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Ceremony for District Instructor

\$64,000 Question

Music of "Futurama" singers:- Malta Chapter - Malta Chapter.

Reader:

Welcome everyone to Malta Chapter's \$64,000 Question. Now here's the man everyone knows, the Hal March of Malta Chapter - Brother (X)

Brother X: - Hi everyone and welcome to the \$64,000 question. Now coming back for the Third year we have Mrs. Virginia Jones, Malta's guest for the \$64,000 Question.

Sister Virginia, we have enjoyed having you with us these last three years and you have made the "futurama" of Malta Chapter look very rosy indeed. Your category has been the ritualistic work of the Order of the Eastern Star. After last year's questions were answered correctly you were given many new additions to the ritual which most likely have helped you very much in your study of Eastern Star work. We also told you that you could bring along a friend to stand at your side and give you assistance when needed. We now welcome your friend, Conductress Betty Fry, who is here to help you. Now comes the time we have all been waiting for. You have passed the \$32,000 plateau and now do you wish to go on for the \$64,000. (Answer "I do")

You will now step into the booth and I will repeat the question twice after which you will have thirty seconds to think it over before answering. For \$64,000 - What furnishes you with that extra drive that really takes you places and helps you to be such a wonderful District Instructor? (Conductress whispers "vitamin O. E. S.)

Oh, I'm sorry - the answer is Ed Y. Jones, but we have a wonderful consolation prize for you. Here is Ed Y. Jones in person with a brand new Cadillac convertible just for you. (Toy car with Gift (money) attached.)

Virginia was then taken up on the dais and quartet sang the following to the tune of

"Come Josephine in my flying machine"

(This ceremony took place in the northeast corner of the chapter room.)

Virginia Jones has a car of her own
So away she'll go -- driving slow
At Chapters around she can always be found
She's at school you know
Keeping things just so.
She knows her work, no one's better
She'll help you out if you'll let her
Her only lack was a car to get back
To her Malta Chapter Home.

This ceremony was used March 1956 in Malta Chapter, Cedar Rapids.

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Malta Chapter