

## **BASIC ELEMENTS OF AN "AWARD" SCROLL**

In An Tir, Award Scrolls are created for awards that DO NOT convey an Award, Grant or Patent of Arms. These include but are not limited to; all of the Kingdom Champion awards, the Order of the Carp, the Order of the Iron Chain, the Honor of the Lion of An Tir, the Order of the Lion's Torse, La Mano d'Oro, the Sable Chime, the Sable Scrivener, and the Or and Argent.

Award Scrolls are also created for recipients of an AoA, GoA or PoA, who have not yet registered a heraldic device with the College of Arms or for some reason do not wish for their heraldry to be included in the design.

Standard examples of scroll texts are available for most of the An Tirian awards. Moreover, wordsmithing a scroll text is encouraged as long as the final text has been approved by Sable Sable. Their Royal Majesties' approval must also be obtained for awards intended to be presented during Their reign.

The words on an Award Scroll record the particulars of Their Royal Majesties' gift and must include:

### **~ THE ADDRESS ~**

*names the intended audience*

**To all whom these presents shall come...**

### **~ THE INTITULATION ~**

*states the title(s) and name(s) of the Royalty*

**We** <name of sovereign>, **by right of arms** [King/Queen] An Tir **and**, <name of consort>, [King/Queen] An Tir...

### **~ THE NOTIFICATION and EXPOSITION ~**

*declares the deeds and name(s) of the recipient(s)*

**having weighed well the remarkable works and labors of** <name(s) of recipient(s)>...

### **~ THE DISPOSITION ~**

*identifies the gift*

**do bestow upon** [him/her/them] **a** <name of award or token>...

### **~ THE CORROBORATION and DATE ~**

*gives the verification, validation and date*

**all this We do confirm by Our hand and seal this** <day> **of** <month>, **anno societatis** <year>.

The design of an Award Scroll must include the heraldic Badge of the order - if there is one. Adequate space must be provided for the placement of Their Royal Majesties' signatures and either the Kingdom Great Seal or Signet Seal. It is acceptable to affix the seal in pendant form.

Award Scrolls are not Achievement Scrolls and the design may NOT include personal heraldry. However, heraldic elements may be incorporated into the overall design.