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To all Rebekah Lodges,

Dear Sisters and Brothers,

To help with communications, I have created a web site at <http://www.burwur.net/IOOF/>
I will post invitations, flyers, my letters and other communications that may interest us.

All are invited to our California History Tour, September 19-22. We will use the Best Western Amador Inn in Jackson as a home base, then travel from there to points of interest on Friday, Saturday and Sunday. Travel will be by carpooling and caravan, because chartering a bus costs too much.

We start with a dinner at Progressive Lodge #134 in Lockeford on Thursday, September 19. After breakfast on Friday, we go north toward Coloma on Friday, ending the day with a dinner at Morning Star #20 in Placerville.

Saturday morning, we go to Volcano for the annual Odd Fellows meeting in the Volcano Lodge Hall, which will be an open meeting, so that Rebekahs and non-members can attend. Afterwards, we will head east on 88 to the Odd Fellows Monument at Kit Carson Pass. Dinner is at Placerville, followed by evening fun (I hope for square dancing on that spring floor!).

Sunday morning, we go south to Sonora, Angels Camp, the Columbia SHP and the La Grange Odd Fellows Hall.

We expect the dinners at the lodges to cost \$25 per person. We require reservations for each dinner, but no payment in advance. Lodges need to know if they are cooking for 10 or for 40 people, after all! Reservations should be sent to me, at the addresses and phone number above.

We have a block of rooms and a negotiated discount for September 19, 20, and 21 at Best Western Amador Inn, 200 S. State Highway 49, Jackson, CA 95642, (209)223-0211. Room Rate: \$95.99 + taxes. Discount Code: Odd Fellow Group

Detailed plans and maps for each day will be distributed at the hotel.

I hope to see many of you at Golden Valley Day in Santa Rosa on October 5. Information and registration forms have been sent to all lodges.

On Friday, August 16, there will be a ceremony in Yreka to dedicate the newly restored Cave to the purposes of Odd Fellowship. The rest of the weekend will include conferring of all the Odd Fellow degrees, with the second degree conferred at the Cave with a full moon rising over Mount Shasta to the east.

In Friendship, Love and Truth,

Debra LaVergne, PRA