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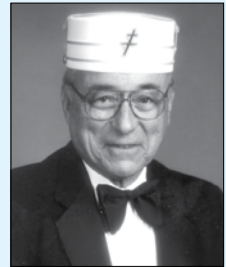
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FROM THE VENERABLE MASTER



Thank you to all of the dedicated members and Officers of Fresno Scottish Rite. The dedication of each of you assures us success in meeting our Fraternal goals. It is my hope that 2011 will be a successful and prosperous year for Fresno Scottish Rite.

It is my goal this year, that we improve awareness of the services and opportunities available to the community and our members through the philanthropy of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite and Masonry. I am sure the information presented by David Blood, Care Manager of the Masonic Senior Outreach Services based at Masonic Homes

in Union City, was interesting and enlightening. I will endeavor to continue to provide high quality programs during the ensuing year.

Humbly Submitted,
Mark Hodges

FROM THE WISE MASTER



I hope everyone enjoyed the holidays. Precious times spent with family and friends in our warm cozy homes with the aroma of holiday treats are treasured memories. We are truly a blessed nation.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank the installing team and all who worked to make the installation successful. I would like to thank the out going Masters for a job well done. We all have some very big shoes to fill. And last but certainly not least, to all of my officers who volunteered to take positions in The Chapter Rose Croix.

We are all very excited to begin our duties for the year. Along with assisting the degrees associated with our lodge; we plan to visit all the Masonic youth groups and Scottish Rite clubs through-

out the valley. We are fortunate to have representation in the line that reaches the entire valley.

I know personally from my travels with Ill. James Sperlich and Ill. C. Ray Whitaker, to the various youth groups; they really do enjoy having us attend their functions. Please, as Scottish Rite Masons, make a pledge to attend at least one youth event each year. I will try to publish our upcoming travels in a timely manner. My hope is that through our participation, the youth will see that we truly care about them presently and in their future.

Your officers of this lodge realize they have a busy year ahead and are prepared for the challenge. Thank you, the membership, for allowing us this opportunity.

David Pitts, Wise Master

FROM THE MASTER OF KADOSH



First, a big thank you to all those who have vested in me the confidence to serve as your Master of Kadosh for 2011. I would also like to thank the leadership and trust of our Illustrious Secretary Louis Jelinek and for all of his continued help and support without which I would not be in this position today. And to the Ill. Allan Miller for whom it was that saw fit to appoint me to the line of the Consistory all those years ago.

Well Brethren, our 2011 Masonic year is here and the Consistory is hard at work and I know all our officers are looking forward to our next opportunity to host our stated meeting, which will occur on April 18th so officers mark your calendars.

Our last year showed great success with the Consistory's programs in the area of Education & Americanism. Our continuing scholarship program with the CART school has offered aid and support to those worthy and aspiring students in what we all know to be, too often, one of the most financially distressing endeavors of ones life. Your continued generosity to our "Build A Scholarship Program" can ensure that we continue to fund and expand this rewarding program.

Andrew A. Miller 32°

Master of Kadosh of the Consistory

FROM THE COMMANDER, COUNCIL KADOSH



Brethren

I would like to take this opportunity to congratulate all the newly installed Masters and Officer of the Valley of Fresno Scottish Rite Bodies for 2011 year. I wish them all the best of luck and success during their watch. The 2011 Officers of the Council of Kadosh collectively share a wide breadth of Masonic experience and knowledge that I hope to draw on as I continue with my Masonic Journey. I am looking forward in working with all of you while we complete our goals for the year. I would also like to congratulate

Scottish Rite newcomers Brother David Coss 32° and Adan Bautista 32° who were elected Turcopolier and Bearer of Beausant respectively. I hope you all enjoyed your Holidays and Have a Happy New Year!

Vincent A Villarta

Commander of Kadosh

January Dinner Menu

Brothers Ench, Chil and Lada grew up in a family that was very wealthy. Their parents owned a large factory that produced commercial cooking equipment for every conceivable kitchen need imaginable. All three sons were sent to the best schools and upon graduating from college they opened their own restaurant chain and became famous Chefs throughout the Southern Hemisphere. Their most famous dish was first called "InncheeLata". It was a mixture of seasoned meat, Rago(a speciality) and sharp cheddar cheese. The ingredients were blended by hand and served with Spanish Rice and seasoned Pinto beans. When the dish was introduced in the USA the name was changed to "Enchilada" because of frequent "Gringo" miss-pronunciation and also to prevent it from infringing on the family name. This dish is best served with a "FLAN" desert (a South of the Border delicacy) . Call in your reservations now and be treated to this famous dinner which will be served at our January 17, Stated Dinner Meeting. Dinner will cost \$12.00 in 2011.

Allan Miller, 33°, Banquet Chairman

Our Membership Message for 2011

In Masonry, in our degrees we have many commandments. The greatest commandment of them all is; “Thou shalt love the Grand Architect of the Universe with all thy Masonic heart, thy Masonic soul, subdue your many passions and improve yourself in Masonry! The next greatest commandment is to love thy brother, relieve thy brother and always be truthful to your brother, love thy family, thy country, thy neighbor as thyself. For those who wish to achieve full personal growth and begin the ascent in order to strengthen their higher mental and emotional capacities there is no greater eye opener nor heart opener than the 32° of Masonry when they become “Master of the Royal Secret.” It is readily available to Master Masons and teaches further compassion, tolerance and forgiveness as we truly learn; Do unto others as you would want others to do unto you!”

1. The Master Builder of the world, mighty Creator, how manifold are his works,. In wisdom he has created us and with his loving kindness we exist in our generation and make way for the next. As Masons we thank Him for allowing us to perform our tasks with reverent consciousness of His presence, then even our humblest achievement will be holy unto the Lord. At the beginning of each day we must strive to help this great Fraternity grow, then even if we fall short of full achievement, and even if our Masonic brethren deem that our work has failed, we will have succeeded in the eyes of the Grand Architect of the Universe, who sees all in our Masonic hearts!

Masonic Meditations & Mantras for 2011

Ignore Insult! Practice Patience! Forgive & Forget! Show No Anger! Mercy to All! Seek No Revenge! Judge Not! Brotherly love, Relief & Truth!

See thy Brother and picture him as a newborn Innocent Infant!

Compassion for All! - is one of its most striking characteristics. The Emperor who steps from his throne to the floor of the Lodges.

The Universality of Masonry has been remarkable. The equality which exists behind its walls is simply amazing. The King who steps from his throne to the floor of the lodge is no greater than his humblest of subjects; the priest not greater than the layman, the wealthiest not greater than the poorest. Except as Masonry herself may choose to honor her followers, no distinction is known, and no arbitrary or worldly standard of influence or honor is recognized by Masonry as entitling one to pre-eminence.

Let us then, brethren, see to it that we practice the virtues we teach; that we walk uprightly as men and Masons; that we observe the golden rules of the Masonic Meditations & Mantras in the year 2011 and beyond. May we keep our consciences clear and our hearts pure; that we dedicate our lives to becoming pathways of light in this world and last but definitely and defini-

tively not least that we have no fear when we come to be judged by the Great Architect, the Supreme and Eternal Master, the ever living God.

And now dear brethren, our new years resolution; May each of us pledge to bring in just one new worthy & well qualified member in 2011! Remember, when we leave this earthly existence all we really can leave is memories!

God Bless,

Marvin Greenwald,33°

Director of Membership, Orient of California

SECRETARY'S CORNER

WELCOME 2011! I love the New Year; it brings with it every wonderful possibility for the coming year. Wouldn't it be nice if we did everything right, didn't forget anything or anyone, made all of the right decisions, didn't hurt anyone's feelings and said all of the right things all of the time? It would be nice, but we are human and therefore we all make mistakes no matter how hard we try not to. So let's try to forgive each other for our mistakes and appreciate the effort made to do what is right and correct.

Please remember to invite your Masonic brothers who are not members of Scottish Rite to join. The spring class is just around the corner! Your 2011 dues are now due; if you haven't already paid them, please do so now. Your dues are the sustaining funds that keep Fresno Scottish Rite up and running.

The cost of the Stated Meeting dinners will be increased to \$12.00 starting in January.

I would like to thank our Web Master Bryan Coleman for the terrific work on the website he does. He voluntarily spends hours of his time maintaining our Website. Please take the time to check it out. Bryan is also working on a master calendar for the Central San Joaquin Valley Masonic Family; please forward your Masonic Calendars and events to Bryancoleman@comcast.net with the subject: Masonic Calendar.

Juliet Vitz, Office Secretary

Building a Scholarship Donations

Thank you to all who are supporting "Building a Scholarship" fund. Your continued donations will allow us to expand our scholarship program and continue to support the deserving students of the C.A.R.T. School. Donations made this month by **Allen D Miller, Jerry & Billie Tabor and Clyde Johnson**. Thank you!

Contributions to the Fresno Scottish Rite Childhood Language Disorders Clinic

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SPRING REUNION 2011

THREE SATURDAYS, MARCH 5TH , APRIL 9TH AND MAY 7TH

1ST DAY - SATURDAY, MARCH 5, 2011

Degrees portrayed on SATURDAY, MARCH 5TH

4°, 7°, 9°, 10°, 11°, 12°, 13°, and 14°

The 5th, 6th and 8th degrees will be communicated

7:30 A. M. Registration in the Lounge - Breakfast Banquet Room

2nd DAY - SATURDAY, APRIL 9, 2011

Degrees portrayed on SATURDAY, APRIL 9TH: 18°

The 19th through the 29th degrees will be communicated

7:30 A. M. Registration, Individual Pictures, Breakfast
Class meeting, election of officers
Tour - Childhood Language Center
Class enters Lodge Room

3rd DAY - SATURDAY, MAY 7, 2011

Degrees portrayed on SATURDAY, MAY 7TH: 30° and
32°. The 31st degree will be communicated

7:30 A. M. Registration, Group Picture, Breakfast
Class enters Lodge Room

MONDAY, MAY 16, 2011 - STATED DINNER MEETING - RING, ROSE AND CAP CEREMONY

FOLLOWING DINNER IN THE LODGE ROOM: RING, ROSE AND CAP
CEREMONY TO FOLLOW AFTER DINNER IN THE LODGE ROOM
FOR OUR NEW MEMBERS. NEW MEMBERS AND THEIR LADIES
WILL BE THE GUESTS OF SCOTTISH RITE.

6:00 P. M. SOCIAL - Hors d'oeuvres in Banquet Room

6:30 P. M. Dinner - Candidates and wives guests will be dinner guests
of Scottish Rite

7:30 P. M. RING, ROSE AND CAP CEREMONY IN LODGE ROOM

STATE CENTER CHAPTER ORDER OF DEMOLAY



Hello Brothers

Here it is that time of the year where we remember our families, friends and the many people that have made an impact on our lives this year.

This year as I write this letter for the Scottish Rite Bulletin I remember that just a year ago or so I completed my degrees as a Scottish Rite Mason. And became a part of a bigger Masonic Family, as a part of this Masonic family I began to think of how I can be of better service to this family. As Scottish Rite masons we are encouraged to be of service and give back. I thought long and hard as to how I can do that. I was asked to be of service to the Scottish Rite bodies in some way. However I was at odds as to where to put my energy. I began to think about the whole Fraternity that we call Masons. My thoughts took me back to my youth when I joined DeMolay. I had many wonderful years as a DeMolay. From the age of 13 to about the 20 I was a DeMolay.

Many of you know that the Scottish Rite Bodies of Fresno is the sponsoring body for the State Center Chapter Order of DeMolay. As I am a Sr. DeMolay I felt that I could share my experiences with the chapter and become an advisor. As an advisor you get a very different experience of DeMolay then you would a young man joining the organization. You get to see how these young men develop socially and mentally. Being an advisor you can experience youth from a whole different point of view.

Our young people do things very differently, then when I was a DeMolay. As technology has developed for the better (mostly), we communicate using texting; email mostly through the internet. When I was a DeMolay we did not have the internet, we actually had to talk to each other face to face, make a phone call or dare I say it actually WRITE something down on a piece of paper and place it in an envelope, address it, lick and stick a stamp on it. Now I can go to the computer or even pick up my cell phone type in a few words and communicate with others instantly.

That is just an example of a few differences I have noticed. However when we look past those differences and see the teachings of DeMolay through the degrees that we emulate, you begin to see how DeMolay can benefit the young men today. We believe in seven precepts they are Filial love (love of parents), Reverence for Sacred things, Courtesy, Comradeship, Fidelity (friendship) Cleanliness and Patriotism. These are the same teach-

ings that have been part of being a DeMolay since its humble begins in 1919 by Dad Frank S. Land who by the way was a Scottish Rite Mason. Then when we look at the DeMolay degree we begin to see the brotherhood and comradeship displayed by our name sake Jaque DeMolay. How he lived by his devotion and dedication to his brethren and his beloved order “The Order of the Knights Templar”. By his dedication to his Family he was willing to die to keep its values sacred.

As we are all members of this Family (Masonic Family) in some we another, either directly or by relationship. We share the same values. Please take this time to reflect on how important our families are and share with them the many blessing we have.

In closing I would like to ask that as a man, mason, family member or especially if you are a Sr. DeMolay, please ask yourself do I have anything that I can give back. There are two DeMolay Chapters in our Scottish Rite district that are willing to accept any and all assistants that you can spare or donate.

Ben Davis “Advisor”

State Center Chapter Order of DeMolay.

LEMOORE DEMOLAY

What a joy it is to reflect back on 2010. It was a great year for the DeMolay young men and Masonry as a whole. The final touch was the DeMolay Conclave on 26-28 November in Sacramento.

A wonderful learning experience and a fantastic fun event each evening. The train ride to Sacramento and back was awesome.

The Lemoore DeMolay chapter was awarded the Masonic Service Award of the Year at the awards banquet.

The Lemoore Christmas parade was our final event of the year. Flag presentations, a fundraisers and our DeMolay Installation is scheduled for the first quarter of 2011.

We Hope all had a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

James Sperlich

Advisor Chairman

KNOWLEDGE IS POWER THE MASTER CRAFTSMAN WAY

Salve Frater!

January's Quiz. These five (5) easy questions are pertaining to some Masonic and Scottish Rite basics. The answers to the questions will be published in the following month's bulletin.

Good Luck have fun.

December's Quiz answers: #1-b, 2-c, 3-e, 4-d, 5-d. This months Quiz answers will be in next months bulletin.

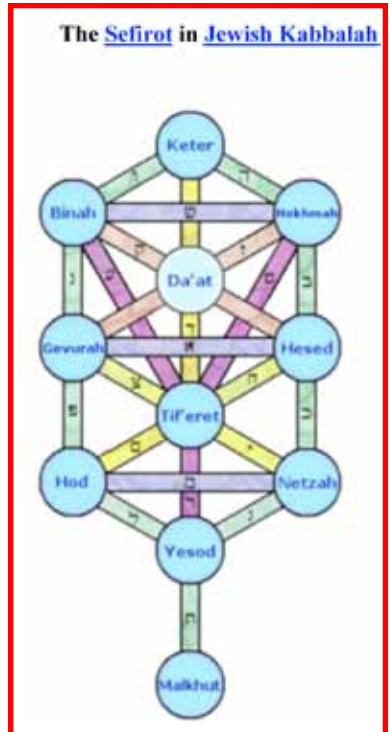
1. When was the earliest reference to the Master Mason's Degree?
a. 1646 b. 1717 c. 1725 d. 1726 e. 1730
2. What was the first printed Scottish Rite Document?
a. Constitutions (1786)
b. Dalcho rituals (1801-02)
c. Circular Throughout two Hemispheres (1802)
d. Documents upon Sublime Freemasonry (1823)
e. Manifesto (1845)
3. What piece of regalia symbolizes the "days and nights of toil and service in Masonry"?
a. The 14° ring
b. The 32° cap
c. The Knight Commander Court of Honor Synthetic Badge
d. The 33° ring
e. The Grand Cross Court of Honor Jewel
4. What structure is mentioned as a Masonic building project in the *Constitutions* of 1738?
a. Grand Pyramid of Khufu / Cheops
b. Noah's Ark
c. Gilgamesh's Ark
d. Temple of Mahurazi- Al Xwnu
e. Temple of Hamon Jeez
5. How many Degrees did the Scottish Rite confer by name at it's founding?
a. Fifteen
b. Eighteen
c. Twenty-five
d. Thirty-two
e. Thirty-three

Pete Clark, 32°, KCCH

TREE OF LIFE (KABBALAH)

Jack V Farson 33°

Kabbalists believe the Tree of Life to be a diagrammatic representation of the process by which the Universe came into being. On the Tree of Life, the beginning of the Universe is placed at a space above the first Sefirah, named Kether (“crown” in English). It is not always pictured in reproductions of the Tree of Life, but is referred to universally as Ain Soph Aur (Ain - Without, Soph - End, Aur - Light). To the Kabbalists, it symbolises that point beyond which our comprehension of the origins of Being cannot go; it is considered to be an infinite nothingness out of which the first ‘thing’ (thought of in science and the Kabbalah to be energy) exploded to create a Universe of multiple things. Kabbalists also do not envision time and space as pre-existing, and place them at the next three stages on the Tree of Life. First is Kether, or the Crown in English, which is thought of as the product of the contraction of Ain Soph Aur into a singularity of infinite energy or limitless light. In the Kabbalah, it is the primordial energy out of which all things are created. The next stage is Chokmah, or Wisdom, which is considered to be a stage at which the infinitely hot and contracted singularity expanded forth into space and time. It is often thought of as pure dynamic energy of an infinite intensity forever propelled forth at a speed faster than light. It is considered to be the primordial masculine energy, which is also referred to in Chinese Taoist philosophy as Yang. Next comes Binah, or Understanding, which is thought of as the primordial feminine energy, the Supernal Mother of the Universe which receives the energy of Chokmah, cooling and nourishing it into the multitudinous forms present throughout the whole cosmos. [4] It is also seen as the beginning of Time itself. It is analogous to the Chinese concept of Yin, which together with Yang are considered to be the basis of all of Creation. There are many parallels between Taoist philosophy and the Kabbalistic conceptions of the Tree of Life.





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Coming Events

JANUARY

- 10 Mon Executive Committee – 5:00 P. M.
Advisory Conference - 6:30 p. m. (Chapter Practice)
- 15 Sat Clinic Board Retreat 9 - 3; Scottish Rite, Lunch will be provided
- 17 Mon Stated Meeting (Chapter Host)
6:00 p. m. Hors d'oeuvres 6:30 p. m. Dinner
- 18 Tues Clinic Board -5:30 p.m. – Scottish Rite Library

FEBRUARY

- 14 Mon Executive Committee – 5:00 P. M.
Advisory Conference - 6:30 p. m. (Council Practice)
- 21 Mon Stated Meeting (Council Host) (Sweethearts night)
6:00 p. m. Hors d'oeuvres 6:30 p. m. Dinner
Washington's BD – Office Open
- 22 Tues Clinic Board -5:30 p.m. – Scottish Rite Library

MARCH

- 5 Sat 4° thru 14°, Registration 7:30 A. M.
- 14 Mon Executive Committee – 5:00 P. M.
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- 21 Mon Stated Meeting (Lodge Host)

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Louis Jelinek, 33°, Secretary

Scottish Rite Building Needs Donations

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NOTICE:

The Bulletin will not be stapled in the future due to new tabbing restriction regulations by the Postal Service.

From the Venerable Master



FROM THE WISE MASTER



**FROM THE COMMANDER, COUNCIL
KADOSH**



FROM THE MASTER OF KADOSH



FROM THE SECRETARY



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Your Date of Birth _____

Place of Birth _____

Occupation: _____

Name of Blue Lodge _____

No. _____

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Name of Blue Lodge in which degrees received and Year: _____

Masonic Blue Lodge activities: Offices held and date: _____

Scottish Rite Offices held and year _____

Any Grand Lodge services – nature & dates _____

Other fraternal, social or religious organization memberships: _____

Civic organization and activities: _____

Special Interests or hobbies: _____

Dramatic and ritualistic experiences: _____

Public speaking experience: _____

Musical Instruments played: _____

Do you sing, if so – Bass, tenor, etc: _____

2010 TROUT AND KOKANEE FISHING DERBY

Sponsored By: Fresno Scottish Rite Children's Language Disorders Center
Central California Inland Fisheries (Kokanee Power)
Camp Edison, Shaver Lake (TANNAGER GROUP 2 CAMP AREA)

WHEN: Saturday, June 5, 2010 – Registration: \$40 each (includes lunch) (\$30 is Tax Deductible). Children 15 yrs and younger may register for \$15.00 (Prizes listed below). (Non-registrant donation lunch only will be \$10.00).

WHERE: Shaver Lake. Free launching at Edison Picnic Boat Ramp. Inform Entrance Gate that you are with the Scottish Rite Children's Language Center Fishing Derby.

- DETAILS:**
1. Registration is limited to the first 125 adult participants.
 2. All persons in each boat must be registered, no exceptions.
 3. Registration at Edison Group Picnic Area #2 (Tannager) on Saturday, June 5 at 5:00 a.m. Fishing start time is 6:00 a.m.
 4. You must be in the weigh-in line by 2:00 p.m. (No Exceptions).
 5. Lunch (included) served from 1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m.
 6. Adult CASH PRIZES: 1st Place \$500, 2nd Place \$300, 3rd Place \$200, 4th Place \$100 and 5th Place \$75. FOR LARGEST FISH BY WEIGHT
 7. Children's CASH PRIZES: 1st prize of \$200, 2nd prize of \$100, and 3rd prize for \$50. FOR LARGEST FISH BY WEIGHT
 8. BLIND BOGEY: 50/50 \$10.00. (Smallest and Largest weight divided by 2)

BENEFIT: Children ages 2-18 with speech and language difficulties receive free speech therapy at the Fresno Children's Language Center. All proceeds will go to this Center.

FOR INFORMATION & REGISTRATION CONTACT

John Tracy (432-6521) (Chairman)

Jim Wilson II (227-2928) and Byron Pretzer (485-3890)

(California Fishing License Required)

EACH PARTICIPANT MUST COMPLETE THIS FORM

Make check payable to: Scottish Rite Language Center

Mail this form and check to:

Fresno Scottish Rite, 1455 L Street, Fresno, CA 93721 (559-268-9631)

1. Name: _____ Phone: _____ email _____

Address: _____ City: _____ Zip: _____

Adult \$40.00 Junior 15 Yrs & Under \$15.00 Blind Bogey \$10.00

I have enclosed a check in amount of: \$ _____ for reservations checked above.

If you do not desire to fish, you may make a tax deductible donation to the Children's Language Center. (Federal Tax ID Number is 94-6078728)

I understand that the Scottish Rite Children's Language Center is not liable for personal injury or property loss resulting from my participation in this fishing derby.

_____(Signature of participant or legal guardian)

The Old Master's Wages

I met a dear old man today
 Who wore a Masonic pin
 It was old and faded like the man,
 Its edges were worn and thin.
 I approached the park bench where
 he sat,
 To give the old brother his due
 I said "I see you've traveled east",
 He said, "I have, have you?
 I said, I have and in my day
 Before the all seeing sun
 I played in the rubble
 With jubala, jubilo, and jubalum.
 He said don't laugh at the work my son
 It's good and sweet and true.....
 And if you've traveled as you said
 You should give these things their due.
 The work, the sign, the token,
 The sweet Masonic prayer.
 The vow that you have taken
 You have climbed the inner stair.

The wages of a mason are never paid in
 gold
 But the gain comes from contentment
 When you're weak and growing old.
 You see, I've carried my obligations
 For almost 50 years
 It has helped me through the hardships
 And the failures full of tears...
 Now I'm losing my mind and body
 Death is near, but I don't despair
 I've lived my life upon the level
 And I'm dying on the square.
 Sometimes the greatest lessons
 Are those that are learned anew
 And the old man in the park today
 Has changed my point of view.
 To all my Masonic brothers
 The only secret is to care
 May you live upon the level
 And depart upon the square.

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 program and continue to support the deserving students of the
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John Tallmadge

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