This simple and effective ceremony of dedication may be put on for the Good of the Order, and the Worthy Patron declares the Chapter at ease if any final preparations are to be made. Each Star Point Officer has at her station two slender sheaves of flowers of appropriate color. The Worthy Matron has a ribbon of gold, and the Worthy Patron has a ribbon of silver. Two Sisters are required, wearing formals; also a Choir or Soloist.

Worthy Matron: Tonight is a happy occasion for this Chapter and myself. Our Chapter has received the gift of a beautiful and inspiring Signet, from ——-(Give source of the gift, or, if it has been purchased, give the details of its acquisition.) Any gift or addition to our Chapter room is a tangible evidence of our growth, and by adding more beauty, our meetings will be more effective. There is no item in a Chapter room that has more significance than our Signet; and, truly, there is no more beautiful one than this one now in our Chapter room. We hope that it will be the silent partner in all things good, and that it will witness a steady growth in success and influence.

The radiant Star that shines in our sky
Inspires our faith, our hopes, and courage high...
And this symbol of virtue... the Signet you see,
Will inspire through the years that are yet to be.

Two Sisters enter, to appropriate music, ("Take My Life and Let It Be" is appropriate, as the song words later have that tune, and the rhythm enforces a slow march.) carrying a tall graceful basket each. One enters through the Chapter room door, the other through the Preparation room door. They march West a few paces, then face each other, bowing low. Then together, they turn South, marching side by side, and turn to march East to Adah's station. One speaks. (It does not matter which, except that they speak in turn, one at Adah's station, the other at Ruth's, etc..)

Sister: What can you say, for the beauty we have added this evening?

Adah: The blue of a daughter, I pledge tonight,
With the courage to keep it true and bright;
The blue of the flag, and the blue of the sky...
From now till a glorious bye and bye.

(She gives a sheaf of blue flowers to each Sister, who places it in her basket. They continue to Ruth's station.)

Sister: What has Sister Ruth to offer for our solemn dedication?

Ruth: My flowers of yellow, and my solemn word
That wherever another's need is heard,
There I will labor in humble task...
To pledge my service is all I ask.

(She gives yellow flowers which each Sister adds to her basket, as they move along to Esther.)

Sister: What have you to add on this dedication night?

Esther: White of our flag, or lily white...
I offer loyalty, joy and light;
And promise true, that from this day
Fair Esther's creed will be my way.

(She gives white flowers, which are added to baskets, as Sisters move slowly to Martha's station.)
Sister: What has our Star's Sister to offer on this important occasion?

Martha: I bring both faith and hope serene,
    Embodied in these sprays of green;
    May trust and peace spread o'er the earth...
    I give my pledge, my deeds, my worth.

(She adds sprays of green, which are added to baskets, as Sisters move to Electa's station.)

Sister: What pledge can our Chapter's Mother add to these, tonight?

Electa: Red as the blood of heroes shed,
    And, bright with courage, is my red;
    The pledge I offer here tonight
    Is love and service for the right.

(She gives red flowers which are added to baskets as Sisters move to the East. One Sister stands directly before Worthy Matron, the other before Worthy Patron.)

Sister: Dear Brother Patron, do you accept the pledges given in dedication to our Signet?

Worthy Patron: These flowers a wealth of dreams enclose...
    The violet, lily, jasmine, rose...
    And with them, the immortal green,-
    To me it is not more routine
    That each have made their pledge tonight,
    To add my pledge is my delight;
    And for our Chapter's honored past
    I'll add this silver thread to the fair.

(He ties ribbon to handle of one basket, and other Sister speaks.)

Sister: And dear Worthy Matron, what can you add to our pledges tonight?

Worthy Matron: I accept these pledges with joy in my heart,
    And am happy that I can add a small part
    To the beauty tonight, as we dedicate
    This glorious Signet, the true and the great.
    And, while hearing of our silver past,-
    I'll add my word in a fine forecast...
    For the golden future our Chapter will share,
    I'll add this ribbon so golden and fair.

(She ties ribbon to handle of basket, and Sisters carry them to where Signet stands in Northeast corner. They place baskets in front, and stand aside, as Choir or Soloist sings to same tune, the words:)

Take our pledges and our praise,
Let them grow for endless days;
Take our promises so free,
Stepping stones that lead to Thee.
Let us search our hearts tonight,
For the thoughts that are so right,-
That our deeds be true and fine,
And our love forever Thine.

Worthy Matron: We will bow our heads for a moment of silent consecration. (This is done, then, as she gives the signal, the two Sisters return to their places in West, and Chapter is resumed. This concludes ceremony.)