

Fellow Craft Trestle Board

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North Central District's Winter Workshop

Two Pillars

Boaz (Left)

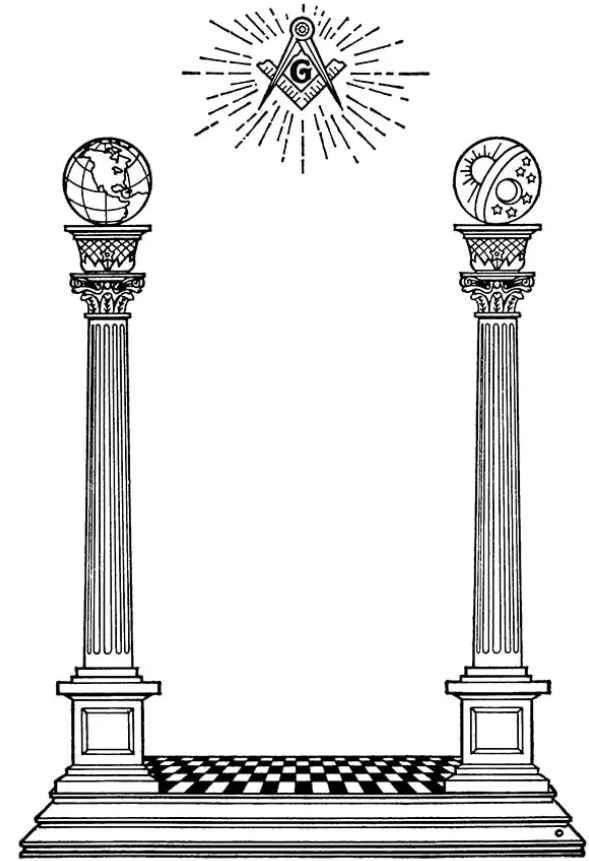
- Denotes strength
- Pillar of cloud

Jachin (Right)

- Denotes establishment
- Pillar of fire
- Here, EAs store their working tools

Collectively

- $35 + 5 = 40$ cubits
- Chapters were not surmounted by globes, but the chapters were the globes
- Pillars of Enoch
- Pillars of Cloud & Fire (our dependence on God's superintending guidance)
- Alludes to God's promises to David one of which reads "and in thy house and thy kingdom shall be established forever before thee"





3 Steps

3 Precious Jewels

- Attentive Ear
- Instructive Tongue
- Faithful Breast

3 Principal Officers

- Worshipful Master
- Senior Warden
- Junior Warden

Orders of Architecture

Greek Orders

- Doric (8 diameters high)
- Ionic (9 diameters high)
- Corinthian (10 diameters high)

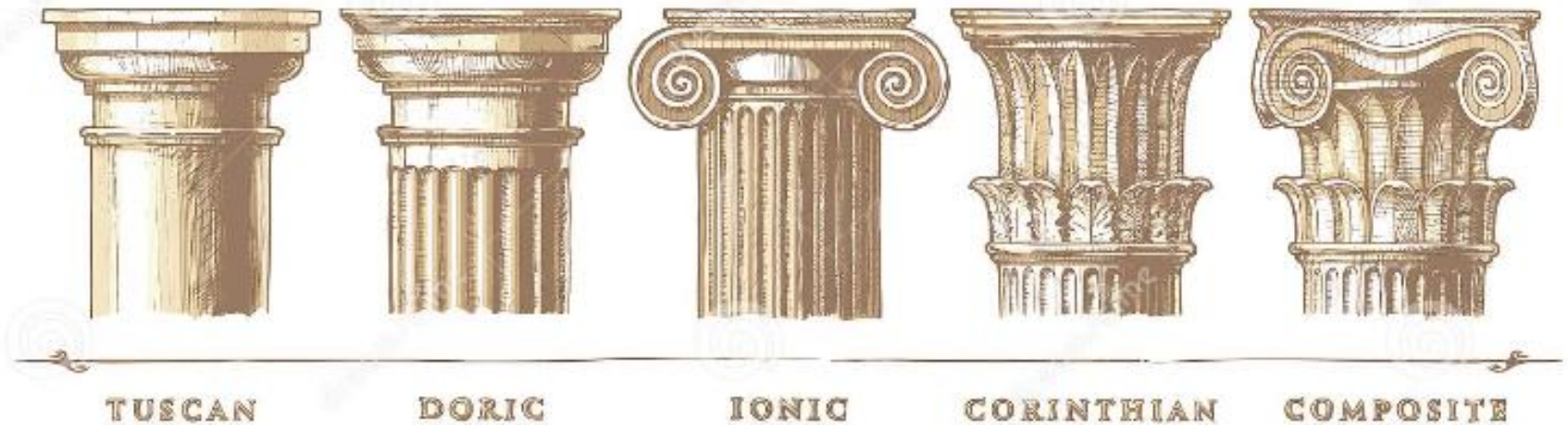
Tuscan Order

- Tuscan (7 diameters high)

Roman Order

- Composite (10 diameters high)

TYPES OF CAPITAL



Liberal Arts & Sciences

Trivium

- Grammar
- Rhetoric
- Logic

Quadrivium

- Arithmetic
- Geometry
- Music
- Astronomy



Shibboleth

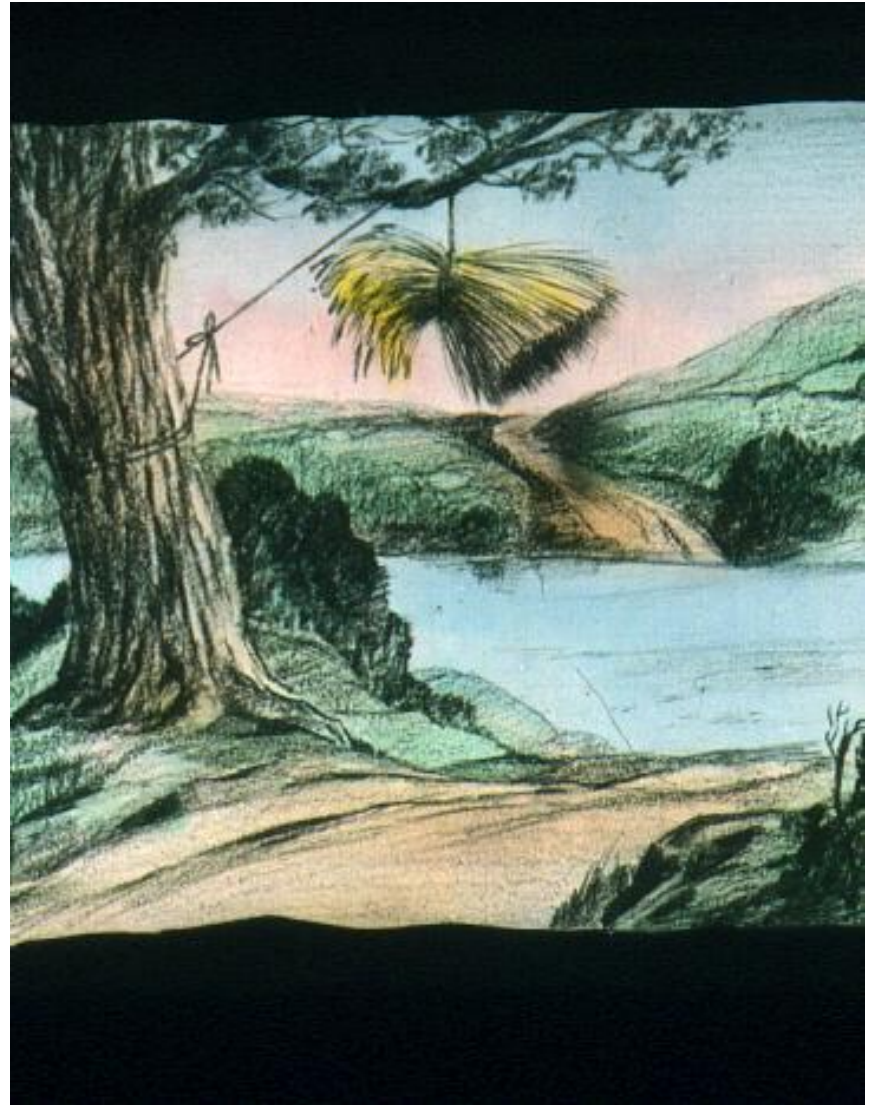
Has many meanings

- Waterflood (Psalm 69:15)
- Corn (Ruth 2:2)
- *Branch* (Zechariah 4:12)

Denotes plenty

Represented by a sheaf of corn
suspended near a waterford

- Corn is a general term for wheat, barley, and other grains
- Teaches us that while we have bread to eat and water to drink, we have all that nature requires



Letter G

- 7th letter of the English Alphabet & 3rd letter of the Greek Alphabet
- Derivative of the Hebrew Kabbalistic yod.
- Expressive of the name of the G.A.O.T.U.
- Denotes the science of Geometry



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