



Elks Memorial Service

“They are gone, but not forgotten”

by Bob Martin, Glens Falls, NY Lodge #81



*Though they stand with us no more
We know they wait at heaven’s door.
While with us for such a little while,
They touched our hearts with a friendly smile.*

*They taught us life is a time of bliss,
Now they’ve been touched by an angel’s kiss.
They gave their time and talents, too.
They believed in us and all we do.*

*So as we hold this Service here on earth,
Let’s shout to God what each was worth!
Let the chimes ring loud so they’ll know in heaven,
Why we remember them at the Hour of Eleven.*

*They’re gone from us now, but we know they cared,
For their hopes and dreams with us they shared.
They left their mark so all could see,
They made life better for you and me.*

*So as we sing the “Vacant Chair”,
Let’s remember that they’re waiting there,
To bring us home and to guide the way.
We remember these Elks in this Service, today.*

