

Illinois Freemasonry Membership Development

Short Talk Bulletin Podcasts - Recommendation List

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The Masonic Services Association of North America (MSA) has been printing and distributing **“The Short Talk Bulletins”** on a monthly basis since 1923. More recently, they have been producing professional audio recordings (**podcasts**) of older bulletins to make those timeless lessons of Masonic Enlightenment available to a new generation of Freemasons. These podcasts are available at no cost from **The Short Talk Bulletin Podcast website**, <https://shorttalkbulletin.com>.

Our Grand Lodge Membership Committee curated the list of Short Talk Bulletin Podcasts below to provide a rare and valuable Membership Development experience for all Master Masons. These recommended podcasts provide an excellent learning opportunity for Brethren seeking to significantly advance their personal “Masonic Journey of Self-Improvement” and gain a deeper understanding, appreciation and respect for the age-old wisdom provided by our ancient and honorable fraternity.

How to listen to the Podcasts? — You can listen to the podcasts directly on the website. Also, you can access the podcasts via Apple Podcasts, Android, Google Podcasts, etc.; these digital apps, platforms and methods make it even easier to enjoy this valuable information at your convenience.

Our Curated List of Short Talk Bulletin Podcast Recommendations:

“What Masonry Means” - Volume 5 Number 5 (1927 - 17 minutes) - https://shorttalkbulletin.com/what-masonry-means-v5n5/	“Powers of the Worshipful Master” - Volume 7 Number 8 (1929 - 13 minutes) - https://shorttalkbulletin.com/powers-of-the-worshipful-master-v07n8/
“An Erring Brother” - Volume 4 Number 10 (1926 - 12 minutes) - https://shorttalkbulletin.com/an-erring-brother-v04n10/	“Bring Peace and Harmony to A Troubled World” - Volume 93 Number 10 (2015 - 11 minutes) - https://shorttalkbulletin.com/bringing-peace-and-harmony-to-a-troubled-world-93n10/
“Lodge Leadership” - Volume 48 Number 1 (1970 - 10 minutes) - https://shorttalkbulletin.com/lodge-leadership-v48n1/	“The Lodge” - Volume 5 Number 12 (1927 - 12 minutes) - https://shorttalkbulletin.com/the-lodge-v05n12/

<p>"The Holy Saints John" - Volume 53 Number 12 (1975 - 25 minutes) - https://shorttalkbulletin.com/the-holy-saints-john-v53n12/</p>	<p>"The Level and Plumb" - Volume 2 Number 6 (1924 - 13 minutes) - https://shorttalkbulletin.com/the-level-and-plumb-v02n6/</p>
<p>"The Square" - Volume 2 Number 4 (1924 - 13 minutes) - https://shorttalkbulletin.com/the-square-v02n4/</p>	<p>"The Compasses" - Volume 2 Number 5 (1924 - 14 minutes) - https://shorttalkbulletin.com/the-compasses-v02n5/</p>
<p>"Temperance, Fortitude and Prudence" - Volume 55 Number 11 (1977 - 10 minutes) - https://shorttalkbulletin.com/temperance-fortitude-and-prudence-v55n11/</p>	<p>"Men Who Build Bridges, Not Walls" - Volume 64 Number 3 - (1986 - 10 minutes) - https://shorttalkbulletin.com/men-who-build-bridges-not-walls-v64n3/</p>
<p>"Three Distinct Knocks" - Volume 40 Number 7 (1962 - 13 minutes) - https://shorttalkbulletin.com/three-distinct-knocks-v40n7/</p>	<p>"The Cable Tow" - Volume 4 Number 3 (1926 - 13 minutes) - https://shorttalkbulletin.com/the-cable-tow-v4n3/</p>
<p>"The Ruffians" - Volume 5 Number 9 (1927 - 13 minutes) - https://shorttalkbulletin.com/the-ruffians-v05n9/</p>	<p>"Meet Act Part" - Volume 22 Number 6 (1944 - 17 minutes) - https://shorttalkbulletin.com/meet-act-part-v22n6/</p>
<p>"Freemasonry and the Future" - Volume 53 Number 9 (1975 - 12 minutes) - https://shorttalkbulletin.com/freemasonry-and-the-future-v53n9/</p>	

Note: Click on the links provided above for direct access to the podcasts located on The Short Talk Bulletin Podcast website.

Our Motto — "Masons living Masonry in their daily lives"

Enjoy the exploration, learning and Masonic Enlightenment contained within the timeless wisdom and instruction provided by these Short Talk Bulletin Podcasts. **As Master Masons, these valuable resources will further our goal of "Knowing Masonry and Living Masonry."** Have fun, and share what you learn with your Brothers!

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