

## PAST MASTERS

\*Dr.C.Hutchinson P.Prov.G.J.W. (Cheshire)  
 \*J.Keithley  
 \*W.R.Clarke  
 \*W.Priestnall  
 \*J.H.Lee  
 \*A.E.Calvert  
 \*J.Forshaw P.Prov.A.G.D.C.  
 \*J.Chambers P.Prov.A.G.D.C.  
 \*A.J.Squires P.Prov.G.Std.B.  
 \*A.C.McConnell  
 \*Lt.Col.C.H.Lindsay C.M.G.,D.S.O., P.Prov.G.Std.B.  
 \*J.W.Clibborn  
 \*R.Strickland P.Prov.G.Tyler  
 \*W.S.Knowles P.Prov.G.Reg.  
 \*R.Gibb P.Prov.G.M.(West Yorks)  
 \*T.Kirby  
 \*J.A.Cooper  
 \*D.J.Davies P.Prov.G.Std.B.  
 \*W.Amell P.Prov.A.G.D.C.  
 \*C.F.Hill P.Prov.A.G.D.C.  
 \*Dr..McCauseland  
 \*J.S.Patten M.C., P.G.J.O.  
 \*J.S.Cambell P.Prov.G.D.C.  
 \*G.Baguley  
 \*J.H.Stanistreet P.Prov.G.Std.B.  
 \*A.E.McNaughton P.Prov.G.Std.B.  
 \*W.Lowe  
 \*A.McDonald P.Prov.G.I.G.  
 \*J.Edwardson P.Prov.A.G.D.C.  
 \*H.G.Davies  
 +\*J.Swale P.A.G.D.C.  
 \*R.Clibborn P.G.J.D.  
 \*G.Harrison  
 \*H.H.Wilkinson P.Prov.G.I.G.  
 \*E.T.Williams P.Prov.G.J.D.  
 \*E.Hartland P.Prov.G.J.D.  
 \*W.Stanley P.Prov.G.J.O.  
 \*A.J.Bennett P.Prov.G.Reg.  
 \*J.T.Rogers  
 \*F.Ashley P.Prov.G.J.D.  
 \*R.Smith  
 \*G.H.Davies  
 \*R.H.Evans  
 \*J.J.Griffiths P.Prov.G.J.O.  
 +\*E.R.Kirby P.Prov.G.J.O.  
 \*W.H.Twist P.Prov.G.J.O.  
 \*J.Berry  
 \*A.J.Bailey  
 \*P.Bott P.Prov.G.J.O.(Worcs.)  
 \*F.H.Daniels  
 \*R.Parker  
 \*A.Morris P.G.J.D.  
 \*W.A.Hale P.Prov.G.J.D.  
 \*A.Hartles  
 \*J.A.Shepherd P.Prov.G.J.O.  
 \*P.E.Wallis

\* Deceased

\*T.Barrett P.Prov.G.S.O.  
 \*W.C.Hughes  
 \*M.B.Millar P.Prov.G.J.D.  
 \$ S.Hamlett P.Prov.G.M.O.  
 \*P.Tallon P.Prov.G.J.W.  
 \*A.Hindley P.G.J.D  
 \*J.Myers  
 \$\*B.Wormleighton  
 \*A.E.Walker  
 \*A.Eastwood  
 \*G.T.J.Lockett P.G.M.O.  
 \*L.Bradley P.Prov.G.J.W.  
 \*F.J.Knight P.Prov.G.J.W.  
 \*J.J.Davies P.Prov.A.G.D.C.  
 \*H.Hindley P.Prov.G.S.W.  
 \*K.Mason P.Prov.G.J.O.  
 \$ A.E.Lloyd P.Prov.G.J.W.  
 \$ J.J.McDonald P.Prov.G.J.D.  
 \*J.H.Lynn P.G.S.O.  
 \$\*R.C.Hirons P.Prov.G.Org.  
 \*J.A.Meara  
 A.J.Tallon P.G.J.O.  
 J.Hayes P.Prov.G.Insp.of Wks.  
 \*E.Eyre P.Prov.G.J.D.  
 \*D.Fildes P.Prov.G.S.W.  
 \*J.Berks P.Prov.G.Swd.B.  
 B.Gregory P.G.J.O.,Dep.Prov.G.M.  
 \*W.G.G.Barratt P.Prov.G.J.W.  
 \*T.Santley P.Prov.G.Stwd.  
 N.Killen P.Prov.G.S.W.  
 \*J.P.Bibby P.Prov.G.S.D.  
 A.Locke P.G.J.O..  
 J.H.Brocklebank P.Prov.G.Reg.  
 \$F.McCaffrey P.Prov.G.Stwd.  
 \$E.P.Lloyd  
 \*K.J.Ball P.Prov.A.G.D.C.  
 \*R.Potter  
 \$ H.Johnston P.A.G.D.C. .  
 K.A.Gatley P. Prov.A.G.D.C.  
 \*J.H.Middlehurst  
 D.Myers P.Prov.G.S.D.  
 T.W.Bushell P.Prov.A.G.D.C.  
 G.Hughes P.Prov.A.G.D.C.  
 B.Boothroyd P.Prov.G.Std.B.  
 N.Speed P.Prov.G.Stwd.  
 A.B.Griffiths P.Prov.G.M.O.  
 \$ J.E.Lucas  
 W.J.Cank Prov.A.G.D.C.  
 F.Thomas P.A.G.Std.B.  
 A.R.Haslam P.Prov.J.G.D.  
 K.Lysons  
 W.Isherwood  
 P.W.Browne  
 B.Horabin

\$ Resigned

## PASTMASTERS IN THE LODGE

W.Bro.W.E.Grimoldby P.Prov.G.Swd.B.  
 W.Bro.I.B.Mitchell

W.Bro.N.E.Williams P.Pr.G.J.O.

## PROVINCE OF WEST LANCASHIRE



# Wilbraham Lodge

of  
 MARK MASTER MASONS

*Worshipful Master*

## Bro. ALAN LOWE



## A DOUBLE CELEBRATION

14<sup>th</sup> October 2010

# A Happy Occasion



"I was delighted to be present at the double celebration of two of the most highly valued members of my Province.

Tony and Nat have Marked well for over 50 years and the acclamation given to them is well deserved.

As Provincial Grand Master I thank them for their contribution and look forward to seeing them on many future occasions in our Province."

*Peter Connolly*

Provincial Grand Master

Nat was born in Coventry on 12<sup>th</sup> August 1938 to Scottish parents who had moved from Scotland due to his father's employment. (*Nat will acknowledge that he was born in England but is proud that he was made in Scotland*).

Nat and his mother returned to Scotland when his father was mobilised due to the outbreak of war. They went to live with his grandmother in Kirkcaldy in Fife.

Nat started primary school in Kirkcaldy, before moving up to Kirkcaldy High School, where he was followed by the Ex Prime Minister Gordon Brown (*Nat is keen to point out that he holds no responsibility*).

Nat was most industrious while at school, he rose early and delivered fresh bread rolls to the homes of coal miners between 4 and 5 am.

At 5.00am he then started a paper round before school.

Leaving school he worked for William Alexandra the largest bus/coach company in Scotland as a parcel delivery boy for 10/- a week. Staying with the transport theme he moved on to British Railways in the goods yard at Kirkcaldy where he developed his affection for steam engines. He became a footplate worker.

His attempt to join the forces was frustrated as his work was classified as reserved.

When he was 21 Nat was initiated into Lodge St.Clair of Dysart 520 which had many family connections beginning a long and distinguished career in Freemasonry.

In 1961 he moved to Glasgow, where he joined 74<sup>th</sup> Glasgow Company of the Boy's Brigade. This turned out to be a good move as he met Margaret, who was working with the Lifebuoys. Margaret and Nat were married in 1962.

The railways were declining and Nat needed to look elsewhere for employment. Fortunately for us, he came to Lancashire and joined the Lancashire Constabulary where he soon resumed his connection with transport by becoming a traffic Officer in Widnes.

In 1970 Nat joined Kingsway Lodge and began a new career in Freemasonry. All of those who know Nat are aware of the substantial input he has made to Widnes Freemasonry.



**NATHANIEL KILLEN**  
**P.Prov.G.S.W.**

**Advanced into Lodge St.Clair of Dysart No. 520**

**(Scottish Constitution)**

**31<sup>st</sup> March 1960**

**Joined Wilbraham Lodge No.523**

**11<sup>th</sup> October 1973**

**Master of Wilbraham Lodge 1983**

**Prov A.G.St.B. 1992**

**P.Prov.G.J.D. 1995**

**P.Prov G.J.O.**

**P.Prov.G J.W. 2007**

**P.Prov G.S.W. 2010**

## Tony & Nat.

The Master, Alan Lowe and all the members of Wilbraham Mark Lodge, together with your many friends in Mark Masonry, wish you well on the occasion of your 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary.

The contribution you have made to Freemasonry is recognised by us all.

We are all proud to number you amongst our friends and we hope that the Great Overseer will grant you many happy and healthy years with us.



## **ANTHONY JOHN TALLON**

### **P.G.J.O**

**Advanced into Wilbraham Mark Lodge No.523  
1960**

**Worshipful Master 1975**

**P.Prov. A.G.D.C. 1986**

**P.Prov. G.J.O. 1989**

**P.G.Std.B. 1992**

**P.G.J.D. 1998**

**P.G.J.O. 2004**

Tony was born in Sale (Manchester) on the 8<sup>th</sup> July 1934  
The family returned to Widnes in 1936 where Tony's father ran his own building firm.

Tony started school at Warrington Road Primary School in 1939 and moved to Fairfield in 1945.

During the war Tony's father had worked for the government and in 1945 was sent out to the Far East to help supervise rebuilding as the Japanese Army surrendered. In 1946, Tony, his mother and two sisters spent a month on a troopship sailing to Singapore to join him. Tony then spent two years at school on the R.A.F. station at Changi (now Singapore International Airport). In 1948 the family spent another month on a troopship bringing them home.

1950 saw Tony working temporarily in a shop until he got his first job as a Junior Clerk with British Rail in Widnes.

Tony was called up in 1952 and served with the R.A.F.

On his demob Tony returned to British Rail for four years until he joined the National Health Service in 1959. Tony worked in various hospitals and also earned himself such qualifications as would enable him to complete his 40 years service with the NHS as Personnel Manager at Whiston Hospital.

In 1999 Tony left the NHS and became Manager of a Nursing Home where he still works part time as Company Secretary.

Tony was Initiated in 1956 and met Brenda at a dance at Widnes Masonic Hall. (Brenda's father was a past Master of Victoria Lodge). They married in 1962 and have two sons John and Peter.