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NOTES ON SCROLL TEXTS

1. The name of the event and the group is optional.
2. The wording of any of these texts may be customized so long as the pertinent information is left unchanged.
3. The grammatically correct Latin forms to use for the King's title are "Rex Artemisiae" (King of Artemisia) or "Rex Artemisius" (Artemisia's King.) It should be noted that although "Rex Gryphus" is a style preferred by some Artemisian royalty, it is a made-up construction. The correct form of the Latin noun "gryps" or "grypis" (gryphon) would be "Rex Gryps" (Gryphon King) or "Rex Grypium" ("King of the Gryphons"). It is also correct to put merely "Rex Artemisia" and "Regina" or "King or Queen of Artemisia."
4. The Kingdom so far possesses no seals, so the "seal" language is merely a formality.
5. King, Queen, Artemisia, Gryphon, Gregorian, Common Era, and the name of any person, group or award should be treated as a proper noun and capitalized where appropriate.
6. Royal Pronouns: Please note the distinction between royal We/Our/Us (used properly only by or in reference to the King and Queen) and we or our referring to anyone or everyone else. And only We and Our are used this way—no third person pronoun should be capitalized unless you are referring to deities. (Also note that in some calligraphic hands capitalization is not appropriate at all, and in German all nouns (not pronouns) are capitalized.)

KINGDOM AWARD SCROLL TEXTS

Herein follow the scroll texts for the awards of the Kingdom of Artemisia:

AWARD OF ARMS PROMISSORY

<Recipient's name>, Whereas it has come to Our notice that through divers great efforts you have considerably enriched Our realm, it is thus Our pleasure to reward you with an Award of Arms. We grant you the rights and charge you with the responsibilities of this rank. We charge you to consult with Our Heralds to determine unique and suitable arms. Done this day of __, Anno Societatis __, being the year two thousand in the Common Era at <name of event> in Our <name of S.C.A. group>.
Rex Gryphus Regina

STANDARD AWARD OF ARMS TEXT WITH BLAZON

Be it known that We, <King> and <Queen>, King and Queen of Artemisia, having determined to give an Award of Arms to Our subject, <name of subject>, do hereby award unto him/her <blazon>. We do hereby affirm his/her sole and exclusive right to bear these arms in the Society for Creative Anachronism. Done by Our hands this __ day of ____, A.S. ____, being the year two thousand in the Common Era.
Rex Artemisia Regina

VARIANT AWARD OF ARMS TEXTS

As is in accordance with Our will, We, <King's Name>, Sovereign Lord of Artemisia, and <Queen's Name>, Our chosen Queen, are minded to award arms to Our subject <recipient's name>, bringing (him/her) into Our nobility and recognizing (his/her) service unto Our <name of the recipient's S.C. a. group>. Having commanded Our heralds to devise a suitable blazon, We do hereby award (him/her) the following arms: <blazon>. Henceforth (he/she) shall have the sole and exclusive right to bear these arms. In witness thereof We hereto set Our hands this __ day of ____, A.S. ____, being the year two thousand in the Common Era.
Rex Artemisius Regina

Heralds! Shout gladly to all people of Artemisia that <recipient's name>, having earned great honor and wide renown is worthy of Our high praise. Therefore, in token of your worthiness, do We, <King's name> and <Queen's name>, King and Queen of all Artemisia, award you arms. From this day onward, these arms shall be: <blazon>. Done this __ day of ____, A.S. ____, being the year two thousand in the Common Era, at <event> in Our <name of S.C.A. group>.
Rex Gryphus Regina

<King's name>, by right of arms King of m Artemisian lands, and <Queen's name>, Our chosen Queen, send greetings. Well pleased are We by the service that Our subject, <recipient's name>,

hath rendered unto Our realm, (most especially that of <services/office/ reason>), and deem it fit to make unto (him/her) an Award of Arms. (He/she) shall henceforth have the sole and exclusive right to bear <blazon>. In witness thereof We set Our hands this __ day of _____, A.S. _____, being the year two thousand in the Gregorian reckoning.

Rex Artemisius Regina

<King's name>, by right of arms, King of Artemisia, and <Queen's name>, Our Queen, send greetings to all nobles and gentle persons unto whom these presents come. Know ye that We, of Our especial grace and certain knowledge do award and, by this Our present charter, confirm unto Our beloved <recipient's name> certain ensigns armorial, to wit, <blazon> with all privileges, insignia, titles, precedence, and responsibilities thereunto appertaining. Wherefore We will and firmly direct the aforesaid bear such arms and enjoy such privileges, insignia, titles, precedence, and responsibilities without hindrance by any person whomsoever. Done at Our <name of S.C.A. group> this __ day of _____, A.S. _____, being the year two thousand Gregorian.

Rex Artemisius Regina

(Be it known/ let it be known/know all gentles) by these presents letters that We, <King's name>, King by right of arms of this sovereign realm of Artemisia, and <Queen's name>, Our Queen, in keeping with the duties and privileges accorded with the rulers of Our Kingdom, here bestow upon <recipient's name> an Award of Arms, conferring on (him/her) all the honors, privileges, and responsibilities inherent thereunto. These arms, to be borne without let or hindrance, shall be: <blazon>. Done t this __ day of _____, A.S. _____, being the year two thousand Gregorian.

Rex Artemisius Regina

GRANT OF ARMS

Know all by these presents that We, <King's name> and <Queen's name>, King and Queen of Artemisia, having determined to give a Grant of Arms to Our subject, <name>, for (his/her) service to Our realm, do hereby affirm (his/her) (sole/unique) and exclusive right to bear <blazon> (place augmentation text after the blazon if required: e. g. <further do We augment said arms, to wit:). In witness whereof We set Our hands this __ day of __, Anno Societatis __, being the year two thousand in the Common Era. (Place confirmation text of the heralds confirming the arms here if required.)

Rex Artemisius Regina

(Be it known/Let it be known/ Know all gentles) by these present letters that We, <King's name>, King by right of arms of this sovereign realm of Artemisia, and <Queen's name>, Our Queen, in keeping with the duties and privileges accorded to the rulers of Our Kingdom here bestow upon <name> a Grant of Arms and confer upon (him/her) all the honors, privileges, and responsibilities inherent thereunto. In recognition of this We grant unto (him/her) the sole and exclusive right to bear without hindrance these arms: <blazon>. Done at Our <name of S.C.A.

group> this _ day of ____ . Anno Societatis ____, being the year two thousand in the Common Era.
Rex Artemisius Regina

Attend all gentle persons and nobles unto whom these presents shall come, for <King's name> and <Queen's name>, King and Queen of Artemisia, send commendations and greetings. Our subject, <name> hath pleased Us greatly by (his/her) service to Our realm (most especially in <area of service or office held>). We choose to honor (him/her) with a grant of arms and hereby affirm (his/her) right to bear <blazon> in the Society for Creative Anachronism. In token and witness whereof We have set Our hands this _ day of ____ . Anno Societatis ____, being the year two thousand in the Common Era.

Rex Artemisius Regina

Right mindful of the excellence of many tasks performed by <name> in service to the Crown and Kingdom we, <King's name>, by right of arms sovereign King of Artemisia and <Queen's name>, Our gracious Queen, do commend (his/her) efforts and acknowledge their worth. Therefore do We, from this day henceforth, grant (him/her) the right to bear <blazon> without let or hindrance from any person in accordance with the laws and tradition of Our Kingdom. In affirmation We set Our hands this _ day of ____ . Anno Societatis ____, being the year two thousand in the Common Era, in Our <name of S.C.A. group> at <name of event>.

Rex Artemisius Regina

COURT BARON/BARONESS

Let it be known to all subjects throughout Our noble realm, from the burning red sands of the south to the windswept peaks of the north, that we, <King's name> and <Queen's name> King and Queen of Artemisia, have taken note of the long and faithful service given Our fair Kingdom by <name> and are well pleased. In recognition of which We do this day confer upon (him/her) the dignity, honor, and splendor of a (Baron/Baroness) of Our court. In token thereof (he/she) is accorded the privileges to use and display a Baronial coronet. Upon pain of anathema let none gainsay this, Our royal edict. In witness thereof We set Our hands this _ day of ____ . Anno Societatis ____, being the year two thousand in the Common Era.

Rex Artemisius Regina

All persons of every station throughout the Laurel Kingdom of Artemisia, take pause in your tawdry efforts that you may hear and understand these, the mighty words as given by your royal monarchs, <King's name> and <Queen's name>, being in direct line of descent the <number> King and Queen of all these Artemisian lands. Let none take it into their heart to dispute them. It is Our prerogative to honor with the title of (Baron/Baroness) of the court of Artemisia those of Our subjects whose noble attributes have pleased us. Such a person is <name> whose gentle courtesy, wise counsel, and unstinting service have made Our realm more fair and Our burden less heavy. Therefore do We so name (him/her) and in token thereof give unto (him/her) the privilege of the use and display of a Baronial coronet. Done at <name of event> in Our <name of S.C.A. group> this _ day of ____ . Anno Societatis ____, being the year two thousand in the Common Era.

Rex Artemisius Regina

VISCOUNT

Know all people by these presents that We, <King/Prince> and <Queen/Princess>, (King and Queen of Atenveldt/Prince and Princess of Artemisia) in recognition that Our subject <name> has once reigned as (Prince/Princess) in Our realm, do hereby acknowledge (him/her) (Viscount/Viscountess). We do affirm (his/her) sole and exclusive right to bear the following arms by letters patent in the Society for Creative Anachronism: <blazon>. In witness whereof We set Our hands and seal this ___ day of ___, Anno Societatis ___, being the year two thousand in the Common Era, at <event> in Our <S.C.A. group>.

Rex Atenveldtus/Princeps Artemisia

Regina/Princepsa

VISCOUNTESS/LADY OF THE PAPILLON

Know all people by these presents that We, <King/Prince> and <Queen/Princess>, (King and Queen of Atenveldt/Prince and Princess of Artemisia), in recognition that Our subject <name> has once reigned as Princess in Our realm, do hereby acknowledge her as Viscountess and Lady of the Papillon. We hereby affirm her right to bear the following arms by letters patent in the Society for Creative Anachronism: <blazon>. In witness whereof We set Our hands and seals this ___ day of ___, Anno Societatis ___, being the year two thousand in the Common Era at <event> in Our <S.C.A. group>.

(Rex Atenveldtus/Princeps Artemisia)

(Regina/Princepsa)

COUNT

Know all gentles by these presents that We, <King> and <Queen>, King and Queen of Artemisia, in recognition that Our subject <name> has once reigned as King in Our realm do hereby acknowledge him (Count/Earl). We do affirm his sole and exclusive right to bear the following arms by Letters Patent in the Society for Creative Anachronism: <blazon>. In witness whereof We set Our hands and seal this ___ day of ___, Anno Societatis ___, being the year two thousand in the Common Era.

Rex Artemisius Regina

COUNTESS/LADY OF THE ROSE

Know all gentles by these presents that We, <King> and <Queen>, King and Queen of Artemisia, in recognition that Our subject, <name> (by the valor and skill of her champion/by her valor and skill at arms) has once reigned as Queen in Our realm, do hereby acknowledge her Countess and Lady of the Rose. We hereby affirm her right to bear the following arms by letters patent in the Society for Creative Anachronism, to wit: <blazon>. In witness whereof We set Our Hands and Seal this ___ day of ___, Anno Societatis ___, being the year two thousand in the Common Era.

Rex Gryphus Regina

DUKE

To all and singular do We, <King> and <Queen>, by Right of Arms of the Realm of Artemisia and of all Our territories King and Queen, send greeting. In recognition of Our subject, <name>, who by his valor and skill at arms has twice ruled as King in Our realm, do We now elevate him to the rank and station of Duke. We now further affirm his right to bear arms by Letters Patent in the Society for Creative Anachronism, without let or hindrance, said arms herein more plainly described and depicted to wit: <blazon>. In witness whereof We set Our hands and cause to be affixed the seal of Our mighty Kingdom this ___ day of ___, Anno Societatis ___, being the year two thousand Gregorian.

Rex Gryphus Regina

DUCHESS

To all who may read these letters do We, <King> and <Queen>, by right of arms of the realm of Artemisia and of all Our territories King and Queen, give greeting. Whereas Our subject <name> has twice ruled as Queen in Our realm (by her valor and skill/by the valor and skill of her champion), it is Our pleasure to elevate her to the rank and station of Duchess. We do further affirm her right to bear arms by Letters Patent in the Society for Creative Anachronism, without let or hindrance, said arms herein more plainly described and depicted to wit: <blazon>. In witness whereof We set Our hands and cause to be affixed the seal of Our mighty Kingdom this ___ day of ___, Anno Societatis ___, being the year two thousand Gregorian.

Rex Artemisius Regina

KINGDOM RAPIER CHAMPION

As the honor of the Crown must be represented in all forms of combat, so it was that a tournament was held at Coronation in the Barony of Loch Salann to determine the next Rapier Champion of Artemisia. At the end of the day one true swordsman emerged victorious over his opponents upon the field of battle. Thus do we, _____, King by Right of Arms over all Artemisia, and _____, Queen of Love and Beauty, name _____ Our Rapier Champion and charge him/her with the solemn responsibility of defending Our honor and standing as an example of Prowess and Humility for all those who would follow in his/her footsteps. Signed by Our hands this ___ day of _____, A.S. _____, being the year 2001 in the Common Era.

Rex Artemisius Regina

QUEEN'S CHAMPION

Many and valiant are the warriors of Artemisia. From the newest of soldiers to those who bear the Gryphon's Talon, justly do they seek renown. Nobly would they advance the names of those whom they honor. Her Royal Majesty Caryn, 8th Queen of Artemisia, wishing to recognize these warriors and to provide them with an opportunity to display their skills in the arts of peace as well as their skill at arms, did call for a tournament. So it was, that at the Coronation of Sean

II and Caryn, many fighters of the Kingdom gathered on the shores of Loch Salann to display their skill at arms and compete for the privilege of representing their Queen. At the end of this fierce competition ____ [leave a whole line blank for the name] _____ did stand undefeated and was thus named Queen's Champion. He [or She] will stand first in defense of the Queen and will serve as an example of courtly grace. Done the 14th day of January, Anno Societatis XXXV, being the year MMI by the common reckoning. Regina Artemisia

ORDER OF THE LAUREL

(this is the standard text)

Know all gentles by these presents that We, <King> and <Queen>, King and Queen of Artemisia, having elevated Our subject, <name>, to the Order of the Laurel, do therefore bestow upon (him/her) a Patent of Arms. Having commanded Our heralds to devise a unique and suitable blazon, We do hereby grant unto (him/her) <blazon>. Henceforth (he/she) shall have the sole and exclusive right to bear these arms in the Society for Creative Anachronism. In witness whereof We set Our hands and seal this ___ day of ___, Anno Societatis ___, being the year two thousand Gregorian.

Rex Gryphus Regina

To all and singular do we, <King> and <Queen>, by right of arms King and Queen of the realm of Artemisia, send greeting. Whereas it is Our pleasure to recognize and elevate Our subject <name>, upon whom has been conferred <list awards held, in precedence>, to the ancient and honorable Order of the Laurel, and having commanded Our heralds to devise a unique and suitable blazon, do hereby grant unto (him/her) the following ensigns armorial by letters patent: <blazon>. Henceforth (he/she) shall have the sole and exclusive right to bear these arms in the Society for Creative Anachronism to use and to show forth without let or hindrance. Wherefore We set Our hands and cause to be affixed the seal of Our mighty Kingdom this ___ day of ___, Anno Societatis ___, being the year two thousand Gregorian.

Rex Artemisius Regina

PROMISSORY TEXT

Whereas this day We, <King> and <Queen>, have elevated you to the Order of the Laurel, it gives Us great pleasure to reward you with a Patent of Arms. We at this time grant you the rights and charge you with the responsibilities of this rank. We charge you to consult with Our heralds to determine unique and suitable arms. Done this ___ day of ___, Anno Societatis ___, being the year two thousand in the Common Era, at <event> in Our <S.C.A. group>.

Rex Artemisius Regina

ORDER OF THE PELICAN

Know all gentles by these presents that We, <King> and <Queen>, King and Queen of

Artemisia, having elevated Our subject, <name>, to the Order of the Pelican, do therefore bestow upon (him/her) a Patent of Arms. Having commanded Our heralds to devise a unique and suitable blazon, We do hereby grant unto (him/her): <blazon>. Henceforth (he/she) shall have the sole and exclusive right to bear these arms in the Society for Creative Anachronism. In witness whereof We set Our hands and seal this ___ day of ___, Anno Societatis ___, being the year two thousand Gregorian.
Rex Artemisius Regina

To all and singular do we, <King> and <Queen>, by right of arms of the realm of Artemisia and all Our territories King and Queen, send greetings. Whereas it is Our pleasure to recognize and elevate Our subject, <name>, upon whom has been conferred <list awards held, in precedence>, to the most noble Order of the Pelican, and having commanded Our heralds to devise a unique and suitable blazon, We do hereby grant unto (him/her) the following ensigns armorial by letters patent: <blazon>. Henceforth (he/she) shall have the sole and exclusive right to bear these arms in the Society for Creative Anachronism to use and show forth without let or hindrance. In witness whereof We set Our hands and the seal of this mighty Kingdom this ___ day of ___, Anno Societatis ___, being the year two thousand Gregorian.
Rex Gryphus Regina

Whereas this day we, <King> and <Queen>, King and Queen of Artemisia have elevated you, <name>, to the Order of the Pelican, it gives us great pleasure to reward you with a Patent of Arms. We at this time grant you the rights and charge you with the responsibilities of this rank. We charge you to consult with Our heralds to determine unique and suitable arms. Done this ___ day of ___, Anno Societatis ___, being the year two thousand Gregorian, at <event> in Our <S.C.A. group>.
Rex Artemisius Regina

KNIGHTHOOD AND MASTERY-AT-ARMS

Know all people by these presents that We, <King> and <Queen>, King and Queen of Artemisia, having elevated Our subject, <name>, to the rank of (Knight/Master/Mistress-at-Arms) do therefore bestow upon (him/her) a Patent of Arms. Having commanded Our heralds to devise a unique and suitable blazon, We do hereby grant unto (him/her) <blazon>. Henceforth (he/she) shall have the sole and exclusive right to bear these arms in the Society for Creative Anachronism. In witness whereof We set Our hands and seal this ___ day of ___, Anno Societatis ___, being the year two thousand Gregorian.
Rex Artemisius Regina

To all and singular to whom these presents come do we, <King> and <Queen>, by right of arms of the realm of Artemisia and of all Our territories King and Queen, send greetings. Whereas We are pleased this day to recognize and elevate Our subject, <name>, upon whom has been conferred <list awards held, in precedence> unto the rank and estate of (Knight/Master/Mistress-at-Arms) and having commended Our heralds to devise a unique and suitable blazon, We do

hereby grant unto (him/her) the following ensigns armorial by letters patent: <blazon>. Henceforth (he/she) shall have the sole and exclusive right to bear these arms in the Society for Creative Anachronism to use and show forth without let or hindrance. In witness whereof We set Our hands and cause to be affixed the seal of Our mighty Kingdom this ___ day of ___, Anno Societatis ___, being the year two thousand Gregorian.
Rex Artemisius Regina

Whereas this day we, <King> and <Queen>, King and Queen of Artemisia, have elevated you, <name> unto the rank of knight, it gives us great pleasure to reward you with a patent of Arms. We, at this time, grant you the rights and charge you with the responsibilities of this rank. We charge you to consult with Our heralds to determine unique and suitable arms. Done this ___ day of ___, Anno Societatis ___, being the year two thousand Gregorian at <event> in Our <SCA group>.
Rex Artemisius Regina

AWARDS OF THE KINGDOM OF ARTEMISIA

ORDER OF THE BADGER

Unto all who read these presents: know that <name>, by great display of tenacity and determination has caused Us to recognize him/her as a member of the Order of the Badger. Know all who face this person on the field that the motto of this Order is "Nolo Dedere Nunquam," "Never Give Up." Prepare yourselves accordingly. Given this ___ day of ___, Anno Societatis ___, being the year two thousand Gregorian.
Rex Gryphus Regina

ORDER OF THE CHEVAL D'OR

To reward your skill and excellence in the equestrian arts We, <King>, Sovereign Lord of Artemisia and <Queen>, Our lovely Queen, are proud to recognize Our worthy subject, <name>, with admittance to the right noble Order of the Cheval d'Or. May all know of your fine example in making a noble beast another ally to Us in war. Witnessed by Our hands this ___ day of ___, Anno Societatis ___, being the year two thousand Gregorian.
Rex Artemisius Regina

ORDER OF THE KING'S COUNCIL

Be it known by these letters that <name> has honored Our realm by (his/her) trust, advice, and personal service. Thus We, <King>, King of all Artemisia, do make (him/her) a member of the Order of the King's Council of Artemisia. Let it be proclaimed that this person is good and noble and worthy of the notice of all who seek an example of chivalry and courtesy. Proclaimed by Our heralds and witnessed by Our hands this ___ day of ___, Anno Societatis ___, being the year two thousand in the Common Era, at <name of event> in Our <name of S.C. A. group>.

Rex Gryphus

ORDER OF THE QUEEN'S CONFIDENCE

Be it known to all by these letters that <name> has faithfully honored Our crown by (his/ her) continuous service to Us. Thus do We, <Queen>, Queen of Artemisia, honor (him/her) as a Keeper of the Queen's Confidence. Done by Our hand and with Our thanks this ___ day of ___, Anno Societatis ___, being the year two thousand in the Common Era, at <name of event> in Our <name of S.C.A. group>.

Regina Artemisia

Proclaim unto all that We, <Queen>, Queen of Artemisia, do hereby recognize <name> for having faithfully honored Our throne by his/her trust, wise counsel, and continuous service to Us. Let it be proclaimed that this person is good and noble and (his/her) conduct and deportment are worthy of emulation by all who seek an example of chivalry and courtesy. Thus do We, <Queen>, honor (him/her) as a Keeper of the Queen's Confidence. Done in accordance with Our royal will and attested to by Our signature on this ___ day of ___, Anno Societatis ___, being the year two thousand in the Common Era.

Queen of Artemisia

GRYPHON OF ARTEMISIA

Since ancient times and by tradition, the Gryphon has been revered as a beast of nobility and strength, providing an example to all of honor, grace, and pride in defense of its home. There are those within Our fair Kingdom who, through their manner, attitude, and ability provide Our foundation and embody the best qualities of Our Society; much as a Gryphon's feathers are needed for flight, yet are only a small part of the whole. These individuals serve as examples to us all, helping to nurture our spirits and keep our dream alive. It is now the will of <King>, King of all Artemisia, to recognize <name> as a Gryphon of Artemisia, Defender of the Dream. Witnessed by Our hand, and with Our admiration, on this ___ day of ___, Anno Societatis ___, being the year two thousand in the Common Era, at <name of event> in Our <name of S.C.A. group>.

Rex Artemisius Regina

ORDER OF GRATIA ET COMITAS

Within Our Kingdom's borders can be found those whose demeanor and actions provide a sterling example for Our Kingdom to follow. These persons are like the Gryphon, who with the grace of an eagle and the nobility of a lion represent the ideals upon which our Society is founded. By these words, We, <King> and <Queen>, King and Queen of Artemisia, do with just cause recognize Our subject, <name>, for (his/her) inspiring example to all by proclaiming (his/her) worthiness as a member of the Order of the Gratia et Comitas. Witnessed by Our hands on this ___ day of ___, Anno Societatis ___, being the year two thousand in the Common Era, at

<event> in Our <S.C.A. group>.
Rex Gryphus Regina

ORDER OF THE GOLDEN PILLAR OF ARTEMISIA

To all unto whom these letters come, pay heed to the words of <King>, most noble King of Artemisia, and <Queen>, Our gracious Queen. The Order of the Pillar of Artemisia was established to recognize and honor those who have given exemplary service to Our realm. This self-sacrifice and dedication contribute to the good of all and make everyone's burden easier to bear. Thus does it please Us to honor <name> for freely giving of (his/her) time and effort by creating (him/her) a Companion of the Order of the Golden Pillar of Artemisia. Let none contest Our will in this matter, as it is right and justly done. Decreed by Our word and attested to below by Our royal hands this ___ day of ___, Anno Societatis ___, being the year two thousand in the Common Era.

Rex Gryphus Regina

All persons cease your current endeavors and harken unto the words of your most august monarchs, <King> and <Queen>, by unbroken line of descent King and Queen of Artemisia. By service to the Realm may one achieve a great hallmark of the Dream. Although many aspire to such service, the self sacrifice and dedication of some far surpasses that of their fellows, serving as a beacon for others to follow. Through Our own observations and the recommendations of many trustworthy advisors, We find that <name> is such a beacon. Through (his/her) unstinting service (he/she) has considerably enriched Our realm. In recognition thereof it is Our intention to create (him/her) a Companion of the Golden Pillar of Artemisia. Well and justly done by Our hands this ___ day of ___, Anno Societatis ___, being the year two thousand in the Common Era.

Rex Artemisius Regina

With these presents be it known to all that <name>, having given of (himself/herself) most nobly in service to the Kingdom of Artemisia, does greatly deserve Our reward. Therefore We, <King> and <Queen>, King and Queen of Artemisia, do admit (him/her) to the most generous and forthright Order of the Golden Pillar of Artemisia. Done this ___ day of ___, Anno Societatis ___, being the year two thousand in the Common Era, at <event> in Our <S.C.A. group>.

Rex Gryphus Regina

ORDER OF THE GOLDEN GRYPHON'S TALON

In the high and wild places of Artemisia dwells the mighty Gryphon, totem beast of these Laurel Lands. Valiant is its heart and with wondrous weaponry is it endowed. The Order of the Golden Gryphon's Talon was created to recognize those of Our warriors whose skill at arms rivals that of this marvelous beast. Foemen blanch to see the stalwarts of this Order arrayed against them in battle. By these presents one is now called to enter this august Order, for We, <King> and

<Queen>, King and Queen of Artemisia, seek to honor the worthy <name>. With weapon in hand, (he/she) is mighty, and through (his/her) teaching passes this marvelous skill to others. Let all praise (his/her) excellence, let all strive to emulate (his/her) expertise, and let none among the people of all lands dare contest Our will in this matter, for these things are well and justly done by Our hands this ___ day of ___, Anno Societatis ___, being the year two thousand in the Common Era.

Rex Artemisius Regina

To all unto whom these presents do come, be it known that <name>, having given demonstration of skill and knowledge in the art of chivalrous combat, does deserve Our notice. Therefore We, <King> and <Queen>, King and Queen of Artemisia, do admit (him/her) to the right noble Order of the Golden Gryphon's Talon. Done this ___ day of ___, Anno Societatis ___, being the year two thousand Gregorian, at <event> in Our <S.C.A. group>.

Rex Gryphus Regina

ORDER OF THE GOLDEN MAPLE LEAF

The Order of the Maple Leaf was named for Adriana Holloway Tarragon, Queen of Atenveldt, who was killed in an automobile accident near the end of her reign. The Maple Leaf was a charge upon her arms. Thus is she remembered in Artemisia.

To all unto whom these letters come, pay heed to the words of <King>, most noble King of Artemisia, and <Queen>, Our gracious Queen. The Order of the Golden Maple Leaf was established in the Kingdom of Artemisia to recognize and honor those who have shown exemplary efforts in the advancement of the Arts and Sciences. Thus does it please Us to honor <name> for freely giving of (his/her) knowledge, time, and efforts by creating (him/her) a Companion of the Golden Maple Leaf. Done by Our Royal Hands this ___ day of ___, Anno Societatis ___, being the year two thousand in the Common Era.

Rex Gryphus Regina

To all unto whom these letters come, cease your efforts and pay heed to the words of the Monarchs of Artemisia, <King> and <Queen>. The Order of the Golden Maple Leaf was established in ancient times by Our noble predecessors to recognize and honor those subjects of Artemisia who have shown exemplary efforts in the advancement of the Arts and Sciences. Thus does it please Us to pluck the noble <name> from amongst (his/her) peers and acknowledge (his/her) surpassing skill by creating (him/her) a Companion of the Golden Maple Leaf. Let none dare contest Our will in this matter as it is well and justly done. Attested to by Our hands this ___ day of ___, Anno Societatis ___, being the year two thousand in the Common Era.

Rex Artemisius Regina

Of what glories may a Kingdom boast? A King can display the valor of his warriors on the field. A Queen may show you the gracious courtesy of her subjects. But glory is clothed in beauty, and beauty comes from the hands and hearts of the people. We, <King> and <Queen>, King and

Queen of Artemisia, must praise the work of Our valiant and expert servant <name>. (His/her) skill (as a <skill>) greatly enriches the splendor of Our fair Kingdom. For this We give (him/her) Our heartfelt thanks. Moreover, We do hereby induct (him/her) into Our worthy Order of the Golden Maple Leaf, that all Our subjects may know (his/her) work is worthy of high praise. Done this ___ day of ___, Anno Societatis ___, being the year two thousand in the Common Era.

Rex Artemisius Regina

<King>, by right of arms, King of Artemisia, and <Queen>, Our Queen, to all nobles and persons unto whom these presents come send greetings. Know ye that we, of Our especial grace and certain knowledge, and in consideration of worthy endeavors and achievements in both arts and sciences do advance Our beloved <name> to the rank, style, title, and degree of Companion of the Order of the Golden Maple Leaf with all privileges, insignia, precedence, and responsibilities thereunto pertaining, such title to be held by (him/her) without let or hindrance by any person whomsoever. Let none gainsay this advancement as it is well and justly done this ___ day of ___, Anno Societatis ___, being the year two thousand in the Common Era.

Rex Gryphus Regina

Know all by these words of proclamation that <name>, having provided an excellent example of skill and knowledge in the practice of the Arts and Sciences, does deserve Our appreciation. Therefore We, <King> and <Queen>, King and Queen of Artemisia, do admit (him/her) to the august and inspired Order of the Golden Maple Leaf. Done this ___ day of ___, Anno Societatis ___, being the year two thousand in the Common Era, at <event> in Our <S.C.A. group>.

Rex Artemisius Regina

ORDER OF THE GRYPHON'S HEART

Be it known throughout these Laurel Lands of Artemisia that <name>, having surrendered (himself/herself) fully to Our service, does deserve Our most profound gratitude. Therefore We, <King> and <Queen>, King and Queen of Artemisia, do award unto (him/her) the loyal and zealous Order of the Gryphon's Heart. Done this ___ day of ___, Anno Societatis ___, being the year two thousand in the Common Era, at <event> in Our <S.C. A. group>.

Rex Artemisius Regina

ORDER OF THE GRYPHON'S HEART

Be it known to all that <name> has surrendered herself fully to Our service, has provided counsel, assistance and support on every possible occasion, and does deserve Our most profound gratitude. Therefore We, <King> and <Queen>, King and Queen of Artemisia, do award unto her the loyal and zealous Order of the Gryphon's Heart. Let all look to this noble lady for an example of truly selfless service. Done by our hands this ___ day of ___, Anno Societatis ___, being the year two thousand one in the Common Era.

Rex Gryphus, Regina Artemisia

ORDER OF THE GRYPHON'S PHEON

Whereas your skill and prowess with bow and arrow have reached truly exemplary and impressive standards, We, <King> and <Queen>, King and Queen of Artemisia, are pleased to recognize your talents. Be it now proclaimed that you, <name>, are honored with the Order of the Gryphon's Pheon. Let none gainsay this declaration or let them face the accuracy of this warrior's arrows. Done by Our royal declaration and attested to by Our signatures this ___ day of ___, Anno Societatis ___, being the year two thousand in the Common Era.

Rex Gryphus Regina

Of many things great legends may be born -- amazing strength, charm and humor, devout service, or perfection with the bow and arrow. To recognize those of excellence in archery, there exists the Order of the Pheon to which we, <King> and <Queen>, King and Queen of Artemisia, now add the highly regarded abilities of <name>. May all know of these achievements rightfully declared and witnessed by Our royal hands this ___ day of ___, Anno Societatis ___, being the year two thousand in the Common Era.

Rex Artemisius Regina

ORDER OF THE GRYPHON'S PRIDE

As it is that you, <name>, Our most loyal subject, have during Our reign demonstrated excellence in chivalry, courtesy, service, and the arts, it is thus Our pleasure to honor you as a member of the Order of the Gryphon's Pride. By Our hands this this ___ day of ___, Anno Societatis ___, being the year two thousand in the Common Era.

Rex Artemisius Regina

ORDER OF THE TOTALLY AGGRESSIVE NASTY KILLERS (TANK)

Having displayed ferocity, large size, and an ugly disposition in defense of the Kingdom of Artemisia, <name> is admitted to the Order of the Totally Aggressive Nasty Killers, the Artemisian TANK Corps. With Our gratitude and encouragement, and always in the spirit of chivalry, We bid you charge hard, charge fast, and fear not. By Our Hands this ___ day of ___, Anno Societatis ___, being the year two thousand Gregorian.

Rex Artemisius Regina

ORDER OF THE WHITE SCARF

To one and all across the wondrous lands of the Known World, be it known that <name> has displayed graceful prowess and chivalry worthy of Our recognition. We, <King> and <Queen>, King and Queen of these sovereign lands of Artemisia, are pleased to reward these noble attributes with the prestigious Order of the White Scarf. Let none take it into their hearts to contest this, Our royal will, or let them face the swiftness of this warrior's blade. By Our decree this ___ day of ___, Anno Societatis ___, being the year two thousand Gregorian.

Rex Artemisius Regina

FOUNDING BARON/ BARONESS

Note: the investiture of a founding Baron and Baroness is an extremely rare event, and it is customary to write an entirely individual and new text for the scroll. There are certain common elements that must be present: the name of the Barony is mentioned, and the fact that the Barony is held in fief from the crown. The following are sample texts. Consult with the Kingdom Herald, the Kingdom Scribe, and the Crown in writing a unique one.

To all and singular do we, <King> and <Queen>~, by right of arms King and Queen of Artemisia, protectors of the Baronies of Loch Salann, One Thousand Eyes, sentinel's keep, and Arn Hold send greetings. Whereas the service of Our subject, <name> has pleased us know ye that We of Our especial grace and certain knowledge and mere notion do by these presents advance, create, and prefer the said <name> to the state degree style, dignity, and honor of Baron, entrusting to him Our fief of the Barony of <Barony's name> that Our lands and people may be well cared for, and by these presents do dignify, invest, and ennoble him to the rank and responsibilities herein set forth. These letters being affixed with Our sign manual and the seal of Our mighty Kingdom this day of -, Anno Societatis three and thirty, being in the Common era the year one thousand nine hundred ninety eight.

Rex Artemisius Regina

By my signature I, Golden Wing Principal Herald do certify that the armories here depicted are true and correct.

Golden Wing Principal Herald

With pride and pleasure, we, <King> and <Queen>, by right of arms King and Queen of Artemisia, are pleased to this day of to honor the lovely and just <name> with the state, degree, style, dignity, and honor of Baroness <Barony's name> and entrust to her care Our fief of the Barony of <Barony's name>. We know well of her works and hold that Our lands and populace may be well cared for by her especial abilities and grace and investing her with the rank and responsibilities herein set forth. These letters are rightfully affirmed by Our personal sign and the seal of Our mighty Kingdom in the year of the society four and thirty known as one thousand nine hundred ninety in the common reckoning.

Rex Gryphus Regina

By my signature I, Golden Wing Principal Herald do certify that the armories here depicted are true and correct.

Golden Wing Principal Herald

LANDED BARON/BARONESS

Note: the investiture of a landed Baron and Baroness is also very rare and should likewise be

given attention by making a unique text for this, too. Consultations would be the same as for founding Baron and Baroness text.

Know all before whom these letters may come, that we, <King> and <Queen>, King and Queen of Artemisia, being well pleased with the service of Our subject(s), <name(s)>, do wish to reward (him/her/them) with Our fief of the Barony of <Barony's name>. We grant (him/her/them) the rights, and charge them with the responsibilities of the rank of territorial (Baron/Baroness/Baron and Baroness) in Our realm, that (he/she/they) may care for Our lands and Our people. In Witness whereof We set Our hands and seal this ___ day of Anno Societatis being one thousand nine hundred ninety in the common era at <name of event>.
Rex Artemisius Regina

By my signature I, Golden Wing Principal Herald do certify that the armories here depicted are true and correct.
Golden Wing Principal Herald

BARONIAL AWARD TEXTS

Herein follow the scroll texts of the Baronies of the Kingdom of Artemisia (in alphabetical order).

BARONY OF ARN HOLD

Founding Baron and Baroness: Master Einendoch of Hostel Haus and Mistress Andrea des Chiens

Followed by:

Master Bruce MacQuhirrie and Mistress Lore von Vechta

Master Armand des Mortes

Sir Conrad von Krixen and Mistress Kortland Stirling Mayfaire

Amethyst Chalice

Let it be known by these presents that <name> is hereby made a Companion of the Amethyst Chalice for your hard work and selfless service given to and on behalf of the Baron of Arn Hold. Done by our hand this ___ day of ___, Anno Societatis ___, being the year two thousand Gregorian.

Baron of Arn Hold

Guardian of Sincerity and Honor

Chivalry is the heart of our society. The Barony of Arn Hold wishes to recognize <name> as a guardian of sincerity and honor. We thank you for your behavior and for being a reminder of that which is the essence of the dream. Done by our hand this ___ day of ___, Anno Societatis ___, being the year two thousand Gregorian.

Baron Baroness

The Hope of Arn Hold

Our youth are the lifeblood and the future of our society. They permit us all to remember the energy and promise of earlier times. We hereby admit <name> to the Order of the Hope of Arn Hold, in thanks for providing us with inspiration. Done by our hand this ___ day of ___, Anno Societatis ___, being the year two thousand Gregorian.

Baron Baroness

Jewel of Alces

In every level of our Barony, there are those who set themselves apart. This may be displayed by the services they perform, a strong commitment to high ideals, or the support they give us. <name>, we hereby admit you into the Order of the Jewel of Alces in recognition of your shining example. Done by our hand this ___ day of ___, Anno Societatis ___, being the year two thousand Gregorian.

Baron Baroness

La Pomme d'Or

To do one must learn. To learn, one must teach. It was thus to recognize those individuals who carry on the educational goals of our society, that Armand des Mortes, third Baron of Arn Hold, did create the order of the Pomme d'Or. We now welcome <name> into this noble order and entreat you to continue in your good works. Done by our hands this ___ day of ___, Anno Societatis ___, being the year two thousand in the Common Era.

Baron Baroness

Moose Combatant

Fighting skills are essential to the defense of our lands. It is rare indeed to find one who is both adept at arms and willing to share this knowledge with others. The Barony of Arn Hold welcomes <name> into the Order of the Moose Combatant for having achieved this mark. Done by our hands this ___ day of ___, Anno Societatis ___, being the year two thousand in the Common Era.

Baron Baroness

Walking Pell

There are those days during which, despite the best of efforts, the dragon wins. For being battered and beaten, yet maintaining your humor and honor you, <name>, are admitted into the Order of the Walking Pell on this ___ day of ___, Anno Societatis ___, being the year two thousand in the Common Era.

Baron Baroness

BARONY OF LOCH SALANN

Founding Baron and Baroness: Viscount Sir Robert de Spencer and Mistress Ferelith MacDonald
Followed by: Viscount Sir Robert de Spencer and Viscountess Mistress Leah de Spencer
Duke Sir Brion Anthony Uriel Tarragon and Duchess Anna Ophelia Holloway-Tarragon
Sir Sakura kita no Maikeru and Viscountess Mistress Yelisveta Katlin Savrasova
Master James Ulrich McKellar and Mistress Rachel Ashton
Baron Master Niccolo Gianfigliuzzi Genovese and Baroness Elyn of Coffinbury
Baron Timmur Ana Mihn Ramel and Baroness Tianna NiCoimin

Baroness' Champion

Be it known to all and sundry that <name>, by right of arms and chivalrous accomplishments, has earned the honor of being the Champion of the Baroness of Loch Salann. (He/she) is hereby charged with the duty of defending the honor of the Barony of Loch Salann and of its Baroness whenever called upon to do so. (He/she) is further charged to show by his/her continued courteous example the chivalrous ideals of the Society for Creative Anachronism that won him/her the honor and right to bear my favor. Done this ___ day of ___, Anno Societatis ___, being the year two thousand in the Common Era.
Baroness of Loch Salann

Baronial Bard of Loch Salann

Let it be known that <name>, having displayed great skill in the performing arts, is this day recognized as the Baronial Bard of Loch Salann. Done by our hands this ___ day of ___, Anno Societatis ___, being the year two thousand in the Common Era.
Baron Baroness

Crystal of the Salt Wastes (Performing Extraordinary Service to the People/ Highest Baronial Honor)

This award carries an Award of Arms and, if the recipient is not previously armigerous, can be given only with the permission of the Crown.

Be it proclaimed throughout the Known World that <name>, by virtue of (his/her) excellent and devoted service to the people and lands of this Barony of Loch Salann, and as a sign of our recognition of (his/her) most chivalrous and courtly qualities, is this day made a Companion of the Order of the Crystal of the Salt Waste. Henceforth, (he/she) is entitled to all such rights, privileges, and responsibilities as are due a companion of this right noble Order. To this we do set our hands and seal this ___ day of ___, Anno Societatis ___, being the year two thousand Gregorian.

Baron of Loch Salann Baroness of Loch Salann

*Rex Artemisius *Regina Artemisius

*Golden Wing Principal Herald

*these signatures are only required if the recipient does not have an award of arms.

Devoted and Unique Company of Keepers--DUCK (Service to the Barony)

Be it known to all that <name>, by virtue of extraordinary service to the Barony of Loch Salann, is this day made a companion of the Devoted And Unique Company of Keepers. (He/she) is entitled to wear the regalia of the Order and to quack at times deemed appropriate. (He/she) is charged with the responsibilities of the Order, these being to continue serving this Barony of Loch Salann. Done this ___ day of ___, Anno Societatis ___, being the year two thousand Gregorian

Baron Baroness

Note: also known as the Distinguished and Unique Company of Keepers due to a modification of the wording in A.S. XVIII. Devoted is preferred.

Laboring Artists Recognition Company-LARC (Excellence in the Arts and Sciences)

Be it known that <name> , by virtue of outstanding achievement in the arts, is this day made a companion of the Laboring Artists Recognition Company. (He/she) is entitled to wear the regalia of the Order and to chirp at appropriate times. (He/she) is charged with the responsibilities of the order, these being to continue serving the Barony of Loch Salann. Done this ___ day of ___, Anno Societatis ___, being the year two thousand Gregorian

Baron Baroness

List of Chivalry (Symbol Is a Sword)

Hear all these words throughout the Known World that for your example of honor, chivalry, and gentlemanly courtly manner, we, <Baron> and <Baroness>, Baron and Baroness of Loch Salann do create you a member of the List of Chivalry. May you continue to grow in these areas and continue to be an inspiration to one and all. Done this ___ day of ___, Anno Societatis ___, being the year two thousand in the Common Era.

Baron Baroness

List of Grace (Symbol Is a Swan)

Proclaim unto all throughout the Known World that for your example of grace, beauty, and charm, we, <Baron> and <Baroness>, Baron and Baroness of Loch Salann do this day create you a member of the List of Grace. May you continue to grow in these areas and to be an inspiration to one and all. Done this ___ day of ___, Anno Societatis ___, being the year two thousand Gregorian

Baron Baroness

Fighters Awarded for Laboring Toward Chivalry and Nobility -FALCON (Excellence in the Fighting Arts)

Be it known to all that <name>, by extraordinary ability in the application and teaching of the fighting arts, is this day made a companion of the Fighters Awarded for Laboring Toward Chivalry and Nobility and is entitled to wear the regalia of the order, which is the falcon's jess, and to screech nobly at times deemed appropriate. (He/she) is charged with the responsibilities of the order, these being to continue serving the Barony of Loch Salann. Done this ___ day of ___, Anno Societatis ___, being the year two thousand Gregorian
Baron Baroness

Companion of the Crystal Heart (Showing Excellence in Courtly Graces and Personal Honorable Behavior)

<name> In as much as you have, through your courteous behavior and honorable acts, proven yourself devoted to the Society and the Barony of Loch Salann, it is my pleasure to proclaim you a companion of the crystal heart. By this proclamation you are henceforth entitled to all rights, privileges, and responsibilities due a companion of this right noble Order. By my hand this ___ day of ___, Anno Societatis ___, being the year two thousand Gregorian.
Baroness of Loch Salann

Companion of the Young Gentles Nurturing Emerging Talent-CYGNET (For Youth Exemplifying Courtesy and Chivalry)

Proclaim unto all the Known World that as a shining example of the youth in the Barony of Loch Salann, <name> is made a Companion of the Young Gentles Nurturing Emerging Talent. This young Cygnet is entitled to the rights and privileges of this order and must whistle at times deemed appropriate. The three responsibilities of this order are to continue the study of medieval arts and sciences, to set a good example of courtly grace and chivalry for the youth of our Barony, and to continue to serve this Barony. Done this ___ day of ___, Anno Societatis ___, being the year two thousand Gregorian.
Baron Baroness

Order of the Golden Reflection (Awarding Actions Outside the Barony Enhancing Their Image and That of the Barony)

Unto all to whom these present letters do come, be it known that we, <Baron> and <Baroness>, Baron and Baroness of Loch Salann, do recognize <name> for the honor and glory (he/she) has brought to our Barony. We do name (him/her) a Companion of the Order of the Golden Reflection. (His/her) dedication and service to the ideals of the Society have extended beyond the Barony, bringing glory to us all. In witness whereof we do set our hands and seal this ___ day of ___, Anno Societatis ___, being the year two thousand Gregorian.
Baron Baroness

Fons de Anima (Fountain of the Soul) (For Giving Time and Energy to Instruct Populace Concerning the Courtly Graces, Thus Realizing the Manifestation of the Dream)

Be it known to all who receive these presents that, <name>, by virtue of instructing our populace and thus increasing their courtly graces, is hereby admitted into the order of the Fons de Anima and shall be accorded the rights, privileges, and responsibilities of this order. Done this ___ day of ___, Anno Societatis ___, being the year two thousand Gregorian.

Baron Baroness

Defender of the Barony and Conqueror of The Great Brine Shrimp

Be it known that <name>, by might of arms has this day conquered the Great Brine Shrimp and won the title of Defender of The Barony of Loch Salann. (He/she) shall be henceforth known as Conqueror of the Great Brine Shrimp and shall be entitled to the honor and duties associated with this title. Done this ___ day of ___, Anno Societatis ___, being the year two thousand Gregorian, at this annual celebration of the discovery of civilization in the Great Salt Waste.

Baron Baroness

Lady Shrimp Bait

Be it known that <name> has been chosen by her lord, Conqueror of the Great Brine Shrimp, as the bait most rely to lure the Great Brine Shrimp from his lair. In recognition of her specialized abilities, she shall be known as Lady Shrimp Bait for the time that her lord is charged with defending the Barony from that great saline swilling daemon decapod. Signed this ___ day of March, Anno Societatis ___, being the year two thousand Gregorian.

Baron Baroness

BARONY OF ONE THOUSAND EYES

Founding Baron and Baroness: Viscount Sir Edward Drakenfeld and Viscountess Mistress Alessandra Rafaella Di Luciano.

Followed By: Sir Lyonel Oliver Grace and Mistress Aquilanne Jessica Grace

Viscount Sir Basil Der Drache and Viscountess Renee Dominique Vittoria

Baron William Wylde and Baroness Elizabeth Cameron Campbell

Baron Sir Conrad von Zuberbuhler and Baroness Anna-Elspeth von Zuberbuhler

Baron Uggedei Mighan Nidun and Baroness Dierdre of Kerry

In deference to our founding Baron and Baroness, it is requested that the Barony's name be spelled out on the scrolls as One Thousand Eyes.

Paon d'Argent- [Argent Peacock] (chivalrous behavior off the field)

Chivalry is the proper pursuit of all good gentles. Its several treasured virtues--generosity, courtesy, courage, and humility--are often recognized on the field of battle, but it is off the field of combat and within our daily lives that these virtues have their greatest effect. There are those among us whose steadfast chivalry permeates all that they do. To recognize those individuals as an example to us all their excellencies, Lyonel and Aquilanne, did establish the Order of the Argent Peacock, that each and all may know by these presents that <name> by virtue of gallantry, courtesy, and generosity is declared a companion of the Order of the Paon d'Argent. In recognition of chivalrous behavior, may all accord this (gentle/lady) such rights, privileges, and responsibilities as are due a member of this virtuous order. Done this ___ day of ___, Anno Societatis ___, being the year two thousand in the Common Era.

Baron Baroness

Each and all shall know by these presents that <name>, by virtue of gallantry, courtesy, and generosity is declared a companion of the order of the Paon d'Argent. In recognition of chivalrous behavior, may all accord this (gentle/lady) such fights, privileges, and responsibilities as are due a member of this virtuous order. Done this ___ day of ___, Anno Societatis ___, being the year two thousand in the Common Era at <event> in the Barony of One Thousand Eyes.

Baron Baroness

Order of the Baroness' Oracle (Youth Award)

To recognize those of the Barony's youth who set a proud example of cuteness, adoration, and service for all the other youth to follow, her excellency, Elizabeth, did establish the order of the Baroness' Oracle. It shall be known to all throughout the Known World that <name> having been recognized for extreme cuteness and service to the Baroness is hereby made a member of the Baroness' Oracle. Done this ___ day of ___, Anno Societatis ___, being the year two thousand in the Common Era at <event> in the Barony of One Thousand Eyes.

Baroness

Be it proclaimed throughout the Known World that <name>, having been recognized for extreme cuteness and service to the Baroness is hereby made a member of the order of the Baroness' Oracle. Done this ___ day of ___, Anno Societatis ___, being the year two thousand in the Common Era at <event> in the Barony of One Thousand Eyes.

Baroness

Iron Talon (Heavy Fighting)

To ensure the safety of their lands, the Baron and Baroness of One Thousand Eyes have need of skilled warriors. Their strength is the talon of iron that both strikes at our enemies and holds our Barony safe. To encourage the skilled warriors of One Thousand Eyes, and to recognize their accomplishments, Baron Edward and Baroness Alessandra created the Order of the Iron Talon.

Verily shall these presents command the attention of all throughout the Kingdoms that by virtue of skill at arms in defense of the Barony, <name> is declared a member of the Order of the Iron Talon by our decree, following consultation with the fighters of the Barony of One Thousand Eyes. Done this ___ day of ___, Anno Societatis ___, being the year two thousand in the Common Era at <event> in the Barony of One Thousand Eyes.

Baron Baroness

To all unto whom these presents do come throughout the Kingdoms, know that by virtue of skill at arms in defense of the Barony, <name> is declared a member of the Order of the Iron Talon by our decree, following consultation with the fighters of the Barony of One Thousand eyes. Done this ___ day of ___, Anno Societatis ___, being the year two thousand in the Common Era at <event> in the Barony of One Thousand Eyes.

Baron Baroness

Materiam Superabat opus (arts and sciences)

By the skilled hands of our artisans is base matter made beautiful and useful. Their work is an example of their creative spirit. So that beauty and creativity might flourish in the Barony of One Thousand Eyes, it was determined that those artisans of great accomplishment should be duly recognized and rewarded. To this end Edward and Alessandra, founding Baron and Baroness One Thousand Eyes, created the order of the Materiam Superabat Opus. Let it now be proclaimed throughout the Known World that <name> has demonstrated in the arts and sciences that (his/her) workmanship has surpassed the material and is hereby declared a companion of the Materiam Superabat Opus. For enriching our lives at home and advancing the reputation of our Barony abroad, may all accord (him/her) such rights, privileges, and responsibilities as are due a companion of this distinguished Order. By our decree, for the Barony of One Thousand Eyes.

Done this ___ day of ___, Anno Societatis ___, being the year two thousand in the Common Era at <event> in the Barony of One Thousand Eyes.

Baron Baroness

Be it proclaimed throughout the Known World that <name> has demonstrated in the arts and sciences that (his/her) workmanship has surpassed the material and is hereby declared a Companion of the Order of the Materiam Superabat Opus. For enriching our lives at home and advancing the reputation of our Barony abroad, may all accord (him/her) such rights, privileges, and responsibilities as are due a companion of this distinguished order. By our decree, for the Barony of One Thousand Eyes. Done this ___ day of ___, Anno Societatis ___, being the year two thousand in the Common Era at <event> in the Barony of One Thousand Eyes.

Baron Baroness

Peacock's Heart (Service to the Barony)

Many people serve our Barony well, but there are those whose generosity, care, and service are valorous and unstinting. These people are the very heart of the Barony. To recognize their

contributions and express their gratitude, Baron Edward and Baroness Alessandra created the order of the Peacock's Heart. Now let it be known to the populace at this court that <Baron> and <Baroness> wish to recognize their loyal subject <name> for (his/her) selfless and diligent service to the Barony, because (he/she) serves out of love and concern for the whole and not for the advancement of (him/her)self, we award the Peacock's Heart and make (him/her) a Companion of this noble order. Done this ___ day of ___, Anno Societatis ___, being the year two thousand in the Common Era at <event> in the Barony of One Thousand Eyes.

Baron Baroness

Peacock's Heart

Let the populace at this court of One Thousand Eyes know that <Baron> and <Baroness> wish to recognize our loyal subject <name> for (his/her) selfless and diligent service to our Barony, because (he/she) serves out of love and concern for the whole and not for the advancement of (him/her)self. we award the Peacock's Heart and make (him/her) a companion of this noble order. Done this ___ day of ___, Anno Societatis ___, being the year two thousand in the Common Era at <event> in the Barony of One Thousand Eyes.

Baron Baroness

Peacock Key (Personal Service to the Baron and Baroness)

There are many who serve this Barony in great ways, but there are those who commit more personal service to its Baron and Baroness that the tasks placed on them shall not overwhelm them. To personally thank these individuals for their committed and generous Service Their Excellencies, William and Elizabeth, did establish the order of the Peacock Key. Be it now known throughout all the Kingdoms that <Baron> and <Baroness> now wish to honor their faithful servant, <name>, for (his/her) extraordinary service unto them, making their burden less heavy and their reign more peaceful. For most kind and considerate service we now gratefully admit you as a member of the Peacock Key. Done this ___ day of ___, Anno Societatis ___, being the year two thousand in the Common Era at <event> in the Barony of One Thousand Eyes.

Baron Baroness

There are many that serve this Barony in extraordinary ways, but a personal few that serve the Baron's and Baroness' needs most specifically. To thank one who has given this special attention to us, we, <Baron> and <Baroness> now reward the hard efforts of <name> with the Order of the Peacock Key. We declare this, with our gratitude, this ___ day of ___, Anno Societatis ___, and will long remember these worthy efforts. Done in the Gregorian year two thousand at <event> in the Barony of One Thousand Eyes.

Baron Baroness

Peacock's Pride (Populace's Choice/Highest Baronial Honor)

There are some individuals whose overwhelming contributions to the Barony in divers fields

demand our admiration and gratitude. These people are the pride of our Barony. To express this pride, the Barony's highest honor was created, the Order of the Peacock's Pride. Edward Drakenfeld was proclaimed by the populace as its premier. Unto all whom these presents come, know that <name> is also held in highest regard in our Barony of One Thousand Eyes. (His/her) contributions and noble character have been a shining example to all. We therefore declare (him/her) a companion of this, our highest order and accord (him/her) such rights, privileges, and responsibilities as are due a member of this, our greatest honor. We declare this, on this ___ day of ___, Anno Societatis ___, being the year two thousand in the Common Era in the Barony of One Thousand Eyes, at the Barony's birthday.

Baron Baroness

May all know by these words throughout the Known World that <name> is held in highest regard in our Barony of One Thousand Eyes. (His/her) contributions and noble character have been a shining example to all. We therefore declare (him/her) a companion of the Order of the Peacock's Pride and accord (him/her) such rights, privileges, and responsibilities as are due a Companion of this, our highest order. Done this ___ day of ___, Anno Societatis ___, being the year two thousand in the Common Era, at the Barony's birthday.

Baron Baroness

*Rex Artemisius *Regina Artemisius

*Golden Wing Principal Herald

*these signatures are only required if the recipient does not have an award of arms.

Reflection of the Dream (Inspiring the Dream)

There are those who by their character and actions are a shining reflection of the Middle Ages. These people bring the dream of these Current Middle Ages to life. So that the dream may flourish in these lands, Baron Edward and Baroness Alessandra created the Order of the Reflection of the Dream. Proclaim unto all throughout the Known World that <name>, by virtue of being the essence of a noble person, is declared a member of the Order of the Reflection of the Dream. In recognition of gentle and courteous behavior, may all accord (him/her) such rights, privileges, and responsibilities as are due a member of this right noble order. By our decree, and following consultation with the armigers of the Barony of One Thousand Eyes, this ___ day of ___, Anno Societatis ___, being the year two thousand in the Common Era at <event> in the Barony of One Thousand Eyes.

Baron Baroness

We, <Baron> and <Baroness> do hereby proclaim throughout the Known World that <name>, by virtue of being the essence of a noble person is hereby declared a member of the Order of the Reflection of the Dream. In recognition of gentle and courteous behavior, may all accord (him/her) such rights, privileges, and responsibilities as are due a member of this right noble order. By our decree, following consultation with the armigers of the Barony of One Thousand Eyes, this ___ day of ___, Anno Societatis ___, being the year two thousand in the Common Era at <event> in the Barony of One Thousand Eyes.

Baron Baroness

Swan and Escallop (Enthusiasm)

In the incipience of the Barony of One Thousand Eyes, there was one lady whose grace, enthusiasm, and dedication stood out as an example to us all. In honor of these virtues, the populace did petition Their Majesties to recognize this lady above all others of their number. It was thus that Alessandra Rafaella di Luciano was created and remains Baroness One Thousand Eyes. In her honor and in order to justly recognize those who also demonstrate those qualities of grace, enthusiasm, and dedication, their excellencies, Lyonel and Aquilanne did establish the Order of the Swan and Escallop. Let it now be proclaimed throughout the Known World that <name> has demonstrated such exemplary qualities, for which we award the Order of the Swan and Escallop. Done this ___ day of ___, Anno Societatis ___, being the year two thousand in the Common Era at <event> in the Barony of One Thousand Eyes.

Baron Baroness

Know by these presents throughout the Known World that <name> has demonstrated exemplary enthusiasm, diligence, and grace. We therefore award you the Order of the Swan and Escallop. Done this ___ day of ___, Anno Societatis ___, being the year two thousand in the Common Era at <event> in the Barony of One Thousand Eyes.

Baron Baroness

Talon d'Or (rapier, archery, unarmored fighting)

A Barony must have strong arms in its defense. But this alone is not sufficient. Only with the aid of arms that are steady, quick, and sure can the security and glory of the Barony be maintained and increased. So that those confident souls who eschew armor, but defend the Barony with the swiftness of their blades and the accuracy of their arrows may be recognized, Baron Basil and Baroness Renee did create the Order of the Talon d'Or. All shall now know throughout the Known World that we, <Baron> and <Baroness>, do proclaim by these presents, that <name> has demonstrated exemplary skill in the arts of unarmored combat to protect the Barony. (He/she) is therefore declared a member of the Order of the Talon d'Or. Done this ___ day of ___, Anno Societatis ___, being the year two thousand in the Common Era at <event> in the Barony of One Thousand Eyes.

Baron Baroness

Let all know by these presents that <name>, having demonstrated exemplary skill in the arts of unarmored combat to protect the Barony, is made a member of the Order of the Talon d'Or. Done this ___ day of ___, Anno Societatis ___, being the year two thousand in the Common Era at <event> in the Barony of One Thousand Eyes.

Baron Baroness

BARONY OF SENTINEL'S KEEP

Founding Baron and Baroness: Baron Guthrum Ivarsson and Baroness Kaitlin
Followed by: Baroness Kaitlin
Baron Dane Halfhand and Baroness Kaitlin
Baron Kian hrafn af Dyrnesi and Baroness Juliana nic Lachlainn
Baroness Bronwen Montgomery of Irenwold
Baroness Gefjon fasthaldri Hrafnardottir

Order of the Jewel of the Keep: (service to the Barony)

Be it known to all that (use whole line for name) has most nobly enriched the Barony of Sentinels' Keep with his\her support, and self-sacrifice. In recognition of his\her unfailing service we do admit him\her to the Order of the Jewel of the Keep. Done this ____ day of _____, Anno Societatis _____, being _____ in the common reckoning.

Order of Vigilance: (skill and commitment to the arts of combat)

May all know that (use whole line for name) has most nobly enriched the Barony of Sentinels' Keep with his\her chivalry and martial skill. In recognition of his\her ability and dedication we do admit him\her to the Order of Vigilance. Done this ____ day of _____, Anno Societatis _____, being _____ in the common era.

Order of the Argent Plume: (skill and knowledge in the arts and sciences)

On this day be it known that (use whole line for name) has most nobly enriched the Barony of Sentinels' Keep with his\her excellence in the medieval arts and sciences. In appreciation of his\her skill and knowledge we do admit him\her to the Order of the Argent Plume. Done this ____ day of _____, Anno Societatis _____, being _____ Gregorian.

Order of the Mountain Pearl: (demonstration of the ideals of chivalry)

Know all ye that (use whole line for name) has shown continuous pursuit of the ideals of honor, chivalry and grace, greatly enriching our Barony and the Society. In order to recognize these virtues, we _____ (and _____) do hereby admit him\her to the Order of the Mountain Pearl. May you continue to serve as an example to us all of the ideals which we share. Done this ____ day of _____, Anno Societatis _____, being _____ in the Common Era.

Order of the Silver Crane: (personal service to the Baron / Baroness)

May all know that (use whole line for name) has served us in great capacity during our reign, making our burdens easier to bear. In gratitude for your great efforts and your kind, considerate

service, it is our pleasure to admit you to the Order of the Silver Crane. Bear this token with pride, for we have much pride in you. Done this ____ day of _____, Anno Societatis _____, being the year _____ Gregorian.

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