



Esoterika Lodge No. 227



ANCIENT FREE & ACCEPTED MASONS OF OREGON

MARCH QUARTERLY LECTURE:

FRENCH ILLUMINISM: A MODERN APPROACH

BY MICHAEL SANBORN

DESPITE THE UBIQUITY of consciousness, the ways of conscious realization acquire local characteristics over time. In this talk, we explore some of the contemporary manifestations of what is sometimes referred to as “the French School” of Hermeticism and esotericism (also called Illuminisme).

Topics touched upon will include: the historical divergence of the English and French esoteric schools, the ongoing close relationship of French occultism and the artistic avant garde,

and a survey of prominent European initiatory traditions (including networks of initiatory lineages), concluding with the work of esoteric writer and lecturer Rémi Boyer.

Michael Sanborn is a book designer and translator specializing in contemporary European esoterica. A participant in several traditions, including Neoplatonism, Templarism, the Fourth Way, and embodied nonduality, he is also a Gnostic bishop and the facilitator of Azoth Temple in Portland, Oregon.

DATE

Saturday, March 19th

SCHEDULE

Arrive: 4:30 pm

Lecture: 5:00-6:30pm [Public]

Esoterika Stated Meeting: 7:00 pm

[Masons only]

IN-PERSON LOCATION

10636 SE Main Street

Milwaukie, OR 97222

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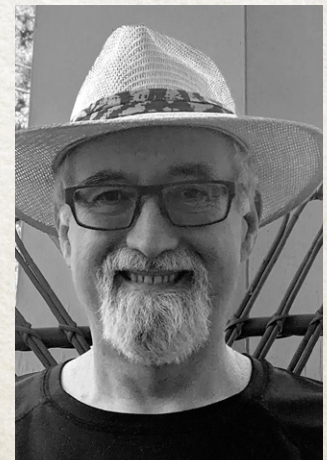
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