

## Grand Lodge of Nebraska Education Committee Recommended Book List

### 2000

- **Born in Blood** by John J. Robinson
- **The Temple and the Lodge** by Michael Baigent & Richard Leigh
- **A Pilgrim's Path** by John J. Robinson
- **Freemasonry – A Celebration of the Craft** by John Hamill & Robert Gilbert
- **Freemasonry in American History** by Allen E. Roberts

### 2001

- **Beneath the Stone** by C. Bruce Hunter
- **House Undivided** by Allen E. Roberts
- **Revolutionary Brotherhood** by Steven C. Bullock
- **The Mystic Tie** by Allen E. Roberts
- **How Good People Make Tough Choices** by Rushworth Kidder

### 2002

- **Black Square and Compass** by Joseph A. Walkes
- **Confessions of a Born Again Fundamentalist Freemason** by Nelson King
- **Bowling Alone** by Robert Putnam
- **Coil's Masonic Encyclopedia** by Henry Coil & Allen E. Roberts
- **Freemasons at Gettysburg** by Sheldon A. Munn

### 2003

- **The Origins of Freemasonry** by David Stevenson
- **Brother Truman** by Allen E. Roberts
- **G. Washington: Master Mason** by Allen E. Roberts
- **Freemasonry: A Journey through Ritual and Symbol** by W. K. Macnulty
- **Newly Made Mason** by H. L. Heywood

### 2004

- **Is It True What They Say About Freemasonry?** by Art DeHoyos & S. Brent Morris
- **Undaunted Courage** by Stephen Ambrose
- **Introduction to Freemasonry** by Carl H. Claudy

## 2005

- **Freemasonry Today Magazine** (online only)
- **The Freemasons: A History of the World's Most Powerful Secret Society** by Jasper Ridley
- **Foreign Countries** by Carl H. Claudy

## 2006

- **Freemasons for Dummies** by Christopher Hodapp
- **1776** by David McCullough
- **Symbolism of the Blue Lodge Degrees of Freemasonry: Albert Pike's ESOTERKA** transcribed and edited by Art DeHoyos

## 2007

- **The Magus of Freemasonry: The Mysterious Life of Elias Ashmole** by Tobias Churton
- **The Complete Idiot's Guide to Freemasonry** by S. Brent Morris
- **Out of the Shadows: The Emergence of Prince Hall Freemasonry in America** by Alton G. Roundtree & Paul M. Bessel

## 2008

- **Leading Change** by John P. Kotter
- **The Art of Memory** by Frances A. Yates
- **Freemasons' Guide and Compendium** by Bernard E. Jones
- **Sesquicentennial History Book** by Russell G. Reno
- **150 Famous Masons** by John Parsons

## 2009

- **Plato and a Platypus Walk into a Bar** by Tom Chathcart & Daniel Klein
- **Moral Courage** by Rushworth Kidder
- **Understanding Manhood in America** by Robert G. Davis
- **Builders of Empire: Freemasons and British Imperialism, 1717 – 1927** by Jessica L. Harland-Jacobs

## 2010

- **Aristotle's Children** by Richard E. Rubenstein
- **The Lost Symbol** by Dan Brown
- **Freemasonry at the Top** by John Beaumont
- **The Masonic Society Magazine**

## 2011

- **The Rosslyn Hoax?** By Robert L. D. Cooper
- **Crown of Serpents** by Mike Karporage
- **The Better Angles of Our Nature: Freemasonry in the American Civil War** by Michael A. Hallern

## 2012

- **Solomon's Builders: Freemasons, Founding Fathers and the Secrets of Washington DC** by Christopher Hodapp
- **Masonic Temples: Freemasonry, Ritual Architecture, and Masculine Archetypes** by William D. Moore
- **The Art and Architecture of Freemasonry** by James Stevens Curl

## 2013

- **A Secret Society History of the Civil War** by Mark A. Lause
- **Freemasonry: Its Hidden Meaning** by George H. Steinmetz
- **Native American Freemasonry: Associationalism and Performance in America** by Joy Porter
- **The Masonic Myth: Unlocking the Truth about the Symbols, the Secret Rites and the History of Freemasonry** by Jay Kenney

## 2014

- **A Traditional Observance Lodge** by Cliff Porter
- **The Mason's Words** by Robert G. Davis
- **For the Good of the Order: Examining The Shifting Paradigm within Freemasonry** by John Bizzack

## 2015

- **Making Light: A Handbook for Freemasons** by Julian Rees
- **The Initiatic Experience** by Robert Herd
- **Masonry and Its Symbols** by H. W. Percival

## 2016

- **The Craft Driven Lodge** by Daniel Hrinko
- **The Red Triangle: A History of Anti-Masonry** by Robert L.D. Cooper
- **Journey in Stone** by Craig Weightman
- **A Daily Advancement in Masonic Knowledge**

## 2017

- **Macoy's Modern Worshipful Master Assistant** edited by Michael Halleran
- **The Questing Mind is a Salient Characteristic of a Freemason** by John Cooper

- **Masonic Action Teams** by Ronald Cottman
- **3-5-7 Minute Talks in Freemasonry** by Elbert Bede