



## Candlelight Ceremony



<b>Prelude</b>	Jose Noriega (81, 83-89)
<b>Welcome</b>	Ken Klatka (74-92)
<b>Call to Worship</b>	Bruce Holloway (80-85, 87-93)
<b>Candle of Health</b>	Jen Campbell Heath (75-80, 82-85, 87-88, 00-01, 06-08)
<b>Candle of Knowledge</b>	Doug Smith (78-02, 04-08) Todd Pinsonneault (86-01, 03-13)
<b>Candle of Friendship</b>	Karen Levitt Pleasant (78-91) Gretchen Bruce Hoefer (87, 89-98)
<b>Song</b>	Lava Abelson Mueller (79-85, 08-12, 16 and Family Camp 02-09, 13-16) and Andy Mueller (Family Camp, 02-05, 14-16)

### ***Black Muddy River***

*(words by Robert Hunter, music by Jerry Garcia)*

When the last rose of summer pricks my finger  
And the hot sun chills me to the bone  
When I can't hear the song for the singer  
And I can't tell my pillow from a stone

I will walk alone by the black muddy river  
And sing me a song of my own  
I will walk alone by the black muddy river  
And sing me a song of my own

When the last bolt of sunshine hits the mountain  
And the stars start to splatter in the sky  
When the moon splits the southwest horizon  
With the scream of an eagle on the fly

I will walk alone by the black muddy river  
And listen to the ripples as they moan  
I will walk alone by the black muddy river  
And sing me a song of my own

Black muddy river  
Roll on forever  
I don't care how deep or wide  
If you got another side  
Roll muddy river  
Roll muddy river  
Black muddy river roll

When it seems like the night will last forever  
And there's nothing left to do but count the years  
When the strings of my heart start to sever  
And stones fall from my eyes instead of tears

I will walk alone by the black muddy river  
And dream me a dream of my own  
I will walk alone by the black muddy river  
And sing me a song of my own  
And sing me a song of my own

<b>Candle of Beauty</b>	Katie Smith (96-15) Kim Smith Fitzgerald (96-15)
<b>Candle of Service</b>	Lara Stroshine Routhier (78-92, 08-16)
<b>Candle of Worship</b>	Joan McNeill Bird (26 years, 47-10)
<b>Wicker Arm Chairs</b>	Willy Therrien (84-13)

I remember a time  
When it all seemed so young,  
French Green – an oasis,  
A field in the sun;  
Playing hard, making new friends  
'Till each day is done,  
Singing music for free,  
May it always be sung!

CHORUS: And my friends, as we sit  
In our wicker arm chairs,  
We rock back and laugh  
On the times that we shared.



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We swung through the trees,  
And shot through the air,  
And our candles so brightly burned.

No matter how far I drift or I roam,  
The oceans, the forests,  
Or the cities of stone,  
A candle burns bright  
'Neath the sky's starry dome,  
Marks ever the place  
That I'll take for my home.

And though our days here  
Too soon come to an end,  
Your candle burns bright  
For it's lit by a friend.  
And your candle, it burns  
'Neath the sky's starry dome,  
Marks ever the place  
You can take for your home!

CHORUS: And my friends, as we sit  
In our wicker arm chairs,  
We rock back and laugh  
On the times that we shared.  
We swung through the trees,  
And shot through the air,  
And our candles so brightly burned.

**Candle of Character** The Klatkas (74-92)

**CT 30-Year Jacket Award to Chef Dean Lafayette** (86-16)

"Uncle Rusty" - Bill Allen (85-89)  
Billy Jarvis (78-89, 10)  
Ryan Reed (14-)

**Reflections** Mike Hofer (77-79, 81-89, 91-99)

**Postlude** Anne Miller Dente (10 years, 70-82; Family Camp, 19 years, 83-15)

**Lighting of the Candles** Past CT Directors:

"Uncle" JEF Craig (78-83, 90-05)  
"Uncle" Rusty Allen (85-89)  
Bruce Holloway (80-85, 87-93)  
Mike Hofer (77-79, 81-89, 91-99)  
Willy Therrien (84-13)

**CT Presentation** Ryan Reed (14-)  
Artie Lang (15-)

**Circle of Friendship** Ryan Reed (14-)  
Claire Gogolen (92-)

## ***This Little Light of Mine***

This little light of mine  
I'm gonna let it shine  
This little light of mine  
I'm gonna let it shine,  
Let it shine, let it shine, let it shine

Hide it under a bushel, no  
I'm gonna let it shine...

Don't you dare to WHOOF it out  
I'm gonna let it shine...

Hold it high so all can see  
I'm gonna let it shine...

Shine through all Takodah camp  
I'm gonna let it shine...

**Taps** Kevan Whippie (80-83, 85)

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