

Date of Warrant  
2nd November, 1949



Date of Consecration  
29th March, 1950

**LODGE OF VENTURE**  
**No. 6916**

Installation

of

Brother Lloyd Spencer Sutton

as Master

SATURDAY, 26th APRIL, 2003

at 4.30 p.m.

MASONIC HALL, 211 TETTENHALL ROAD,  
WOLVERHAMPTON

## MENU

Paté Maison

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Leek & Potato Soup

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Roast Topside of Beef  
Yorkshire Pudding & Horseradish Sauce  
Boiled and Roast Potatoes  
Vegetables in Season

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Peach Melba

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Cheese and Biscuits

Celery

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Coffee

Worshipful Master ..... Bro. L. S. Sutton  
 Immediate Past Master ..... W. Bro. M. G. Pate, PPr.S.G.D  
 RPr.Supt.Wks.(Shrops.)

## OFFICERS OF THE LODGE 2003-2004

Senior Warden ..... Bro. V. S. Green  
 Junior Warden ..... Bro. F. B. Schofield  
 Chaplain ..... W. Bro. G. J. Wagstaff, PPr.J.G.D.  
 Treasurer ..... W. Bro. A. M. McCumiskey, PPr.J.G.W.  
 RPr.S.G.D.(Worcs.)  
 Secretary ..... W. Bro. M. Finlay  
 Director of Ceremonies ..... W. Bro. D. S. Rawlinson, PPr.J.G.D.  
 Almoner ..... W. Bro. R. K. Wotton, PPr.A.G.D.C.  
 Charity Steward ..... W. Bro. A. R. Evans, PPr.G.Reg.  
 Senior Deacon ..... Bro. C. D. Weir  
 Junior Deacon ..... Bro. B. P. Schofield  
 Assistant Director of Ceremonies ..... W. Bro. M. Smyth  
 Organist ..... Bro. A. Halstead, PPr.G.Org.  
 Assistant Secretary ..... Bro. G. J. E. Brocklehurst  
 Inner Guard ..... Bro. R. A. Lansley  
 Tyler ..... W. Bro. R. Tweedale, PPr.J.G.D.  
 Stewards ..... Bro. D. A. Beechey  
 ..... Bro. D. A. G. Taylor  
 ..... Bro. R. R. Simmons  
 ..... Bro. P. R. Rowley  
 ..... Bro. G. S. Bhakar  
 Honorary Member ..... W. Bro. R. J. S. Terry PPr.G.Org

## TOASTS

**"The Queen and the Craft"**

*Proposed by the Worshipful Master, W.Bro. L. S. Sutton*

**"The Most Worshipful Grand Master, His Royal Highness the Duke of Kent,  
KG., G.C.M.B., G.C.V.O. A.D.C."**

*Proposed by The Worshipful Master, W.Bro. L. S. Sutton*

**"The Most Worshipful Pro Grand Master, The Most Honourable the Marquess of Northampton, The Right Worshipful Deputy Grand Master, Iain Ross Bryce, The Right Worshipful Assistant Grand Master, David Kenneth Williamson, and the rest of the Grand Officers, Present and Past."**

*Proposed by Bro. V. S. Green Senior Warden*

**"The Provincial Grand Master, Right Worshipful Brother Kevin Chawner."**

*Proposed by the Worshipful Master, W.Bro. L. S. Sutton*

**"The Deputy Provincial Grand Master, V.W. Bro. John T. Bedson, Past Grand Sword Bearer, the Assistant Provincial Grand Masters, W. Bro. Thomas D.C. Lloyd, Past Senior Grand Deacon, and W. Bro. S. Haydn Palmer Past Senior Grand Deacon, and Officers Present and Past of the Provincial Grand Lodge of Staffordshire."**

*Proposed by Bro. F. B. Schofield, Junior Warden*

## TOASTS (continued...)

### **"The Worshipful Master."**

*Proposed by W. Bro. G. J. Wagstaff, P.Pr.S.G.D.*

### **"The Visitors."**

*Proposed by Bro. P. W. Leek, F.A.U.D.C.*

*To Respond - W. Bro. S. Jeremy  
W.M. Victoria Lodge No. 2848*

### **"The Installing Master, Past Master and Officers of the Lodge"**

*Proposed by the Worshipful Master, W. Bro. L. S. Sutton*

*To Respond - W. Bro. M. G. Pate, P.Pr.S.G.D.,  
P.Pr.Supt.Wks.(Shrops.)  
and Bro. G. S. Bhakar*

### **"The 9 o'clock Toast"**

*Proposed by W. Bro. B. K. Watton, P.Pr.A.G.D.C.*

### **"The Tyler's Toast"**

*Proposed by W. Bro. R. Tweedale, P.Pr.J.G.D.*

# PAST MASTERS OF THE LODGE OF VENTURE No. 6916

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|   | W. Bro. H. E. Brockhurst M.C., PPr.G.R.                           | 1950 |
|   | W. Bro. H. R. Barrett, PPr.G.D.                                   | 1951 |
|   | W. Bro. H. J. George, PPr.G.D.                                    | 1952 |
|   | W. Bro. C. H. Bayliss, PPr.G.D.                                   | 1953 |
|   | W. Bro. E. A. Cooper, PPr.A.G.D.C.                                | 1954 |
|   | W. Bro. W. James  | 1955 |
|   | W. Bro. H. Hughes, PPr.A.G.D.C.                                   | 1956 |
|   | W. Bro. G. E. Winyard   | 1957 |
|   | W. Bro. H.G. Dawson   | 1958 |
|   | W. Bro. J. Butler, PPr.A.G.D.C.                                   | 1959 |
|   | W. Bro. S. C. Loweth M.B.E., R.J.G.D., Prov.G.Almoner             | 1960 |
|   | W. Bro. A. V. McCumisky, PPr.G.D.                                 | 1961 |
|   | W. Bro. S. T. Cox, PPr.G.D.                                       | 1962 |
|   | W. Bro. H. J. Morris  | 1963 |
|   | W. Bro. R. G. Bartlam, PPr.G.D.                                   | 1964 |
|   | W. Bro. F. Harman, PPr.G.St.B.                                    | 1965 |
|   | W. Bro. B. George, PPr.J.G.W.                                     | 1966 |
| R | W. Bro. D. L. George, PPr.J.G.D.                                  | 1967 |
|   | W. Bro. R. S. J. Terry, PPr.G.Org.                                | 1968 |
|   | W. Bro. H. V. H. Gundy, PPr.J.G.D.                                | 1969 |
| R | W. Bro. C.J. Micklewright, PPr.A.G.D.C.                           | 1970 |
|   | W. Bro. W. A. T. Fitchew, PPr.G.Reg.                              | 1971 |
|   | W. Bro. A. M. McCumisky, PPr.J.G.W., FPr.S.G.D.                   | 1972 |
| R | W. Bro. R. J. Davis, PPr.J.G.D., PPr.S.G.D.(N.Wales)              | 1973 |
|   | W. Bro. J. R. Griffiths, PPr.A.G.D.C.                             | 1974 |
|   | W. Bro. E. J. V. Connelly, PPr.G.Reg.                             | 1975 |
|   | W. Bro. C. W. Lawrence, PPr.S.G.D.                                | 1976 |
| R | W. Bro. C. J. W. Hayhurst, FPr.S.G.D.                             | 1977 |
| R | W. Bro. A. F. Bethell, PPr.A.G.D.C.                               | 1978 |
|   | W. Bro. D. M. Bond, PPr.J.G.D.                                    | 1979 |
|   | W. Bro. D. M. Edwards, F.A.G.D.C., FPr.S.G.W., PPr.S.G.W.(Worcs.) | 1980 |
|   | W. Bro. A. R. Evans, PPr.G.Reg.                                   | 1981 |
|   | W. Bro. O. Pate, PPr.G.Supt.Wks., PPr.G.Reg.(Shrops.)             | 1982 |
|   | W. Bro. W. A. T. Fitchew, FPr.G.Reg.                              | 1983 |
|   | W. Bro. B. Naylor, PPr.G.Supt.Wks.                                | 1984 |
| R | W. Bro. T. J. Kirby, PPr.S.G.D.                                   | 1985 |
|   | W. Bro. D. R. E. Cornes, PPr.J.G.D.                               | 1986 |
|   | W. Bro. D. A. Bond, PPr.J.G.D.                                    | 1987 |
|   | W. Bro. A. M. McCumisky, PPr.J.G.W., PPr.S.G.D.(Worcs.)           | 1988 |
| R | W. Bro. E. Flanagan   | 1989 |
|   | W. Bro. M. G. Pate, PPr.S.G.D.                                    | 1990 |
|   | W. Bro. G. J. Wagstaff, PPr.J.G.D.                                | 1991 |
|   | W. Bro. A. J. Higgs, J.P., PPr.S.G.D., PPr.G.Reg.(Worcs.)         | 1992 |
|   | W. Bro. F. B. Rawlinson, PPr.J.G.D.                               | 1993 |
|   | W. Bro. J. R. Lockley, PPr.A.G.Sec.                               | 1994 |
|   | W. Bro. B. K. Watton, PPr.A.G.D.C.                                | 1995 |
|   | W. Bro. R. Tweedale, PPr.J.G.D.                                   | 1996 |
|   | W. Bro. A. R. Evans, PPr.G.Reg.                                   | 1997 |
| R | W. Bro. T. J. Kirby, PPr.S.G.D.                                   | 1998 |
|   | W. Bro. M. Finlay   | 1999 |
|   | W. Bro. M. A. Smyth   | 2000 |
|   | W. Bro. G. J. Wagstaff, PPr.J.G.D.                                | 2001 |
|   | W. Bro. M. G. Pate, PPr.S.G.D., PPr.Supt.Wks.(Shrops.)            | 2002 |

*Italics* - deceased

R - Resigned

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## FOUNDERS

W. Bro. H. E. Brockhurst, M.C., P.Pr.G.F.  
W. Bro. H. R. Barrett  
W. Bro. H. J. George  
W. Bro. F. A. F. Cassere  
W. Bro. B. Matthews  
W. Bro. W. J. Rawlins  
W. Bro. F. C. Gundy  
W. Bro. W. N. J. Van Heiden  
W. Bro. S. Matthews  
Bro. A. Aston  
Bro. C. H. Balfour  
Bro. C. W. Shelley  
Bro. E. A. Cooper  
Bro. W. James  
Bro. H. Hughes  
Bro. G. E. Winyard  
Bro. H. G. Dawson  
Bro. J. Eutler  
Bro. S. C. Loweth  
Bro. J. F. N. Wooldridge  
Bro. A. V. McCumiskey