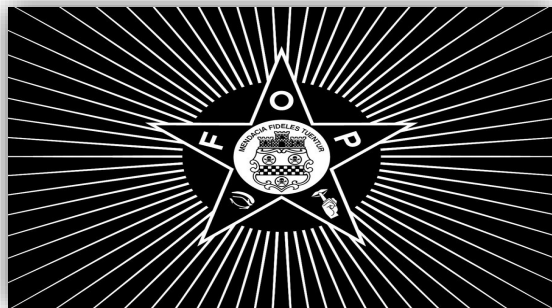


December 2023

Newsletter



President's Message

? BE INTENTIONAL

This is the season to be intentional. Be determined to enjoy this holiday season with loved ones. Remember to intentionally schedule time with loved ones. Don't let time pass without making the most of it. Time is the one thing you cannot get back. Take the time to create great memories with loved ones that will last a lifetime, but they do not happen without being intentional. "I wish each of you Happy Holidays and a Prosperous New Year in 2024."



"Doing More With Lodge 64"

Secretary Corner



Don't forget to pay your 2024 Membership dues. There is a deadline date of December 31, 2023 to pay your dues without a late fee

Is your mailing, email address & telephone #correct? Has there been any changes in your beneficiary status? If so, please update it as soon as possible. Don't miss out on pertinent information from Lodge 64, State and/or National FOP Offices.



Fulton County Lodge 64 website: "GAFOPLODGE64.com"

If you know someone that needs to pay dues or are interested in joining the lodge, they can go to the lodge website for an application and **pay their dues with PayPal that is on the website or CashApp using fclodge64. Dues are \$60 for Retiree and \$120 for Active**

If you change jobs with a law enforcement agencies it is your responsibility to notify the lodge of your employment change. If your mailing, email address or telephone # changed, it is your responsibility to notify the lodge secretary.

Call 404.767.0501 and leave a message or send an email to adriennegrooms@fop.net. Your assistance is greatly appreciated.

UPCOMING EVENTS



****2024 General Meeting & Training Location****



"CONGRATULATIONS!!"



The votes have been casted and the tally has been made. On December 21, 2023 at the General Meeting , the Fulton County Lodge 64 announced the results of the 2023 Election for the Sergeant at Arms and Chaplain positions.

The results were Bro. Alfred Francois retained his position as Chaplain and Bro. Jerome Hull retained his position as Sgt-at-Arms for Fulton County Lodge 64.

The 2024-2025 term Fulton County Lodge #64 Executive Board

President
Sis. Charlene Heard

1st Vice President
Bro. Howard Billingslea
(Past President)

2nd Vice President
Bro. Elbert Carter

Secretary
Sis. Adrienne Grooms

Treasurer
Sis. Andrea Thomas

Sgt-At-Arms
Bro. Jerome Hull

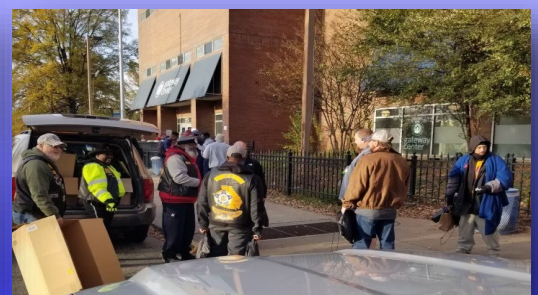
Chaplain
Bro. Alfred Francois

Lodge State Trustee
Bro. Eardley Jarvis



"Community Service with the Motor Unit"

On November 23, 2023, Thanksgiving morning members of the Fulton County Lodge 64 Motor Unit issued out winter care packages to the homeless in the downtown Atlanta area. The packages consisted of blankets, hats, gloves and socks. Kudos to Elbert "EL" Carter, Joseph "Bubba" Bantin, Rodney "Cowboy" Burley, Twantta "Genuine" Jennings, Fred "Jolly Roger" Allen and John "J-Bolt" Green for taking time out of their morning to lend a hand to those in need.



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"2023 Cops and Kids Christmas Event"



On Saturday, December 16, 2023, Fulton County Lodge #64 held its annual "Cops & Kids Christmas Event" at the Walmart Supercenter Store in Union City, GA. We were able to bring joy and smiles to the faces of 124 children/families as they shopped off of their Christmas wish list with an officer. We send a big "Thank You" to the: Fulton County Marshals, Fulton County Sheriff's Office, College Park Police Department, East Point Police Department, East Point Fire Department, Union City Police Department, Atlanta Public School Police Department, Fulton County School Police Department, and Fulton County Emergency Services. We also extend a thank you to our Members, Community Sponsors and the Walmart Staff: Store Manager, Don McCray, Krystle Nelson, Nicole Hollis, Tony Jones and other staff that assisted with making this event a successfully. We love our Santa- Mr. Amos Williams!



"If you want to lift yourself up, lift up someone else"

Booker T. Washington



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"2023 Cops and Kids Christmas Event"



Another successful "Cops & Kids" Christmas Event in the book for 2023. Thank you for Mr. Don McCray, Ms. Nicole Hollis, Ms. Krystle Nelson and Mr. Special thanks to Brothers: John Green, Aubrey Roberts, and Renaldo Weekes for always being willing to lend a helping hand. Special thanks to DJ Tony Ricks for the festive music and Mr. Amos Williams, the best Santa in the world.

**Thank you to all the members of the "Best Lodge of the Year"-
Fulton County Lodge #64**



WELCOME!

Fulton County Sheriff's Office

- ◆ Mauricio Cox
- ◆ Rachel Peterson - Reinstate
- ◆ Clinton Pace

Other Agencies:

- ◆ Jakai Braithwaite - Roswell PD
- ◆ Ernest Britton - APD reinstate
- ◆ Eucline Vincent - APD



On December 20, 2023, the following Fulton County Sheriff's Office, Lodge 64 members were promoted:

- ◆ Sis. Rekisha Demmons promoted to Detention Sergeant
 - ◆ Sis. Khadijah Soloman promoted to Detention Sergeant
 - ◆ Sis Bryttany Echols promoted to Sergeant
 - ◆ Bro. Timothy Ingram promoted to Sergeant
 - ◆ Bro. Percy Marzell promoted to Sergeant
 - ◆ Bro. James Redmond promoted to Sergeant
 - ◆ Bro. Nicholas Reynolds promoted to Sergeant
 - ◆ Bro. Christopher Skyers promoted to Sergeant
- Congratulations on your accomplishments and the continued progression of your career.



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POWER of PRAYER



- ◆ Continued prayers for Sis. Hattie Cotton-Tukes on the recent passing of her mother Ms. Ruby S. Cotton.
- ◆ Continued prayers for Bro. Vincent Owens on the recent passing of his mother Ms. Bessie Owens.
- ◆ Continued prayers for Sis. Jantisha Hambrick on the recent passing of her father Mr. Horace Sanford Jr.
- ◆ Continued prayers for Bro. Reginald Phillips on the recent passing of his sister, Ms. Brenda G. Phillips.



GET WELL



- ◆ Continue praying for a healthy and speedy recovery for Bro. Joseph Walker
- ◆ Continue praying for a healthy and speedy recovery for Bro. Larry Lindsey
- ◆ Continue praying for a healthy and speedy recovery Sis Cynthia Dunn-Duhart
- ◆ Continue praying for a healthy and speedy recovery for Sis. Sylvia Sheppard



Do you know of any member that maybe sick and/or in distress.
Call 404.767.0501 and leave a message.

Ask yourself -Can YOU do more for Lodge 64?



**Fraternal Order of Police
Fulton County Lodge #64
2896 East Point Street
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"Family is the most important thing in the world"
Diana (Princess of Wales)

Membership Applications QR Code



Fulton County Lodge 64

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