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## ✧ President's Message ✧

Brethren,

We had an excellent meeting with our speaker, E J Kimball, giving us an excellent background on events taking place in Egypt and on the Muslim Brotherhood. An interesting question and answer session followed.

The Wreath Laying at George Washington's Tomb took place on Sunday, the 20th of February 2011. We started out with 5 people in attendance which quickly swelled to about 100 high school students. I wore a copy of George Washington's Colonial Military Uniform, which gave me several interesting questions here and at Pohick Church. Finishing this ceremony, we journeyed to Pohick Church for coffee hour and had several interesting conversations, including one with a direct descendant of George Washington's mother, Mary Ball. Following coffee hour, we went to the church service and set in George Washington's pew. This went well with a visiting choir singing. All in all a great day. I wish more of you could have been in attendance.

I have contacted Dennis Johnson who has been invited to speak on ground penetrating radar and some of the interesting finds they have uncovered.

Kent

## ✧ Commander's Message ✧

Brethren:

Regretfully we had to make a weather cancellation for our January meeting. Hopefully, we will not have a problem for our next meeting at Camp Collingwood on March 30.

I want to thank everyone who came to the George Washington Ceremony on Feb. 20. I especially want to thank Steve Brundage, who made all the arrangements for Mt. Vernon, Pohick Church and the flowers. I apologize for not being in attendance, but have had a series of medical issues. Those who attended included: Brothers Kent Webber, who described George Washington's Patriotic service; Steve Brundage, who carried the Bennington flag; Les Albers, Chaplain and carried the National Colors; David Buffaloe, wife, and daughters.

Increasing our membership and supporting our Old Dominion 364 Chapter continue to be our highest priority. Please do all that you can in both of those areas. If you are aware of any opportunities for Americanism or Bridge of Light events, please let me know. I have had problems getting Heroes to volunteer for special ceremonies. If you are willing to be on our call list for these events please let me know at 703-281-7489 or at [ciddad@aol.com](mailto:ciddad@aol.com).

I look forward to seeing you at the March Old Dominion Chapter meeting.

Please feel free to call me at 703-281-7489 or email me at [ciddad@aol.com](mailto:ciddad@aol.com) <<mailto:ciddad@aol.com>> with any questions or suggestions.

Woody Bentley

Camp Commander

# ✧ Secretary Minutes ✧

## February 19, 2011 Minutes

### Opening / Call to Order:

The February stated meeting of Old Dominion Chapter 364 National Sojourners was held in the Arlington-Fairfax Elks Lodge No. 2188 at 8421 Arlington Boulevard, Fairfax, VA 22031. We enjoyed an excellent teriyaki steak over rice dinner and a dessert of angel food cake with cream and cherry sauce and most of all the fellowship that surrounded our membership.

Attendance: Total: 16 (5 women, 11 men)

The Chapter was called to order by President Bro. Kent Webber at 1945 hours.

The Colors were posted by Brothers David Buffaloe, Mark Harford, Les Albers, and guest Phil Porter.

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Bro. Joe Spruill.

The Toast to the Flag was delivered in honor of Bro. Scotty Cameron by Bro. David Buffaloe.

Chaplain Bro. Les Albers offered the opening prayer.

The Purposes of National Sojourners was delivered by Bro. Kent Webber.

### Correspondence (Secretary Les Albers):

- Mail received: From National H.Q.:
1. National Sojourners Invoice #2901 for \$4.52 for supplies.
  3. Invoice from Janine for February newsletter layout: \$85
  4. Invoice from Janine for monthly meeting postcards: \$60

Secretary: Minutes of the January 2011 were approved by acclamation.

Treasurer: Checking account: \$3,091.29; Capitol One Money Market account \$9,064.85.

### Membership:

Application for membership: None  
Current active members: 196

### Introductions and Welcome:

Members: Bro. Kent Webber: National Trustee; Past Presidents: Bro. Bill MacBrayne, PC; Bro. Joe Spruill; Past Commanders: Bro. Dan Levin; Bro. Les Albers.

Program: (2000-2050): Guest speaker: Edward J. Kimball, President of Strategic Engagement Organization, who spoke about Muslim issues. He is an expert on the subject and briefs members of Congress and the Police Departments on the issue.

Some key topics of the presentation: The Muslim Brotherhood and Al Qaeda. The concept of Jihad. Key Muslim Brotherhood documents that were found at a home in Fairfax County. The Holy Land fund trial. The infiltration of American society, government, and education system. And two of their targets: Zionism and Masonry.

### Commander LHHL (for: Brother Woody Bentley):

1. Next Heroes Bivouac at Camp Collingwood: 30 March 2011. Social time: 1830, Dinner at 1900. Program: Preparation for the Historical Flag Program.
2. Request for a color guard for 13 March by Tall Cedars.
3. Reminder of the 20 February Mount Vernon Wreath laying.
4. AW22 will conduct their wreath laying on Tuesday, 22 February.

5. Herndon Lodge has requested the History of the Flag ceremony on 4 July 2011.

### Committee Reports:

ROTC: None.

Americanism and BOL: None.

Programs: None.

Wellness and sadness: Bro. Scotty Cameron is resting.

Collingwood: All are invited to visit the center. The annual fund raiser is in effect. They are working on new windows to improve the appearance and heating efficiency.

Old business: None


New Business: We are preparing for the Annual Convention in June in Richmond.

President's remarks (Bro. Kent Webber): We are convening the 2011-2012 nominating committee.

### Closing:

1. 2055: The gavel was passed to all.
2. A Collection was taken for Collingwood: \$35.
3. the next meeting is Wednesday, 16 March.
4. Chaplain Bro. Les Albers gave the closing prayer.
5. The color guard retired the colors.
6. Meeting closed at 2100 hours.

At your service, Les Albers



## **NEXT MEETING ANNOUNCEMENT**

**The next Chapter Meeting is on Wednesday, 16 March 2011,  
at the Arlington-Fairfax BPO Elks Lodge  
located at  
8421 Arlington Blvd (US 50), Fairfax, VA 22031.**

**Uniform of the Day: Casual**

**Social Hour at 1830 hrs. Dinner at 1900 Hours**

Please make reservations through Brother Joe Spruill at 703-615-6275 or [joe.spruill@yahoo.com](mailto:joe.spruill@yahoo.com) by the end of the day on Sunday, 13 March.

**NOTICE: The next LHHL Bivouac is at Collingwood is 1830, Wednesday, 30 March 2011.  
Uniform: Continentals. Topic: Preparation for Historical Flag Ceremony.**