

**Join Hollywood Lodge as we celebrate Midsummer and The Feast of St. John the Baptist June 20<sup>th</sup> at 7 pm At Hollywood Lodge**

The Master and Officers of Hollywood Lodge cordially invite you to a Table Lodge presented in honor of Worshipful

**Chris Holme, Senior Grand Deacon**

This event is open to Freemasons of all degrees, and the cost will be \$25.

The fee covers dinner and a commemorative cannon

**R.S.V.P. to Art Melendez  
(818) 635-0808  
tecolote1@gmail.com**

**The favor of your reply is requested on or before June 4<sup>th</sup>**



*From The West*

Greetings Brethren,

What an exciting month April was! Two First, One Second and a Third Degree ceremonies all scheduled in April. Due to the nature of the writing for these articles, I will necessarily need to wait until my June article to write about the events.

Looking back to March however, I again wish to congratulate the Father and Son degree candidates and welcome brothers Steve and Sterling Kavitzky to our Lodge. As of this writing, young Brother Sterling is almost ready to give his full form first degree proficiency. Will father be able to keep pace with his son's interest in the craft? Time will tell.

Until next month, my best wishes!

Fraternally,  
*Arthur Melendez*  
Senior Warden

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*Hollywood Lodge, #355*

*Is pleased to announce that it will confer the prestigious*

*Hiram Award  
on  
Bro. Spyros Pappas*

Join us as we celebrate Spyros' masonic history and learn of his achievements over a 49 year span of service

Where: Kessab Banquet Hall, 18407 Sherman Way, Reseda

When: Saturday, May 2, 2009

Hours: 6:00 - Hors D'Oeuvres

7:00 - Dinner

8:00 - Award Presentation

Pre-paid Reservations Only - \$35.00/person

Make your check payable to Hollywood Lodge  
Contact Bro. Ted Schuman, PM - (818) 886-9754  
and select your entrée (Prime Rib or Salmon)

*Black Tie Optional*

Get Ready! It's time for the  
**Progressive Dinner**

**Saturday, May 16th at 5 pm., \$15**

Join us, as brothers and their ladies caravan to the homes of four of our brothers for appetizers, salad, main course, and dessert.

**Only 30 spots available. RSVP SOON!**

For more information or to RSVP, please call  
Brother Mark Thie at (818) 648-1649  
As always, the dinner is BYOC (bring your own chair)

Empty rectangular box for address.

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**Trestle Board for May 2009**

Sat. 2nd—Hiram Award & Dinner (offsite)	6:00 pm
Wed. 6th.—Stated Meeting Dinner Setup	7:30 pm
Thurs. 7th.—Stated Meeting & Dinner	6:30 pm
Thurs. 14th.— 1st Degree	7:30 pm
Sat. 16th—Progressive Dinner	5:00 pm
Thurs. 21st— 3rd Degree (Antony Kubichan)	7:30 pm
Tues. 26th—Building Association	7:30 pm
Thurs. 28th— 2nd Degree (Dennis Stevens)	7:30 pm

**May 7, 2009**

**Quesadillas  
Mexican Cesar Salad  
Barbacoa  
Refried Beans, Rice**

**Flan**

**June 4, 2009**

**Fresh Fruit  
Dinner Salad  
Stuffed Bell Peppers  
Wild Rice Pilaf**

**Sweet Potato Pie**

Please RSVP for next Stated Meeting Dinner

\$12/person. Widows, guests, and birthday Masons free.

Please call Sara Krueger to RSVP: (626) 590-6222

Ladies Entertainment:

To be determined

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*From The East*

Greetings Ladies and Brethren,

It pleases me once again to be greeting you from the East. Hollywood Lodge has once

again had a great month. As we continue to fine tune the administrative side of things, I feel it necessary to give a great big THANK YOU to everyone who has, and continues, to pitch in, as, indeed, many hands make light work.

In addition to “rebuilding the temple,” we have had a good time enjoying a little refreshment and repose...

Once again, we had a terrific Stated Meeting Dinner. I do wish to apologize as I apparently got caught up with the announcements, and forgot to announce the “Member of the Month.” But fear not, that just means we get to have two in the month of May!

Also this month, a group of about thirty of us went on down to China Town, and enjoyed a little dim sum. There was more food and fraternal fun than you could shake a chopstick at! Thanks to those of you who joined us, and for those who missed it, you’ll have a chance to join us on our next adventure as we gear up for the Progressive Dinner on May 16th.

I would also like to once again congratulate Brother Spyros Pappas on his receiving the Hiram Award, for all of his hard work and his many contributions to Freemasonry in general and Hollywood Lodge in particular. Thank you for everything, Spyros.

Thanks to all,

*Russell M Jaeger*

Russell M. Jaeger, Master

*May Birthdays*

Happy Birthday To Members of Hollywood Lodge #355  
If your name is not here, please contact the Editor

1 Michael Novak	19 Robert Mahoney
2 Oliver Irons	19 Richard Wurzel
4 Barry Terlazzo	20 Joseph Shirley
6 Rudy Bauer, PM	21 Kalin Bracero
6 Vernon Capers	22 Arni Egilsson
6 David Nelson	22 Stanley Higgins, PM
6 Mort Silver	23 Garen Ananian
7 John Cathey	23 Frank Passalacqua
7 Marvin Smith	23 Edward Rudan
8 William Burt, PM	24 Eugene Sader
8 James Hamilton	25 Craig Honig
8 James Menzies	25 Jack Magee
9 Eric Bertolli	25 Robert Robertson
9 Don Slayton, PM	25 William Williams
10 Lawrence Ellis	26 Jack Wolf
11 John Rossiter	29 Michael Levy, EA
14 Vitali Hason	29 Hans Boje
15 Gregory Stewart	29 David Cohan
17 Hovig Khatchadourian	30 Robert Horowitz
17 Leonard Violante	30 Eyal Erster, EA
18 Henry Sand	31 Vidal Cohen
	31 John Rodgers

Called From Labor

**Alton Francis Benedetto, PM  
Solomon Midler**

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Bright and Glorious Be Thy Rising From it.

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