



Florida State Grotto Association

*MYSTIC ORDER VEILED PROPHETS
OF THE ENCHANTED REALM*



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The fraternity
that fun and
friendship built!

"We must engage the
youth or lose them."

Author unknown.



To: All Brethren attending May 2013 Grand Session of The
Grand Lodge of Free & Accepted Masons of the State of Florida

Re: Invitation to join the Grotto M.O.V.P.E.R. and become part of the
"Honorable M.: W.: Jorge L. Aladro Grand Master's Class 2013"

Dear Fellow Brethren:

If you're a Prophet just bring both your 2013 Grotto & Lodge dues card along with your Fez to this year's Grand Session. For those of you who wish to become Prophets just bring your current Lodge dues card and lots of **ENTHUSIASM** for fun & good fellowship.

Grottoes provide Master Masons with a place to join with his Brothers in letting the human instincts for fun, pleasure, and amusement prevail. Grottoes don't allow fellow Masons to exercise practices that would not be tolerated in the Masonic Bodies or which are taboo among gentlemen. Grotto stands for all of Masonry and wholesomeness in life. We stand for letting in the sunshine on discouragement, grief, and woe, and it stands for substituting hope for despair at all times. Grotto membership gives a man the right to wear its emblem and to participate in its good works, as well as enjoy all its pleasures.

Grotto representatives will be at the Session doors after noon on May 25th, all day the 26th, and up to 3:00 PM the 27th to assist you in getting registered for this special Initiation event. As usual, dress code is shirt with collar, long pants and closed toe shoes. Application forms will be reviewed for completeness and accuracy on your Grotto selection. Your Initiation Class will commence around 3:00 PM or 4:00 PM, on May 27th, 2013. All current Prophets are encouraged to attend this special ceremony. Following the ceremony, the new Prophets will receive a 2013 Grotto dues card back at the outside table near the Session doors. The candidate's records and fees will then be returned to his home Grotto, via FSGA processing, for their internal filing of pertinent information.

The F.S.G.A., from and through all its member Grottoes, wishes to say "Thanks" in advance for your consideration to join our fraternal wing in your Masonic life. Our slogan is **GOOD FELLOWSHIP**, and in contact with our fellow man, this principle is exemplified to a marked degree. If you have any questions, please contact the Executive Secretary, see contact information above, and he'll resolve your concerns personally, or put you in contact with the appropriate Grotto personnel nearest your residence.

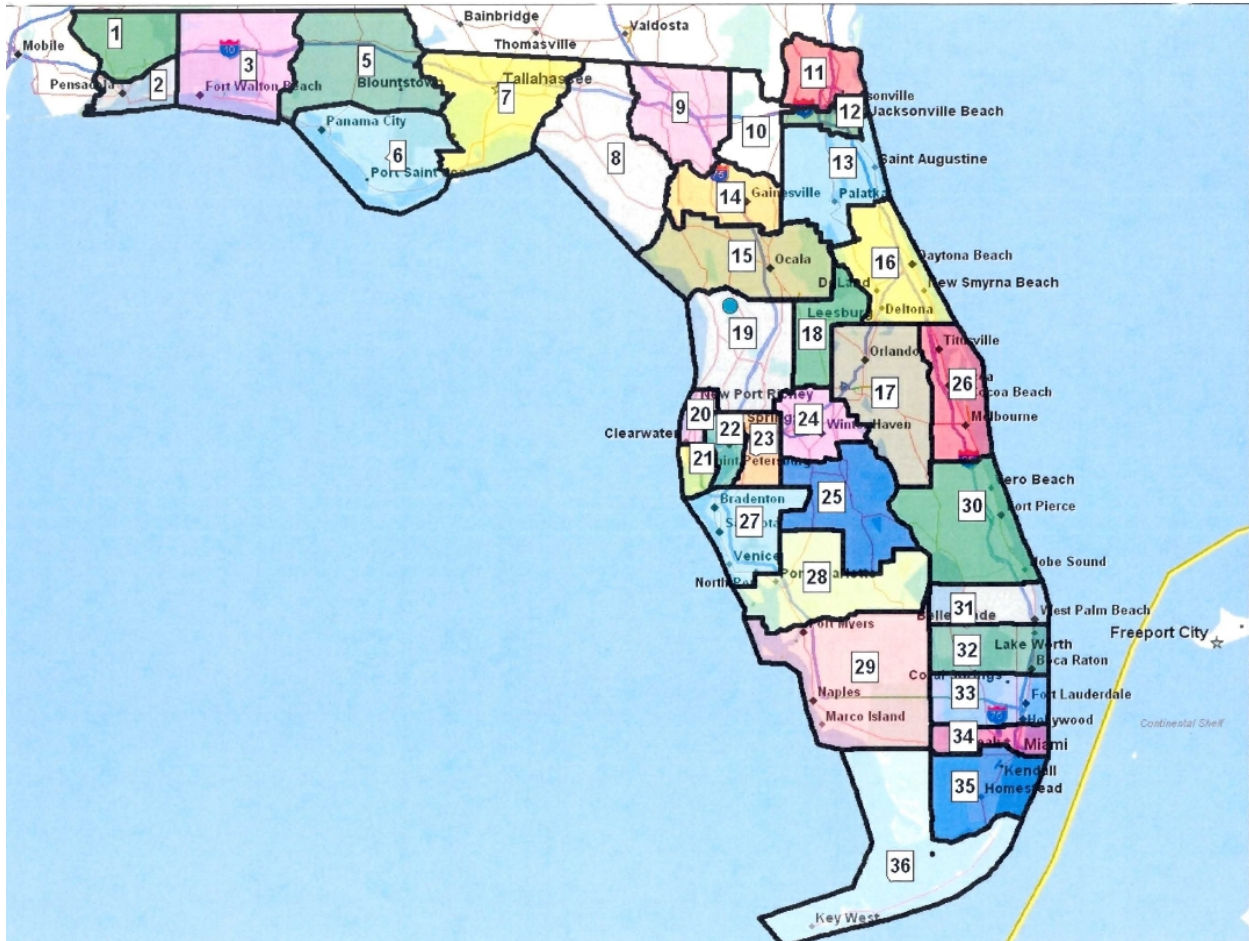
Fraternally yours in good fellowship,

Ewell E. Menge, PM 33°

President, Florida State Grotto Association

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Suggested format for sharing Masonic Districts in Florida for the
Honorable M.:W.: J.L. "George" Aladro
Grand Master's Class May 27, 2013



Arbitrary assigned Districts for your specific Grotto

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| Districts eastern half of 9, 10, 11, 12, 13 & 14 for <u>Ozz</u> in Jacksonville | Districts 1,2 & 3 for <u>Zelica</u> in Pensacola |
| Districts 5, 6, 7, 8 & western half of 9 for <u>Tal War</u> in Tallahassee | Districts 24 & part of 18 for <u>Sesame</u> in Lakeland |
| Districts 16 & parts of 15, 18, & 19 for <u>Zangi</u> in Daytona Beach | Districts 25 & 27 for <u>Samoor</u> in Sarasota |
| Districts 17, 26 & part of 18 for <u>Ormazd</u> in Orlando | Districts 22, 23 & part of 19 for <u>Zendah</u> in Tampa |
| Districts 20, 21 & part of 19 for <u>Selama</u> in St Petersburg | Districts 28 & 29 for <u>Galae</u> in Ft Myers |
| Districts 30 & southern part of 26 for <u>Ziba</u> in Stuart | District 33 for <u>Feramo</u> in Ft Lauderdale |
| Districts 31 & 32 for <u>SEM I NO</u> in West Palm Beach | Districts 34, 35 & 36 for <u>MIAMI</u> in Miami |

Alphabetical listing of Grottoes and their location, with suggested Districts listed

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| <u>Feramo</u> , Ft Lauderdale, District 33 | <u>SEM I NO</u> , West Palm Beach, Districts 31 & 32 |
| <u>Galae</u> , Ft Myers, Districts 28 & 29 | <u>Sesame</u> , Lakeland, Districts 24 & part of 18 |
| <u>MIAMI</u> , Miami, Districts 34, 35 & 36 | <u>Tal War</u> , Tallahassee, Districts 5, 6, 7, 8 & western half of 9 |
| <u>Ormazd</u> , Orlando, Districts 17, 26 & part of 18 | <u>Zangi</u> , Daytona Beach, District 16 & parts of 15, 18, & 19 |
| <u>Ozz</u> , Jacksonville, Districts eastern half of 9, 10, 11, 12, 13 & 14 | <u>Zelica</u> , Pensacola, Districts 1,2 and 3 |
| <u>Samoor</u> , Sarasota, Districts 25 & 27 | <u>Zendah</u> , Tampa, Districts 22,23 & part of 19 |
| <u>Selama</u> , St Petersburg, Districts 20, 21 & part of 19 | <u>Ziba</u> , Stuart, District 30 & southern part of 26 |

PETITION FOR INITIATION AND MEMBERSHIP

\$99.95

Initiation Fee includes Fez & 1st \$1 E. L. cost.

Names, annual dues & location for a Grotto in your District(s)

Dist 1,2 & 3 Zelica, \$30/yr, Pensacola, Fl

Dist 5,6,7 & western 1/2 of 9 Talwar, \$55/yr, Tallahassee, Fl

Dist eastern 1/2 of 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, & 14 Ozz, \$21/yr, Jacksonville, Fl

Dist 16 (& parts of 15, 18, & 19) Zangi, n.a., Daytona Beach, Fl

Dist 17, 26 (and parts of 18) Ormazd, \$30/yr, Orlando, Fl

Dist 24 Sesame, \$35/yr, Lakeland, Fl

Dist 22 & 23 (& parts of 19) Zendah, \$50/yr, Tampa, Fl



Grotto Mystic Order of Veiled Prophets of the Enchanted Realm

Honorable M.:W.: J.L. "George" Aladro Grand Master's Class May 27, 2013

To the Monarch and Prophets of Grotto:

The subscriber respectfully represents that he is a Master Mason in good standing and wishes to offer himself as a candidate for the mysteries of the Veiled Prophets of the Enchanted Realm, and if found eligible, promises to cheerfully conform to all the established usages, customs, and regulations of the Order and to By-laws of.....Grotto.

(PRINT YOUR NAME IN FULL)

What is your age Date of birth

Where born State of

Where do you reside

What is your P.O. Address where communications shall be sent:

Your residence phone is Business phone is

Your cell phone is Email address is

Name and No. of Lodge is

Located in

What is your occupation

Name and address of business is

How long have you resided in the State

How long in the city or town where you now reside

Wife's first name is Your size of hat is

Have you ever, to your knowledge or belief, petitioned to, or been rejected in any Grotto of Veiled Prophets If so, what Grotto

Have you ever been convicted of a felony?

.....Petitioner

(SIGN YOUR NAME IN FULL)

Proposed, Recommended and Vouched for by

Committee approved by Date

Committee approved by Date

FEES FOR THE ORDER MUST ACCOMPANY THIS PETITION

Make checks payable to Grotto joining or pay FSGA via Grand Lodge credit card.

\$99.95

Initiation Fee, includes Fez & 1st \$1 E. L. cost.

Names, annual dues & location for a Grotto in your District(s)

Dist 20 & 21 (& parts of 19) Selama, \$30/yr, St Petersburg, Fl

Dist 25 & 27 Samoor, \$45/yr, Sarasota, Fl

Dist 28 & 29 Galae, \$20/yr, Ft Myers, Fl

Dist 30 & southern 1/2 of 26 Ziba, \$25/yr, Stuart, Fl

Dist 31 & 32 SEM I NO, \$26/yr, West Palm Beach, Fl

Dist 33 Feramo, \$45/yr Ft Lauderdale, Fl

MI AM I, reserves their privilege to initiate candidates balloted on at their hall in Miami, Fl

