



## FRIENDSHIP LODGE, NO. 33

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June 23, 2026

My Brothers,

Earlier this year I sent out a Master's Appeal requesting financial assistance from you as Brothers to purchase lodge paraphernalia which is in dire need of updating. Thank you to those Brothers who have donated very generously to this initiative, I cannot express how thankful I am.

Though some Brothers have donated funding several items, you still have time to help complete this project. I am asking each of you to consider supporting the lodge and updating its paraphernalia for our current and future Brothers. Please consider donating any amount you can, remember small amounts add up to a large amount fast. As an example, four brothers donating \$50.00 each total \$200.

The following items are slated to be replaced which we haven't received designated donations for as of yet:

- Officer Jewels & Collars - \$4,750.00
- Officer Aprons - \$705.00
- Candidate Preparation Clothing - \$1,110.00
- Friendship Lodge Banner (Similar to DeMolay Banner in the East) -\$200.00 - \$1,000.00 depending on quality.
- Lodge Sign – Awaiting Quote

We will be ordering those items funded as soon as possible and future orders must be completed by September. Again, please consider donating any amount you are able towards this project.

To donate, please contact MWB Gary Arseneau at [friendship33.1795@gmail.com](mailto:friendship33.1795@gmail.com), Venmo the lodge or send a check no later than August 21, 2026.

Thank you for your consideration!

Fraternally,

Jacob Manke  
Worshipful Master