

A Synopsis of the Paper

An American Masonic Odyssey: The Revd. Bro Daniel Parker and his *Masonic Tablet*

Prior to about the year 1800 American masonic ritual was similar to that exposed in *Jachin and Boaz* (1762).

About that time Thomas Smith Webb created a form of ritual which was distributed in manuscript in cipher books, supplemented by a printed "monitor."

The first printed American cipher ritual was produced by Rev. Daniel Parker. Its publication led to his departure from the Craft and was used during the anti-Masonic episode (1826-42) both for and against the fraternity.

It was ultimately responsible for the appearance of the cipher rituals common in America today.

About the Author

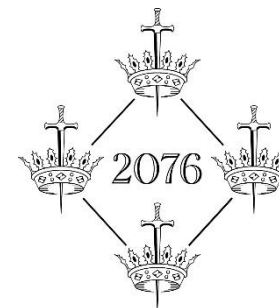
Bro. Arturo de Hoyos is Grand Archivist and Grand Historian of the Supreme Council, 33°, SJ, at the House of the Temple in Washington, D.C., where he supervises the operations of the library, museum, archives, and educational programs.

He is also Grand Archivist and chairman of publications of the Grand College of Rites (GCR), a Masonic organization dedicated to the preservation and study of disused masonic and quasi-masonic ritual, and has edited *Collectanea*, the GCR's annual transaction since 1994.

In 2000 he was one of three people invited to the Vatican by the Roman Catholic Church to discuss masonry.

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16th May 2018

Dear Sir and Brother,

You are desired to attend the duties of the Lodge at Freemasons' Hall, Great Queen Street, London WC2B 5AZ on **Thursday 28th June 2018, at 4pm.**

By Command of the Master,

Yours sincerely and fraternally

Paul Calderwood, PGSwdB

Secretary

Dark suit - Undress Regalia for the Lodge meeting

**There will not be a meeting of the Standing Committee
on this occasion**

Officers of the Lodge

W.Bro.	Dr. Andreas Önnarfors	Senior Warden
W.Bro.	Dr. Mike Kearsley, PAGDC	Junior Warden
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W.Bro.	Richard Gan PAGDC	Junior Deacon
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W.Bro.	Michael Karn PAGSwdB	Assistant Secretary
W.Bro.	Dr. John Reuther, PJGD	Inner Guard
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Members of the Lodge

Trevor Stewart PM, Douglas Burford PJGW PM, David Peabody PGStB PM, Yoshio Washizu, Robert Cooper PM, Tom Bergroth, Antony Baker PAGDC PM, Prof. Roger Burt, Gordon W.S. Davie PSGD PM, James Campbell PJGD PM, Arturo De Hoyos, Trevor McKeown, Mark Tabbert, Kent Henderson, Fabio Venzi, Michael Karn PAGSwdB, Christopher Powell and Adam Kendall.

Honorary Members of the Lodge

The Most. Hon. the Marquess of Northampton, DL, PProGM;
Dr. Rointon Khambatta OSM, PDistGM (Pakistan) PM;
Dr. James Daniel PSGW, PM; Prof. Wallace McLeod PM

Dining Arrangements

The members of the Lodge will dine together after the meeting at The Grand Connaught Rooms, Great Queen Street, London WC2B 5BX. If you wish to dine please download, complete and return the Dining Form & Cheque to:

Mike Karn, 18 Curlew Gardens, Merrow Park, Guildford GU4 7DY.

Alternatively please email dine@quatuorcoronati.com
no later than 4.00 pm on the Friday before the meeting.

Please also note that meals must be paid for if cancelled after that time. If you require a change from the set menu for specific dietary or allergy issues please advise accordingly at the time of booking. Cheques should be made payable to QCCC Ltd. BACS and other payment methods are available, please see www.quatuorcoronati.com (next meeting)

Menu: Starter: Smoked chicken Waldorf salad/ Main: Slow cooked gammon, Lyonnaise potatoes, peas and celery served with a mint and mustard broth/ Dessert: Crème brûlée, fresh berries/
Coffee and mints/ A third of a bottle of house wine.

BUSINESS

1. To open the Lodge.
2. To confirm the Minutes of the Meeting held on Thursday, 10th May 2018.
3. To welcome visitors to the Lodge, particularly members of the Correspondence Circle, and especially Brethren from overseas.
4. To receive a Report from the Almoner.
5. To receive a paper titled:

**“An American Masonic Odyssey:
The Revd. Bro Daniel Parker and his *Masonic Tablet*”**

To be delivered by Bro Arturo de Hoyos.
8. To close the Lodge.

*The meetings of the Lodge are held on the
Second Thursday in November (Installation), Third Thursday in February,
Second Thursday in May and September, and the Fourth Thursday in June*

Next meeting: 13th September 2018