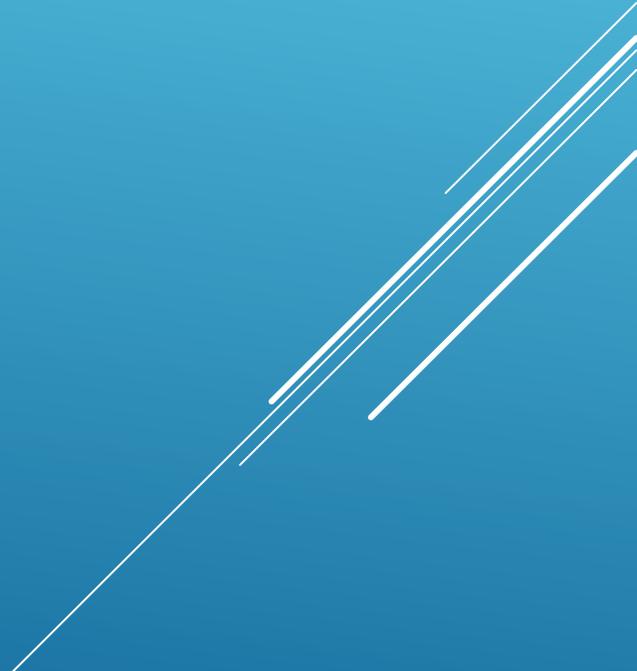




DEATH OF A BROTHER

By Grand Lecturer Leonard D. Ross

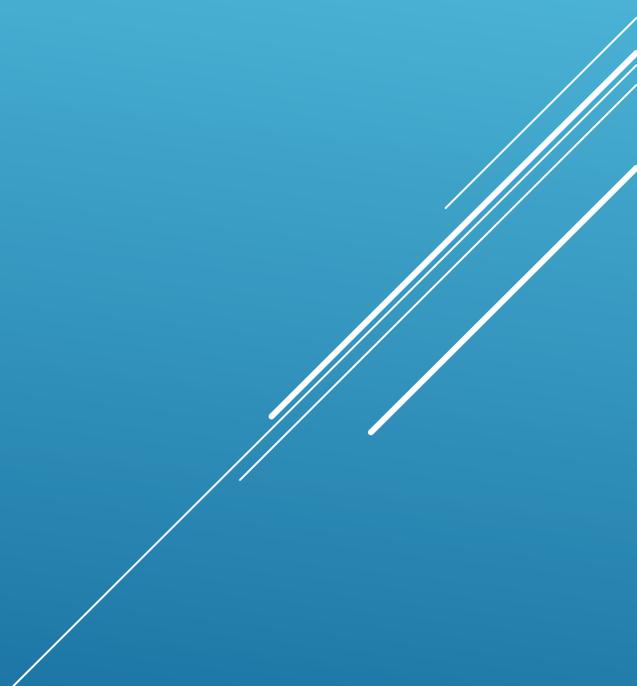
1. What should I do?
 2. What should the master do?
 3. What ceremonies should we perform and an overview of how they are to be performed?
- 

WHAT SHOULD I DO?

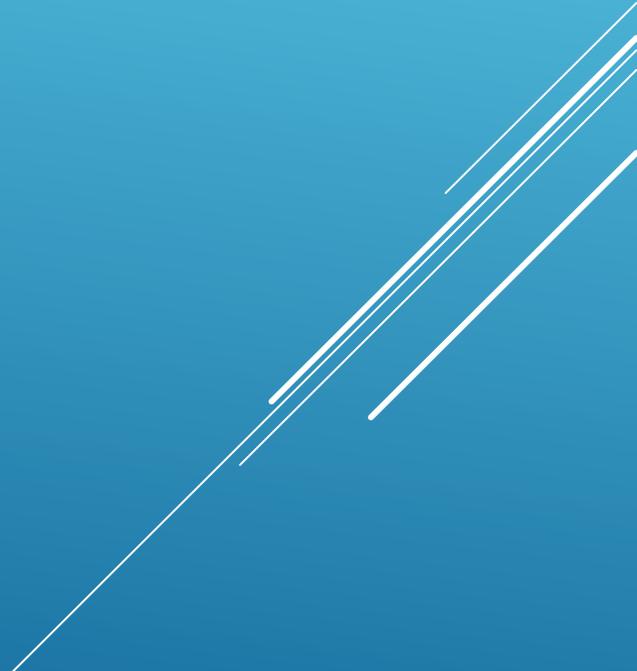
A. Be available

B. Prepare

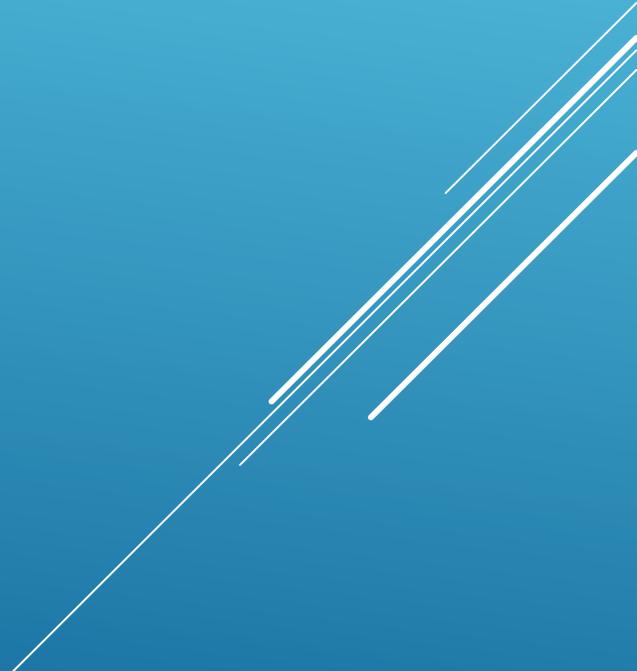
C. Respond



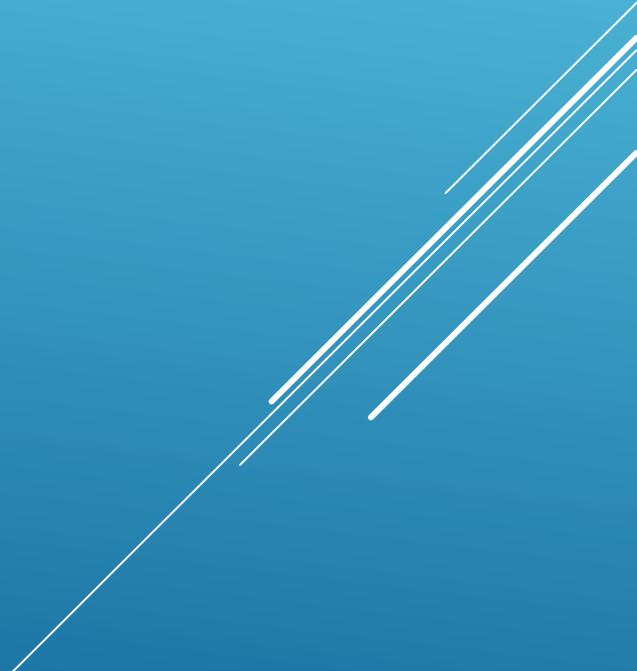
WHAT SHOULD THE MASTER DO?

- A. Conduct pre death practices.**
 - B. Contact the next of kin.**
 - C. Notify the lodge members and the D.D.G.M**
 - D. Hold lodge rehearsals for the various ceremonies.**
 - E. Insure preparation of Resolution and Flowers**
- 
- A decorative graphic consisting of several parallel white lines of varying lengths and orientations, located in the bottom right corner of the slide.

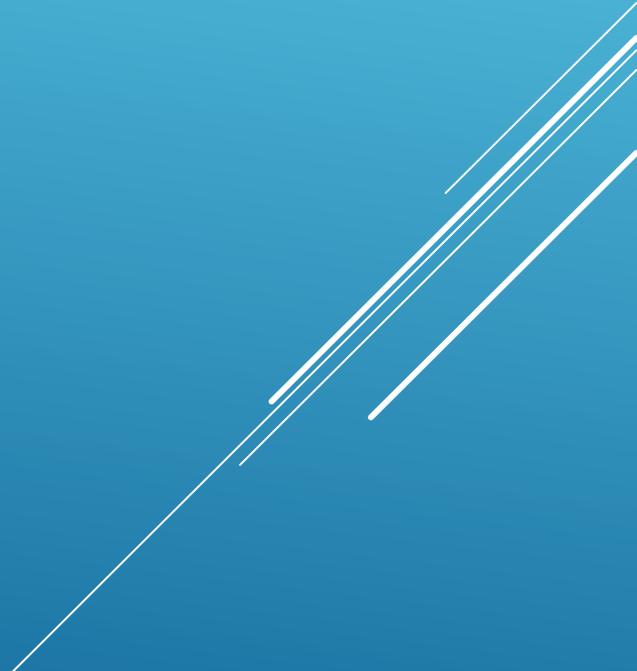
WHAT ARE THE CEREMONIES AND HOW SHOULD THEY BE PERFORMED?

- A. Draping of the Altar.**
 - B. Service at the Wake.**
 - C. Reading of the Resolution.**
 - D. Service at the Gravesite**
- 
- A decorative graphic consisting of several parallel white lines of varying lengths, slanted diagonally from the bottom right towards the top right, set against a blue gradient background.

DRAPING OF THE ALTAR

- 1. Master is to insure that draping is immediate.**
 - 2. No identified ceremony**
 - 3. Tradition**
- 
- A decorative graphic consisting of several parallel white lines of varying lengths, slanted diagonally from the bottom right towards the top right, located in the lower right quadrant of the slide.

SERVICE AT THE CHURCH (WAKE)

1. Requires rehearsals (Ritual page 219 – 222)
 2. Some reasonable modifications may be made
 3. Public or private event (may be done in the lodge, funeral home, home of the deceased, or some other place)
 4. Deacons or Stewards at head and foot of coffin
- 
- A decorative graphic consisting of several parallel white lines of varying lengths and orientations, located in the bottom right corner of the slide.

- 1. Lineup at Church entrance and exit**
- 2. Reading of the Resolution**
- 3. Deacons and Stewards activity similar to Wake.**
- 4. Actions at cemetery**
- 5. Broken Chain Ceremony**

(Note) Service at the gravesite (Ritual pages 223-231 omitting the gravesite honors as given on page 228 in favor of the one on page 269)