



## LODGE TULLIBARDINE IN THE EAST NO. 1118

Lodge Tullibardine in the East No.1118 was granted a Charter on 1 May 1913 and consecrated on 14 July 1913 in Kuala Lumpur. The Lodge was the 1118<sup>th</sup> Lodge registered under the jurisdiction of the Grand Lodge of Scotland and named after the Marquis of Tullibardine, Bro. John George, who was then the 80<sup>th</sup> Grand Master Mason. Bro. John George was also the 8<sup>th</sup> Duke of Atholl. Brethren who have an interest in the occult and an affinity for numbers will note the occurrence of the number '8'. The Duchy of Tullibardine and Atholl has produced many distinguished masons, three of whom have worn the purple of our fraternity as Grand Master Masons.

The petition to form a Scottish Lodge in the Federated Malay State of Selangor was moved by a number of Scottish brethren comprising primarily of planters, soldiers, miners and civil servants. With the exception of the War period between 1942-46, when the Lodge was in abeyance, the Lodge has been continuously served by dedicated and distinguished masons. The Right Worshipful Master of the Lodge was Bro. W. Littlefield. The first Malaysian and 50<sup>th</sup> Right Worshipful Master of the Lodge was Bro. Rama Krishna Panikkar who was installed into the Chair of King Solomon in 1967, fifty years after the founding of the Lodge. Since 1980, the Lodge has been ruled by Malaysian Masters. Today, Lodge Tullibardine enjoys a fraternal membership of 237, with nearly 100 resident and outstation members and the rest overseas.

During its formative years before the Second World War, the Lodge had its own premises at Venning Road, Kuala Lumpur. During the period of the War, this property at Venning Road was damaged and looted, and all the Tullibardine Masonic records up to that date, including all its furniture and jewels were destroyed.

Fortunately for the Lodge and fraternity, a number of Tullibardine brethren who were incarcerated in Changi Prison by the Japanese painstakingly recreated some of the records on Masonic memberships. It is believed too,

that the current Tullibardine Ritual was written from memory by these same brethren, with some amendments, to replace the original that had been destroyed with other records. This reconstructed Ritual is quite unique in Scottish Freemasonry, particularly the dramatic Third Degree working which is highly regarded as visually instructive.

After the War, the property in Venning Road was acquired by the Government of Selangor and the original temple torn down. The site today is a place of worships: the Malaysian National Mosque and Mausoleum. The original Keystone or 'Cornerstone' of the Tullibardine temple has, however, survived to this day and is positioned outside the present Dewan Freemason at 213, Jalan Tun Razak, Kuala Lumpur.

Lodge Tullibardine together with Lodge Scotia No. 1003 and Lodge Malaya No. 1146 petitioned for the formation of the District Grand Lodge of the Middle East. The District Grand Lodge was constituted in 1916 and the first District Grand Master was Bro. Eric Macfadyen, the third Right Worshipful Master of Tullibardine.

Lodge Tullibardine was also the principal sponsor of Lodge Kilwinning in the East No. 1606, the second Scottish Lodge in Kuala Lumpur. Tullibardine and Kilwinning enjoy a unique relationship in that they hold joint meetings once a year, alternately at each other's regular meeting in February. The visiting Lodge performs its ritual working during the regular meeting of the host Lodge.

The Lodge is today 90 years old and will celebrate its Centenary in the in 2012. It enjoys a strong reputation within the fraternity for its zeal for Masonic knowledge and its dedication to the pursuit of the ideals of Freemasonry, namely, Brotherly Love, Relief and Truth.

## Lodge Tullibardine in the East No.1118 Roll of Installed Masters

1913/14	Bro. J W Littlefield	1958/59	Bro. J. Stewart
1914/15	Bro. D D Ince	1959/60	Bro. D.C. Davidson
1915/16	Bro. E MacFadyen	1960/61	Bro. W.W. Linton
1916/17	Bro. H.L. Johnson	1961/62	Bro. A.H. Taylor
1917/18	Bro. C.B. Harley	1962/63	Bro. G.W. Drake
1918/19	Bro. C.W. Hall	1963/64	Bro. J. Smith
1919/20	Bro. A.D. Harcus	1964/65	Bro. D. Smith
1920/21	Bro. H.B. Wilkinson	1965/66	Bro. G.S.P. McGaw
1921/22	Bro. T.H. Cumming	1966/67	Bro. T. Dawber
1922/23	Bro. C.B. Colson	1967/68	Bro. R.K. Panikkar
1923/24	Bro. N. MacPhail	1968/69	Bro. B.M. Leith
1924/25	Bro. H.L. Johnson	1969/70	Bro. H.S. Field
1925/26	Bro. W. Lowson	1970/71	Bro. J. Copeland
1926/27	Bro. A. Thomson	1971/72	Bro. J. Ramage
1927/28	Bro. W.D. Mavor	1972/73	Bro. Ngei Sui Kan
1928/29	Bro. C.B. Colson	1973/74	Bro.K.W. Thornton
1929/30	Bro. A.N. Farquharson	1974/75	Bro. E.S. Thevasagayam
1930/31	Bro. W. Rodger	1975/76	Bro. K.T. Joseph
1931/32	Bro. L. Richardson	1976/77	Bro. J.B. Routledge
1932/33	Bro. D. Logan	1977/78	Bro. W.M. Reid
1933/34	Bro. H.T. Ross	1978/79	Bro. M.M. Moudgill
1934/35	Bro. W.S. Godward	1979/80	Bro. W.M. Reid
1935/36	Bro. A.G. Robertson	1980/81	Bro. Y.B. Menon
1936/37	Bro. D.W. McCrow	1981/82	Bro. R.K. Panikkar
1937/38	Bro. J. Does	1982/83	Bro. V. Venugopalan
1938/39	Bro. G.C. Macaulay	1983/84	Bro. Colin Filmer
1939/40	Bro. J.M. Laing	1984/85	Bro. M.K. Panikkar
1940/41	Bro. A.D. MacIntosh	1985/86	Bro. Lall Singh Dhaliwal
1941/42	Bro. L.A. Banner	1986/87	Bro. Kaka Singh Dhaliwal
1942/43	<i>In Abeyance</i>	1987/88	Bro. Sharanji Singh Boparoy
1943/44	<i>In Abeyance</i>	1988/89	Bro. Venugopal Panicker
1944/45	<i>In Abeyance</i>	1989/90	Bro. Gopala Krishnan Nair
1945/46	<i>In Abeyance</i>	1990/91	Bro. Devan Pillai
1946/47	<i>In Abeyance</i>	1991/92	Bro. Dunstan Fernandez
1947/48	<i>In Abeyance</i>	1992/93	Bro. Balachandran
1948/49	Bro. T. McCulloch	1993/94	Bro. Chandran G. Nair
1948/49	Bro. R.C. Moore	1994/95	Bro. Al'Alim Ibrahim
1949/50	Bro. C. Thornton	1995/96	Bro. M.R. Chandran
1950/51	Bro. Bro. J. Brown	1996/97	Bro. Sharanjit Singh B.
1951/52	Bro. R. Gibon	1997/98	Bro. Chew Yoke Lim
1952/53	Bro. C. Mills	1998/99	Bro. N. Shanmugam
1953/54	Bro. G.G.C. Wilson	1999/00	Bro. Mohanram K.N.
1954/55	Bro. P.G. Clark	2000/01	Bro. Venki Sankar
1955/56	Bro. W.R. Taylor	2001/02	Bro. Raymond Lopes
1957/58	Bro. J.H. Pidford	2002/03	Bro. Wong Yow Seng

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# The Visit of the M W The Grand Master Mason to Lodge Tullibardine In The East No. 1118, on Feb. 27, 2002



*The Lodge members with the G Master Mason & G Secretary*



*Two Masters with the G Master Masons Photographs*



*A toast to the new Master mason*



*RWDGM welcomes the Special guests*



*A gift also to Bro Neoh from the RWM*