

**OFFICERS FOR 1999-2000**  
**HARRYS. TRUMAN LODGE # 1066**

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**TRESTLE BOARD**

**Awaiting the Degree of Fellowcraft:**

Brother Jeffrey Balleste, Brother Alejandro Bertin  
 Brother Jonathan Leccese, Brother Peter Leccese

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Brother Michael J. Ardent, Brother William Bechtold  
 Brother Jody Caldwell, Brother Benoit Cheri  
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 Desk @ 212-337-6601 To Find Out If The Meeting Is Canceled.*

**HARRY S. TRUMAN**  
**LODGE No. 1066**  
**47<sup>th</sup> SUMMONED COMMUNICATION**



M.: W.: Harry S. Truman *Grand Master State of Missouri (1940)*

**ELECTION & INSTALLATION  
 OF OFFICERS**  
**THURSDAY EVENING, May 4, 2000**  
**Early Opening at 6:30 pm**

AMERICAN ROOM, 19<sup>th</sup> FLOOR  
 MASONIC HALL, 71 WEST 23<sup>rd</sup> STREET  
 NEW YORK, NY 10010

You and Your Masonic Friends Are Hereby Invited To Attend  
**THE FORTY-SEVENTH SUMMONED COMMUNICATION OF  
HARRY S. TRUMAN LODGE No. 1066, F. & A.M.**

To Be Held In the American Room, 19<sup>th</sup> Floor, Masonic Temple,  
71 West 23<sup>rd</sup> Street, New York, NY 10010

on **THURSDAY EVENING, May 4, 2000 at 6:30 P. M.**

For the transaction of such business as may regularly and constitutionally be  
brought before it, and for the

**ELECTION & INSTALLATION OF NEW OFFICERS**

Dress: Officers Formal, Brothers and Guests, Dark Suits

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**FROM THE SECRETARY'S DESK:**

I want to wish everyone a belated Happy Passover, and a Happy Easter, and thank all who called and sent me e-mail after my missing the last meeting. It seems I came down with a case of the "shingles" which is an adult version of the "chicken pox". It's not dangerous, but very painful, and itchy, but with medication I am well on the road to recovery, but the out pouring of concern from the members of the Lodge really helps the spirit mend a lot faster. Again thanks for all the calls they were appreciated.

At this meeting, the Lodge will be Electing, and Installing the New Line of Officers for the coming year. Though the Executive Board has recommendations it will make, this is still YOUR Lodge, and if you have any suggestions that you want to make, please contact the Master, or any of the "Leaders" of the Lodge prior to the meeting, and they will be considered.

Our Lodge is constantly growing, and its make-up is changing, that is why we need everyone's input to keep it running on an even keel. If you do not come out to vote, and voice your opinion then the "Leaders" do not know your desires.

**Glad Tidings:**

R.: W.: Michael & Arleen Hyman Happily welcome their third grandchild, Sophie Rose on March 17, 2000, she is also the great granddaughter of R.: W.: Leon & Frances Hyman.

R.: W.: Melvyn Schwartz was presented with the "Charles Henry Johnson Medal" at the Grand Lodge Convention, for his "unselfish service to, and love of, his fellowmen".

**Sad Tidings:**

Brother Irving Sobel, initiated 10/22/41 passed 11/12/41 raised 11/21/41 died 12/28/99. May his soul rest in everlasting peace.

**FROM THE EAST... W.: JOSEPH E. RUIZ**

I am writing this message with a heavy heart. This message is probably my last communication as Master of the **GREATEST** Lodge in Masonry, Harry S Truman Lodge #1066. I have many fond memories of all the milestones we as a group were able to accomplish.

As a Lodge, we were able to reach goals such as The Potts Award. The present District Deputy was part of our Lodge as well as The Grand Director of Ceremonies. We brought in a record number of new brothers into the craft. Our own brother W.: Joseph Mandel will be receiving the Distinguish Service Award, which is given to only one Brother per District per year. We had a great Family Picnic as well as a Fabulous Festive Board. We have a District Quality Degree Team. We hosted The Grand Lecturers Convention as well as being the host Lodge to welcome The Grand Master during his visitation. We also made The Deputy Grand Master an Honorary member of our Lodge and Honored our Ladies at our Ladies Night Affair.

My brothers, we put together a year that we could be very proud of and I am sure other Lodges would like to follow. This task could not have been possible without the help and cooperation I received from the brethren of this Lodge. A special thanks goes out to the line officers of this Lodge whose diligent effort and personal sacrifice usually goes unnoticed. My brothers you made this a great year for me, and as we step out into the new Millennium, we are headed in the right direction and still have much to accomplish in the name of Masonry.

Before I leave, I want to remind you all that the District Deputy Dinner is approaching rapidly and tickets are still available. The dinner will be held at The El Caribe in Brooklyn on May 7, tickets are only \$125.00 per couple, reserve your place and lets break bread and honor two gentlemen who gave so much of themselves and brought great pride to our Lodge. Thank you for a great year.

Fraternally yours

W.: Joseph E. Ruiz, Master

**Sunday May 7<sup>th</sup> at 1pm is The District Deputy Dinner at The El Caribe in Brooklyn, NY. Tickets are \$125.00 per couple "a real bargain" and can be purchased by phone from W.: Joseph Mandel (718) 591-4971 or Dinner Chairman W.: George Dondero at (718) 884-6591 or at the next lodge meeting on May 4. Reserve your ticket today and support two of our own R.: W.: Nat Savlowitz and R.: W.: Michael P. Higgins.**

**CALENDAR OF EVENTS**

May 4,.....Meeting — Election & Installation of Officers  
May 7,.....District Deputy Dinner at El Caribe in Brooklyn, NY  
May 18,.....Meeting — Adoption of Budget  
June 1,.....Meeting — Conferral of Master Mason Degree  
June 8,.....Conferral of Master Mason Degree  
June 15,.....Conferral of Master Mason Degree  
June 23 - 25,....Annual Trip to Utica - See Master for Details  
August 12,.....Truman Lodge 4<sup>th</sup> Annual Family Picnic — Members of the Lodge and their families come out and have fun in the country