Personal Bio for Very Excellent Companion Hani M. Nino

Very Excellent Companion Nino, was born on November 14th 1974 in Amman Jordan.
He attended school in Amman where he lived, until he graduated as a Petroleum Engineer from the University of Jordan in 1997. After graduating Hani decided to finish his MBA degree at the same University. Hani began his working Career with European based esteemed Oil and Gas companies. He was tasked with establishing new opportunities, developing new businesses and to establish many companies in new Countries.
In 2005, Hani married Randa, the love of his life. They have two beautiful daughters, Maya and Carla who are 16 and 14 respectively.

In 2012 after witnessing some of the instability in some countries around Jordan, Hani and Randa decided to move their family to Canada. Also, Hani now being weary of traveling the world, he decided to start working remotely, as much as is possible.

Coming from a Masonic family, Hani was initiated into Freemasonry in 2012. Lodge No. 1339 In Jordan, under the Grand Lodge of Scotland. He became a member of Jordan Royal Arch Chapter No. 663, under the Grand Royal Arch Chapter of Scotland. Hani is still a life time member of both. After moving to Canada, in 2014 Hani affiliated with Acacia Lodge No. 22, also with Joppa Royal Arch Chapter No. 31. In 2016 he affiliated with Heritage Lodge No.63; he is also a member of Kolossi Preceptory No. 684 Cyprus.

On May 2019 Hani was invested as Worshipful Master of Heritage Lodge. He served Heritage as Master for three and half years, during the covid years. In January 2020 Hani became first principle of Joppa Chapter, where he also served 3 years. He was anointed and Consecrated to the order of High Priesthood September 2022. In 2023 Hani was appointed as Grand Steward for the Grand Chapter of British Columbia and Yukon.

Hani is also enrolled in Cryptic Rite with Zabud council No. 1, in February 2016 he was Consecrated as a Knight Templar in Columbia preceptory No. 34, and a Knight of the Red Cross of Constantine Pacific Conclave No. 27. Hani is to be elected Presiding Preceptor of Columbia Preceptory for 2023.

Hani is a member of the Supreme Council of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite of Freemasonry of Canada and proclaimed as Sublime Prince of the Royal Secret 32° of the Valley of Vancouver in 2018.

Hani holds a variety of positions with several Masonic bodies: Vice chair for the Grand Lodge of British Columbia and Yukon Finance Committee, Chairman of Mount Lebanon Society, Park Building Association and Joppa Royal Arch Society.

In all the Concordant Bodies and committees Hani is a member of, he is a member in very good standing. He attends all concordant bodies regularly and is very involved with all.

Hani enjoys most water sports, swimming being his passion, since being a member of the Jordanian national swimming team for 15 years. He also enjoys diving, water polo, hiking and golfing.

The future success of our Royal Arch depends directly on all of us as Royal Arch Masons. If elected I will work diligently with the Grand Line to ensure the Royal Arch remains Relevant, Strong, and Gratifying.