



## **Founding Martyr Dr. Joseph Warren: An Evening with Christian Di Spigna**

Saturday, April 25th, 6:00 PM to 9:00 PM  
Pittsfield Masonic Building  
116 South Street, Pittsfield, MA

In celebration of the 250th anniversary of the signing of the Declaration of Independence, the Valley of Pittsfield MA AASR NMJ, in partnership with the 30th & 31st Masonic Districts, is hosting historian and author Christian Di Spigna at the Pittsfield Masonic Building.

Executive Director of the Dr. Joseph Warren Foundation, Di Spigna will be discussing his acclaimed biography, "Founding Martyr: The Life and Death of Dr. Joseph Warren, the American Revolution's Lost Hero".

One of the most important figures in early American history, Dr. Joseph Warren, an architect of the colonial rebellion, was involved in almost every major insurrectionary act in the Boston area from the Stamp Act protests of 1766, to the Boston Massacre and the Boston Tea Party, drafting the Suffolk Resolves to his untimely death in June 1775 at the Battle of Bunker Hill – Warren was pivotal in laying the foundation for American independence.

This event is free and open to the public.

A spaghetti dinner will be held beforehand from 6:00 PM to 7:00 PM - A \$10.00 per person donation for dinner is requested with part of the proceeds going to support the Valley of Pittsfield's Berkshire County Charitable Giving Program.