

To all and every our Worshipful and Loving Brethren

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Rt. W. Bro. Frederick Hickton Griffiths. O. St. J.

Officer of the Grand Priory in the British Realm of the Most Honorable Order of the Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem

Provincial Grand Master for Worcestershire

under the Authority of

M. W. Bro. G. R. H. The Duke of Kent. G. C. M. G. C. V. A. D. C. etc etc etc

Grand Master

of the United Fraternity of Free and Accepted Masons of England

Send Greeting

Know Ye that by virtue of the Patent or Warrant to me granted by the Most Honorable the Grand Master and conformably to the Laws and Constitutions of the Grand Lodge on that behalf made and also of the great trust and confidence reposed in me by the right trusty and well beloved Brethren

Bertram John Witt Chambers

Past Grand Deacon of the United Grand Lodge of England, Past Provincial Senior Grand Warden, Past Provincial Grand Director of Ceremonies of the Masonic Province of Worcestershire, Past Master of the Northfield Lodge No 5056 and Keystone Lodge No 4173

Do hereby constitute and appoint and depute him the said

**BERTRAM JOHN WITT CHAMBERS**

my

Assistant Provincial Grand Master

and do hereby authorize and empower him in my absence or in the absence of my Deputy Provincial Grand Master as he or I might lawfully do if present Subject nevertheless to such directions and instructions as I may at any time give touching the said matters or otherwise And I do hereby strictly enjoin my said Assistant to take special care that all and every Lodges in the Province and the Brethren thereof respectively do conform to and observe the Laws Constitutions and Ancient Regulations of the Craft

Province of Worcestershire

and to regulate the Lodges therein and also to convene Provincial Grand Lodges or general Communications for the same in conformity with the Laws of the Grand Lodge at such times and places as to him may seem expedient and necessary and then and there to appoint Provincial Grand Wardens and other Grand Officers for the Provincial Grand Lodge and generally to do and perform all such Acts in my absence or in the absence of my Deputy Provincial Grand Master as he or I might lawfully do if present Subject nevertheless to such directions and instructions as I may at any time give touching the said matters or otherwise And I do hereby strictly enjoin my said Assistant to take special care that all and every Lodges in the Province and the Brethren thereof respectively do conform to and observe the Laws Constitutions and Ancient Regulations of the Craft

Given under my Hand and Seal at Worcester this 20<sup>th</sup> day of July A<sup>o</sup> 5973 A. D. 1873

*Frederick Hickton Griffiths*

Prov. G. M.