



Christopher George Shott

Our Lodge expresses its deepest sympathy to the Shott family in the recent loss of Chris. The vibrant and joyful attitude he possessed in all his works within the community will be sorely missed.

Over the years that Chris has been “covering” the Town of Wareham in all aspects of journalism from, politics, to breaking news, to social events and any other assignment, he had the most positive and caring outlook in each story. He attended, interviewed and then wrote the facts in a way that was pleasing and to the point.

Although Chris was not a member of our Lodge, he certainly aided in the mission of our Order by keeping the public informed as to what we were doing and how they could help. In March of 2016, Chris received the **CITIZEN OF THE YEAR AWARD** from Exalted Ruler Robert Hurley for his exemplary work in the community. Not only did Chris attend any events and presentations that were made for our Lodge, he also shared his photos for our use internally and for this we were grateful.

This author only hopes to be able to compose and draft articles half as good as he could and get the message across to the reader. His expertise as I continue to review his articles is an example of what true journalism is.

Again, Thank You Chris for all you have done for our Lodge and the Community, you will be forever missed. Rest In Peace, my friend.

Ted Hatch, Inner Guard

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