

## Texas York Rite - Chapter and Council Degrees

Mark Master's Degree	
Officer/Role	Furniture & Implements
Right Worshipful Master	Bible on Alter Opened to Matthew 20:1-16
Worshipful Senior Warden	Square & Compass on Bible (same page as above verses)
Worshipful Junior Warden	Master Mason's Apron on Candidate
Secretary	4-ply Cable Tow on Candidate
Senior Deacon	RWM's Gavel
Master Overseer	WSW's Gavel (Optional)
Senior Overseer	WJW's Gavel (Optional)
Junior Overseer	Chisel and Mallet (by anteroom door to receive candidate)
Marshall	Pieces of Work (2 in anteroom, one for SD, one for assistant)
Master of Ceremonies	Piece of Work (Keystone in anteroom for candidate)
Reprimanding Brother	Keystone Pattern (in WSW's station)
Assistant	Overseers Chairs (1 step in front and 2 steps to right of RWM, SW, JW station)
Working Tools	MO's Pedestal (in front and to right of MO)
Lecture	SO & JO Pedestals (optional)
Charge	Overseer's Squares (one at each overseer's station)
Media	Lattice Window (in NW corner near anteroom)
	Pennies (in lattice window)
	Marshall's Chair (in SE along walking line)
	Marshall's Sword
	Secretary's Mark (to present to candidate)
	Quarter (SD to place in candidate's pocket)
	SD's Mark (to present to WSW)
	Procession Music (2)

Past Master's Degree	
Officer/Role	Furniture & Implements
Worshipful Master	Bible on Alter Opened to Psalms 15
Senior Warden	Square & Compass on Bible (same page as above verses)
Junior Warden	Master Mason's Apron on Candidate
Senior Deacon	5-ply Cable Tow on Candidate
Junior Deacon	WM's Gavel
Secretary	JW's Gavel (Optional)
Master of Ceremonies	Mallet (by anti-room door to receive candidate)
Bible Lecture	Master's Jewel (on secretary's desk)
Charge	Master's Hat (on secretary's desk)
	Charter
	By-Laws (on secretary's desk)
	Book of Constitutions (on secretary's desk)
	Oriental Chair (1 step in front and 2 steps to right of WM)

<b>Most Excellent Master's Degree</b>	
<b>Officer/Role</b>	<b>Furniture &amp; Implements</b>
Most Excellent Master	Bible on Alter Opened to 2nd Chronicles 7
Right Worshipful Senior Warden	Square & Compass on Bible (same page as above verses)
Senior Deacon	Master Mason's Apron on Candidate
Marshall	6-ply Cable Tow on Candidate
Master of Ceremonies	MEM's Gavel
Lecture	RWSW's Gavel (Optional)
Charge	Keystone (by anti-room door to receive candidate)
Media (1 procession march)	Arc of the Covenant in SW
	Pedestal on S of Altar (to place arc during procession)
	Marshall's Chair (in SE along walking line)
	Marshall's Sword
	Arch (in E to receive keystone during procession)
	Keystone (in W, RWSW will bring to E during procession)
	Procession Music

<b>Royal Arch Degree</b>	
<b>Officer/Role</b>	<b>Furniture &amp; Implements</b>
Most Excellent High Priest	Bible on Alter Opened to 2nd Chronicles 36
Excellent King	Square & Compass on Bible (same page as above verses)
Excellent Scribe	Master Mason's Apron on Candidate
Captain of the Host	Candidates' Harness
Principal Sojourner	Candidates' Blindfolds
Royal Arch Captain	MEHP/COH's Gavel (initially in E)
3rd Veil	Rough Road (2nd section only, place along N walking line)
2nd Veil	Tadmor Water (in W)
1st Veil	Bridge (in W or NW)
Working Tools	Cowbells (or other noise makers)
Lecture	Veils (Blue in W, purple, red, white in E)
Sacred History	Veil's Swords (one at each veil station)
Charge	Serpent (at 1st Veil)
Media	Water Turned to Blood (at 3rd Veil)
	Signet of Zerrubabel (at 3rd Veil)
	Chapter Aprons (one for each candidate)
	Crow/Pick/Spade
	Keystone (in anteroom on Arc, 1st discovery)
	Three Little Squares (in anteroom on Arc, 2nd discovery)
	Arc of the Covenant (in anteroom, 3rd discovery)
	Book of the Law (in Arc)
	Pot of Manna (in Arc)
	Aaron's Rod (in Arc)
	Key to Mysterious Characters (in Arc)
	Media (Babbling Brook, Burning Bush, Holy City)

Royal Master's Degree	
Officer/Role	Furniture & Implements
Thrice Illustrious Master	Bible on Alter Opened to Proverbs 30:8-9
Right Illustrious Deputy Master	Square & Compass on Bible (same page as above verses)
Illustrious Principal Conductor	Chapter Apron on Candidate
Captain of the Guards	Altar in Center
Conductor of the Council	Purple Veil
Head Cherubim	TIM's Gavel (in E)
Lecture	Arc of the Covenant (on pedestal in NE with room for Cherubim)

Select Master's Degree	
Officer/Role	Furniture & Implements
Thrice Illustrious Master	Bible on Alter Opened to Deuteronomy 31:24-26
Right Illustrious Deputy Master	Square & Compass on Bible (same page as above verses)
Illustrious Principal Conductor	Chapter Apron on Candidate
Captain of the Guards	Altar in N (CoG & CoC move to center before obligation)
Conductor of the Council	Arc of the Covenant (on pedestal in NE)
Ahashar	Blue/White Veils (initially closed)
Lecture	CG's Sword
Council Summary	Masters' Swords (3 in E)
Charge	Ahashar's Chair (in NW corner near anteroom door)
	Ahashar's Sword
	Chains (by member's door)
	Council Apron(s) (one for each candidate)
	Book of the Law (on TIM's station)
	Pot of Manna (on RIDM's station)
	Aaron's Rod (on IPC's station)
	Master's Squares (3)
	Black Hiram Abif Veil (optional, drape over HA's chair upon death)