

Ceremony for the degree of Knight of the Seven Stars, 47°

The most ancient of all Symbols, the seven Stars of Ursa Major's annual revolution round the Mystery Sun, a talisman (swastika), the seven Ristus and their consort in the Pleides, one unfaithful.

The Columns fall; scene changes; flaming star shows the route the adept should take. Downfall of the traveller; passage of the obscure vault; candlestick of seven branches which gives light to all the world, its influence acts unceasingly on nature and man; new calculation of numbers; use and virtue of the mapped signs of the Zodiac, and their spiritual influence invention of the Compasses.

Sign: incline head, place right index on brow.

Touch: with both hands seize each other's shoulders.

Password: Spero (hope).

Secret Word: Vigilo (watch).

Jewel and Symbol: a heptagon with a star at each angle.

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