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MEMBER SCOTS.**



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***THE 25TH ANNUAL
ROBERT BURNS CELEBRATION
AND CEILIDH***

JANUARY 30TH, 2009

***DELRAY DUNES COUNTRY CLUB
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**WELCOME TO THE 25RD ANNUAL
ROBERT BURNS CELEBRATION AND CEILIDH**

WELCOME EACH AND EVERYONE OF YOU TO THIS WONDERFUL EVENING. THIS IS THE CULMINATION OF MANY EFFORTS BY MANY PEOPLE. WE COME TOGETHER TONIGHT TO NOT ONLY CELEBRATE THE 25¹ST BIRTHDAY OF OUR POET LAUREATE BUT ALSO TO JOIN TOGETHER IN FRIENDSHIP WITH FELLOW MEMBERS OF THE 7 GAELIC NATIONS. JOIN US AS WE RAISE OUR GLASSES TONIGHT IN CELEBRATION OF ALL THINGS SCOTTISH.

CEAD MILE FAILTE

'A THOUSAND WELCOMES'

AS THE CURRENT PRESIDENT OF THE SCOTTISH AMERICAN SOCIETY OF PALM BEACH COUNTY, MAY MY WIFE AND I WELCOME YOU TO A FUN FILLED EVENING. THE SOCIETY HAS A RICH HISTORY OF CELEBRATING OUR SCOTTISH HERITAGE. WE COME TOGETHER IN MONTHLY MEETINGS, ANNUAL KIRKIN'S, SCOTTISH HIGHLAND GAMES, AND OTHER EVENTS. YOU WILL FIND A WARM WELCOME WHEREVER YOU FIND US GATHERED.

TONIGHT WE WILL BE ENJOYING THE LIVELY PIPING OF THE PALM BEACH PIPES AND DRUMS, THE KEYBOARD ARTISTRY OF BOBBY PAUL, THE VOICES OF MANY OF YOUR FELLOW SCOTS, AND A DELICIOUS BANQUET BY DELRAY DUNES COUNTRY CLUB. WE HOPE THAT YOU WILL RELAX, REFRESH, AND ENJOY THE COMPANY OF SO MANY WONDERFUL PEOPLE.

SING ALONG WITH US, JOIN US IN THE TOASTS, RAISE YOUR VOICE FOR TONIGHT ALL ARE SCOTS AND WE ARE PROUD!

LARRY & LYNN BERDOLL

AMERICA THE BEAUTIFUL

**O BEAUTIFUL FOR SPACIOUS SKIES,
FOR AMBER WAVES OF GRAIN,
FOR PURPLE MOUNTAIN MAJESTIES
ABOVE THE FRUITED PLAIN!
AMERICA! AMERICA!
GOD SHED HIS GRACE ON THEE
AND CROWN THY GOOD WITH BROTHERHOOD
FROM SEA TO SHINING SEA!**

**O BEAUTIFUL FOR PILGRIM FEET
WHOSE STERN, IMPASSIONED STRESS
A THOROUGHFARE FOR FREEDOM BEAT
ACROSS THE WILDERNESS!
AMERICA! AMERICA!
GOD MEND THINE EVERY FLAW,
CONFIRM THY SOUL IN SELF-CONTROL,
THY LIBERTY IN LAW!**

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN

**GOD SAVE OUR GRACIOUS QUEEN,
LONG LIVE OUR NOBLE QUEEN,
GOD SAVE THE QUEEN.
SEND HER VICTORIOUS,
HAPPY AND GLORIOUS,
LONG TO REIGN OVER US,
GOD SAVE THE QUEEN.**

FLOWER OF SCOTLAND

O FLOWER OF SCOTLAND, WHEN WILL WE SEE
YOUR LIKE AGAIN, THAT FOUGHT AND DIED FOR,
YOUR WEE BIT HILL AND GLEN, AND STOOD AGAINST
HIM, PROUD EDWARD'S ARMY,
AND SENT HIM HOMEWARD, TAE THINK AGAIN.

THE HILLS ARE BARE NOW, AND AUTUMN LEAVES
LIE THICK AND STILL, O'ER LAND THAT IS LOST NOW,
WHICH THOSE SO DEARLY HELD, THAT STOOD
AGAINST HIM, PROUD EDWARD'S ARMY,
AND SENT HIM HOMEWARD, TAE THINK AGAIN.

THOSE DAYS ARE PAST NOW, AND IN THE PAST
THEY MUST REMAIN, BUT WE CAN STILL RISE NOW,
AND BE THE NATION AGAIN, THAT STOOD AGAINST
HIM,
PROUD EDWARD'S ARMY, AND SENT HIM HOMEWARD,
TAE THINK AGAIN.

AULD LANG SYNE

SHOULD AULD ACQUAINTANCE BE FORGOT,
AND NEVER BROUGHT TO MIND?
SHOULD AULD ACQUAINTANCE BE FORGOT,
AND AULD LANG SYNE!

CHORUS:
FOR AULD LANG SYNE, MY JO,
FOR AULD LANG SYNE,
WE'LL TAK A CUP O' KINDNESS YET
FOR AULD LANG SYNE.

ROBERT BURNS

(1759–1796)

Born in Alloway, Ayrshire, in 1759 to William Burness, a poor tenant farmer, and Agnes Broun, Robert Burns was the eldest of seven. He spent his youth working his father's farm, and despite their relative poverty, Burns was extremely well read - at the insistence of his father, who employed a tutor for Robert and younger brother Gilbert.

When his father died in 1784, Burns and his brother became partners in the farm. However, Burns was more interested in poetry and, after a series of failed relationships, planned to escape to the safer, sunnier climes of the West Indies.

However, before he could finalise any travel plans, "Poems- Chiefly in the Scottish Dialect - Kilmarnock Edition" (a set of poems essentially based on a broken love affair), was published and received critical acclaim. From this point on Burns became gradually more and more famous.

The last years of Burns' life were devoted to penning great poetic masterpieces such as The Lea Rig, Tam O'Shanter and a Red, Red Rose.

He died aged 37 of heart disease exacerbated by the hard manual work he undertook when he was young. His death occurred on the same day as his wife Jean gave birth to his last son, Maxwell.

PROGRAM

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**COCKTAIL HOUR (6:30–7:00 PM)**

**PALM BEACH PIPES AND DRUMS**

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GATHERING OF THE CLANS AND GRAND MARCH

BILL BURKETT, MASTER OF CEREMONIES

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**FLAG PRESENTATIONS**

**LARRY BERDOLL, PRESIDENT & CONVENER**

**AMERICAN FLAG— JEAN CORDOVEZ & GLORIA MCCULLOCH**

**PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

**AMERICA THE BEAUTIFUL (P. 15)**

**UNION JACK— GAIL & SCOTT LADD**

**GOD SAVE THE QUEEN (P. 15)**

**ST. ANDREWS FLAG— DR. GAIL BOWER & DR. DREW BOWER**

**LION RAMPANT— BETTY VERDONE & ALEX BLANE**

**FLOWER OF SCOTLAND (P. 14)**

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WELCOME & RECOGNITIONS

BILL BURKETT, PRESIDENT

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**PALM BEACH PIPES AND DRUMS**

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LOCH LOMOND

**BY YON BONNIE BANKS AND BY YON BONNIE BRAES
WHERE THE SUN SHINES BRIGHT ON LOCH LOMON'
WHERE ME AND MY TRUE LOVE WERE EVER WONT TAE
GAE**

ON THE BONNIE, BONNIE BANKS O' LOCH LOMON'

**OH YOU TAK' THE HIGH ROAD AND I'LL TAK THE LOW
ROAD**

**AN' I'LL BE IN SCOTLAND AFORE YE,
BUT ME AND MY TRUE LOVE WILL NEVER MEET AGAIN
ON THE BONNIE, BONNIE BANKS O' LOCH LOMON'**

BONNIE DOON

**YE BANKS AND BRAES OF BON-NIE DOON,
HOW CAN YE BLOOM SAE FRESH AND FAIR,
HOW CAN YE SING, YE LIT-TLE BIRDS,
AND I ... SAE WEAR-Y, FULL OF CARE?**

**YOU'LL BREAK MY HEART, YE LIT-TLE BIRDS,
THAT WAN-TON THROUGH THE FLOW-'RING THORN;
YE MIND ME OF... DE-PART-ED JOYS,
DE-PART-ED , NEVER TO... RE-TURN.**

**OFT HAVE I STRAYED BY BON-NIE DOON,
TO SEE THE ROSE AND WOOD-BINE TWINE;
WHERE IL-KA BIRD SANG OF... HIS LOVE,
AND FOND-LY SAE... DID I... O' MINE,**

**WITH LIGHT-SOME HEART I PULLED A ROSE,
FULL SWEET UP-ON... ITS THORN-Y TREE:
BUT MY FALSE LOV-ER STOLE THE ROSE,
AND LEFT THE THORN BE-HIND TO ME.**



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PROGRAM

**PARADE OF THE HAGGIS
SAS PIPER—DON HORINE
BEARER—PETER SPILLER
ADDRESS—JIM MCCULLOCH**

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**SELKIRK GRACE— FR. DAVID KENNEDY**

**DINNER WITH MUSIC**

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**RECOGNITION OF SAS FOUNDING MEMBERS
AND PAST OFFICERS**

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**TOASTS**

**STAR OF ROBBIE BURNS (P.7)  
BILL BURKETT & JIM MCCULLOCH**

**A SCOTS TOAST— BOB DAVIS  
TOAST TO THE LASSIES— CHARLES H. "GUNN" KEHM  
TOAST TO THE LADDIES— ANNE REILLY**

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**BASKETS OF CHEER
AL & WINNIE GRAHAM**

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**SING-A-LONGS**

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**AULD LANG SYNE (P.14)
PIPER DON HORINE**



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MY LUVe IS LIKE A RED, RED ROSE

O, MY LUVe IS LIKE A RED, RED ROSE,
THAT'S NEWLY SPRUNG IN JUNE:
O, MY LOVE IS LIKE THE MELODIE,
THAT'S SWEETLY PLAY'D IN TUNE.

AS FAIR ART THOU, MY BONNIE LASS,
SO DEEP IN LUVe AM I
AND I WILL LUVe THEE STILL, MY DEAR,
TILL A' THE SEAS GANG DRY.

TILL A' THE SEAS GANG DRY, MY DEAR,
AND THE ROCKS MELT WI' THE SUN!
AND I WILL LUVe THEE STILL, MY DEAR,
WHILE THE SANDS O' LIFE SHALL RUN.

AND FARE THEE WEEL, MY ONLY LUVe,
AND FARE THEE WEEL A WHILE!
AND I WILL COME AGAIN, MY LUVe
THO' 'TWERE TEN THOUSAND MILE!

WILL YE NO COME BACK AGAIN?

BONNIE CHAIRLIE'S NOO AWA',
SAFELY OWER THE FRIENDLY MAIN;
MONY A HEART WILL BREAK IN TWA',
SHOULD HE NE'ER COME BACK AGAIN.

CHORUS:
WILL YE NO COME BACK AGAIN?
WILL YE NO COME BACK AGAIN?
BETTER LO'ED YE CANNA BE,
WILL YE NO COME BACK AGAIN?

YE TRUSTED IN YOUR HIELAN' MEN,
THEY TRUSTED YOU DEAR CHAIRLIE.
THEY KENT YOUR HIDIN' IN THE GLEN,
DEATH OR EXILE BRAVIN'.

CHORUS

TOASTS

TO ROBBIE BURNS

**AS LANG AS SCOT WI' SCOT SHALL MEET,
AS LANG AS BRITHERS BRITHERS GREET,
THE TOAST LIST WINNA BE COMPLETE
WITHOUT A TOAST TO BURNS.**

A SCOT'S TOAST

**MAY THE BEST YOU'VE EVER SEEN
BE THE WORST YOU'LL EVER SEE;
MAY THE MOUSE NE'ER LEAVE YOUR GINAL
WI' A TEARDROP IN ITS E'E!
MAY YOUR LUM KEEP BLITHELY REEKIN'
TILL YOU'RE AULD ENOUGH TO DEE;
MAY YOU AYE BE JUST AS HAPPY
AS I WISH YOU AYE TO BE!**

SELKIRK GRACE

**SOME HAE MEAT, AND CANNA EAT,
AND SOME WAD EAT THAT WANT IT;
BUT WE HAE MEAT, AND WE CAN EAT
AND SAE THE LORD BE THANKIT.**

THE STAR O' RABBIE BURNS

**THERE IS A STAR WHOSE BEAMING RAY
IS SHED ON EV'RY CLIME.
IT SHINES BY NIGHT, IT SHINES BY DAY
AND NE'ER GROWS DIM WI' TIME.
IT ROSE UPON THE BANKS OF AYR,
IT SHONE ON DOON'S CLEAR STREAM -
A HUNDRED YEARS ARE GANE AND MAIR,
YET BRIGHER GROWS ITS BEAM.**

**THOUGH HE WAS BUT A PLOUGHMAN LAD
AND WORE THE HODDEN GREY,
AULD SCOTLAND'S SWEETEST BARD WAS BRED
ANEATH A ROOF O'STRAE.
TO SWEEP THE STRINGS O'SCOTIA'S LYRE,
IT NEEDS NAE CLASSIC LORE;
IT'S MITHER WIT AN NATIVE FIRE
THAT WARMS THE BOSOM'S CORE.**

**ON FAME'S EMBLAZON'D PAGE ENSHRIN'D
HIS NAME IS FOREMOST NOW,
AND MANY A COSTLY WREATH'S BEEN TWIN'D
TO GRACE HIS HONEST BROW.
AND SCOTLAND'S HEART EXPANDS WI' JOY
WHENE'ER THE DAY RETURNS
THAT GAVE THE WORLD ITS PEASANT BOY
IMMORTAL RABBIE BURNS.**

CHORUS

**LET KINGS AND COURTIERS RISE AND FA',
THIS WORLD HAS MONY TURNS
BUT BRIGHTLY BEAMS ABOON THEM A'
THE STAR O' RABBIE BURNS.**



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I BELONG TO GLASGOW

I'VE BEEN WI' A COUPLE O' CRONIES,
ONE OR TWO PALS O' MY AIN;
WE WENT IN A HOTEL, AND WE DID VERY WELL,
AND THEN WE CAME OUT ONCE AGAIN;
THEN WE WENT INTO ANITHER,
AND THAT IS THE REASON I'M FU';
WE HAD SIX DEOCH-AN-DORUSES, THEN SANG A
CHORUS,
JUST LISTEN, I'LL SING IT TO YOU:

I BELONG TO GLASGOW,
DEAR OLD GLASGOW TOWN;
BUT WHAT'S THE MATTER WI' GLASGOW,
FOR IT'S GOIN' ROUN' AND ROUN'!
I'M ONLY A COMMON OLD WORKING CHAP,
AS ANYONE HERE CAN SEE,
BUT WHEN I GET A COUPLE O' DRINKS ON A
SATURDAY,
GLASGOW BELONGS TO ME!

COMIN' THRO' THE RYE

GIN A BODY MEET A BODY
COMIN' THRO' THE RYE
GIN A BODY KISS A BODY
NEED A BODY CRY?
ILKA LASSIE HAS HER LADDIE
NANE, THEY SAY, HAE I
YET A' THE LADS THEY SMILE AT ME
WHEN COMIN' THRO' THE RYE.

GIN A BODY MEET A BODY
COMIN' FRAE THE TOWN
GIN A BODY KISS A BODY
NEED A BODY FROWN?
ILKA LASSIE HAS HER LADDIE
NANE, THEY SAY, HAE I
YET A' THE LADS THEY SMILE AT ME
WHEN COMIN' THRO' THE RYE.