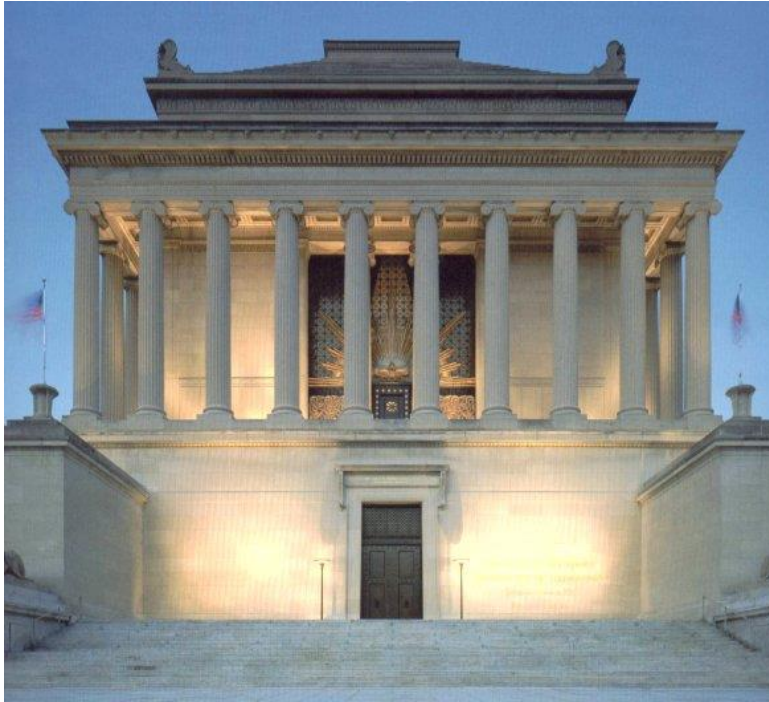


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Why the Scottish Rite Headquarters building in Washington, D.C. is named "House of the Temple"? This is because of an association with the word *Heredom*, a significant word in high degree freemasonry, a derivation of which, suggests the Greek words *hieros-domos*, meaning "Holy House", thus referring to the Temple of Solomon, which is central to Masonic ritual and symbolism.