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Brothern, Thank you again for electing me as Master of Widow's Sons Lodge #60. I want to also thank all of the officers that are serving the lodge this year. We have a great line of Brothers that have served before me. We also have a great line of Brothers that will be serving this year and beyond. Our lodge has been apart of Masonry for 215 years now and I pray it will last for 215 more.

Brothers Bill Bond and Mark Chapman have done a lot of work with the artwork in our Lodge. Right now Brother Mark has finished 3 of the 4 paintings. It will be an exciting night when the last painting is presented to the Lodge. Thank you so much for your hard work with the oil paintings. This is just anther example on how our lodge stands out in our district.

We will doing a lot of degree work in the next few months. If any brother is interested in helping out with the degree teams there is always room. We have many talented ritualists in our lodge but I know we could always use more. Please don't hesitate to join us.

Our DDGM RW Allen Anderson will be making his official visit with Widows Sons at our February 16th stated meeting. Let's have a good turn out this night to support our DDGM.

Finally please join us for our stated meeting this month on January 19th at 7 pm. I'm looking forward to a great year in the East. I hope you can join us and enjoy the fellowship of our great lodge. If you need me for any reason I will make myself available for you.

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Fraternally yours,

Worshipful Jason Pattison

January Masonic Birthdays! Call a Brother and wish him a Happy Masonic Birthday.

Lee W. Bullwinkel, January 19, 1973 Elmer E. Burruss, Jr., January 12, 1951 James G. Carpenter, January 25, 1993 Halbert E. Davis, January 31, 1983 W. B. Downer, III, January 4, 1979 Paul H. Drinard, January 27, 1969 James D. Dunbar, Jr., January 30, 1984 Rolling E. Fields, January 19, 1973 Kurt M. Gloeckner, January 31, 1972 Jimmy G. Houser, January 5, 1976 C. Parker Leake, January 12, 1977 Jimmy W. Marshall, January 13, 1973 T. A. Patrick, III, January 30, 1984 E. Mack Powell, January 31, 1961 Right, the WM recognized those with Masonic Birthdays in December. Pictured L-R: Bill Bond; T. C. Dickerson, 48 years; Charlie Via, 48 years.







Officers 2015 pictured first row, L-R: Mike Griffin, proxy for Peter-John Leone, Senior Deacon; Jeff Hodges, Senior Warden; Jason Pattison, Worshipful Master; Mark Chapman, Junior Warden; and Nick Bragg, Junior Deacon. Second Row, L-R: Bill Baskerville, Treasurer; Bobby Cameron, Tiler; Bill Bond, Secretary; T. C. Dickerson, Marshal; and Philip Nelson, Chaplain.



With a generous donation from Brother Bill Bond, the lodge is now conferring the Master Mason's Degree in full costumes. In the above picture, Brother Craig Christopher Ford was Raised to the Sublime Degree on December 3rd as a courtesy to Southern Pines Lodge No. 484, North Carolina. In the picture below, Brother Jason Michael Parham was Raised to the Sublime Degree on December 11th.



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Left, the WM presented Nick Bragg the Peyton S. Coles Ritual Award; and Bob Simpson with the Griffin Good Idea Award. Right, the WM presented a new award, Master Workman to Earl Jorgensen and Jim Wood.



Left, the outgoing WM receives a PM Apron and Certificate. Right, the outgoing WM is presented with a PM Jewel in the form of a pocket watch.



Brother Bruce Thompson won the Master's Hat Drawing, a Christmas Tree Ornament.

The Lodge was saddened to learn of the death of Brother David S. Scott who died on December 7th in the 77th year of his life. He was buried in the Culpeper Masonic Cemetery with Masonic Rites conducted by Fairfax Lodge No. 43.

Brother Chris Ford is presented with a Bible and Apron from Southern Pines Lodge No. 484, North Carolina

