



# ***The Silent Messenger***

Silent Mora-Ray Goulet Ring 122

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## **TEACH-IN**

Several members were sick or couldn't make the November meeting at the last minute and it looked like we wouldn't have enough people for the teach-in. However, people dribbled in and we soon had enough members to make this a memorable evening.

Rob Kinslow (standing near Jared McNabb in the photo), a past president of Ring 122, returned after several years away and he started our evening. Rob has been studying and working as a Unitarian minister; he described himself as a magic minister/seminarian now, in the tradition of John Booth. Preferring to use regular card decks, Rob performed and explained a great oil and water effect by Harry Lorayne: The Sting. Rob noted that all his decks are setup for this trick so he can just grab a deck and get into it. Rob then taught a John Bannon version of Dr. Daley's Last Trick.



Dan Hajjar (left photo) presented and taught Bro Hammon's Gemini Twins, a fun, fast-paced packet trick with a story.

Pat Farenga (right photo) lectured about Eddie Fields' Dipsy Doodle trick, where a lucky coin finds the spectator's chosen card. He then showed and explained variations of this trick by Jason Dean (using a Pabst beer bottle cap) and Erik Tait (the Ultra Lucky Coin gimmick) that build on Fields' premise.



Jared McNabb ended the teach-in with a fast and amazing version of Vernon's Triumph, Play It Straight Triumph, that he learned from John Bannon's DVD Impossibilia.

—Patrick Farenga



## **Help Needed**

Someone needs to take over producing the Silent Messenger starting in January. I am having surgery sometime in January that will keep my left arm immobile and in a sling for 6 weeks or more, so someone needs to step up and keep

the Messenger coming to our members. I'll gladly return to editorial duties when I'm healed so this is not a permanent position. Contact me, Pat Farenga, for more information: [pfarenga@comcast.net](mailto:pfarenga@comcast.net).

## Yankee Gift Swap on Dec. 17

Our next meeting features our annual gift swap. Please bring a wrapped magic gift—spend no more than \$15—to swap with your compeers. Also bring some magic you want to share, holiday themed or otherwise. Our meeting is early this month due to the Christmas Holiday: Tuesday, Dec. 17, 7:30 PM in Watertown.

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