MASONIC BIOGRAPHY

Most Worshipful Prince Hall Grand Lodge Washington & Jurisdiction

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DUDLEY R. GREEN DISTRICT DEPUTY GRAND MASTER #5

My Masonic journey began as a young child in Barbados. My grandfather was a Prince Hall Mason, and so was my father. I watched them engage in community work, assisting many people in need. I often saw my grandfather studying from a little black book, and when I asked what was in it, he would tell me, "You're not ready, but when you're old enough you too can become a Mason." Growing up, I admired the Prince Hall Masons I saw and aspired to become admirable like them.

I became a member of Melrose Lodge No. 67, under the jurisdiction of the Grand Lodge of British Columbia and Yukon and was raised to the sublime degree of a Master Mason. Inspired by my grandfather's influence, I pursued membership and reconnected with Right Worshipful George Alexander Jolly, who made me aware of the Prince Hall Lodge in Vancouver, British Columbia — a lodge I had been completely unaware of. That discovery opened the door to a path of fellowship, growth, and service that has shaped my life ever since.

I achieved my 32nd degree in the Scottish Rite at Everett Consistory No. 118 in the United States and later became a Sublime Prince at Benni Hassan Court No. 64. These milestones deepened my understanding of the craft and strengthened my commitment to its teachings.

My service extended into leadership when I became the Director of Elections for the Most Worshipful Prince Hall Grand Lodge of Washington and Jurisdiction in Seattle, Washington. In this role, I have faithfully carried out my duties and witnessed many Grand Masters installed through the election process instituted by our Grand Lodge. Each installation has been a reminder of the continuity of leadership and the strength of our traditions, and I have embraced this responsibility with dedication and integrity.

Freemasonry, to me, is about Brotherhood: self improvement, morality and serving those in need, supporting each other, and contributing to society. It is a path of fellowship, responsibility, and personal growth that continues to guide me in living a life of purpose and service.

Equally important is the principle of joint recognition — the acknowledgment and respect

shared between different Masonic jurisdictions. Joint recognition strengthens the bonds of Brotherhood across borders, ensuring that the values of Freemasonry are upheld universally. My journey, spanning Barbados, Canada, and the United States, reflects the unity and shared recognition that lies at the heart of our craft.

I currently serve as a Deputy District Deputy Grand Master for District 5 on the roster of the Most Worshipful Prince Hall Grand Lodge of Washington and Jurisdiction.

I am proud to be a Prince Hall Mason, and my love of Masonry is a major part of my life journey.