

CLASSIFICATION OF LITERATURE – MASONIC

(MODIFIED BOYDEN SYSTEM)

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GENERAL WORKS

- M00** ENCYCLOPAEDIAS, GENERAL REFERENCE WORKS
- M01** ANNUALS, CONFERENCE BOOKS, YEAR BOOKS, STATISTICAL INFORMATION
- M02** RESEARCH LODGES, TRANSACTIONS
- M02.1 Ars Quatuor Coronatorum
- M02.2 Walter F. Meier Lodge of Research No. 281
- M02.3 American Lodge of Research (New York)
- M02.4 Southern California Lodge of Research
- M02.5 Eastern Washington Lodge of Research No. 310
- M02.6 Missouri Lodge of Research
- M02.7 Texas Lodge of Research
- M02.8 Illinois Lodge of Research
- M02.9 Leicester Lodge of Research No. 24429
- M02.10 Arkansas Lodge of Research No. 739
- M02.11 Oregon Lodge of Research
- M02.12 Masonic Book Club
- M02.13 North Carolina Lodge of Research
- M02.14 Scottish Rite Research Society (Heredom)
- M02.15 Hobart Lodge of Research (Tasmania)
- M02.16 Research Lodge of Otago No. 161 (New Zealand)
- M02.17 New Mexico Lodge of Research
- M02.18 Atlanta Georgia Masonic Research Lodge No. 104
- M02.19 Research Lodge of Colorado
- M02.20 Iowa Research Lodge
- M02.21 Victoria Lodge of Research
- M02.22 Georgia Lodge of Research
- M02.23 South Carolina Masonic Research Society
- M02.24 Idaho Lodge of Research No. 1965
- M02.25 Fiat Lux Lodge of Research No. 1980 (Alberta Canada)
- M02.26 Silas H. Shepard Lodge of Research No. 1843 (Wisconsin)
- M02.27 Maine Lodge of Research
- M02.28 Victoria District Lodge of Education and Research (Vancouver)
- M02.29 Philosophic Lodge of Research (Connecticut)
- M02.30 Chater-Cosmo Transactions (Masonic Research in the Far East)

- M02** RESEARCH LODGES, TRANSACTIONS (Continued)
M02.31 St. Alban's Research Society (Texas)
M02.32 Research Lodge of Southland No. 415 (Invercargill, New Zealand)
M02.33
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M03 STUDY (School of Instruction, Lecture Bureau)

M04 BIBLIOGRAPHY

- M04.1 Catalogues
M04.2 Private
M04.3 Sale
M04.4 Special Subjects
M04.5 Library Classification
M04.6 Library Reports
M04.7 Special Collections
M04.7.1 Chandler Manufactured Volumes
M04.8 Book Plates

M06 BOOK RARITIES

- M06.1 Albums, Scrap Books
M06.2 Books, Not Masonic, but of Masonic Interest
M06.3 Other Works and Curios

HISTORY AND PHILOSOPHY

(...a description of the causes of events and the resulting consequences – C. H. Claudy)

M10 PHILOSOPHICAL HISTORY

- M10.1 Related Societies
M10.11 Mysteries
M10.12 Rosicrucian's
M10.13 Guilds
M10.14 Illuminati
M10.15 Other Societies
M10.2 Scottish Rite (General)
M10.21 Northern Jurisdiction
M10.22 Southern Jurisdiction
M10.3 York Rite (General)
M10.31 Chapter (Royal Arch)

- M10** PHILOSOPHICAL HISTORY (Continued)
- M10.32 Council (Cryptic)
- M10.33 Commandry (Knights Templar)
- M10.4 Addresses, Lectures, Essays (Historical)

M11 PHILOSOPHY and SYMBOLISM

M12 CHURCH and STATE

M13 SPECIAL SUBJECTS (Military)

DEGREE MANUALS, RITUALS

M14 GENERAL

- M14.1 York Rite (All)
- M14.3 Chapter (Royal Arch)
 - M14.31 Europe
 - M14.32 Asia
 - M14.33 North America
 - M14.34 South America
 - M14.35 Other
- M14.4 Council (Cryptic)
 - M14.41 Europe
 - M14.42 Asia
 - M14.43 North America
 - M14.44 South America
 - M14.45 Other
- M14.5 Commandry (Knights Templar)
 - M14.51 Europe
 - M14.52 Asia
 - M14.53 North America
 - M14.54 South America
 - M14.55 Other
- M14.6 Scottish Rite (Northern Jurisdiction)
- M14.7 Scottish Rite (Southern Jurisdiction)
- M14.8 Other Rites (Example: Essenes)

BLUE LODGE

M14.90 EUROPE

- M14.901 Scotland
- M14.902 Ireland

BLUE LODGE (Continued)

M14.903	England and Wales
M14.904	Germany and Austria
M14.905	Other
M14.91	ASIA
M14.92	AFRICA
M14.93	NORTH AMERICA
M14.931	Canada
M14.932	Mexico
M14.933	Central America
M14.934	Other
M14.94	UNITED STATES
M14.941	Alabama
M14.942	Alaska
M14.943	Arizona
M14.944	Arkansas
M14.945	California
M14.947	Colorado
M14.948	Connecticut
M14.949	Delaware
M14.9410	District of Columbia
M14.9412	Florida
M14.9413	Georgia
M14.9414	Idaho
M14.9415	Illinois
M14.9416	Indiana
M14.9417	Iowa
M14.9418	Kansas
M14.9419	Kentucky
M14.9420	Louisiana
M14.9421	Maine
M14.9422	Maryland
M14.9423	Massachusetts
M14.9424	Michigan
M14.9425	Minnesota
M14.9426	Mississippi
M14.9427	Missouri
M14.9428	Montana
M14.9429	Nebraska
M14.9430	Nevada
M14.9431	New Hampshire

BLUE LODGE (Continued)

UNITED STATES

M14.9433 New Jersey
M14.9434 New Mexico
M14.9435 New York
M14.9436 North Carolina
M14.9437 North Dakota
M14.9438 Ohio
M14.9439 Oklahoma
M14.9440 Oregon
M14.9441 Pennsylvania
M14.9442 Rhode Island
M14.9443 South Carolina
M14.9444 South Dakota
M14.9445 Tennessee
M14.9446 Texas
M14.9447 Utah
M14.9448 Vermont
M14.9449 Virginia
M14.9450 Washington
M14.9451 West Virginia
M14.9452 Wisconsin
M14.9453 Wyoming

M14.95 SOUTH AMERICA

M14.96 OCEANICA, POLAR REGIONS

M14.964 Australia
M14.9641 Western
M14.9642 South
M14.9643 Queensland
M14.9644 New South Wales
M14.9645 Victoria
M14.9646 Tasmania
M14.965 New Guinea
M14.966 Polynesia/Hawaii
M14.967 Other Islands

M16 BIOGRAPHY, GENERAL and COLLECTIVE

M16.1 American

M16.2 English

M16.3 Other

M16.5 BIOGRAPHY, INDIVIDUAL

M16.6 English

M16.7 French

M16.8 Other

HISTORY

("....a record of events" C. H. Claudy)

M17 GENERAL

M17.940 EUROPE

M17.941 Scotland

M17.9411 Local or by counties

M17.9415 Ireland

M17.942 England and Wales

M17.9421 by Counties

M17.9423 by Cities

M17.9425 Wales

M17.943 Germany and Austria

M17.9431 by Cities or Counties

M17.944 France

M17.9443 Local

M17.945 Italy

M17.946 Spain

M17.9469 Portugal

M17.947 Russia

M17.948 Norway, Sweden, Denmark

M17.9492 Netherlands

M17.9493 Belgium

M17.9494 Switzerland

M17.9495 Greece

M17.9496 Romania

M17.9497 Other European Countries

M17.950 ASIA

M17.951 China

M17.952 Japan

M17.954 India

M17.955 Other Asiatic Countries

M17	GENERAL (continued)
M17.960	AFRICA
M17.962	Egypt
M17.966	Other African Countries
M17.970	NORTH AMERICA
M17.971	Canada
M17.9712	by Province or City
M17.972	Mexico
M17.9728	Central America
M17.9729	West Indies, Cuba
M17.97292	Puerto Rico
M17.97293	Santo Domingo
M17.97294	Other North American Countries
M17.973	UNITED STATES
M17.974	Alabama
M17.9741	Local
M17.9742	Alaska
M17.97421	Local
M17.9743	Arizona
M17.97431	Local
M17.9744	Arkansas
M17.97441	Local
M17.9745	California
M17.97451	Local
M17.9746	Colorado
M17.97461	Local
M17.9747	Connecticut
M17.97471	Local
M17.9748	Delaware
M17.97481	Local
M17.9749	District of Columbia
M17.97491	Local
M17.975	Florida
M17.9751	Local
M17.9752	Georgia
M17.97521	Local
M17.9753	Idaho
M17.97531	Local
M17.9754	Illinois
M17.97541	Local

M17.973	UNITED STATES (Continued)
M17.9755	Indiana
M17.97551	Local
M17.9756	Iowa
M17.97561	Local
M17.9757	Kansas
M17.97571	Local
M17.9758	Kentucky
M17.97581	Local
M17.9759	Louisiana
M17.97591	Local
M17.976	Maine
M17.9761	Local
M17.9762	Maryland
M17.97621	Local
M17.9763	Massachusetts
M17.97631	Local
M17.9764	Michigan
M17.97641	Local
M17.9765	Minnesota
M17.97651	Local
M17.9766	Mississippi
M17.97661	Local
M17.9767	Missouri
M17.97671	Local
M17.9768	Montana
M17.97681	Local
M17.9769	Nebraska
M17.97691	Local
M17.977	Nevada
M17.9771	Local
M17.9772	New Hampshire
M17.97721	Local
M17.9773	New Jersey
M17.97731	Local
M17.9774	New Mexico
M17.97741	Local
M17.9775	New York
M17.97751	Local
M17.9776	North Carolina
M17.97761	Local

M17.973 UNITED STATES (Continued)

M17.9777 North Dakota
M17.97771 Local
M17.9778 Ohio
M17.97781 Local
M17.9779 Oklahoma
M17.97791 Local
M17.978 Oregon
M17.9781 Local
M17.9782 Pennsylvania
M17.97821 Local
M17.9783 Rhode Island
M17.97831 Local
M17.9784 South Carolina
M17.97841 Local
M17.9785 South Dakota
M17.97851 Local
M17.9786 Tennessee
M17.97861 Local
M17.9787 Texas
M17.97871 Local
M17.9788 Utah
M17.97881 Local
M17.9789 Vermont
M17.97891 Local
M17.979 Virginia
M17.9791 Local
M17.9792 Washington
M17.97921 Local
M17.9793 West Virginia
M17.97931 Local
M17.9794 Wisconsin
M17.97941 Local
M17.9795 Wyoming
M17.97951 Local

M17.980 SOUTH AMERICA

M17.981 Brazil
M17.982 Argentina
M17.983 Chile
M17.984 Bolivia
M17.985 Peru

M17.980	SOUTH AMERICA (Continued)
M17.986	Colombia, New Granada, Ecuador, Panama
M17.987	Venezuela
M17.988	Guiana
M17.989	Paraguay, Uruguay
M17.990	OCEANICA, POLAR REGIONS
M17.994	Australia
M17.9941	Western
M17.9942	South
M17.9943	Queensland
M17.9944	New South Wales
M17.9945	Victoria
M17.9946	Tasmania
M17.995	New Guinea
M17.996	Polynesia/Hawaii
M17.997	Other Islands and Regions

ANTI-MASONRY/IRREGULAR

M19	GENERAL WORKS, PERIODICALS
M19.01	Anti-Masonic Fiction
M19.1	Addresses, Lectures, Letters
M19.2	Defensive, Controversial
M19.3	Almanacs
M19.4	Church and State
M19.41	Romanism and Freemasonry
	FRAUDULENT MANUALS AND RITUALS
M19.5	Blue Lodge Degrees
M19.51	Chapter Degrees (Royal Arch)
M19.52	Council Degrees (Cryptic)
M19.53	Commandry Degrees (Knights Templar)
M19.54	Scottish Rite Degrees
M19.55	Other Degrees
M19.6	HISTORY
M19.61	American (Morgan Incident)
M19.62	local
M19.63	English and Other
	IRREGULAR AND CLANDESTINE MASONRY
M19.7	History, Periodicals
M19.71	York Rite

ANTI-MASONRY/IRREGULAR (Continued)

SCOTTISH RITE (CERNEAUISM)

- M19.72 History
- M19.73 Controversial Literature
- M19.74 Manuals
- M19.75 Constitutions
- M19.76 Local History, Proceedings
- M17.77 OTHER IRREGULAR BODIES AND IMPOSTURES

CUSTOMS AND PARAPHERNALIA

M20 CEREMONIES

- M20.01 York Rite Obituary Rites (Funeral Services)
- M20.02 Scottish Rite Obituary Rites (Funeral Services)
- M20.03 Other Obituary Rites (Funeral Services)
- M20.1 Corner-Stone Laying Ceremonies
- M20.2 Dedication Ceremonies
- M20.3 Installation Ceremonies
- M20.4 Officer's Help
- M20.5 Other York Rite Ceremonies
- M20.6 Other Scottish Rite Ceremonies

PARAPHERNALIA

- M21** Catalogues
- M21.1 York Rite
- M21.2 Scottish Rite
- M21.3 Other

JEWELS, MEDALS, BADGES, SEALS

- M22** General
- M22.1 York Rite
- M22.2 Scottish Rite
- M22.3 Other

M23 GLASSWARE, CHINAWARE

BLANK FORMS

- M25** York Rite (All)
- M25.1 Blue Lodge
- M25.2 Chapter (Royal Arch)
- M25.3 Council (Cryptic)
- M25.4 Commandry (Knights Templar)
- M25.5 Scottish Rite
- M25.6 Other

CUSTOMS AND PARAPHERNALIA (Continued)

COMPLETED FORMS

M26	York Rite (All)
M26.1	Blue Lodge
M26.2	Chapter (Royal Arch)
M26.3	Council (Cryptic)
M26.4	Commandry (Knights Templar)
M26.5	Scottish Rite

JURISPRUDENCE

M30	GENERAL
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M31	CONSTITUTIONS, AHIMAN REZONS, OLD CHARGES, CODES
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M31.1	Old Charges
M31.2	Constitutions, Codes
M31.3	Ahiman Rezon
M31.4	Manuscripts (MSS)

M32	SPECIAL TOPICS
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M33	BY-LAWS
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M35	TRIALS, CASES
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M35.1	York Rite
M35.2	Scottish Rite
M35.3	Other

CHARITY AND EDUCATION

M40	GENERAL
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M42	BENEVOLENT AND EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS
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M43	BOARDS OF RELIEF
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M44	INSURANCE AND MUTUAL AID ASSOCIATIONS
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M45	HOSPITALS
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M46	CEMETERIES
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CHARITY AND EDUCATION (Continued)

M47 OTHER MASONIC BENEVOLENCE, EMPLOYMENT BUREAUS

M48 IMPOSITIONS ON CHARITY

ART AND ARCHITECTURE

M50 GENERAL (Inclusive)

M52 ARCHITECTURE

M52.1 Plans and Specifications of Temples, etc.

M53 ART

M54 COLLECTION OF PICTURES, PHOTOGRAPHS, ENGRAVINGS

M55 OTHER

LITERATURE AND MUSIC

M60 GENERAL (Inclusive)

M61 ADDRESSES, LECTURES, SERMONS, ESSAYS (Instructional)

M61.1 American

M61.2 English

M62.3 French

M63.4 Other

M62 MAGAZINES

M62.1 American

M62.2 English

M62.3 French

M62.4 Other

M63 POETRY/DRAMA

M63.1 American

M63.2 English

M63.3 French

M63.4 Other

LITERATURE AND MUSIC (Continued)

- M65** MUSIC, REGULAR
 - M65.1 American
 - M65.2 English
 - M65.3 French
 - M65.4 Other
- MUSIC, RITUALISTIC
 - M65.5 Blue Lodge
 - M65.6 Chapter (Royal Arch)
 - M65.7 Council (Cryptic)
 - M65.8 Commandry (Knights Templar)
 - M65.9 Scottish Rite and Other

M66 NOVELS AND TALES

M67 HUMOR AND SATIRE

SOCIETIES ADMITTING ONLY MASONS

M70 GENERAL

M71 CONSTANTINE ORDERS

M72 ROYAL ORDER OF SCOTLAND

M73 MASONIC VETERAN ASSOCIATIONS

M74 SOJOURNERS AND SIMILAR ASSOCIATIONS

M75 ACACIA AND SIMILAR FRATERNITIES

M76 SHRINE

M76.1 Local

M77 VEILED PROPHETS, MYSTIC ORDER (Grotto)

M77.1 Local

M78 DEMOLAY, ORDER OF

SOCIETIES ADMITTING ONLY MASONS (Continued)

M79	OTHER
M79.1	AMD (Allied Masonic Degrees)
M79.2	Ancient Egyptian Order of Scotts
M79.3	Masonic Order of Bath
M79.4	Grand College of Rites (USA)
M79.5	Tall Cedars of Lebanon
M79.6	High Twelvians
M79.7	Knight Order of the York Cross of Honor
M79.8	Royal Order of Jesters
M79.9	George Washington Masonic National Memorial Association

WOMAN IN MASONRY

M80	WOMEN ONLY
M81	AOPTIVE MASONRY
M81.0	ORDER OF EASTERN STAR (OES)
M81.1	Grand Chapters
M81.2	Local
M82	GENERAL GRAND CHAPTER (OES)
M82.1	History
M82.2	Proceedings
M82.3	Rituals
M82.4	Manuscripts
M84	OTHER ORDERS
M84.1	White Shrine
M84.11	Proceedings
M84.12	Rituals
M84.13	Manuscripts
M84.14	Other
M84.15	History
M84.2	International Order of Job's Daughters
M84.21	Proceedings
M84.22	Rituals
M84.23	Manuscripts
M84.24	Other
M84.25	History

WOMAN IN MASONRY (Continued)

M84.3	International Order of Rainbow for Girls
M84.31	Proceedings
M84.31	Rituals
M84.33	Manuscripts
M84.34	Other
M84.35	History

M84.4	Amaranth
M84.41	Proceedings
M84.42	Rituals
M84.43	Manuscripts
M84.44	Other
M84.45	History

M84.5	Ladies Oriental Shrine, Daughters of the Nile
M84.51	Proceedings
M84.52	Rituals
M84.53	Manuscripts
M84.54	History

M85	CO-MASONRY
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PRINCE HALL FREEMASONRY

M90	HISTORY AND PHILOSOPHY
M90.1	Blue Lodge
M90.2	York Rite
M90.3	Scottish Rite
M90.4	Other

M91	LOCAL HISTORY
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M92	CUSTOMS AND PARAPHERNALIA
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M93	LAW
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M94	CHARITY AND EDUCATION
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M95	ART AND ARCHITECTURE
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PRINCE HALL FREEMASONRY (Continued)

- M96** LITERATURE AND MUSIC
- M97** SOCIETIES ADMITTING ONLY PRICE HALL MASONS
- M98** WOMAN IN PRINCE HALL FREEMASONRY (O.E.S., etc.)

FRATERNAL ORGANIZATIONS (NON MASONIC)

- F00** GENERAL
 - F01.01** Eagles, Order of
 - F01.02** Elks, Benevolent and Protective Order of
 - F01.03** Foresters of America
 - F01.04** Foresters, Independent Order of
 - F01.05** Hibernian, Independent Order of
 - F01.06** Knights of Columbus
 - F01.07** Knights of Pythias
 - F01.08** Maccabees, The
 - F01.09** Moose, Loyal Order of
 - F01.10** Odd Fellows, Independent Order of
 - F01.11** Owls, Order of
 - F01.12** Red Men, Improved Order of
 - F01.13** Woodmen of the World
 - F01.14** Other

RELIGIONS OF THE WORLD

R00

GENERAL

R01

CHRISTIAN

R01.01	Anglican
R01.02	Baptist
R01.03	Congregational
R01.04	Episcopal
R01.05	Greek Orthodox
R01.06	Jehovah Witness
R01.07	Lutheran
R01.08	Mennonite
R01.09	Methodist
R01.10	Presbyterian
R01.11	Quaker
R01.12	Roman Catholic
R01.13	Unitarian
R01.14	Latter Day Saints
R01.15	Other

R02

NON CHRISTIAN

R02.01	Animist
R02.03	Buddhism
R02.04	Confucian
R02.05	Druid
R02.06	Hindu
R02.07	Islam
R02.08	Jewish
R02.09	Shinto
R02.10	Taoist
R02.11	Other