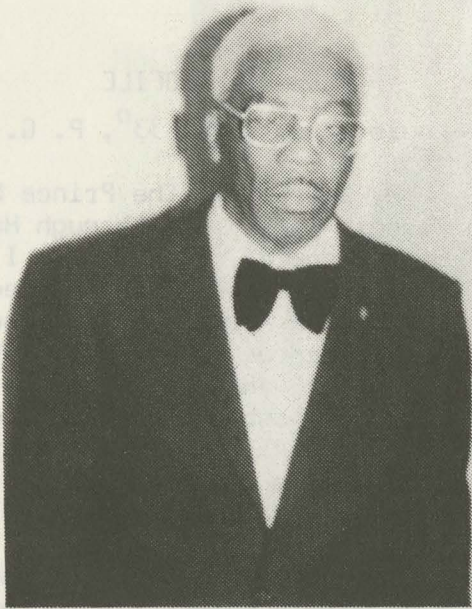




Robert Fleeks

Robert Crusoe Fleeks born January 30, 1911 at Crockett, Texas, Houston County. Father Robert Fleeks, mother Laura (Thompson) Fleeks.

I am the second child of a family of eleven (11) children. My father's occupation was farming. I was brought up in the vicinity of Willis and Conroe, Texas.

I finished elementary school in Willis, Texas and completed high school in Conroe, Texas at Conroe College, known as (C.N.T.C.) in the year of 1934. Entered Guadalup Junior College, in Sequine, Texas, 1934, graduated in 1936.

I came to the State of Washington V. J. day in 1945, was employed at Todd Dry Dock until October 1950, in the same month, I was employed by the City of Seattle Engineer Department from October 1950 to my retirement in 1976.

I was initiated, passed and raised to a Master Mason in Harmony Lodge #2, F. & A. M. P.H.A. August 20, 1947, Worshipful Brother William L. Hawkins was Worshipful Master. I was appointed Senior Stewart by Worshipful Brother Johnny Allen, Junior Deacon by Worshipful Brother Iria Simon, Senior Deacon by Worshipful Brother E. A. Douglas, elected Junior Warden. I served with Worshipful Brother James C. Purnell, elected Senior Warden, and served with Worshipful Robert V. Hargroves and was elected Worshipful Master of the Lodge in the year of 1954.

I was appointed by Grand Master Jimmie Semons to serve out an unexpired term on the Grand Trustee Board, which was left vacant by Right Worshipful Loyle C. Brooks 1976. I was elected by the Grand body to serve out the unexpired term of Right Worshipful in 1977, and was elected for a five (5) year term in 1978, in which I am presently serving.

I was appointed on the Juris-Prudence Committee by Past Grand Master James W. Davis and at present, I am serving on that committee.

I was appointed on the ten (10) year Planning Committee by Pass Grand Master Jimmie Simons, in which I am also at present serving on that committee.