
Gerardo H. Lizarondo PM



Reynaldo B. Climacosa PM



Ronaldo E. Malapitan PM



Ollie O. Veloso PM



**Mario P. Tecson PM
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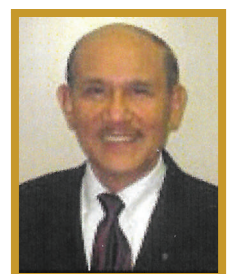
Jose J. Santos PM



Esteban V. Saulog PM



Lope G. Lindio PM



Eleno P. De Leon PM



Alejandro V. Lim Jr. PM



Mario P. Dipasupil, Jr. PM



**Jesus Raquitico PM
(DECEASED)**



Florante Gaid



**Bibiano Arzadon
(DECEASED)**



**R.A. Ford
(DECEASED)**



**Tony Allegriti
(DECEASED)**



Tom B. Thompson



Estanislao Ontoy



Urbano Yap

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CHARTER OFFICERS MASONIC YEAR 1993-1994

Ernesto E. Arriaga
Worshipful Master

Gerardo H. Lizarondo
Senior Warden

Reynaldo B. Climacosa
Junior Warden

Jose J. Santos
Treasurer

Jesus S. Raquitico PM
Secretary

Felix V. Luchavez
Chaplain

Antonio J. Perez
Senior Deacon

Mario P. Dipasupil Jr.
Junior Deacon

Esteban V. Saulog
Senior Steward

Urbano Yap
Junior Steward

Mario P. Tecson
Marshall

Ronaldo E. Malapitan
Master of Ceremony

Ollie O. Veloso
Tiler

CHARTER MEMBERS

ALBANO, PRIMO	CEBU LODGE NO. 128	CESSFORD, CURTIS G.	TEMPLE LODGE NO. 4
	PHILIPPINES	(DECEASED)	HOUSTON, TX
ALCALEN, ELADIETO	TEMPLE LODGE NO. 4	CLIMACOSA, REYNALDO B.	ST. JOHN-CORREGIDOR # 3
	HOUSTON, TX		PHILIPPINES
ALLEN, HERBERT L., PM	WEST UNIV. LODGE NO. 1292	DAGDAYAN, ROMEO N., PM	JOSE RIZAL LODGE NO.1172
(DECEASED)	HOUSTON, TX		NEW YORK CITY, NY
ALMIRA, CARLO H.	JOSE RIZAL LODGE NO.1172	DE LEON, ELENO P.	SAIGON LODGE NO. 188
	NEW YORK CITY, NY		PHILIPPINES
AQUINO, JOSE LORETO E.	JOSE RIZAL LODGE NO.1172	DE VERA, FAUSTO C.	JOSE RIZAL LODGE NO.1172
	NEW YORK CITY, NY		NEW YORK CITY, NY
ARANAS, AGPANGULO P.	TEMPLE LODGE NO. 4	DIPASUPIL, MARIO P. JR.	LINCOLN LODGE NO.34
	HOUSTON, TX		PHILIPPINES
ARELLANO, TOLENTINO G., PM	GONZAGA LODGE NO. 66	EVERS,"PODS" ALBERT C., PM	SO. HOUSTON LODGE # 1295
(DECEASED)	PHILIPPINES	(DECEASED)	HOUSTON, TX
ARRIAGA, ERNESTO E., PM	J.W. CHANDLER LODGE 1452	FARAON, DANILO , PM	JOSE RIZAL LODGE NO.1172
(DECEASED)	HOUSTON, TX		NEW YORK CITY, NY
ARZADON, BIBIANO B.	TEMPLE LODGE NO. 4	FELICIANO, AUGUST D.	TEMPLE LODGE NO. 4
(DECEASED)	HOUSTON, TX	(DECEASED)	HOUSTON, TX
BACCUS, J.D. BUDDY (PGM-83)	PARK PLACE LODGE # 1172	FILIPOVICH, ALEX , PM	S.P. WALTRIP LODGE # 1328
(DECEASED)	HOUSTON, TX		HOUSTON, TX
BACON, JAMES ROBERT	MEMORIAL LODGE NO. 1298	FLORES, ROBERTO J.	TEMPLE LODGE NO. 4
	HOUSTON, TX		HOUSTON, TX
BONOAN, JOSE M.	JOSE RIZAL LODGE NO.1172	FORD, R. A. , PM	J.W. CHANDLER LODGE 1452
	NEW YORK CITY, NY	(DECEASED)	HOUSTON, TX
BOWEN, KEITH WAYNE	TEMPLE LODGE NO. 4	GAID, FLORANTE A.	TEMPLE LODGE NO. 4
	HOUSTON, TX		HOUSTON, TX
CALUYA, LORETO B.	LEBANON-PACIFIC # 136	GALLARDO, GADDIEL C.	JOSE RIZAL LODGE NO.1172
	CALIFORNIA		NEW YORK CITY, NY
CAPACETE, DANIEL B.	MILAM LODGE NO. 2	GIBSON, MORGAN K.	PARK PLACE LODGE # 1172
	NACOGDOCHES, TX	(DECEASED)	HOUSTON, TX
CATELO, FELINO A.	JOSE RIZAL LODGE NO.1172	GRINER, IVAN G.	ALBERT J. DeLANGE # 1403
	NEW YORK CITY, NY	(DECEASED)	HOUSTON, TX

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FOUNDING OFFICERS & MEMBERS

CHARTER MEMBERS (continuation)

IRIBERRI, ALFONSO A., PM	JOSE RIZAL LODGE NO.1172	RAMOS, EPAFRODITO JOHN,JR.	MILAM LODGE NO. 2
	NEW YORK CITY, NY		NACOGDOCHES, TX
JOHNSON, THOMAS B., PM	TEMPLE LODGE NO. 4	RAMOS, MANUEL "BULL"	TEMPLE LODGE NO. 4
	HOUSTON, TX	(DECEASED)	HOUSTON, TX
KNOX,HENRY A.,JR.(DDGM 30-G)	PARK PLACE LODGE # 1172	RAQUITICO, JESUS S., PM	ISAROG LODGE NO. 33
(DECEASED)	HOUSTON, TX	(DECEASED)	PHILIPPINES
LAGERA, GLENN R.	TEMPLE LODGE NO. 4	RHODES, HARVEY WAYNE	TEMPLE LODGE NO. 4
	HOUSTON, TX		HOUSTON, TX
LAMB, WILLIAM PATRICK (PGM-79)	CEDAR BAYOU LODGE # 321	SANTOS, JOSE J.	MAGAT LODGE NO. 68
(DECEASED)	BAYTOWN, TX		PHILIPPINES
LIM. ALEJANDRO V. JR.	TIGBAUAN LODGE NO. 229	SARGENT, DONALD C.	GRAY LODGE NO. 329
	PHILIPPINES		HOUSTON, TX
LINDIO, LOPE GOODWIN	WEST IRVING BLAIR # 271	SARMIENTO, ROMULO H., PM	OWENS LODGE NO. 164
	ILLINOIS	(DECEASED)	VIRGINIA
LINGAN, GENCY U.	TEMPLE LODGE NO. 4	SAULOG, ESTEBAN V.	TAGAYTAY LODGE NO. 158
	HOUSTON, TX		PHILIPPINES
LIZARONDO, GERARDO H.	TEMPLE LODGE NO. 4	SHAFFER, RICHARD H., PM	SO. HOUSTON LODGE # 1295
	HOUSTON, TX		HOUSTON, TX
LUCHAVEZ, FELIX V.	MATI AURORA LODGE 190	TALUSAN, RICARDO G., PM	JOSE RIZAL LODGE NO.1172
	PHILIPPINES		NEW YORK CITY, NY
MAKRIS, MICHAEL	EASTWOOD LODGE NO. 1383	TECSON, MARIO P.	ISAROG LODGE NO. 33
(DECEASED)	HOUSTON, TX	(DECEASED)	PHILIPPINES
MALAPITAN, RONALDO E.	GROVE LODGE NO. 824	TEEL, THOMAS E.	J.H. GURLEY LODGE NO. 337
	ILLINOIS		WACO, TX
MATELA, BARTOLOME O.	JOSE RIZAL LODGE NO.1172	TINSLEY, BILLY W. (GM-1994)	HOUSTON LODGE NO. 1189
	NEW YORK CITY, NY	(DECEASED)	HOUSTON, TX
MATHIS, KENNETH G., PM	ARCHIVES LODGE NO. 1399	USITA, EDWARD	JOSE RIZAL LODGE NO.1172
	PASADENA, TX		NEW YORK CITY, NY
MOORE, MICHAEL W.	BELLAIRE LODGE NO. 1336	VALLEJOS, WILFREDO C., PM	MEMORIAL LODGE NO. 192
	HOUSTON, TX		PHILIPPINES
NAVARRO, FRANCISCO B.,PM	JOSE RIZAL LODGE NO.1172	VELOSO, OLLIE O.	WINTER HARBOR LODGE 192
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Awarded
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(DECEASED)



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Awarded
June 16, 2001



Mario Tecson Sr. PM
Awarded
February 2, 2004
(DECEASED)



Rey Climacosa PM
Awarded
April 22, 2005



Lito Lizarondo PM
Awarded
June 23, 2006



Ron Malapitan PM
Awarded
June 21, 2013

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CERTIFICATE OF APPRECIATION

This certificate is awarded to

Solidarity Masonic Lodge #1457 of District 30A

In recognition of being the top Lodge with 139 blood donors

District Wide Blood Drive held Saturday, November 23, 2013



R. Heale
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Chairman of the Houston Scottish Rite Bodies

Dec 19, 2013
Presented

Award of Achievement

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of

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**For Outstanding Performance in Opening and Closing Lodge
And Proper Reception and Introduction of the District Deputy Grand Master.**

Signed this 8th day of June, A.D. 2013, A.L. 6013.



Walter A. Rogers
Grand Master

Solidarity Lodge # 1457 A.F. & A.M.

Under The Jurisdiction of The Grand Lodge of Texas A.F. & A.M.

PAST MASTERS



Ernesto E. Ariaga (RIP)
1993-1994
(CHARTER MASTER)



Gerardo H. Lizarondo
1994 - 1995
(FIRST ELECTED WM)



Reynaldo B. Climacosa
1995 - 1996



Antonio J. Perez
1997 - 1998



Ronaldo E. Malapitan
1997 - 1998



Ollie O. Veloso
1998 - 1999



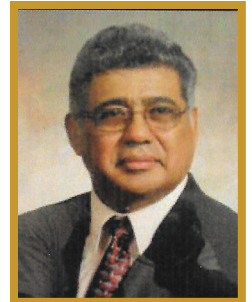
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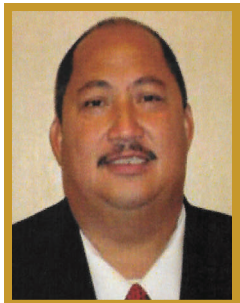
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2001 - 2002



S. Juan Gutierrez
2002 - 2003



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2003 - 2004



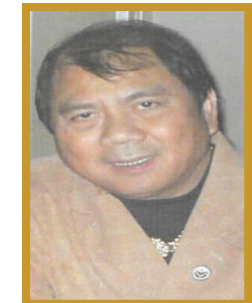
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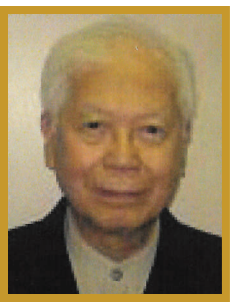
Mario P. Dipasupil, Jr.
2005 - 2006



Lope G. Lindio
2006 - 2007



Estanislao Suerte
2007 - 2008



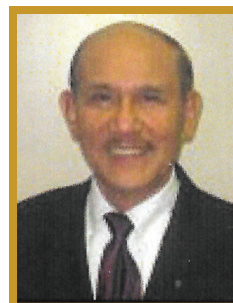
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2008 - 2009
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Lito P. Tolentino
2009 - 2010



Federico Tecson
2010 - 2011



Eleno P. De Leon
2011 - 2012



Eleazar Aparez
2012 - 2013

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Worshipful Master



Gerardo B. Dizon
Junior Warden



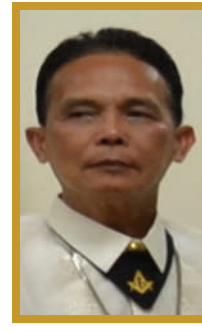
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Junior Deacon



Jose L. Aguado
Senior Steward



Vicente B. Melgarejo
Junior Steward



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Chaplain



Edgardo Gonzales
Marshall



Joven J. Villanueva
Master of Ceremony



Lorenzo Perez
Musician



Ponciano M. Perez
Tiler

**IN MASONRY, IT'S NOT ABOUT THE LAST 20 YEARS
IT'S ABOUT THE NEXT 20 YEARS MORE... !!!!**

Lito Lizarondo, PM & Sis Edith and Family



TWO DECADES OF SOLIDARITY,
A LIFETIME OF BROTHERHOOD.
HAPPY 20TH ANNIVERSARY TO
SOLIDARITY LODGE #1457
MAY GOD BLESS US WITH ANOTHER
20 YEARS.

From the Lizarondo Family

Bro. Lito and Sis Edith

Children: Gerard, Lydia, Jennifer and Joe

Grandbabies: Christian, Jonathan, Camryn, Joe Jr., & Kaitlyn



We are forever grateful to our Supporters

and

Friends of Solidarity Lodge No. 1457 A.F. & A.M.

“MABUHAY”!!!

Rey Climacosa, PM & Sis Guen and Family



NEVER REALLY NOTICED IT HAS GONE THAT 20 YEARS LONG
ALREADY.... I MAY HAVE JUST GOTTEN LOST IN JUST BEING A MASON!

Ron Malapitan, PM & Sis Emer



IT HAS BEEN A GOOD 20 YEARS SO FAR
LET'S KEEP GOING FOR THE NEXT 20 YEARS MORE, AND BEYOND.

Ollie Veloso, PM & Sis Medy and Family





Joy and Love in the New Year!

*Love, the Tecsons and Arriolas
(We love you Mom and Dad!)*



1994

Solidarity is a Family Lodge and
that is how I like it.

Esteban "Steve" V. Saulog, PM
&
Sis Gloria and Family

2014



IT HAS BEEN A GOOD 20 YEARS SO FAR

LET'S KEEP GOING FOR THE NEXT

20 YEARS MORE, AND BEYOND.

Santiago Juan Gutierrez, PM & SIS Rosa Maria



*Twenty wonderful years of spreading the
Tenets of brotherly love, relief and truth!
Alex V. Lim Jr., PM & Sis Eleanor and Family*



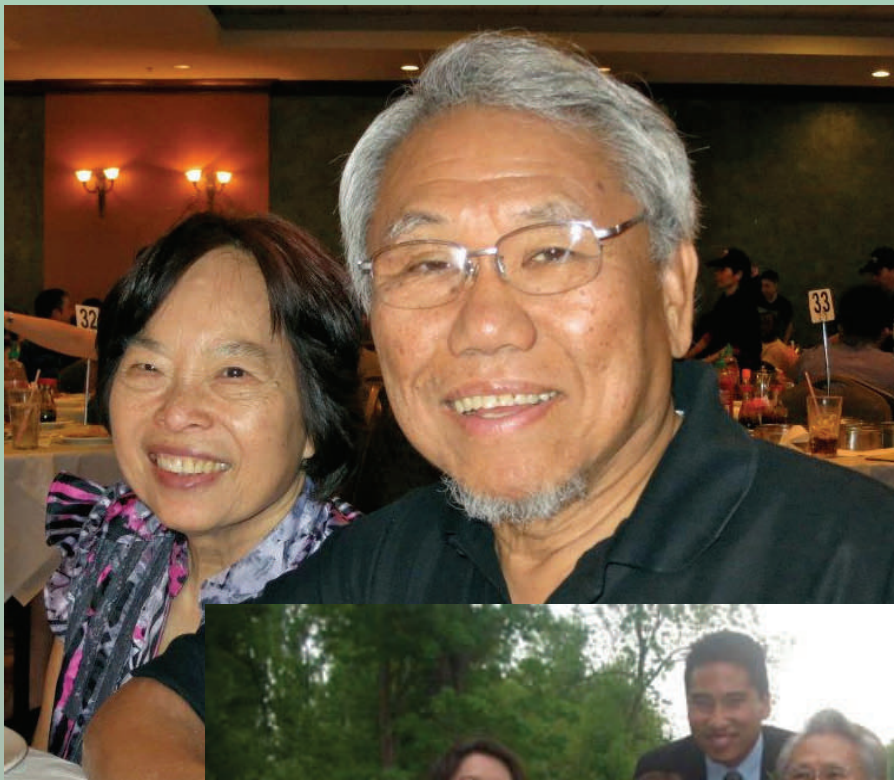
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WHAT MORE CAN I ASK?*

William "Wawa" M. Villa-Real, PM & Family

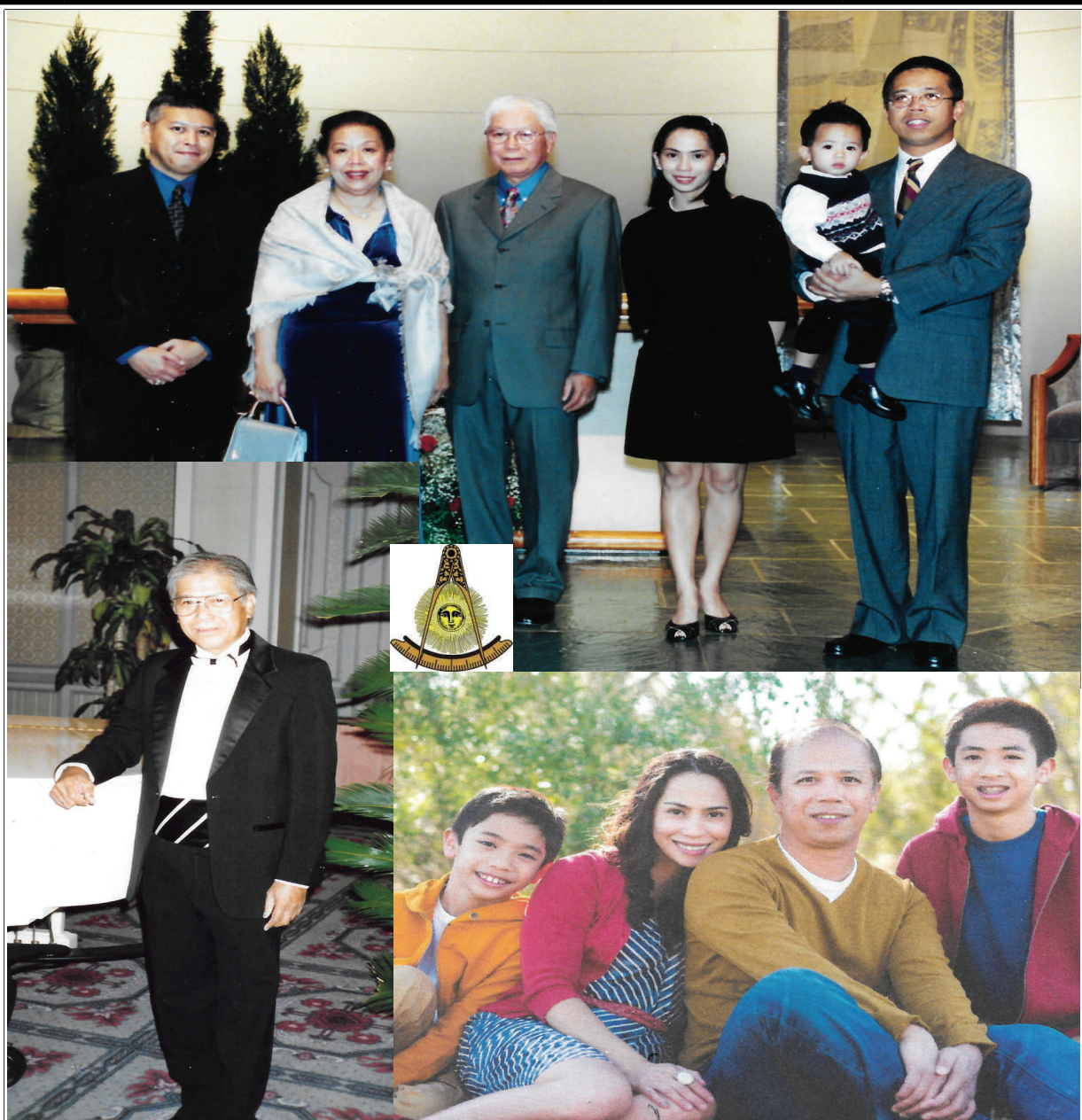


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MASON!***

Lope Lindio, PM & Sis Aurora and Family



We shared wonderful years together!



Happy 20th Anniversary to Solidarity Lodge 1457



Federico T. Tecson, PM and family

(Son-in-law Patrick, Daughter Elinore, Sis. Leonora, Grandson Oliver, Granddaughter Elena, WB Federico, Daughter Sheila, and Daughter Imelda)



**THANK YOU SO MUCH TO OUR VIETNAMESE, FILIPINO AND AMERICAN
FRIENDS FOR YOUR SUPPORT THIS PAST 20 YEARS. HOPE FOR YOUR
CONTINUED SUPPORT TO OUR LODGE FOR 2 MORE DECADES AND BEYOND.**

Eleneo De Leon, PM & Sis Mary and Family



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Eleazar Aparece, PM & Sis Linda and Family



Way to go Solidarity. I knew you could do it. What a trip.

J. Robert Bacon, PM





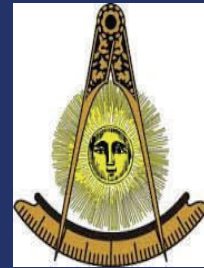
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Melvyn-S-Jurisprudencia PM & Sis Elnia and Family



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Cipriano Sta. Rosa , PM & Sis Emma



WHAT A GREAT 20 YEARS OF BROTHERHOOD !!!



Bro. John & Sis Emy Del Rosario
&
Daughters Katrina , Alyssa and Angela

THANKS FOR 20 YEARS OF GREAT MEMORIES!!!

Taning Suerte, PM & Family



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***A WARM INCLUSIVE FAMILY IN MASONRY ...THE LAST 20
YEARS***

WHAT MORE CAN I ASK?

James Tupaz, PM & Sis Sandra and Family



*" There are in the end three things that last: Faith, Hope and Love, and the
greatest of these is Love."
I Corinthians 13:*

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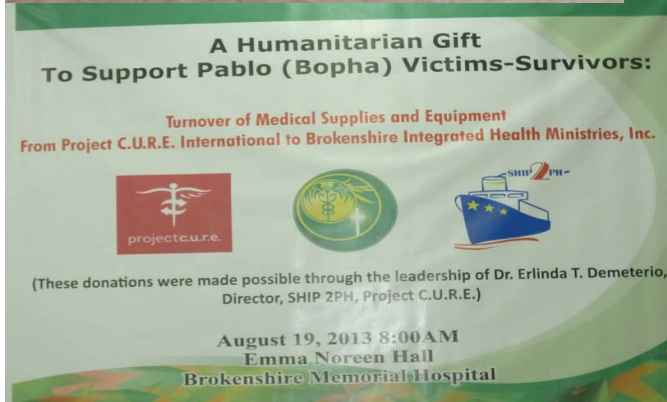
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WE'RE GETTING ON FOR MORE YEARS TO COME

JEF DEMETERIO, PM& SIS ERLINDA



SOLIDARITY LODGE # 1457

FREEMASONRY

WHAT IS A MASON?

MASON is a MAN and a BROTHER whose TRUST is in GOD. He meets you on the LEVEL and acts upon the SQUARE. Truth is his COMPASS and he is ever PLUMB. He has a true GRIP on all that is is loyal to his ORDER and whatever his DEGREE he is MASTER of himself. In the LODGE of Life he wears unstained the white LAMBSKIN of Innocence. From his INITIATION as an ENTERED APPRENTICE he travels ever EAST toward the LIGHT of WISDOM until he receives the final-the DIVINE PASSWORD that admits him into the INEF-FABLE PRESENCE OF THE ETERNAL SUPREME GRAND MASTER OF THE UNIVERSE

GOD

WHAT MASONRY IS

It is a voluntary association of men.
It is a system of moral conduct.
It is a way of life.
It is a fraternal society.
It is religious in character.
It is a pursuit of excellence.
It seeks to make good men better men.
It teaches morality through symbolism.
It uses rites and ceremonies to instruct its members.
It is based on a firm belief in the Fatherhood of
The Brotherhood of men, and the immortality of
the soul.

WHAT MASONRY IS NOT

It does not solicit members
It is not an insurance or benefit society.
It is neither a religion nor a creed, nor a religious order.
It is not a charitable organization but makes a charity a duty.
It is not organized for profit.
It dictates to no man as to his beliefs, either religious or
secular,
It seeks no advantages for its members through business or
politics.
It is not a forum for discussion of religion, politics or other
partisan affairs.
It is not a secret society as it does not conceal its existence or
purposes.

SOLIDARITY LODGE # 1457

FREEMASONRY

A REAL MASONIS A MAN WHO TRUTHFULLY AND LOYALLY LIVES UP TO HIS OBLIGATION

My Brother, Masonry means more than just to wear a pin,
or carrying a dues receipt so the Lodge will let you in.

You wear an emblem on your coat, and on your hand a ring.
But if you're not sincere at heart this doesn't mean a thing.

It's just an outward sign to how the world that you belong
To this Fraternal Brotherhood that teaches right from wrong.

What really counts lies buried deep within the human breast;
Masonic teaching brings it puts it to the test.

If you can do outside the Lodge the things you learn within,
Be just and upright to yourself and to yourself and to your fellow men;

Console a Brother when he's sick, or help him when in need
Without a thought of reward for any act of deed.

Conduct yourself in such a way the world without can see
None but the best can meet the test laid down by Masonry.

Respect and live up to your trust and do the best you can;
Then you can tell the world you are a Mason and a Man.

BY Brother Frank F. Maer

PHILIPPINE MASONRY DURING THE AMERICAN REGIME

MASONRY is a fraternity anchored on religious tolerance and love and understanding amongst people of different nationalities, religious and politics.

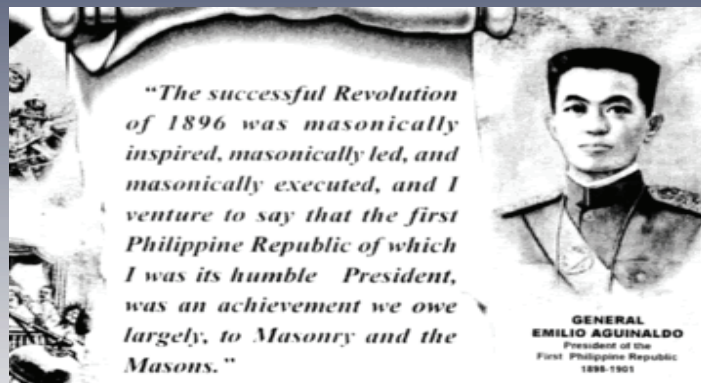
That was not the case with Philippine Masonry during the early days of the American regime. "There was a wide disparity between teaching and practice," wrote Reynold Fajardo in *Cable-tow*, the official organ of the Grand Lodge of the Philippines, referring to the fraternity in the Philippines at that time. Continued Fajardo:

"Two serious stumbling blocks prevented complete harmony: the matter of recognition and non-recognition among the Grand Masonic jurisdiction and racism..."

Racial Prejudice

But it was racism that gave Philippine masonry a black eye. American Masonic lodges closed their doors to Filipinos. The only Filipino admitted to an American lodge was Manuel Camus, of Spanish extraction, because he looked like an American. But that American lodge must have made Camus squirm because for over half a century it distained to accept another Filipino as member. Only the right to visitation was conceded to Filipino Masons, but even that was stopped after five years.

On the entry of Filipinos to the American Lodge, Milton Earl Springer, a leading American Mason of that day commented: "this would make American and all other English-speaking Masons subservient to a dark race, which I am sure would not be harmonious or tend towards the betterment of all concerned." The foreign lodges at the time were mutually suspicious and antagonistic, although all united in despising the Prince Hall Lodge of American blacks.



The Philippines then were under several masonic jurisdictions, contrary to the established organizational set up of the fraternity. Eventually, the American Masons began working for their own independent masonic authority. They wanted to put up their own governing body, which they called the Grand Lodge of the Philippine Islands. They succeeded beyond their wildest dreams. In four years, no fewer than 77 Grand Lodges the world over recognized the American organized Lodge.

Rivalry

Thus, the fledgling masonry in the country, with a membership of roughly 2,000 had two Grand Lodges—one run by Americans and another run by Filipinos.

There were, of course, other nominal Grand Lodges, the French, Portuguese, the Spanish but they were all dying or dead.

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And the rules said that no other lodge can be erected in the jurisdiction of another.

What's more, the American Masons, being foreigners and vastly outnumbered by their Filipino "brothers" had no right to represent the local masonic movement.

The blame for the failure of Filipino Masons to protect their jurisdiction was Felipe Buencamino, then the Grand Master of the Philippine Regional Grand Lodge, to which most Filipino Masons belonged. A true-blue, if not thick skinned *Americanista*, Buencamino allowed the American Masons to ride roughshod over their Filipino "brother" during his entire two terms as head of the Filipino Grand Lodge because, according to him, "I am an American and all the money in the Philippines, the air, the light and the sun I consider American." Everything except his dirt-brown skin.

The Pendulum Syndrome

Actually, the Filipino Mason's case was not that strong, as their Grand Lodge existed as an affiliate of the *Gran Oriente Espanol*. But with vigorous leadership, the Americans who had even less right could have been stopped.

But Buencamino would not lift a finger, Buencamino's inaction produced an equal and opposite reaction from the incoming Grand Master,

"...We must march in the vanguard, where our honor and responsibility demand that we be. Bear in mind that we Filipinos are the only ones responsible for the future of Philippine Masonry."

Teodoro M. Kalaw, young, fearless, and intensely nationalistic. He vowed to assert the right of the Filipino Grand Lodge even as he challenged his brother Masons to join him in the fight to establish an independent Filipino masonic body.

Said Kalaw:

"...We must march in the vanguard, where our honor and responsibility demand that we be. Bear in mind that we Filipino Masons are the only ones responsible for the future of Philippine Masonry, which is flesh of our flesh and life of our life."

The new Grand Master lost no time in calling for a general assemble of all master Masons to discuss "so serious and so fundamental an issues." Over 300 Filipino Master Masons attended. The charismatic Resident Commissioner to the United States Manuel L. Quezon, was there. The atmosphere of that assembly was electric with a new sense of direction and vibrant nationalism.

Two significant decisions came out of that meeting. The first was to protest the formation of the American Grand Lodge and the second: to convert the Philippine Grand Lodge into an independent masonic body. Both decisions revealed the nationalistic fervor of the Filipino Masons under the leadership of Kalaw.

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SIGNIFICANT DECISION

Subsequently, a formal protest was sent to all the Grand Lodges of the world through the Gran Oriente Espanol. The American Grand Lodge in the Philippines promptly responded, pointing out that its formation had broken no masonic law. It adverted to the existence of several Grand Lodges in the Philippines such as those Germans, the French, the Portuguese, the Scots and the Spaniards. If the Filipino Grand Lodge didn't question the formation of those Grand Lodges, why should it now question the establishment of the American Grand Lodge?

The answer was simple: the Grand Lodges they mentioned had been formed ahead of the Filipino Grand Lodge—unlike the American. Besides, except for the Filipino and American Grand Lodges, the others existed only in name. so, why flog a dead horse?

Knowing the Ameri-

cans would be obstinate, Kalaw shifted his strategy. He now wanted to cut the umbilical cord that still connected the Filipino Grand Lodge with the Gran Oriente Espanol. In other words, he wanted an independent masonic body to govern Philippine masonry.

To achieve his goal, Kalaw reorganized his regional Grand Lodge into Grand National Lodge, whose constitution was patterned after the Grand Lodges in America. He then wrote to Miguel Morayta, head of the Gran Oriente to ask for a full masonic emancipation, which would enable him to deal promptly and effectively with all the issues vis-a-vis the American Grand Lodge.

MASONIC EMANCIPATION

Morayta wavered and procrastinated. Kalaw knew that, under Masonic law, he could form a Grand Lodge without *Gran Oriente's* permission, but he chose to be diplomatic in deference to old man Morayta, a key figure in the Philippine revolution. Unfortunately, Morayta, now 81, denied Kalaw's request.

Morayta intimidated that he wanted to preserve the bond between Spanish and Filipino Masons.

Meanwhile the American Masons in the Philippines were beginning to see the light, and began to entertain the idea that, perhaps, Filipino Masons were "worthy brothers," after all.

Consequently, the American lodges began accepting Filipinos on a highly selective basis—mostly graduates from

American Universities. And that's when they discovered that Filipinos didn't have tails, that they've got brains. In 1916, American lodges finally opened up their doors to Filipinos. But that didn't appease Kalaw who dismissed the new openness as a ploy to the American Masons to keep their Grand Lodge.

But the momentum for a united Philippine masonry had already started. The idea of fusing the American and Filipino Grand Lodges began to preoccupy the minds of some American and Filipino Masons. The new Governor General Francis Burton Harrison, favored it. So did Quezon, who was now Senate President. With Harrison, the highest American official in the country, and Quezon, the highest Filipino official in the land, behind idea, the fusion became a foregone conclusion.

The Move for Unity

To Harrison belongs the credit for having broken down the racial prejudice of the American Masons towards their Filipino "brothers." Upon joining the Scottish Rite, Harrison said he preferred to stay with an organization composed only of Filipinos, rather than one composed only of Americans.

In a speech at the American Masonic Temple on the Escolta, Harrison said:

"...But I cannot impress upon you too deeply the fact that this temple was not built for American Masons alone. There are no such things as American Masons and Filipino Masons—



MW Teodoro M. Kalaw Sr.

Grand Master
Masonic Year 1928

Filipinos, agreed to unite they were quite divided on which Grand Lodge to unite under. It was what Kalaw feared most: a conflict among Filipino Masons themselves.

Desperate, Kalaw wrote the *Gran Oriente* once again. This time, he set a deadline: February of 1917. He warned that delay could be "fatal" to his cause. "Should we be disappointed," Kalaw emphasized, "I sincerely regret to inform you that I decline any and all responsibility as to the consequences." That sounded like blackmail, but Kalaw was only trying to warn him of the alternative of secession from *Gran Oriente*.

Less than a month before the deadline, Morayta died. The Filipino Masons under the Regional Grand Lodge promptly considered themselves independent of the Gran Oriente. A little later, the *Gran Oriente*.

More Problems

Filipino Masons, led by Kalaw and Quezon had already decided to go on with the fusion as recommended by the joint committee from both.

*We thank the good Lord for all the
Blessings and grace that has been showered
Upon us and look forward to another
Exciting 20 years.*

*Weldon Q. Hofileña
Worshipful Master Masonic Year 2013-2014
Solidarity Lodge #1457 A.F. & A.M.*

&

Sis Djanine and Family



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*With All The Blessings To
The 20th Year Anniversary*

Bro Gilbert Medrano & Sis Myrna and Family



*THANKS FOR 20 YEARS OF
GREAT MEMORIES!!!*



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Bro Jherie Dizon and Sis Lisa Family

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WE'RE GETTING ON FOR MORE YEARS TO COME

Bro Leo & Sis Angelina and Family





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Bro Florante Gaid & Sis Elsie



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Greetings from the Holy St. John of Jerusalem.
We could not have reached 20 years if we were not solid.
That is why we are called, 'Solidarity'.
Happy 20 years anniversary of Brotherhood.
Bro Carlos & Sis Glory Ann Cristobal & Family



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WE'RE GETTING ON FOR MORE YEARS TO

COME

Bro Joey & Sis Rowena Aguado and Family



A WARM INCLUSIVE FAMILY IN MASONRY ...THE LAST 20 YEARS

WHAT MORE CAN I ASK?

Bro Ed Gonzales & Sis Maria Luisa



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Bro Joven & Sis Vangie Villanueva & Family



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Bro Pontz & Sis Milette and Family



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HAPPY 20TH ANNIVERSARY SOLIDARITY LODGE NO. 1457

Bro Vic & Sis Fannie Melgarejo and Family



CONGRATULATIONS!

Solidarity Lodge # 1457

***You have acquired the respect for Freemasonry
with honorable Men who wear the emblem of order.***

Bro Urbano & Sis Juanita Yap



May God continue to Bless our Lodge for many generations to come.



Bro. Marlon & Djoanna Villanueva & Family

***WORKING AND HAVING FUN TOGETHER THE LAST 20 YEARS
IN MASONRY. LOOKING FORWARD TO ANOTHER 20 YEARS MORE!!!***

Bro Tony & Sis Myrna Hofileña



Mga kapatid, kakabsat, igsoon:

One score and zero years ago, our past masters brothers brought forth on this

continent, a new lodge, conceived in SOLIDARITY...

and dedicated to the proposition, that all members are created into SOLIDARITY...

Happy 20 years anniversary of Brotherhood

Bro Romy & Sis Tessie Mercado and Family



20th Anniversary Celebration of its Constitution!

Bro Angelito "Sonny" Somera

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*Two Decades of solidarity,
a lifetime of brotherhood.
Happy 20th anniversary to
Solidarity lodge #1457*

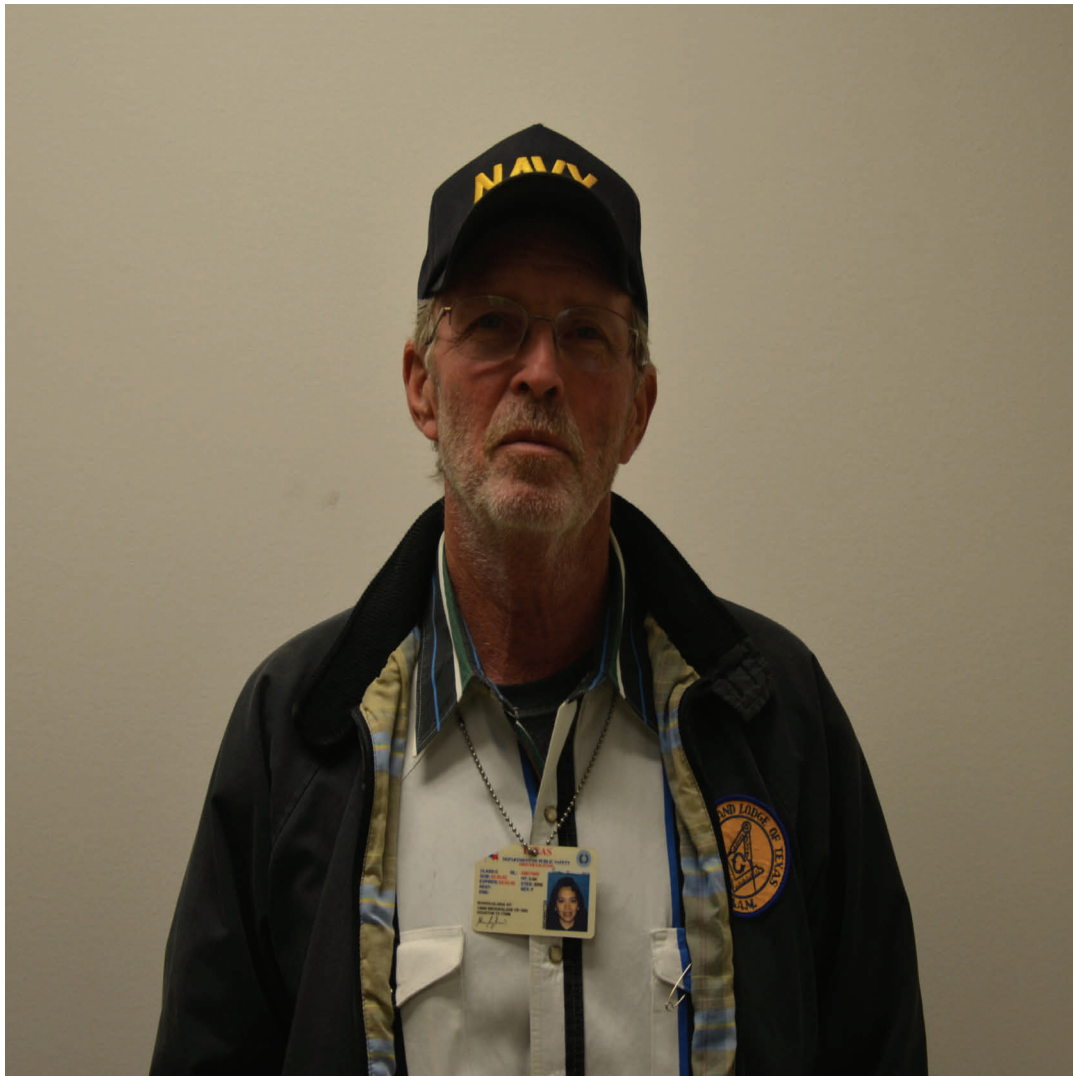
Bro Ross & Sis Nita Brillantes



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HAVE WE REALLY GONE THAT FAR ALREADY?

Bro Keith Bowen



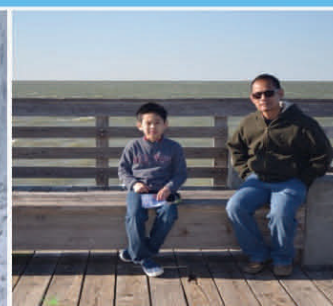
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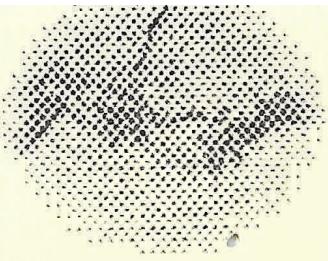
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Gerardo (Lito) H. Lizarondo
PAST MASTER 1994 - 1995
(FOUNDING MEMBER)

- Raised: February 17, 1987
Temple Lodge # 4
- 6 December 1991 : A - Certificate
From The Grand Lodge of
Texas
- 2001- PAMAT President
- 1 June 1992 : Order of Eastern Star
- 1 January 1993 : Appointed Senior
Warden Grand Lodge of Texas
- June 1994 : 1st Elected Worshipful
Master of Solidarity Lodge # 1457
- 1996 : 32 Scottish Rite of Freema-
sonry S.J. USA
- 21 March 1998 : Noble of the Mys-
tic Shrine
- 25 June 2006 : Golden Trowel
Award
- 17 February 2012 : 25 Years in Mas-
ter Mason



Reynaldo B. Climacosa
PAST MASTER 1995 - 1996
(FOUNDING MEMBER)

- PAMAT President-1989-1992
- Raised: 09/25/1975, Corregidor
Southern Cross # 3
- Manila Scottish Rite: 1975
- Arabia Shrine Temple: Member
since 1984
- Houston Scottish Rite: Endowed
Member 1993
- Worshipful Master: 1995-1996
- District Masonic Relations Officer,
Masonic District No.30-A: 2001 &
2002
- District Deputy Grand Master, Ma-
sonic District No. 30-A: 2003
- Golden Trowel Award: April 22,
2005
- Memorial Lodge No.1298: Affili-
ated Member 2012



Antonio Peralez
PAST MASTER 1997 - 1998

- Raised 8/4/1992



Ronaldo E. Malapitan
PM 1997 - 1998
(FOUNDING MEMBER)

- Raised July 3, 1968 Hiram Lodge #
88
- Scottish Rite Member, Luzon Bod-
ies 1969
- 1978 Affiliated Grove Lodge #
824, Grand Lodge of Illinois
- PAMAT President 1986-1989
- June 21, 2013 Golden Trowel
Award



Ollie O. Veloso, P.M.
PM 1998 - 1999
(FOUNDING MEMBER)

- I Was raised to the Degree of Mas-
ter Mason on May 21, 1975 at
Winter Harbor Lodge No. 192,
Winter Harbor, Maine. Retired
from the US Navy Submarine
Servvuice on May 31, 1980.
Moved to Houston received 32nd
Degree of the Ancient & Accepted
Scottish Rite on February 22,
1986. Charter member of Solidar-
ity Lodge No. 1457. Server as
Worshipful Master of Sloidarity
Lodge No. 1457 Masonic Year
1998-1999.



Mario P. Tecson Sr.
PM 1999 - 2000
(DECEASED)

- Raised 3/30/1975
- Golden Trowel Award February 2, 2004



Esteban V. Saulog
PM 2001 - 2002
(FOUNDING MEMBER)

- Raised November 17, 1984 Tagaytay Lodge # 165 Grand Lodge of the Philippines F & A.M.
- PAMAT President 1997-1998



Santiago Juan Gutierrez
PM 2002 - 2003

- Raised 1993 Solidarity Lodge # 1457
- Past Master Temple Lodge # 4, 2001-2002



Alejandro V. Lim Jr.
PM 2003 - 2004
(FOUNDING MEMBER)

- Initiated April 14, 1978
- Passed May 12, 1979
- Raised May 28, 1979
- Worshipful Master
- MW Judge R.P. Galves Memorial Lodge 1985-1986 (Grand Lodge of the Philippines)
- Lodge Inspector (Grand Lodge of the Philippines) 1986-1987, 1987-1988
- Grand Master's District Lecturer (Grand Lodge of the Philippines) 1988-1989, 1989-1990
- President, Philippine American Masonic Association of Texas, 1998-2000
- Worshipful Master Solidarity Lodge No. 1457, 2003-2004



William M. Villa-Real
PM 2004 - 2005

- Raised June 1994
- Most Outstanding Mason of the Year 2008
- PAMAT President 2010-2011



Lope G. Lindio
PM 2006 - 2007
(FOUNDING MEMBER)

- Maktan Lodge #30, Cebu City, Philippines- Initiated - 07/10/1972
- North Shore Lodge #937, Chicago, Illinois
Initiated - 01/11/1983;
Passed - 01/18/1983
Raised - 01/25/1983
- Solidarity Lodge #1457, Houston, Texas
- Founder/Charter Member - December 1993
- Worshipful Master -Masonic Year 2006-2007
- 32* Thirty-second degree, Scottish Rites of Houston, Texas
- Member, Arabia Shriners, Houston, Texas



Estanislao Suerte
PM 2007 - 2008

- Raised 2/25/2002 Solidarity Lodge # 1457



Federico Tecson
PM 2010 - 2011

- Raised 11/17/1996 Solidarity Lodge # 1457
- Achievement Award for outstanding performance in opening and closing lodge and proper reception and induction of the DDGM.



Eleazar Aparece
PM 2012 - 2013

- Raised 11/17/2002 Solidarity Lodge # 1457



J. Robert Bacon PM

- Blue Lodge: Raised: February 2, 1989
- Worshipful Master: Memorial Lodge 1298 - 1993~94 & 1996~97 ; West University Lodge 1292 - 2001~02
- Member: Solidarity 1457; Tranquility Lodge 2000 & Texas Lodge of Research
- Honors: Golden Trowel - May 1999
- Scottish Rite: Member Valley of Houston & Galveston
- Houston: Degree teams: 9-10, 16, 17, 24, 27, 31, 32
- KCCH: Invested Nov 2003
- Royal Order of the Duck: Hatched 1996
- Knights of St. Andrew Emeritus: Nov 20 03
- Galveston: Degree team: 31
- York Rite: Washington Chapter No. 2, 2013-2014: Most Excellent High Priest Houston Council No. 1, 2013-2014: Thrice Illustrious Master
- York Rite College No. 106 Gold Honor Award: 2001
- Super Excellent Master's Degree Team -2001~2010
- Knight of York Degree Team
- Royal Order of Scotland: 1996
- St Thomas of Acon: 2006



Eleno P. De Leon
PM 2011 - 2012
(FOUNDING MEMBER)

- Raised: 3/7/1975
- PAMAT President 2005-2006
- Saigon Lodge No. 188
- Scottish Rites Freemasonry 32 Degree
- Worshipful Master Award by Lope Lindio
- Chairman- Ticket Printing control 20th Anniversary



Melvyn S. Jurisprudencia PM

- Raised on Dec. 13, 1985 in Negrense Lodge No. 200, Grand Lodge of the Phils.
- Worshipful Master, 1995 Kagitingan Lodge No. 286, Grand Lodge of the Phils.
- Grand Lodge Inspector, 1996, Grand Lodge of the Phils.
- Assistant Grand Treasurer, 1999 Grand Lodge of the Phils.
- Grand Auditor, 2000 Grand Lodge of the Phils.
- Joined Solidarity Lodge No. 1457, Grand Lodge of Texas in 2001



Juanito Del Rosario PM, PDGM

- Raised August 1990
- Worshipful Master 1999
- DDGM 2000
- 33 Degree—IGH
- Venerable Master AASR 1998-2011
- Mabuhay Shrine 1991
- York Rite 1991



Cipriano Sta. Rosa PM

- Raised 9/9/1991
- Grand Lodge of Washington

Life Membership

- Everett Lodge No. 137
- Yancey C. Blalock Lodge No. 265
- Verity Lodge No 59
- Luzviminda Lodge No. 317



**Tom B. Johnson PM
(FOUNDING MEMBER)**

- Blue Lodge: Raised: 1945
 - Worshipful Master: Temple Lodge No. 4 – 1945~46
 - Member: Solidarity 1457; Holland Lodge No. 1 & Tranquility Lodge 2000
 - Honors: Golden Trowel – June 16, 2001
- Scottish Rite:
- Valley of Houston & Galveston - Endowed Member & Confering Degree Master

York Rite:

- Washington Chapter No. 2: Most Excellent High Priest
- Houston Council No. 1: Thrice Illustrious Master

Grand Lodge of Texas:

- Masonic Jurisprudence Committee: Member - 1995 ~ 2005
- District Deputy Grand Master - 1992
- Grand Senior Deacon – 2004



Jefren Demeterio PM



James Tupas PM

- **Raised March 8, 1989**
- Dalusan Lodge, Negros Occidental, Grand Lodge of the Philippines



**Crispulo Aguinaldo
(Deceased)
PM 2008 - 2009**

- Raised 4/5/1999



**Jesus Raquitico PM
(DECEASED)
FOUNDING MEMBER**

- Raised 5/20/1972
- Golden Trowel Awardee



Weldon Q. Hofileña

Initiated: May 20, 2002
 Passed: August 28, 2002
 Raised: December 2, 2002
 Position: Worshipful Master
 (Present)
 Solidarity Lodge #1457 A.F. &
 A.M.
 Retired U.S.A.F.
 Married to Dianita Raymundo



Gilbert Medrano

SENIOR WARDEN 2013-2014
 • Raised: Oct 22, 2004
 • Secretary 2005-2011
 • 2011 Memorial Lodge # 1298
 Present Senior Warden Solidarity



Gerardo B. Dizon

JUNIOR WARDEN 2013-2014
 • Raised: 11/24/2003



Domingo V. Fernandez
 TREASURER 2013-2014

- Raised 11/3/2006



Leovigildo G. Fulo
 SECRETARY 2013-2014

- Raised: 6/22/2007



Florante A. Gaid
 FOUNDING MEMBER
 SENIOR DEACON 2013-2014

- Raised : 10/17/1989



Carlos P. Cristobal
 JUNIOR DEACON 2013-2014

- Entered Apprentice - January 2, 2004 (Initiated)
- Fellow Craft - February 6, 2004
- Master Mason - March 20, 2004
- Pyramid Lodge #490
- Grand Lodge of Free and Accepted Masons of The State of New York
- Affiliated Solidarity Lodge #1457 - 2007



Jose L. Aguado
 SENIOR STEWARD

- Raised 7/13/1991



Jose Angel Martinez
 CHAPLAIN

- Raised 5/16/2008



Edgardo L. Gonzales
MARSHALL 2013-2014

- Raised 6/1/2007



Vicente B. Melgarejo
JUNIOR STEWARD 2013-2014

- Raised 6/7/2013



Celso Aldovino

- Raised January 22, 1996



Joven J. Villanueva
Master of Ceremony 2013-2014

- Raised 8/16/2004



Ponciano M. Perez
Tiler 2013-2014

- Raised 4/19/1999



Antonio Hofilena

- Raised May 3, 2004



Lorenzo Perez
Musician 2013-2014

- Raised 8/19/1975



Keith Bowen

- Raised June 11, 1991



Danilo Legaspi

- Raised June 28, 2013



Urbano Yap
FOUNDING MEMBER

- *Raised December 10, 1981 Bukidnon Lodge # 245
- *Affiliated with Temple Lodge # 4 1085
- Bukidnon Lodge # 245



Reginaldo Manzon

- Raised



Angelito "Sonny" Somera

- Raised March 2, 2012



Romeo Mercado

- Raised April 15, 2005



Eddie Huliganga

- Raised June 1, 1998



Rodolfo Lagera

- Raised October 22, 2001



Glenn Lagera

- Raised December 11, 1990



Felix Luchavez

- Raised August 12, 1982



Ross Brillantes

- Raised February 25, 2011



Constantino Petilla

- Raised February 2, 1996



Arturo Sarmiento

- Raised May 30, 1994



Roberto Vicerra

- Raised May 29, 1971



Maneleo Nunez

- Raised March 2, 2007



Bibiano Arzadon
(DECEASED)
FOUNDING MEMBER

- Raised 6/4/1991



Generoso Madrigal

- Raised May 19, 1997



Alexander Filipovich



Richard Shaffer



Rexie Pajarillaga

- Raised July 19, 1999



Winston Villa-Real

- Raised November 23, 1998



Jose J. Santos
PM 2000 - 2001
(FOUNDING MEMBER)

- Raised 12/4/1993



Oliver Ayes



Michael Moore



Dan Floyd Mills



Arturo Baltao



Paz Muguerza



Sohrab Sardual



Isaias Ginson



Arturo Ramirez



Arturo Valdez



Timothy Marquez



Luis Sumaylo



Lito Tolentino



Charles Montes



Rexie Tinampay



Alvin Yater



Jose Montes



Alistair Lee



Rogelio Austria



Edwardo Libranda



Fernie Avelino



Danilo Maines



Josier Nisnisan



Loreto Caluya



Rupert Patel



Albano Primo



Conrado Delacruz



Michael Sevilla



Emeterio Abanilla



Edmundo Dipasupil



Lito Tolentino



Achico Ricardo



Mario Dipasupil



Monteflor Valmores



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