



# JEWEL CITY'S ROD CHATTER



## DECEMBER

## 2024

### EXECUTIVE BOARD FINISHING THE YEAR 2023



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**Tour report for November** – Forest Lawn Glendale – What a perfect day for us to tour on over to view the painting of the Crucifixion along with the one of Christ’s resurrection. These paintings were originally painted in 1894 by Jan Styka who traveled to Jerusalem to sketch the landscape and architecture in the hope of creating the most accurate representation. Of which he most certainly did! We were met at the Forest Lawn MUSEUM by our docent Sophia.

In 1896 the painting was unveiled in Warsaw and it claimed fame as it traveled around Europe. When ready to be sent to the USA, it was wrapped on a telephone pole and shipped. When it arrived here, there was no place large enough to display it so it was put into storage.

The painting came to Forest Lawn visionary Dr. Hubert Eaton’s attention in 1944. He bought it and erected a special building to house it, which is known today as “The Hall of Crucifixion”.

As part of the museum, there is an extraordinary art collection where artists can study and sketch, teachers can bring children where they can see things they read about in books. The museum displays a permanent collection as well as world-class rotating exhibits where there is always something new to experience. Leaving the museum it was over to the Mausoleum to view the statues there plus a brilliant stained glass recreation of Leonardo da Vinci’s famous painting, the Last Supper,



Participating as pictured was: Pat & George Erhard, Ellen & Eric Fuller, Anita & Fred Garcia, Carol & Al Magee, Ruth & Darrell Payne, Adrienne Grigorian, Bob Reeves, Mary & Walt Thompson, Bev Wardle.



Lunch that followed was at the SIZZLER restaurant over in Los Angeles where we enjoyed conversation and ending with ice cream.

## TOURS & ACTIVITIES FINISHING THE YEAR 2023

- Dec 14 – Jewel City's Christmas extravaganza/business meeting to be held at the Thompson's.  
Dec 25 – To all, we're hoping you have a very **Merry Christmas!!**



- Jan. 01 – **HAPPY Model 'A' NEW YEAR!**  
Jan. 08 – Jewel City business meeting at STAR FORD in Glendale located at 1101 S. Brand Blvd, second Floor Conference room. Meetings starts at 6:30 PM.



**Dues are due** – If you haven't already paid your dues for 2025, Make checks payable to Jewel City MAFCA or U can pay cash to Bob Reeves. They will remain at \$30.00. Jeepers Creeper's, What a bargain! **That is until January 15th.** After that ???

Meetings: The Jewel City Chapter of the Model A Ford Club of America meets on the 1<sup>st</sup> Wednesday of each month at Star Ford in Glendale, CA located at 1101 S. Brand Blvd. Meetings start at 6:30 PM.  
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**FROM THE ROD CHATTER STAFF**  
**HAVE A SAFE & JOYFUL HOLIDAY!**



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## JEWEL CITY MODEL 'A' FORD CLUB OF AMERICA



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1 Happy Birthday Dyllinn Loopson	2	3	4	5	6	7 Happy Anniversary Scott & Gladys Cappiello
8	9	10	11	12	13 Happy Birthday Brenda Lanfieri	14 Club Christmas Party & Business Mtg. at Walt & Mary's (rsvp Mary 818-842-8390) Happy Birthday Frances Geisen
15	16	17	18	19	20	21 Happy Anniversary Karen (Ryan) & Mike Lrette Winter begins
22 Happy Birthday Al Magae	23	24	25 	26	27	28
29	30 Happy Birthday Charles Loopson	31  New Year's Eve				