

Barony of Bright Hills
Heraldry
And
Scribal Handbook

# **Bright Hills History**

The Barony of Bright Hills is the 13<sup>th</sup> Barony in the Kingdom of Atlantia. It held its first Investiture on February 12, 1994 (A.S. 28) at the home of Master Chirhart Blackstar and Mistress Jeanne Tennur de Bec, when inclement weather prevented it to be held at its original site.

On the Following Pages you will find the history of the Barony's Baronage, as well as the heraldry registered to the Barony with the College of Arms; including Guilds, Groups and Awards. You will also find a list of the awards and recognitions given by the Baronage of Bright Hills, Active and Retired. Suggested scroll text for the awards and recognitions of the Barony of Bright Hills round out this book.

# Bright Hills Baronage

### **Founding Baron and Baroness**

February 12, 1994 (AS 28) to February 8, 1997 (AS 31)
Baron Heinrich Kreiner and Maestra Barbara Giomaria di Roberto

### **Second Baron and Baroness**

February 8, 1997 (AS 31) to April 28, 2001 (AS 35) Baron Temur of the Kerait and Mistress Ekaterina Vladimirovna (AKA Chagan Khulan Bagshi)

### **Third Baron**

April 28, 2001 (AS 35) to May 17, 2003 (AS 38) Master Tristan Alexander

### **Forth Baron and Baroness**

May 17, 2003 (AS 38) to February 3, 2007 (AS 41)
Baron Barre FitzRobert of York and Mistress Cordelia FitzRobert of York

### **Fifth Baroness**

February 3, 2007 (AS 41) to February 12, 2011 (AS 45) Mistress Martelle von Charlottenberg

### **Sixth Baron and Baroness**

February 12, 2011 (AS 45) to April 19, 2014 (AS 48) Master Chirhart Blackstar and Mistress Jeanne Tennur de Bec

#### Seventh Baron and Baroness

April 19, 2014 (AS 48) to February 9, 2019 (AS 53) Sir Kollack von Zweckel and Baroness Rebecca von Zweckel

### **Eighth Baron and Baroness**

February 9, 2019 (AS 53) to July 9, 2019 (AS 54) Baron Gabrell Fairecloughe and Mistress Greer Jonsdottir

### Vicar

April 19, 2014 (AS 48) to October 5, 2019 (AS 54) Baroness Rebecca von Zweckel

### **Ninth Baron and Baroness**

October 5, 2019 (AS 54) to Present Master Godai Katsunaga and Baroness Wanda Ostojowna

# Bright Hills Award List

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# **Bright Hills Armory**



Bright Hills
Populace Badge



Company of the White Horse



Bright Hills Cooks Guild



Bright Hills Brewers Guild



Bright Hills Performing Arts Guild



Award of the Silver Oak Leaf



Award of Tessa

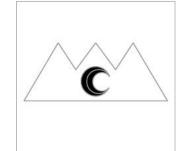


Award of the Shell and Crescent

# **Bright Hills Armory**



Award of the Silver Scroll



Award of the Augean Stables



Award of Job



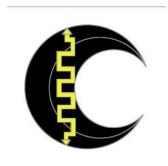
Order of St. Barbara



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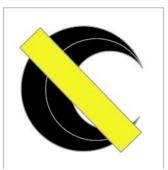
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Order of the Bolt and Crescent Bow and Crescent



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Order of the Scarf and Crescent

# **Bright Hills Armory**



Award of the Shield and Crescent



Award of the Spur and Crescent

### **Baronial Award of Excellence**

Given to those who exemplify "Courtesy, Chivalry and Honour".

It is one of the great pleasures of a Baron and Baroness to recognize and honor excellence in those of Their subjects They deem worthy. Such a subject is <Name>, who has greatly pleased Us with [his/her] [good works / .... Some specific thing ....].

This day. We, <Baron's Name> and <Baroness's Name>, Baron and Baroness of the Bright Hills, are therefore minded to bestow upon [him/her] Our Baronial Award of Excellence.

Done this <date> of <Month>, Anno Societatis <year in Roman numerals> (at <specific site or event>).

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Baroness

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We, <Baron's Name> and <Baroness's Name>, Baron and Baroness of the Barony of Bright Hills, find the works and deeds of <Name> to be greatly pleasing and of benefit to Our Great Barony of Bright Hills. We therefore decree that [he/she] shall henceforth bear Our Award of Excellence, that all may know of the recognition bestowed upon [him/her] this day.

Done by Our Baronial whim this <date> of <Month>, A.S. <year in Roman numerals>.

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Baron

# **Baronial Order of Courtesy**

Given to those the Baron/Baroness deems deserving, who have distinguished themselves by their excellent contributions to the Barony.

Be it known to all men that <Name> makes Our heart smile with shows of great love and courtesy. For [his/her] worthy deeds and perfect gentleness do We, <Baron's Name> and <Baroness's Name>, Baron and Baroness of the Barony of Bright Hills, bring <Name> into Our Order of Courtesy.

Done this <date> of <Month>, [A.S. / Anno Societatis] <year in Roman numerals> in the Barony of Bright Hills at <event>.

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Courtesy and gracious behavior are hallmarks to which all noble persons should achieve, and it is by Our hand that such honorable conduct is recognized. Such a person is <Name>, who by [his/her] deeds has served as an exemplar to all Our subjects. Therefore, do We, <Baron's Name> and <Baroness's Name>, Baron and Baroness of the Barony of Bright Hills hereby bring [him/her/<Name>] into Our Order of Courtesy.

Done this <date> day of <Month>, A.S. <year in Roman numerals> (at [Specific event / Site]).

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### Order of the Silver Oak Leaf



Children are the future of the world and those who show willingness to learn and grow, to make the world, Kingdom and Barony a brighter place do so receive this recognition. This order was formerly known as the Heart of the Oak.

Badge: (Fieldless) On an oak leaf argent a heart gules.

We, as representatives of the Crown, enjoy the privilege of bestowing honors and recognition to those We deem worthy within Our lands. Of these honors, it is perhaps Our greatest joy to award the Silver Oak Leaf, which is given to young members of Our Barony who have shown exemplary service and behavior. We never forget that they will one day be the Sovereigns and Peers in years to come and wish to foster and reward exceptional behavior when We recognize it in one so young. So, all may know of the exceptional youths, We gift them a token, being: Fieldless on an oak leaf argent a heart gules.

And now it is with great joy and pride that We, <Baron's name> and <Baroness's name>, Baron and Baroness of the Barony of Bright Hills, recognize <name> for your noble deeds and award you the Silver Oak Leaf.

In witness whereof We hereby set Our hand and seal, this <date> day of <month> A.S. <year in Roman numerals>, being <year in numbers> Gregorian.

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### Order of the Silver Oak Leaf - Cont.

Children are the future of the world and those who show willingness to learn and grow, to make the world, Kingdom and Barony a brighter place do so receive this recognition. This order was formerly known as the Heart of the Oak.

Badge: (Fieldless) On an oak leaf argent a heart gules.

Let not age be a barrier to good works and deeds. In proof of which, the many noteworthy contributions of the noble <Name> to Our Barony they are more than the inheritors of our Future they are the purpose to our Present. Through [his/her] words and deeds [he/she] has proven to be the new lifeblood of the Barony.

Therefore We <Baron's Name> and <Baroness's Name>, Baron and Baroness of the Barony of Bright Hills, proudly claim [him/her] as Our own and make [him/her] a [Member/Companion] of the Silver Oak Leaf.

Done by Our hands this <date> day of <Month>, [A.S. / Anno Societatis] <year in Roman numerals> at Our <Event> in our <Branch>.

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Baron

### Order of Tessa



This award recognizes the service and enthusiasm of new comers. It was developed to honor Tessa of Crossgate, who though not with us long did exemplify what it means to be an Atlantian.

Badge: Per bend sinister sable and azure, on a heart argent a decrescent sable.

New members are the lifeblood of any group. A willingness to get involved, to learn and to help right from the start is exemplified by the late Tessa of Crossgate. In her honor We have named this award and in the same spirit of joy and service We hereby recognize <name> for [his/her] willingness to join in and become an integral part of the Barony of Bright Hills, by making [him/her] a member of the Order of Tessa.

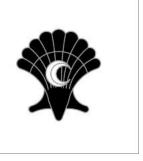
With thanks and much pleasure, We do here set Our hands and seal, this <date> day of <month> A.S. <year in Roman numerals>, <year in numbers> Gregorian.

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### Order of the Shell and Crescent



This award is given in recognition of skills in the Arts and Sciences. Badge: (Fieldless) On an escallop inverted sable a decrescent argent.

Beauty does grace Our lands and Glorify our Kingdom. Those who practice the Arts and Sciences contribute to the Glory of Our Barony through their efforts and so doing, deserve praise.

Be it known that the Shell and Crescent has been established to recognize and honor those members of Our Populace whose skill in the Arts and Sciences have enriched us all. They shall be known by the badge they carry, being: Fieldless, on an escallop inverted sable a decrescent argent.

And do We, <Baron's name> and <Baroness's name>, Baron and Baroness of the Barony of Bright Hills, recognize <Name> with the Shell and Crescent for their artistic talents.

By Our hand this <date> day of <month> A.S. <year in Roman numerals>, being <year in numbers> Gregorian.

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The Glory of Bright Hills is brought to the fore by those who practice the Arts and Sciences <Name> has graced us by [his/her] efforts and deserve both praise and thanks.

[He/She] shall be made a Companion of the Shell and Crescent. In witness whereof We do set Our hands this <date> day of <month> A.S. <year in Roman numerals>, being <year in numbers> Gregorian.

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**Baroness** 

### Order of the Shell and Crescent – Cont.

This award is given in recognition of skills in the Arts and Sciences. Badge: (Fieldless) On an escallop inverted sable a decrescent argent.

Proclaim unto all that We, <Baron's name> and <Baroness's name>, Baron and Baroness of the Barony of Bright Hills, finding Ourselves in receipt of many good reports of <Name> having greatly improved the lot of Our subjects through Arts and Sciences give unto [him/her] the Award of the Shell and Crescent.

Under Our hands and seal, this <date> day of <month> A.S. <year in Roman numerals>, in the Barony of Bright Hills

Baron Baroness

### Order of the Silver Scroll



This award is given in recognition for instruction in the field of Arts and Sciences. Badge: (Fieldless) On a mountain of three peaks couped sable an open scroll fesswise argent.

Of what treasures can we boast of in Our lands? Our valiant warriors? To be sure! Our skilled artisans? Without doubt! Our superior officers and autocrats? Quite so!

Though these worthies are indeed of great value to Us, We are of a mind to note the importance of teaching ones expertise to others. There are individuals who have taken this noble charge, and We are mindful of Our responsibility and pleasure to award and encourage these individuals with the Silver Scroll. The recipients of this award shall be known by the badge they carry: Fieldless, on a mountain of three peaks couped sable an open scroll fesswise argent.

And now it is with great joy that We, <Baron's name> and <Baroness's name>, Baron and Baroness of the Barony of Bright Hills, award unto <Name> the Silver Scroll for teaching.

Done this <date> day of <month>, Anno Societatis <year in Roman numerals>, being <year in numbers> Gregorian.

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Baron Baroness

### Order of the Silver Scroll – Cont.

This award is given in recognition for instruction in the field of Arts and Sciences. Badge: (Fieldless) On a mountain of three peaks couped sable an open scroll fesswise argent.

Glory is clothed in Beauty and Beauty comes from the hands and hearts of a Barony's people. We, <Baron's name> and <Baroness's name>, Baron and Baroness of the Barony of Bright Hills, must praise the work and teachings of Our Valiant and expert servant, <Name>.

[His/Her] skill in <field of Arts and Science> enriches the Splendor of Our fair Barony. For this We thank [him/her] and induct them into the Order of the Silver Scroll.

In witness whereof do We set Our Hand and Seal. Done this <date> day of <month>, Anno Societatis <year in Roman numerals>, in Our Barony of the Bright Hills.

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Who will train the warrior? Who will guide us in the sciences and instruct us in the arts?

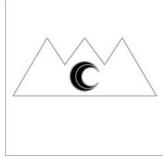
Such nobles as <Name> have taken the noble charge of sharing [his/her] expertise and thus do Our people flourish in wisdom, beauty and strength.

[He/She] is made a Companion of the Silver Scroll.

Under Our hands and seal, this <date> day of <month> A.S. <year in Roman numerals>, in the Barony of Bright Hills.

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Baron

# Order of the Augean Stables



This award recognizes those who have enriched the Barony either with one great deed or over extreme effort over a short period of time.

Badge: (Fieldless) On a mountain of three peaks couped argent a decrescent sable.

It has come to Our attention that there are those amongst us who toil unceasingly and without complaint for the enrichment of Our Barony. Like Hercules, they labor at tasks arduous and many, and do so with success. It is Our prerogative and Our pleasure to recognize such and award such individuals with the Award of the Augean Stables, as a symbol of their Herculean effort. All shall know of their labors by the badge they carry: Fieldless on a mountain of three peaks couped argent, a decrescent sable.

And do We, <Baron's name> and <Baroness's name>, Baron and Baroness of the Barony of Bright Hills, recognize the many and diverse efforts and labors of <Name> with the Award of the Augean Stables.

In witness whereof do We set Our Hand and Seal. Done this <date> day of <month>, Anno Societatis <year in Roman numerals>, being <year in numbers> Gregorian.

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Be it known to all that We, <Baron's name> and <Baroness's name>, Baron and Baroness of the Barony of Bright Hills, having weighed well the works and labors <Name> has given greatly and unstintingly of [his/her] skills and energies to <Specific task or Great Feat in Short Term>. Do We declare that [he/she] shall be awarded the Augean Stables.

In witness whereof do We set Our Hand and Seal Done this <date> day of <month>, Anno Societatis <year in Roman numerals>, in Our Barony of the Bright Hills.

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# Order of the Augean Stables – Cont.

This award recognizes those who have enriched the Barony either with one great deed or over extreme effort over a short period of time.

Badge: (Fieldless) On a mountain of three peaks couped argent a decrescent sable.

Among Our population there is one whose toil and labor has equaled the great Hercules with a singular task.

Thus, We, <Baron's name> and <Baroness's name>, Baron and Baroness of the Barony of Bright Hills, award <Name> the Augean Stables in honor of a task both great and arduous which has enriched Our Barony and its people.

Done this <date> day of <month>, A.S. <year in Roman numerals>.

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### Order of the Job



This award is given in recognition to members of the populace who have given long term service to Bright Hills.

Badge: (Fieldless) A mountain of three peaks couped sable charged with a moon in her plentitude argent.

Patience and steadfast perseverance mark a true and noble heart. Our Barony is indeed blessed with many individuals who give of themselves. Numerous and great are the deeds and accomplishments of these exemplary nobles. Like Job, they have labored for years without complaint and without ceasing for the good of the Barony.

They have served Our Barony in many and diverse ways and We fell it is Our duty and Our joy to recognize these gentles for their selfless labor. For these worthies, We award the Order of Job, and this honor shall be known by Fieldless, on a mountain of three peaks couped sable a moon in its plentitude argent.

Know all men that We, <Baron's name> and <Baroness's name>, Baron and Baroness of the Barony of Bright Hills, have determined to recognize Name for the long and continuous Service given to the Barony and for efforts worthy of a Nobel heart and so do We induct you into the Order of Job.

We commend you for your efforts and We thank you for your contributions.

In Witness whereof do We seal, this <date> day of <month> A.S. <year in Roman numerals>, in the Barony of Bright Hills, being <year in numbers> of the Common Era.

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### Order of the Job – Cont.

This award is given in recognition to members of the populace who have given long term service to Bright Hills.

Badge: (Fieldless) A mountain of three peaks couped sable charged with a moon in her plentitude argent.

Know all men that We, <Baron's name> and <Baroness's name>, Baron and Baroness of the Barony of Bright Hills, have determined to recognize Name for the long and continuous Service given to the Barony and for efforts worthy of a Nobel heart and so do We induct you into the Order of Job.

We commend you for your efforts and We thank you for your contributions.

In Witness whereof do We seal, this <date> day of <month> A.S. <year in Roman numerals>, in the Barony of Bright Hills, being <year in numbers> of the Common Era.

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<Baron's name> and <Baroness's name>, Baron and Baroness of the Barony of Bright Hills, having weighed the works, labors and sacrifices of <Name> are moved to make [him/her] a Companion of the Order of Job.

By Our hand this <date> day of <month> A.S. <year in Roman numerals>, being <year in numbers> Gregorian.

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Baroness

### Order of the Job – Cont.

This award is given in recognition to members of the populace who have given long term service to Bright Hills.

Badge: (Fieldless) A mountain of three peaks couped sable charged with a moon in her plentitude argent.

A true and noble heart is marked by steadfast perseverance and patience. As Job, <Name> has given the Barony of Bright Hills years of selfless labor, and service without ceasing.

Therefore, We award [him/her] the Order of Job.

Under Our hands and seal, this <date> day of <month> A.S. <year in Roman numerals>, in the Barony of Bright Hills.

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All show know that We, <Baron's Name> and <Baroness's Name>, Baron and Baroness of the Barony of Bright Hills mindful of the steadfast service of our worthy subject do by this our Charter honor and favor <Name> with the Order of Job with such privileges and advantages as custom provides.

This is so done and given in Our Barony of Bright Hills on the <Date> day of <Month> Anno Societatis <year in Roman numerals>.

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There are many who labor long and nobly so that others may enjoy the dream we share. It has come to Our notice that one of Our beloved subjects has demonstrated such dedication to the Barony of Bright Hills. Therefore We, <Baron's Name> and <Baroness's Name>, Baron and Baroness of Bright Hills, are pleased to admit Our worthy and steadfast <Name> to the Order of Job, that all may know [his/her] worth. Done this <date> day of <Month> in the <year in Roman numerals> being <year> in the common era.

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### Order of St. Barbara



The Order of St. Barbara is to be a polling Order for members of the Barony who have been involved with the Barony for 10 years or more.

Badge: (Fieldless) On a chalice argent a decrescent sable.

### Charter for the Order of St Barbara:

- 1. The Order of St Barbara is to be a polling Order.
- 2. Only members of the Barony who have been involved with the Barony for 10 years or more are eligible for this Award.
- 3. The Baron/Baroness may not induct anyone into the Order unless the Order is in agreement.
- 4. At least 2/3rds of the Order must agree before someone may be inducted into this Order.
- 5. In case of a tie vote for a candidate, the Principal of the Order has the right to a second vote to break the tie.

As Saint Barbara is the patron of builders and, as those who have served this Barony for many years have helped to build it into the Great Barony that it is, We wish to recognize <Name> for [his/her] long and tireless service and to induct [him/her] into the Order of Saint Barbara.

<Name> is a building block of the Bright Hills and we would be much diminished without their years of service. May they continue to help us to grow with Courtesy, Chivalry and Honor. The recipients of this award shall be known by the badge they carry: Fieldless, on a chalice argent a decrescent sable.

In witness whereof We do set Our hands and seal, done this <date> day of <month>, Anno Societatis <year in Roman numerals>, being <year in numbers> Gregorian.

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Baroness

# Order of St. Barbara - Cont.

The Order of St. Barbara is to be a polling Order for members of the Barony who have been involved with the Barony for 10 years or more.

Badge: (Fieldless) On a chalice argent a decrescent sable.

In the service of Bright Hills there is honor. Know you here that by great deeds of service has <Name> proved worthy of high honor. Therefore it pleases us to create [him/her] a Companion of the Order of St. Barbara, to take [his/her] place with the worthies of that Order, and to enjoy all rights, privileges, and precedence of the Order. So, given by Our hands this <date> day of <Month> Anno Societatis <year in Roman numerals> being the <year> Year of Grace.

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Let it be known by one and all that <Name> has distinguished [him/her]self by [his/her] actions of devotion to this Barony of Bright Hills. Willing hands and eager hearts are Our cornerstones and therefore are greatly appreciated and worthy of recommendation. In recognition of the efforts and contributions, both physically and mentally, made by the person herein named, we do this day confer upon this worthy the Order of St. Barbara. Wear proudly that which you have so righteously earned and so justly deserve. Given by Our hand this <date> day of <Month> A.S. <year in Roman numerals>, being <year> in the common reckoning.

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Baron

# Order of the Northern Light



The Order of the Northern Light honors and recognizes those who have shown excellence, honor, courtesy, or chivalry above and beyond any duty. The members of this order exemplify what it means to be from Bright Hills.

Badge: Sable, a decrescent and a mountain of three peaks, a chief rayonny argent.

In days past, it was decreed that the Baron and Baroness should recognize those who represent the best of Bright Hills and who embody the Honour, Grace and Courtesy / Chivalry that We hold dear. Their contributions may be through service, the arts or on the field of combat, but they light the way for all and set the standard for courtesy which we all may strive to meet. They are the best and brightest lights and make Us proud. We are therefore minded to recognize <name> who is, to Our mind, the clear example of nobility in thought and in deed and who by [his/her] actions illuminate Our Barony.

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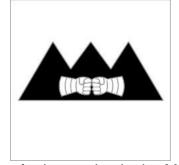
Greetings unto all whom these presents come. We, <Baron's Name> and <Baroness's Name>, Baron and Baroness of the Barony of Bright Hills have observed the many good works and labors of <Name>.

<Name> having greatly improved the lot of Our subjects by exemplifying what it means to be a beacon of the North, showing excellence, honour, courtesy, and chivalry by going above and beyond any duty.

Done this <Date> day of <Month>, [A.S./Anno Societatis] <year in Roman numerals>.

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# Order of the Silberberg



This award is given in recognition for instruction in the Martial Arts as well as fighting. Badge: (Fieldless) On a mountain of three peaks couped sable, in fess a gauntlet fesswise reversed and a gauntlet fesswise argent.

It shall be known to all that We, <Baron's name> and <Baroness's name>, Baron and Baroness of the Barony of Bright Hills, find that <name> has distinguished [himself/herself] by skill in the marshaled art of <specific field, i.e. Archery, Rapier, Heavy Weapons, etc.> and in guiding the future fighters of Our Barony in this field. We are moved to advance and command [him/her] into the Order of the Silberberg.

Done this <date> day of <month>, Anno Societatis <year in Roman numerals> (at <specific site or event>).

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By broadsword, rapier and bow is our beloved Barony of Bright Hills defended from her foes. <Name> has served us with [his/her] skill of arms. And thus We, <Baron's name> and <Baroness's name>, Baron and Baroness of the Barony of Bright Hills, direct and command [his/her] entry into the Order of the Silberberg.

Done this <date> day of <month>, A.S. <year in Roman numerals>.

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# Order of the Silberberg - Cont.

This award is given in recognition for instruction in the Martial Arts as well as fighting. Badge: (Fieldless) On a mountain of three peaks couped sable, in fess a gauntlet fesswise reversed and a gauntlet fesswise argent.

The Barony of Bright Hills is known Kingdom wide as a safe haven, due to the prowess, valor and skill on the field of honor by our defensive forces. <Name> by virtue of [his/her] skill at arms is hereby welcomed into Companionship of the Order of the Silberberg.

Done this <date> day of <month>, A.S. <year in Roman numerals>.

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Baron

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Baroness

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Know all men that as the Gauntlet protects the hand so too does the skill at Arms of the fighter protect Our Barony. Prowess, valor and skill on the field of honor and the teaching of these does deserve Our notice. Such individuals, whether by broadsword, rapier or bow, bring victory and great renown to Our name and lands.

Therefore, it is Our obligation and privilege to award these nobles with the Silberberg, so all may know of their valor, the symbol being: Fieldless, on a mountain of three peaks couped sable, in fess a gauntlet fesswise reversed and a gauntlet fesswise argent. Now do We, <Baron's name> and <Baroness's name>, Baron and Baroness of the Barony of Bright Hills, give unto <name> the Award of the Silberberg.

In witness whereof We do set Our hands this <date> day of <month> A.S. <year in Roman numerals>, being <year in numbers> Gregorian.

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Baron

### Order of the Bolt and Crescent



This award is given in recognition for excellence in the marshaled field of Siege / Thrown Weapons.

Badge: (Fieldless) On a decrescent sable a lightning bolt Or.

The Earth trembles as strong walls fall to the might of the deadly siege engine. <Name>'s talent is unique to the lands and strike their mark with deadly aim. Straight and true does [his/her] bolts fly in defense of Our lands. We, <Baron' S Name> and <Baroness's Name>, Baron and Baroness of the Barony of Bright Hills, wish to recognize [him/her] for their skill and the knowledge they share with others to grow the ranks of the Barony's Siege Engineers.

It is our desire to award [him/her] the Bolt and Crescent. Let none hinder Our will as We set our hands and seal on this <Date> day of <Month> [A.S. / Anno Societatis] <year in Roman numerals> at our <event> in Our Barony of Bright Hills.

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Baron

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Our enemies shout "shields up" little help does it do from the bolts of Our armies. <Name> has shown great skill and knowledge in the arts of [Siege Engines / Thrown Weapons]. [He/She] has by [his/her/their] endeavors have caused an increase in the quality of knowledge and practice of these skills among Our populace.

In keeping with the duties and privileges accorded with the rule of Our Barony here induct <Name> into Our Order of the Bolt and Crescent.

Given under Our hand this <Date> day of <Month>, [A.S. / Anno Societatis] <year in Roman numerals> at our <event> in Our Barony of Bright Hills.

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Baron

### Order of the Bow and Crescent



This award is given in recognition for excellence in the marshaled field of Combat / Target Archery.

Badge: (Fieldless) On a decrescent sable a bow reversed Or.

May it be decreed through Our Barony, and to the very edges of the Known World, that <Name> has demonstrated high skill as a [Combat/Target] Archer on the field of battle has risen well above all others, is the defense of the Barony and Kingdom, and has imparted {his/her} knowledge to many others.

Therefore We, <Baron's Name> and <Baroness' Name>, Baron and Baroness of the Barony of Bright Hills, not only by the common renown but also, by Our own knowledge wish to recognize [him/her/recipient] as a [Companion/Member] of the Bow and Crescent.

In witness whereof have We set Our Hand(s) this <day>of <month>, Anno Societatis <Society Year in Roman Numerals> in Our Barony of Bright Hills at <event>.

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Baron

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# Order of the Bow and Crescent - Cont.

This award is given in recognition for excellence in the marshaled field of Combat / Target Archery.

Badge: (Fieldless) On a decrescent sable a bow reversed Or.

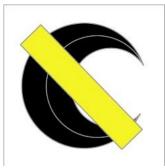
In all the forces in history there have been archers who have shot and taught from within the ranks, rising to positions of great honour. <Name> is such an archer [his/her] has many virtues, such as skill with the bow, leadership on the line, and teaching of the arts and sciences of archery.

Having observed the many good works and labours of <Name>, We, <Baron's Name> and <Baroness' Name >, Baron and Baroness of the Barony of Bright Hills, wish to recognize [him/her/recipient] as a [Companion/Member] of the Bow and Crescent.

In witness whereof have We set Our Hand(s) this <day> of <month> Anno Societatis <Society Year in Roman Numerals> in Our Barony of Bright Hills at <event>.

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Baron

### Order of the Scarf and Crescent



This award is given in recognition for excellence in the marshaled field of Rapier Badge: (Fieldless) A decrescent sable and overall a bend couped Or.

Know ye that We, <Baron's Name> and <Baroness's Name>, Baron and Baroness of Bright Hills in consideration of the exceptional skills and chivalry in rapier combat and service to the Barony in the traditions of Bright Hills do hereby advance them to [Companion/Member] of the Order of the Scarf and Crescent with all responsibilities and privileges thereto appertaining. This is so done and given in our Barony on the <date> day of <Month> Anno Societatis <year in Roman numerals>.

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Baroness

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The flashing sound of piercing steel rings throughout the Northern marches in the Barony of Bright Hills. This is the sound of practicing and teaching the noble virtues and martial prowess alike in Courtesy and Honor as in Gallantry and Valor, having heard much good of <Name>. Having distinguished [himself/herself] by doing so are We moved to advance and commend [him/her] to the Order of the Scarf and Crescent.

In witness whereof We set Our hand and seal this <date> day of <Month>, Anno Societatis <year in Roman numerals>, being <year> Gregorian.

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### Order of the Shield and Crescent



This award is given in recognition for excellence in the marshaled field of Heavy Weapons.

Badge: (Fieldless) On a decrescent sable an inescutcheon Or.

Stout are the arms that uphold the shield in the defense of Our Barony and swift is the sword. <Name> has brought honor, dignity, prowess and fame to the Barony of Bright Hills by [her/his] expertise in heavy weapons, passing on such knowledge and leading others so that they too may become warriors for Bright Hills.

Therefore We <Baron's name> and <Baroness' Name>, Baron and Baroness of the Barony of Bright Hills wish to award [him/her/recipient] as a [Companion/Member] of the Shield and Crescent.

In Witness whereof have We set Our Hand(s) this <date> day of <month> Anno Societatis <Society Year in Roman Numerals> in Our Barony of Bright Hills at <event>

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Baroness

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The fighter stands strong upon the field in battle and [his/her] teaching brings increased strength to Our army. Through Honour, Chivalry and Courtesy <Name> has greatly enhanced Our lands.

Thus We, <Baron's name> and <Baroness's Name>, Baron and Baroness of Bright Hills are minded to make [him/her] a [Companion/Member] of the Order of the Shield and Crescent.

Under Our hand(s) and seal, this <date> day of <Month>, [A.S./Anno Societatis] <year in Roman numerals> in the Barony of Bright Hills.

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Baron

# Order of the Spur and Crescent



This award is given in recognition for excellence in the marshaled field of Equestrian Arts.

Badge: (Fieldless) A decrescent sable and overall a bend couped Or.

Upon the backs of great and mighty warhorses few bright hills warriors are engaged in tournament combat. We, <Baron's Name> and <Baroness's Name>, Baron and Baroness of Bright Hills wish to recognize <Name> for outstanding skills in horsemanship and of excellence in the art of the tournament.

[His/Her] hard work has advanced the equestrian in the North and has brought much renown thereof we are pleased to bestow upon her the right to call [himself / herself] a Companion of the Spur and Crescent.

Done this <date> of <Month>, A.S. <year in roman numerals> at our Barony of Bright hills <event name> event.

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Baron

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Sound the horns and cry loudly the deeds of <Name>. The Spur and Crescent was created to recognize the prowess and dedication to horsemanship.

<Name> has displayed such skill and service in the equestrian arena. In recognition of this We, <Baron's name> and <Baroness's name>, Baron and Baroness of the Barony of Bright Hills do make them a [Companion/Member] of this Noble Order.

In witness whereof We set Our hand(s) and seal this <date> day of < Month>, [A.S./Anno Societatis] <year in Roman numerals>.

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Baron

# Retired Awards of Bright Hills

- Award of the Glass Slipper Closed
  - Given as a Token by Baron Barre and Baroness Cordelia to those members of the Barony who stayed to the very end of an event and helped with whatever needs to be done. They don't let Cinderella's Glass Slipper become a piece of lost and found.
- Order of the Blue Collar Closed
  - Given as a token of thanks for the everyday hard work performed by a member of the hard working Barony.
- Order of the Blackstar Closed
  - Given as a token by the Founding Baron and Baroness at their investiture to three individuals: Mistress Jeanne Tennur de Bec, Master Chirhart Blackstar, and Mistress Anne of Hatfield. These three gentles were recognized for their willingness to open their home to host Investiture, when the original site was closed due to snow.
- Order of the Cat's Paw Closed
  - Given as a token from Baroness Ekaterina Vladimirovna. This recognition was retired on April 28, 2001.
- Baronial Service Award Closed
  - o Given to those who served the Barony prior to development of service awards.
- Baroness' Gold Star Closed
  - o Given to the children of the Barony prior to development of the Silver Oak Leaf.
- Augmentation of the Order of the Augean Stables Closed
  - Awarded by Baron Barre and Baroness Cordelia to those members of the Order of the Augean Stables whose work went far beyond that expected from their previous induction into the order.
- Augmentation of the Order of Job Closed
  - Awarded by Baron Barre and Baroness Cordelia to those members of the Order of Job whose work went far beyond that expected from their previous induction into the order.
- Augmentation of the Order of the Silberberg Closed
  - Awarded by Baron Barre and Baroness Cordelia to those members of the Order of the Silberberg whose work went far beyond that expected from their previous induction into the order.
- Order of the Golden Shell Closed
  - The Golden Shell is the personal award of Martelle von Charlottenburg during her tenure as Baroness of Bright Hills to honor those who give exemplary service to the Coronet. It is represented by a gold scallop shell on a green ribbon.