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Remember to Sabbath

Do we really think our all-powerful, all-knowing God *needed* to rest after just six days of work? Possibly, but it seems more likely that God *chose* to rest to show us the importance of resting from our labors. He knew that we would need an example to follow, and that lesson is just as important today as it was all those years ago.

Our culture places a lot of emphasis on working hard, earning your place, and pulling yourself up by your bootstraps, but a close reading of the Bible reveals a very different message.

You can't earn your place in heaven through good works. And God certainly doesn't determine your value by your use of your bootstraps — quite the opposite.

After all, the Bible isn't full of stories of independent go-getters who won accolades all on their own by working around the clock. No, the stories are of people who leaned on God to achieve great things by saying yes to Him and following His path, which includes good work, but also always includes rest.

The Sabbath was the first day specifically set aside for something established by God. More holy days and holidays and feasts would come later, but the Sabbath has been with us since creation. It is one of God's first gifts to us, a sacred time to give our bodies and minds a chance to recharge and anchor our weeks in rest and communion with Him. Resting regularly isn't being lazy and doesn't mean that we are shirking our responsibilities. It is simply accepting God's generous gift. Building our lives around weekly rest is the first step in accepting the rhythm of life God laid out for us at the beginning, and it only brings us closer to Him.

And God blessed the seventh day and declared it holy, because it was the day when he rested from all his work of creation.

~Genesis 2:2~

MASTER'S AWARDS:

Burr Oak Grange #1350 for

hosting the

Degree Day

St. Joseph/Cass/Kalamazoo
Pomona #4 for the hog roast & potluck served at the Degree Day

Eugene Fletcher for the 3D designs





MSG Master and Eugene Fletcher

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New Grange Year

As we begin a new Grange year, let's strive to make this the best one yet. Our Granges and Grangers have done amazing things in the past year and we continue to impress our friends and neighbors. In our efforts to serve the communities we inhabit, we continue to miss our opportunities to share our excitement when we accomplish whatever we are doing in the community by inviting our friends and neighbors to join in our efforts.

When we ask them to join us they have a choice to either say yes or no. It has been said that for every ninety-nine No's there will be one YES. We need to capitalize on the YES'S. The more members we have the more we can do in our own communities.

Before we volunteer our members to become No's we need to remember that many hands make little work. While we strive to keep our members from getting volunteer burnout, keep in mind that it is always good to thank your members and volunteers. Fredonia Grange does a catered meal once a year to thank all who have helped them throughout the year, a very nice gesture.

National Session

As I write this we are preparing to head out to the National Grange Convention in Bettendorf, Iowa. I look forward to visiting with old friends and meeting new ones. We have been hard at work with our host committee work for the last few months, we will continue with that work through the convention. If you happen to be in the area during the convention we would love to have you stop by and say hi. The National Convention is designed for more than just the delegates. If you have seen any of the information about this year's convention you will notice that there are over 60 different breakout sessions that are designed for the non-delegates.

State Session

I would like to wish congratulations to all of the contest entry winners within the departments. The handiwork of our members never ceases to amaze me. We have so many talented individuals around the state, I would hope that our Lecturers are using those individuals to educate our members on their crafts and hobbies.

I would also like to thank Randy Cebulski and the

In Memory of



PAST MASTER ROLAND G. WINTER MICHIGAN STATE GRANGE 1926-2024

Roland Glenn Winter, 98, of Marshall, Michigan, passed away peacefully on Tuesday, September 24, 2024 at Heritage Community of Kalamazoo, Michigan.

Brother Roland served the Michigan State Grange in many ways over the years. He held the office of Steward from 1968-1974; Overseer 1974-1980; Master 1980-1996; Exec. Comm. 2002-2006; His-

torical Committee 1999-2024; Founding member of the MSG Foundation. He also served on the National Grange Historical Committee and as Priest Messenger Assembly of Demeter. Roland assembled a Grange Museum in his home where he enjoyed showing it to anyone interested.

He was a member of the United Methodist Church, Marshall, the Barn Preservation, Marshall Senior Center, Marshall VFW and the American Legion.

He was preceded in death by his wife Beulah, parents, two brothers, two sister, son-in-law and special friend Vera. He is survived by his daughter, Jackie Bishop of Portage, MI; Rebecca Winter of Meridian, ID, five grand-children and 10 great grandchildren.

WELL DONE GOOD AND FAITHFUL SERVANT

Region Granges and Grangers that put together a spectacular State Session. The facility was spacious and had room for everything, and of course as Grangers, we adapted to the loss of heat that the Church experienced right before our session

And a big thank you to all that donated to the North Carolina Granges in need. I'm preparing to travel there in just a few short days and am proud of the amount that Michigan Grangers have donated. Every little bit will help our fellow Grangers and their communities reestablish their lives after the devastation brought on my Hurricane Helene.

"As we are again to separate and mingle with the world, let us not forget the precepts of our order. Let us add dignity to labor, helping the fatherless and the widows, and keeping ourselves unspotted from the world...." But never forget to tell them who we are, what we do, and invite them to join us.

Until next time

DEAF AWARENESS

Awards

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Sharon and I would like to thank all of those that participated in the Deaf Awareness Contests this year. It was great to see the many ideas for the Christmas Ornaments. Some of those ornaments will be given to Michigan School for the Deaf for their tree.

We have made contact with the school and hoping to have some results soon on the Adopt-a-Child Program for this year. We will be sending out the information to you as soon as we get it for not only the children your Grange will have but the date and time of the party.

If we have not heard from you about sponsoring a child this year we will be contacting you.

Happy Thanksgiving, Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year to all! Enjoy! Have Fun! Eat A lot! Be Safe!

POSTER CONTEST:

Juniors: ages 9-11

1st: Olivia Sivyer, Burns #160

Subordinate:

1st: Sharon Popler, Burns #160 2nd: Peggy Johnston, Burns #160 3rd: Dale Moore, Burns #160

CHRISTMAS TREE ORNAMENTS

Subordinate:

1st: Naomi Fletcher, Burns #160 2nd: Fran Longsdorf, Burns #160 3rd: Sharon Popler, Burns #160

DEAF AWARENESS DONATIONS

- 1. Fredonia #1713
- 2. Mid Michigan Pomona #61
- 3. Studley #1174
- 4. Burns #160
- 5. Barnard #689
- 6. West Oshtemo #1630
- 7. Pittsfield Union #882
- 8. Oceana Center #1047
- 9. Gratiot #1898
- 10. Kinney #754

ADOPT-A-CHILD

1.	St Joseph, Cass, Kalamazoo Pomona #4	1
2.	Mid Michigan Pomona #61	2
3.	Gratiot #1898	1
4.	Burns #160	4
5.	Home #129	4
6.	Fredonia #1713	2
7.	Community #1675	1
8.	Colon #215	1
9.	Studley #1174	2
10.	Oceana Center #1047	1
11.	North Adrian #721	2
12.	Barnard #689	2
13.	Fern #803	3
14.	Plymouth/Westland #389	1
15.	Burr Oak #1350	1
16.	Moshervill #1351	1
17.	Dale Moore/Sharon Popler/Peggy Johnston	2
18.	Ted & Helen Mudd/ Tricia Eidsmoe	1
19.	Kevin Young/ Russ Hoag/ Dale & Lena Your	ng 1
20.	Claudia Libbey & family	2
21.	Fran Longsdorf	1
22.	Mike Warner	1
23.	Maria Lopez	1
24.	Arlene & Scotty Douglas	2
25.	Ladies of the Lake	6

REPORTS FILED

1.	Burns #160 ***	Peggy Johnston
2.	Gratiot #1898 ***	Sharon Popler
3.	Community #1675 ***	Lena Young
4.	Mid Michigan Pom. #61 ***	Dale Moore
5.	Studley #1174 ***	Helen Mudd
6.	Harbor Springs #730 ***	LaDonna Kurburski
7.	West Oshtemo #1630	Gene Rhodes
8.	Fredonia #1713	Andrea Peck
9.	Barnard #689	Claudia Libbey
10	. St. Jos./Cass/Kzoo Pom. #4	Lucile Bloom
**	* Met Requirements	



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Greetings from north of the bridge! I'd like to first take this opportunity to congratulate Jackie Bishop on her election to the MSG Executive Committee, and to thank the delegates for placing their confidence in me as your new MSG Lecturer to continue the wonderful programs Jackie has overseen these last six+ years.

We were all chatting around the table one day at state session and someone asked me if I'd ever been a Lecturer before? As I was thinking back on my Grange life, I said yes. And then I thought there isn't an office I haven't held in some form or fashion, either as an elected officer in my local Grange, Pomona Grange, State Grange, or as a member of a Degree team. I believe I even stood during a tableau during the first four degrees, and on stage as a court lady next to the Ceres of the National Grange. I think my favorite, though, was as Lecturer in my Subordinate/Community Grange. It gave me an opportunity to study a bit deeper into the workings of the Grange so that I could impart that information onto my fellow brothers and sisters.

But the position is more than just for education. It's as a member of a team of officers who lead our members into a changing future-ever facing the light. I hope to bring new programs to you from the National Grange and from our community partners. Each Grange News I will bring you a few details from each of our departments and how you and your Grange can become a Distinguished Grange, earn an award in Community Service, encourage participation in the Deaf Awareness program, and so much more. If there is a program you would like to learn more about, please send me an email. It may become a part of the Lecturer's department!

We will be attending the National Grange session in Bettendorf, Iowa in a few short weeks. I will participate in as many Lecturer's events as possible. Several workshops are being offered in leadership development, programming and fundraising; all of which will benefit our Granges here in Michigan. So, keep an eye on this column to see what there will be in the offering for you and your Grange.

You'll also see some updated contests to enter in the new program book coming out in the next MGN. I challenge each of you to enter at least ONE contest from one of the departments that offer a contest. I'd like to see the exhibit room FULL!

QUESTION OF THE MONTH: What is the emblem of the Fourth Degree? (answer next time!)

And now for the winners of the various contests held at State Session! Congratulations to you all!.

Class A: Items Created from Yarn

Subordinate:

1st: Rebecca Winter, Home #129 2nd: Naomi Fletcher, Burns #160

3rd: Joan Hellman, Pittsfield Union #882

Class B: Items Created from Paper

Subordinate:

1st: Peggy Johnston, Burns #160 2nd: Dale Moore, Burns #160 3rd: Sharon Popler, Burns #160

Class C: Items Created from Fabric

Juniors: 9-14 year olds

1st: Olivia Sivyer, Burns #160

Subordinate:

1st: Karen Wolletz, Barnard #689

2nd: Linda Bula, Fern #803

3rd: Helen Mudd, Studley #1174

Class D: Items Created with Thread

Subordinate:

1st: Karen Wolletz, Barnard #689

Class E: Items made with paints, water colors, etc.

Junior: Agea 8 and under

1st: Winter Hsu-Bishop, Home #129

Subordinate:

1st: Naomi Fletcher, Burns #160 2nd: Karen Wolletz, Barnard #689

Class F: Items using Mixed Media

Subordinate:

1st: Karen Wolletz, Barnard #689

2nd: LaDonna Kurburski, Harbor Springs #7303rd: Sharon Strebbing, Plymouth/Westland #389

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Community Service

Winners

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The Michigan State Grange Session has come to a close once again. I would like to thank all our Grangers who helped to promote Community Service in their communities during this year.

This year the Michigan State Grange had a Community Service project. Chris Johnston contacted Illinois, Indiana an Ohio State Granges, and invited they to take up a collection of needed items for the survivors of Helene. Chris Johnston the collected all materials and delivered them to North Carolina.

Granges, let's all think about one new project/ service we can do this next year for your community.

We have 21 subordinate Granges and 9 Granges submitted Community Service Reports with a total of 25,220 service hours with 2 Granges not submitting any service hours.

Congratulation Everyone!!!!

Thank you to all Granges for promoting Community Service and taking the time to complete a report and summiting it to me.

2024 Michigan State Grange Community Service Winners

40 members and over

1st Place Fredonia Grange #1713 2nd Place Burns Grange #160 3rd Place Pittsfield Union #882

Michigan State Grange Community Service Winners Under 40 Members

1st Place Community Grange #1675

2nd Place Studley Grange #1174

3rd Place Barnard Grange #689

The NG requests our 1st through 4th place winners. Based on total number of points from the judging. Following are the Granges recognized as the top winners.

1st Place Fredonia Grange #1713 2nd Place Burns Grange #160

3rd Place Community Grange #1675 4th Place Studley Grange #1174

2024 Very Important Patron

There were no nominees this year.

***Next Years Community Service Reports will be due on Sunday, September 10th, 2025.

Happy Thanksgiving and Merry Christmas Everyone.

INFORMATION

The following Granges received certificates for having or doing some kind of event or project this past year to bring awareness to the public of the Grange.

Barnard #689

Burn Oak #1350

Colon #215

Community #1675

Fredonia #1713

Harbor Springs #730

Maple Leaf #940

Studley #1174

Burns #160

Colon #215

Fern #803

Gratiot #1898

Home #129

Oceana Center #1047

Summit City #672

St. Joseph/Cass/Kalamazoo Pomona #4 Mid Michigan Pomona #







6TH



AGRICULTURE

Report & Awards

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Welcome to the 151st Annual Convention of the Michigan State Grange!! It is hard to believe that it is time for yet another Michigan State Grange Session. Time sure goes by fast, where has 2024 gone!? I hope everyone has enjoyed my articles as at times I felt like I was just rambling on but at the time I was writing them it was what was on my mind. Agriculture in our Great State is a very important part of life and of the State Economy, and I feel honored to be the Director of the MSG Agriculture Department. It has been a very up and down year so far for Agriculture in our Country and it isn't over yet. As our elected officials that represent us in Washington DC still work on the new Farm Bill, we need to be mindful of the items that they may add or delete from it. We need to use our voice to let our State representatives know before it is too late that farmers are still struggling and we need to support the farmers more than ever as they continue to feed our Country and the World. We the Grange, need to stand strong more than ever to let everyone know that the Grange is still alive and here to help our friends in Agriculture.

I look forward to seeing what entries will be in the Ag Department classes this year. It has been another strange growing season in 2024. I hope to continue to bring you information on this Department that has meant so much to our Great Organization when it was first founded! I hope everyone enjoys the State Session and their stay in Charlevoix!!!

Class I Vegetables: Potatoes

Subordinate:

1st: Sharon Popler, Burns #160

2nd: Heather Hyatt-Mudd, Studley #1174

Winter Squash: Subordinate:

1st: Heather Hyatt-Mudd, Studley #1174 2nd: Dale Young, Community #1675 3rd: Lena Young, Community #1675

Class II: Flowers: A-Potted Herbs

Subordinate:

1st: Dale Moore, Burns #160 2nd: Peggy Johnston, Burns #160

Flowers: Plant in Unique Container

Subordinate

1st: Arlene Douglas, Burns #160 2nd: Sharon Popler, Burns #160 3rd: Peggy Johnston, Burns #160 Class III Flowers—Bloom

Subordinate:

1st: Peggy Johnston, Burns #160 2nd: Dale Moore, Burns #160 3rd: Sharon Popler, Burns #160

Class: IV: Other Categories — decorated pumpkin

Subordinate:

1st.: Sharon Popler, Burns #160 2nd: Peggy Johnston, Burns #160 3rd: Lena Young, Community #1675

Class: IV —Other Categories —decorated flower pot

Subordinate:

1st: Heather Hyatt-Mudd, Studley #1174

2nd: Peggy Johnston, Burns #160 3rd: Chris Johnston, Burns #160

BEST OF SHOW — AGRICULTURE Heather Hyatt-Mudd, Studley #1174







FUNDRAISING

WOW!!

Kevin Young, Chairman 60822 Creek Road, Niles, MI 49120 Tel: 269-684-3870 E-mail: Kevin60822@sbcglobal.net

Fund Raising Efforts paid off:

We took in \$2712 in **Grange "G" dollars** and please keep collecting for new Grange year.

Pennies from Heaven brought in \$126.54.

The **Silent Auction** that everyone enjoys!! Some more than others!! Took in \$680.50.

The **blankets** that were made from the many 10" crocheted or knitted squares are ready! We will be applying for the license with the State and once received, Connie Johnston will print tickets to start selling. We will draw the winning tickets at the 2025 state convention.

Thank you to everyone that participated in the fund raisers.

LECTURER'S DISPLAYS



MEMBERSHIP

CONGRATS!!

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Membership reports were received from 9 of the 21 subordinate Granges in the state.

Barnard #689 Burns #160
Community #1675 Fredonia #1713
Gratiot #1898 Summit City #672
Harbor Springs #730 Studley #1174

West Oshtemo #1630

The membership year ran from July 1, 2023 to June 30, 2024. Three Granges took in new members. Two of these Granges had an increase in membership during this time period:

Gratiot #1898 – 1 new member West Oshtemo #1630 – 5 new members Fredonia #1713 – 4 new members but no net increase

The Sister Grange program continued for a second year. Three Granges participated in the program:

Barnard #689 Harbor Springs #730 Summit City #672

Thanks again to all Granges participating in the membership program! Keep up the good work and I hope to see more reports next year with lots of new members!

MSG FOUNDATION, Jackie Bishop, Sec/Treas. 479 Tuscany Drive Portage, MI 49024 Please accept my donation to help supp Michigan State Grange Foundation.	ort the Mission of the
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FOUNDATION

Annual Report

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Michigan State Grange Foundation Annual Report 2023-24 Naomi Fletcher, Board President

Brothers and Sisters,

It is my privilege to provide the Michigan State Grange a report of the state of the Michigan Grange Foundation on behalf of the full board.

Members of the Board of the Foundation include Jackie Bishop-Secretary/Treasurer, Susan Wagner-Vice President, Jeff Swainston-Director and Chris Johnston-Director. Each of these individuals have worked together in making major decisions on behalf of the Foundation. Thank you for your dedication to the work of the Foundation. We are sad to announce that Susan Wagner has chosen not to continue as a member of the Board. We wish her well in her commitment to family and the Grange.

The Foundation's work has focused over the years on providing charitable contributions to such organizations whose purpose aligns with the aims and purposes of the Foundation. The Foundation also provides student loans to individuals seeking higher education in university, college or vocational arenas. The Foundation is this year considering instituting a scholarship to any student in higher education in addition to the student loan program. We hope to have a final application ready in the Spring. Watch your Grange News for updates. In addition, the Foundation supports the work of the Grange as a whole through newsletter publishing and postage, and the work of the MSG Department Directors to carry out and develop programs relevant to today's Grange.

The work of the Foundation relies on the generosity of members and friends of the Grange through donations, bequests and repayments of student loans. Additionally, investments generate interest to assist in perpetuating the Foundation funds. The Financial Report is attached to this report for your review.

Through the years, the generosity of members and friends have allowed the MSG Foundation to perpetuate its work. The passing of long-standing members this last year have added to the principal and will be used to advance the purposes of the

Foundation.

An additional important item of note are the funds specifically dedicated to securing a monument commemorating Past State Master Jonathan Woodman. The Sesquicentennial Committee was charged with completing the task of securing needed information to complete the necessary paperwork to set the monument. Several members have made attempts to contact the surviving member of Brother Woodman's family to no avail. I believe the next task is to work with the Sexton and the Cemetery Board to place the marker. If it means generating a resolution to present to the County Board of Commissioners, I'm happy to help. We're looking for individuals that would be willing to assist with this footwork. If necessary, I'm willing to meet with any individuals in charge at the Cemetery or in the county to try to resolve this important issue this next year.

As always, the Foundation thanks the Grange members and friends for their generosity over the years. Your donations assist in continuing the work of the Grange and the Foundation. As a 501©3 organization, your contributions are tax deductible. Fraternally,

Naomi Fletcher, Board President Michigan State Grange Foundation

MSG Foundation Financial Statement

ASSETS

SILAC Annuity (10-4-24)	\$163,085.51
American National Annuity (8-1-24)	67,755.16
Checking Account	27,299.64
Student Loan	5,000.00
TOTAL ASSETS	\$263,140.31
ALLOCATED FUNDS	
Endowment Fund	
Student Loan Fund	102,077.84
MSG Dir Prom & Dev. Fund	30,000.00
Michigan Disaster Fund	3,395.44
Jonathan Woodman Mem Fund	2,043.00
Deaf Awareness Fund	277.50
Deaf Awareness Fund TOTAL ALLOCATED FUNDS	277.50 \$138,176.78
TOTAL ALLOCATED FUNDS	\$138,176.78
TOTAL ALLOCATED FUNDS NON-ALLOCATED FUNDS	\$138,176.78
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TOTAL ALLOCATED FUNDS NON-ALLOCATED FUNDS MONEY COMING IN Student Loan Income Memorial Income MONEY GOING OUT	\$138,176.78 \$124,963.53 600.00 70.00

LECTUER WINNERS continued from page 5

Class G:Miscellaneous Art

Junior: ages 8 and under 1st: Winter Hsu-Bishop

Subordinate:

1st: Karen Wolletz, Barnard #689 2nd: Naomi Fletcher, Burns #160 3rd: Arlene Douglas, Burns #160

PHOTOGRAPHY

Class A: Animals

Subordinate:

1st: Joan Hellmann, Pittsfield Union #882

2nd: Chris Johnston, Burns #160 3rd: Dale Moore, Burns #160

Class B: People

Juniors: ages 8 and under

1st: Winter Hsu-Bishop, Home #129 2nd Willow Hsu-Bishop, Home #129

Subordinate:

1st: Kathryn Hsu-Bishop, Home #129 2nd: Marcus Johnston, Gratiot #1898 3rd: Naomi Fletcher, Burns #160

Class C: Farm Crops Scene

Subordinate:

1st: Heather Hyatt Mudd, Studley #1174 2nd: Kathryn Hsu-Bishop, Home #129 3rd: Sharon Popler, Burns #160

Class D: Sky

Subordinate:

1st: Dale Moore, Burns #160

2nd: Kathryn Hsu-Bishop, Home #129 3rd: Lena Young, Community #1675

Class E: Monuments

Subordinate:

1st: Gary Ettinger, Barnard #689 2nd: Marcus Johnston, Gratiot #1898 3rd: Naomi Fletcher, Burns #160

BEST OF SHOW—PHOTOGRAPHY Kathryn Hsu-Bishop, Home #129

HOME-MADE FOOD

Class A: Yeast Breads

Subordinate:

1st: Dale Moore, Burns #160

Class B: Fruit Pie Subordinate: 1st: Lena Young

Class C: Canned Items

Subordinate:

1st Peggy Johnston, Burns #160

Traditional or Unusual Family Recipe

Subordinate:

1st: Connie Johnston, Gratiot #1898 2nd: Peggy Johnston, Burns #160 3rd: Sharon Popler, Burns #160

BEST OF SHOW — ARTS Karen Wolletz, Barnard #689

Certificates for Reporting:

Pomona

Mid Michigan Pomona #61, St. Joseph/Cass/ Kalamazoo Pomona #4

Subordinate:

Barnard #689, Burns # 160, Burr Oak #1350, Colon #215, Community #1675, Gratiot #1898, Harbor Springs #730, Pittsfield Union #882, Studley #1174, Summit City #672, West Oshtemo #1630.

JUNIORS/YOUTH/YOUNG ADULTS

Junior Reports Received:

Gratiot #1898, Burns #160, Community #1675

Youth/Young Adult Reports Received:

Gratiot #1898, Burns #160, Home #129, Community #1675, Studley #1174

Youth/Young Adult Achievement Awards:

Shane Mudd, Brennan Mudd, Gwen Eidsmoe, Nicholas Eidsmoe, Studley #1174; Marcus Johnston, Cory Johnston, Neal Ambrose, Dillan Driskell, Burns #160

