



# TRIVIA CHAMPIONSHIP



# GAMEPLAY

- ❖ Contestants will be selected from the audience by the moderator.
- ❖ The game will last **15 minutes** or **10 questions** (whichever comes first). The clock starts when the first question is shown.
- ❖ For each round, a **multiple choice question** will be displayed on screen.

# GAMEPLAY

- ❖ **Any time after this, contestants may hit their buzzer, be acknowledged, and attempt to answer.**
- ❖ **If the contestant answers incorrectly, the moderator will continue the round with the remaining contestants.**

# GAMEPLAY

- ❖ **The first contestant to answer correctly receives **ONE** point, and the game proceeds to the next round.**
- ❖ **If no contestant answers correctly, the moderator will show the correct answer, no point will be awarded, and the game will proceed to the next round.**
- ❖ **At the end of gameplay, the contestant with the most points will be declared the winner.**

# THE RULES

- ❖ The moderator's judgment is **FINAL**.
- ❖ For an answer to be considered valid, a contestant must buzz in and be acknowledged by the moderator **PRIOR** to giving his answer.
- ❖ There is no penalty for an incorrect answer, but a contestant cannot make more than **ONE GUESS** per round.

# THE RULES

- ❖ **Contestants must use their buzzers and be acknowledged by the moderator by name prior to giving their answer or they **forfeit their right** to answer for that slide.**
- ❖ **If time runs out once a question has been shown, the round will be allowed to continue, and the contestant with the most points at the end of that round will be declared the winner.**

# THE RULES

- ❖ **In the event of a tie, there will be one “sudden death” round among the tied contestants.  
The first contestant to answer correctly wins the game.**

# QUESTION

What is a **cowan**?

- A. A Mason without the word
- B. A cowardly person
- C. One who listens through a door

# ANSWER

**A. A Mason without the word**

# QUESTION

The House of the Temple can be briefly seen in **which classic 1950's sci-fi film?**

- A. The Day the Earth Stood Still
- B. The Blob
- C. Plan 9 From Outer Space

# ANSWER

**A. The Day the Earth Stood Still**

# QUESTION

According to the 32<sup>nd</sup> Degree, what word expresses the “**Royal Secret**”?

- A. Equilibrium
- B. The Ineffable name of God
- C. Justice

# ANSWER

**A. Equilibrium**

# QUESTION

Pike's first Scottish Rite ritual revision was completed in 1857 and **was dubbed by Albert Mackey** as what?

- A. Esoterika
- B. Morals & Dogma
- C. Magnum Opus

**ANSWER**

**C. Magnum Opus**

# QUESTION

In theory, **which elected officer** would be responsible for keeping a brother from getting drunk?

- A. Worshipful Master
- B. Senior Warden
- C. Junior Warden

**ANSWER**

**C. Junior Warden**

# QUESTION

The Grand Constitutions of 1786 were issued in the name of **what monarch?**

- A. King George III
- B. Frederick the Great of Prussia
- C. King James V of Scotland

# ANSWER

**B. Frederick the Great of Prussia**

# QUESTION

**Ironically, which degree is the **Elu of the Twelve**, or Prince Ameth?**

- A. 11th**
- B. 12th**
- C. 13th**

**ANSWER**

**A. 11th**

# QUESTION

In 1802, which **Latin motto** first appeared on a Scottish Rite Patent?

- A. E pluribus unim, “Of many, One”
- B. Ordo Ab Chao, “Order From Chaos”
- C. A Deo Rex, “God is the King”

# ANSWER

**B. Ordo Ab Chao, “Order From Chaos”**

# QUESTION

How many **steps** are on the stepped pyramid which caps the House of the Temple?

- A. 33
- B. 14
- C. 9

**ANSWER**

**B. 14**

# QUESTION

**Which degree** takes places on the anniversary of the death of the Master Hiram?

- A. **Thirty-second Degree, Master of the Royal Secret**
- B. **Fourth Degree, Secret Master**
- C. **Fifth Degree, Perfect Master**

# ANSWER

**C. Fifth Degree, Perfect Master**

# QUESTION

5. Temple Architect John Russell Pope also designed the tomb for **which famous retail titan?**

- A. James Cash Penney- JC Penney
- B. Sam Walton
- C. Frank W. Woolworth

# ANSWER

**C. Frank W. Woolworth**

# QUESTION

Who was the **first Sovereign Grand Commander** of the Scottish Rite?

- A. Col. John Mitchell
- B. Alexandre Francois Auguste de Grasse
- C. Joseph Cerneau

**ANSWER**

**A. Col. John Mitchell**

# QUESTION

**Which symbol** in the logo of the Chapter Rose Croix is specifically a **symbol of Christ**?

- A. The Cross
- B. The Pelican
- C. The Rose

**ANSWER**

**B. The Pelican**

# QUESTION

Which specific incident was the **catalyst to the anti-Masonic movement** in the mid-nineteenth century?

- A. The American civil war
- B. The Morgan affair
- C. Andrew Jackson's illegal native American adoptions

# ANSWER

## **B.** The Morgan affair

# QUESTION

**Who conferred** the degrees of Scottish Rite to Albert Pike?

- A. Albert Mackey
- B. Stephen Morin
- C. Benjamin French

**ANSWER**

**A. Albert Mackey**

# QUESTION

Which of the following facts is **TRUE** regarding the House of the Temple?

- A. A literal act of Congress was required to allow John Henry Cowles to be interred in the wall.
- B. There was once a small wading pool on the back side of the roof. Originally, it was an unfinished decorative fountain.
- C. Like Disneyland, there are cats allowed to roam the building at night as a means of pest control.

# ANSWER

**A.** A literal act of Congress was required to allow John Henry Cowles to be interred in the wall.



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