



STEPHENSON LODGE No. 135  
A.F. & A.M.

Brothers,

I hope everyone is doing well. This year is coming to a close very quickly, time flies when your having fun. Unfortunately our Apple Festival for 2015 was a wash this year. The first time ever in thirty years the Apple Festival had to be cancelled. But thanks to Musser Market in Quarryville Pennsylvania, we were able to return four hundred apple dumplings ordered, leaving us with only 750 apple dumplings to sell. The Grand Secretary gave us permission to sell our dumplings as to-go, which helped us from having a total loss. Looks like we lost between \$800.<sup>00</sup> to \$900.<sup>00</sup>. Better than the original \$3,000.<sup>00</sup>. I would like to thank each and every brother for coming out on an awful, rainy, cold morning at 5:45 am to help sell apple dumplings at the Harvest Home Day. Brothers I couldn't do this without you.

A lodge is only as strong as the membership, so another words, brothers we need support from each and everyone in our lodge. Please come out to each and every meeting and make Stephenson Lodge a great and wonderful place.

Please go the grand lodge web page and sign up at <http://glmd.org> by entering your last name, Lodge number (135), and your membership number (found on your dues card), along with your email. Any questions, please contact Jerry Arnold or myself. Once in please make sure your contact information is correct. If not you can correct it online.

Our first meeting on November 4<sup>th</sup> will have Brother Rick Dolly seating in the East. Please come out and support Brother Rick.

**Also a reminder, dues for next year, 2016, will be \$73.<sup>00</sup>**

Currently Grand Lodge hasn't sent the 2016 cards out yet, so the Secretary would be able to give them out until he gets them.

Thank you  
Duane Duncan, WM  
Stephenson Lodge No. 135 A.F.&A.M.

1st meeting in November 4<sup>th</sup>  
Regular order of business at 7:30 PM  
Opening in the 3<sup>rd</sup> degree

2nd meeting in November 18<sup>th</sup>  
Regular order of business at 7:30 PM  
Opening in the 3<sup>rd</sup> degree

Stephenson Lodge Ladies Night  
November 7<sup>th</sup> 6:00pm  
Level Volunteer Fire Hall