

**ORDER OF THE HIGH PRIESTHOOD  
OF  
MISSOURI**

Dear Companion,

According to the records in the office of the Grand Secretary, Royal Arch Masons of Missouri, you have been elected High Priest of your Chapter. Your election and installation to this office has made you eligible for membership in the Order of High Priesthood, an honorary degree which is conferred on all High Priests of the Chapters, subject only to their petition and election.



Arrangements have been made to confer the Order during the coming Annual Convocation of the Grand Chapter. Your petition may be presented to designated Companions on the day of the meeting, and the degree will be conferred at a time to be announced later. You will receive a program setting the time before the Convocation.

There are no dues connected with the Order, but it is necessary to fix a \$30.00 charge to pay for the expense of holding the Convention and to pay for the Bible and Membership Card, which are furnished you. The special Bible presented to each candidate sells for \$30.00.

You may regard this letter as an invitation to petition the Order to receive the degree on the date to be set. Filing the petition acknowledges the receipt of said letter and indicates your intention to be with us. This information will be greatly appreciated. This enables us to know how many will be receiving the degree.

In order to avoid the delay of having to stand in line to file your petition, as has been the case, you are asked to sign and return the petition below, accompanied by your personal check. You may, however, present your petition in person in case of a late decision to be present. We would appreciate having it, if at all possible, before the Convocation. It enables us to have your Bible and Membership Card inscribed beforehand.

Richard J. Holmes - Recorder/Treasurer  
12642 Broadridge Lane, Florissant, Mo. 63033-4604

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**Cut off and mail WITH CHECK for \$30.00 to Recorder**

I will be present and desire to petition for the Honorary Order of High Priesthood.

(Print) Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Chapter: \_\_\_\_\_ No. \_\_\_\_\_

**Make Checks payable to: Order of the High Priesthood**