

Scottish Rite Valley of Alexandria, Orient of Virginia

Master Craftsman Study Group



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Group Study for Master Craftsman III "Scottish Rite Philosophy"

January - November 2024

Course Description

The Scottish Rite Philosophy Course focuses on developing a Brother's understanding of the Scottish Rite's lessons and philosophy as explained by the ritual work of the Scottish Rite, Southern Jurisdiction through an explanation of Albert Pike's 1872 seminal work *Morals and Dogma*. Brothers will utilize Albert Pike's *Morals & Dogma: Annotated Edition* for course study in particular. Lessons will take a step by step look at every degree from Entered Apprentice to Master of the Royal Secret.

The Valley of Alexandria's Study Group will use a virtual format as we work together through the 10 courses. Working online enables participants to interact with the instructor and group without leaving home. Other than the cost to purchase the course and book, the study group is offered free of charge.

Registration Process

- 1) Create an account on the Scottish Rite Southern Jurisdiction website scottishrite.org/. You will

need your member ID. To view all Master Craftsman courses go to:

mastercraftsmancollege.org/

- 2) Enroll in the **Master Craftsman III: Scottish Rite Philosophy** course, which consists of the online quizzes and other study material. Currently, the cost is \$60.
- 3) You should have received *Albert Pikes Morals and Dogma: Annotated Edition* when you joined the Scottish Rite. If you need to purchase it, the cost is \$95.00 in the Scottish Rite online Bookstore: srbookstore.myshopify.com/
- 4) You can listen to the audio book of *Morals & Dogma* for free on the Scottish Rite website. You can also purchase it on Audible. I highly suggest listening to *M&D*, as well as reading.
- 5) Register for the Alexandria Scottish Rite Study Group. Email: education@alexandriascottishrite.org

Schedule

TBD

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