



The Grand Chapter of the State of New York Royal Arch Masons

Dear Companions,

It is with the great excitement that Royal Arch Charities of the Grand Chapter State of New York, R.A.M., introduces the new Royal Arch Seals for 2010. Applied to the envelopes of a Companion's correspondence, utility bill payment, holiday greeting cards, etc., they stimulate inquiry by the public; "Who are Royal Arch Masons?" & "What do these symbols represent?", questions answered through identification of famous Masons and symbols on the seals.

Seals portray symbols and Masons associated with Royal Arch Masonry. Each and every one of us can identify with great Masons such as George Washington, DeWitt Clinton, Thomas Smith Webb and symbols such as the Ark of the Covenant, the Keystone and the Principal Arch.

The cost for one sheet of fifteen seals is two dollars (\$2) and can be purchased through your Chapter Secretary, District Royal Arch Charities Chairperson or District Deputy Grand High Priest. Monies raised from the sale of Royal Arch Seals make possible greater distribution of Grand Chapter Scholarships which benefit our youth seeking higher education.

The accompanying page depicts the pages of the new Royal Arch Seals. We hope the new seal design will inspire our Royal Arch Companions to purchase and utilize Royal Arch Seals on their correspondence.

If you have any questions or would like to order seals for your District Chapters, please feel free to contact me.

Fraternally & Sincerely;

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