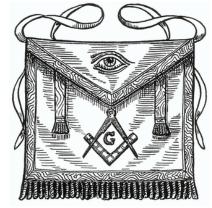
## St. Cloud Masonic Lodge No. 221

# TRESTLEBOARD

W:.M:. Ernie Paton | July 2025



Musician:





Chartered January 21, 1914

District 16, Zone 5

Meetings at 7:30 p.m. and Supper at 6:30 p.m.

Second and Fourth Thursdays

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|                    | Lodge Officers         |                |
|--------------------|------------------------|----------------|
| Worshipful Master: | Ernie Paton            | (407) 427-4896 |
| Senior Warden:     | William Kelly          | (407) 973-7578 |
| Junior Warden:     | Angel Cardona          | (321) 310-4243 |
| Treasurer:         | Donald Goolsby (PDDGM) | (407) 721-0147 |
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| Marshall:          | Harry Mapes (PM)       |                |
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| Junior Deacon:     | Ron Lacson             |                |
| Senior Steward:    | Brian Wright           |                |
| Junior Steward:    | Jason Walters (PM)     |                |
| Tyler:             | David Smith            |                |
| Historian:         | Bill McIntosh          |                |

# **Monthly Messages**





Hello Brothers and Sisters,

With half the year behind us it seems like we have just begun. We have so much more to do this year, some things and ideas are:

- RWDDGM Official Visit (no date as of yet)
- Travel to Tennessee Cave Degree (Aug 14-18)
- BBQ for the families on August 23<sup>rd</sup>. There will be a smoker competition, so plan now.
- Past Masters and Widows Dinner will be at the Lodge this year, dates to come.
- Planning a "Trunk or Treat" for Halloween, Thanksgiving and Christmas parties.

This is only some ideas for now, we need more help and input......so come out and join us. Eastern Star and us will team up for some of these.....if not all.

We had our meeting in honor of "Big John", while wearing our Hawaiian shirts. I made a proclamation that every year our second meeting in June will be henceforth known as "BIG JOHN DAY".

Congratulations to Bro. Jeff Sizemore for winning "Where's the Beef" raffle. They won half a cow from Bar C ranch. Thank-You to the Chapman family at Bar C for thier help.

Happy July 4<sup>th</sup> to everyone. Please have a safe holiday and remember if you shoot off fireworks, there are those who have PTSD and it affects them...........

As a heads up, we plan on going DARK the first meeting in August. Most of the line will be traveling to the cave degree in Tennessee.

I Truly hope to see you in the Lodge. God Bless you all.





Greetings Brethren.

Another month almost gone. We have done a lot and will hope that we can do more to grow and make our lodge great and more people will come out and help us. Together with the great people we have in the lodge it will be a great year.

God bless us all.

William





From the South

Greetings from the Junior Warden in the South

Brethren, I hope this message finds you and your families in good health and high spirits. As we welcome the month of July, let us take a moment to reflect on our journey so far this year full of fellowship, light, and meaningful labor in the Craft.

This month we celebrate the spirit of freedom and unity that July symbolizes. Let us continue to strengthen the bonds of brotherhood, both within our Lodge and throughout the district. I encourage you all to participate actively in our meetings and events, and to bring your energy, wisdom, and joy to the work we do together.

May this summer season renew our dedication to our Masonic values, and may peace and harmony dwell among us.

Fraternally, Bro. Angel A. Cardona Correa Junior Warden Saint Cloud Lodge # 221



Fraternally, Ernie Paton

# **Monthly Messages**





Greetings,

Have you ever considered becoming a Perpetual Member?

The Perpetual Membership Fund is an endowment program for your Lodge. Perpetual Membership affords a Brother an opportunity to remain an active supporter of his Lodge long after being called to the Celestial Lodge Above. The funds provided by your Perpetual Membership will help to keep your Lodge on solid financial ground in the future. This, we hope, is the aim of all Master Masons.

The Standard Perpetual Membership is 20 times your Lodge dues plus per capita.

A Brother can purchase the Standard Perpetual Membership using the Installment Plan with \$200.00 down and paid over 60 months. Your Lodge Secretary can provide the paperwork to start you on the road to a Perpetual Membership.

Fraternally,

Donald R. Goolsby, PDDGM Treasurer







Brothers,

From the Secretary's desk,

I hope this message finds everyone in good health and high spirits. I'm delighted to announce to all our esteemed Lodge Members that we now have a new, convenient way of paying your Lodge dues. We have successfully linked our bank account with the Amity app, which will streamline the process and make it easier for everyone to access their Masonic record.

If you prefer to continue paying your dues by check through the mail, you are more than welcome to do so. However, for those interested in using the Amity app, please follow the link below to learn how to create your Amity account:

#### https://player.vimeo.com/video/1032344564?h=5f7f61ef14

Once your account is set up, you can explore several other tutorials to help you familiarize yourself with the app. As a bonus, once you've created your account, you will have access to a King Solomon's passport. This handy feature can be used to check you in at other Lodge's and events, whether in your district or anywhere else in the country.

I encourage everyone to take a moment to check out this App and its new payment method and additional benefits.

May God watch over you and your families and bring peace to a world that's so desperately needs it.

Fraternally, Kenneth A. Stichter, P.M., Secretary St Cloud Lodge No. 221 F.& A.M. P.O. Box 700542

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# **Monthly Messages**







As we gather each year to celebrate Independence Day on the 4th of July, we not only commemorate the nation's birth but also honor Freemasonry's enduring legacy in shaping America's foundational principles and values. The fraternity's contributions to the Declaration of Independence, Constitution, and broader societal fabric highlight its profound impact on American history and governance.

Through its commitment to brotherhood, charity, and moral virtue, Freemasonry continues to inspire generations of Americans to uphold the ideals of liberty, equality, and justice for all.

Thus, the 4th of July serves as a poignant reminder of the intertwined histories of Freemasonry and the United States, united in their pursuit of a more perfect union founded on principles of freedom and fraternity.

May the Great Architect of the Universe bless all of you, your families, our Armed Forces and First Responders.

Fraternally, David Bautista





#### **Past Masters**

Davis H. Gill 1912/13\*\* W.N. Garner 1914/15 \*\* E.E. Livermore 1916\*\* Sam Brammer 1917/18/53 \*\* W.M. Hall 1919\*\* Lovie C. Riddle 1920\*\* Ives E. Diefendorf 1921\*\* Otto R. Bleach 1922\*\* A. Earle Cowger 1923\*\* Sidney W. Porter 1924\*\* Calvin P. Parker 1925\*\* Dan E. Armstrong 1926\*\* Holmes E. Crawford 1927\*\* Lloyd C. Herringer 1928\*\* Ralph G. Reynolds 1929\*\* L.U. Zimmerman 1930\*\* Robert H. Johns 1931\*\* William H. Dodds 1932\*\* M. Percy Tindall 1933\*\* Frank Garside 1934\*\* James W. Sage 1935\*\* William J. Thurber 1936\*\* Henry L. Godwin 1937\*\* Groves M. Mosses Jr. 1938++ John B. Mills 1939\*\* Harvey L. Hersey 1940/43\*\* Floyd E. Davidson 1941\*\* John E. Hale 1942\*\* John R. Rotundo 1944++ Ross E. Jeffries 1945\*\* Albert Depew 1946\*\* O. Frank Kirby 1947\*\* Fred M. Loring 1948\*\* Horace Y. Smith 1949\*\* William E. Spencer 1950\*\* Jay B. Johnson 1951\*\* Curtis J. Bock 1952++ Norman Mallet 1954\*\* James H. Young 1955\*\* S. Robert Lackey 1956\*\* Robert H. Chamberlin 1957\*\* William R. Godwin II 1958\*\* Russell J. Depew 1959\*\* Lloyd Stalvey 1960\*\* William S. Byrd 1961\*\* Laurence Wheeler 1962\*\* Edward Cowley 1963 R.J. Bramhan 1964\*\* George S. Pankey 1965\*\* Harold R. James 1966\*\* Willis E. Leech 1967\*\* James E. Long 1968\*\* Arthur W. Campbell 1969\*\* Allan S. Goodman 1970\*\* Hubert Z. Fryman, Sr. 1971\*\*

John B. Phelps 1973\*\* Harris Rumsey 1974\*\* Russell V. Zimmerman 1975\*\* James L. Swogger 1976\*\* Robert J. Breese 1977\*\* Robert Carlyon 1978\*\* Raymond R. Lackey 1979 Danny K. Cripe 1980/93\*\* Frank T. Hopkins 1981 Robert O. Bell 1982\*\* James E. Jones 1983\*\* Marshall H. Brown 1984++ Robert K. Bumgardner 1985\*\* Gerald L. Durbin, PDDGM 1986 Jay R. Young, Jr. 1987\*\* Eddie C. Williford 1988\*\* Frank S. Mazzei 1989\*\* Jack D. Lethenstrom, PRRGC \*\* 1990/2001/2007 \*\* Barry L. Taylor 1991 Ernest N. Elliott 1992\*\* Ted R. Smith 1994 Michael E. Rigsby 1995 Allen R. Van Horn 1996/2000 Jerry W. Little 1997 \*David W. Stanyon 1998\*\* Larry A. Montesi 1999 \*\* Joe Parham 2002 Alvin R. Sharp, Jr. 2003\*\* Jack V. Miller 2004 Michael Hemphill 2005\*\* \*Allen Antoniac 2006\*\* Bob Shonyo 2008\*\* Joe Moore 2009/10 /13 John Cuttitta 2011 \*\* John Reger 2012/24 Donald Goolsby 2014 Wendel Tomimbang 2015 William Waggoner 2016 Sidney Mills 2017 John Whitehead 2018 Gerald W. Newland, Jr. 2019 Kenneth A. Stichter 2020 lason Walters 2021 Nigel Mills 2022 Harry Mapes 2023

Legend: (\*\*) DECEASED (++) UNAFFILIATED





Hugh E. Wright III 1972

#### **Lodge Committee Chairmen**

Finance: W:.M:. Ernie Paton Vigilance: Bro William Kelly Petitions: W:. Kenny Stichter Education: W:.M:. Harry Mapes Board of Relief: W.M. and Wardens

Investigations: As Needed

Charity: All Masons

Lodge Property: Bro. Angel Cardona

Mentor's: W:.M:. Ernie Paton





Old Saint Cloud Masonic Lodge

What is a Masonic Lodge?

A Masonic lodge is more than a building; it is a living, breathing organization made up of and sustained by the members themselves. It is a tight-knit group of men who make solemn vows to one another and become comrades in Masonry and life.

Above all, a Masonic lodge represents open arms, a helping hand, and brotherly love to every Mason, anywhere, at any time.

# 2025 OFFICERS





### RAISED IN JULY

NOBODY WAS RAISED IN THE MONTH OF JULY.....



#### JULY

4TH

JEROME BENNETT

7T#

**CECIL JONES** 

ROBERT OLSEN

11T#

BOBBY SCHALL JR.

PATRICK SHANK

14T₩

RICKY YOUNG

15T₩

ROMUS EDENFIELD III

16T#

DONALD GASKINS II

17T₩

DALLAS BOLEN

18TH

HARRY MAPES

CHRISTOPHER NELSON

26T₩

WILLIAM DEANE

BRIAN WRIGHT

28T#

WENDELL TOMIMBANG

30T#

**WESLEY HARLEY** 

MITCHELL LISS

31**S**T

GEORGE BENJAMIN JR.

#### **Business Advertisements**

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#### **Boosters**

Bill and Virginia Waggoner Jason Walters Gary and Nancy Walters







Saint Cloud Lodge donates to the following:

- Shriners Hospital for Children
- Scottish Rite Foundation
- Grand Master's Charity
- First Lady's Charity
- Masonic Youth
- Rainbow for Girl
- A Place for Grace





As a Lodge, we have taken on A Place for Grace as our charity. We have already donated water to them for the homeless. We plan on continuing the donations in many forms. They do accept clothing, non-perishable foods, volunteers and other services. Please visit their website and see if there is anything you have that they could use. Contact us at the Lodge if you need help and we can assist with getting the items to the facility.

THANK-YOU!!!

### **Masonic Links**

St. Cloud Masonic Lodge No.221

<u>Central Florida Masons</u> <u>The Grand Lodge of Florida</u>

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## ANNOUNCEMENTS

## **Future Ballots / Votes**

### **Upcoming Meetings**

- NO Masters and Wardens in July
- Training on July 1, 8, 15, 22 and 29 at 6 p.m.
- Officers Meeting on July 8<sup>th</sup> at 6 pm.
- Stated Communication on July 10<sup>th</sup>, 2025 (Supper 6:30 / Meeting 7:30 p.m.)
- Stated Communication for July 24<sup>th</sup>, 2025 (Supper 6:30 / Meeting 7:30 p.m.)
- PLEASE check centralfloridamasons.com/calendar for more events.

\*\*\* From this point on EVERY TUESDAY there will be training from 6 p.m. until ??? Subjects will vary depending on degrees and needs.





#### 2025 Dues

Dues notices have been mailed out.

Dues are being collected via the old fashioned way of "pay by cash or check" or via PayPal.

If you wish to **pay by check** they will be \$190.00.

If you wish to use **PayPal**, dues will be \$195.00 be cause of the fees we get charged by PayPal.

Please use the QR code below......



Dues Notice: We are in the process of signing up with AMITY to pay dues...... please download the AMITY app on your phones to pay in the future.



#### **Calendars**

Keep up to date by clicking the links below, check frequently

saintcloudlodge221@google

centralfloridamasons calendar

Grand Lodge of Florida Calendar



## **Monthly Events**

June 26<sup>th</sup> Meeting



**Brother Bautista's Ring Ceremony** 



**GMOV and Tiled Meeting at Mokanna Lodge** 









## Famous Mason of the Month Steve "Woz" Wozniak

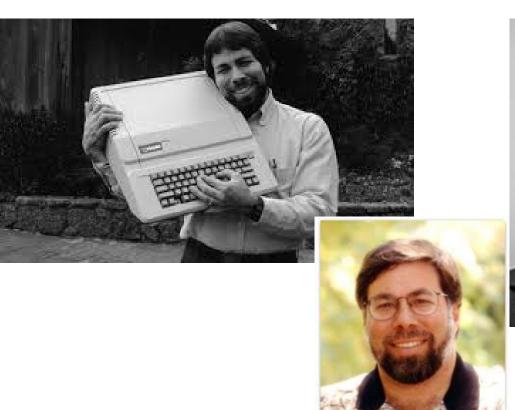
Stephen Gary Wozniak (born August 11, 1950), also known by his nickname Woz, is an American technology entrepreneur, electrical engineer, computer programmer, philanthropist, and inventor. In 1976, he co-founded Apple Computer with his early business partner Steve Jobs. Through his work at Apple in the 1970s and 1980s, he is widely recognized as one of the most prominent pioneers of the personal computer revolution.

Steve designed both the Apple 1 and Apple 2.

After Apple Wozniak did things from teach fifth graders to founding a new company called Wheels of Zeus (WOZ).

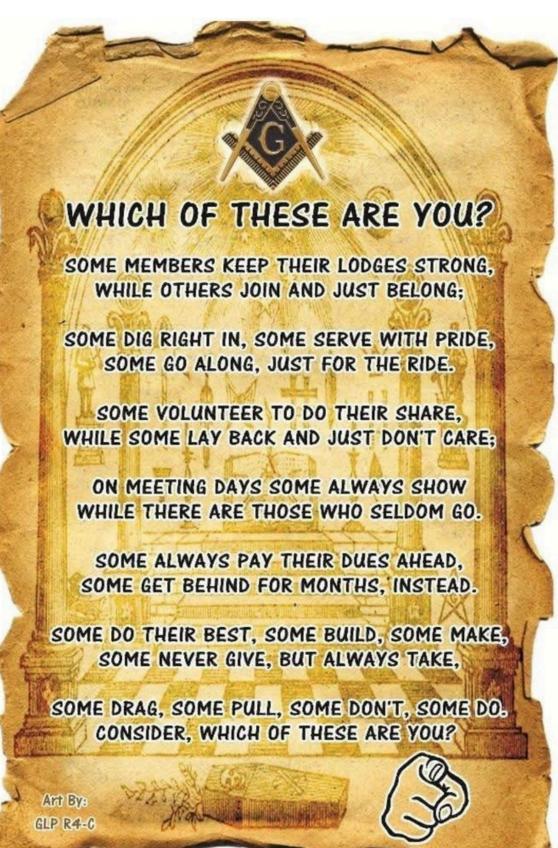
Wheels of Zeus was made to create new GPS technology for everyday people. After Wheels of Zeus closed its doors Wozniak has gone onto other business ventures.

Wozniak is a member of Charity Lodge No. 362, Campbell, CA. He was raised in 1980.









#### **Past Master Photo Project**

I have been trying to update the Past Master photos for some time now. Below is a list of Past Masters that I DO NOT have any photos of. Please take a minute to check the list over and if you know of, or have a photo of someone, please forward it to me.

If you now of a family member of one of our Past Masters that may have a photo or history of them, that would help out tremendously.

| <u>Past Master</u>      | <u>Years</u> |
|-------------------------|--------------|
| William N. Garner       | 1914         |
| E. Edward Livermore     | 1916         |
| Sam Brammer             | 1917/18      |
| W.M. Hall               | 1919         |
| Love C. Riddle          | 1921         |
| Ives E. Diefendorf      | 1921         |
| Otto R. Bleach (Bleech) | 1922         |
| Sidney W. Porter        | 1924         |
| Lloyd C. Herringer      | 1928         |
| Ralph Garfield Reynolds | 1929         |
| William H. Dodds        | 1932         |
| Marion Percy Tindall    | 1933         |
| Frank Harold Garside    | 1934         |
| Groves M. Mosses Jr.    | 1938         |
| John B. Mills           | 1939         |
| John R. Rotundo         | 1944         |
| Ross E. Jefferies       | 1945         |
| O. Frank Kirby          | 1947         |
| Fred M. Loring          | 1948         |
| Curtis John Bock        | 1952         |
| Edward W. Cowley        | 1963         |
| Hugh Edward Wright III  | 1972         |

Thank You in advance for your help.

# **Food For Thought**

What is the Golden Rule in Freemasonry?

Freemasonry is built upon the tenets of Brotherly Love, Relief and Truth. Brotherly love is the practice of the golden rule. Relief embodies charity for all mankind.

Truth is honesty, fair play and adherence to cardinal virtues.