

Willard Stanton D.  
Southern California

Application for Membership

March 8th 1927

MARCH 8th, 1927

To the Secretary of the American Institute of Architects.

I hereby apply for Membership in the American Institute of Architects, and certify that the following statements are correct:

Name STANTON D. WILLARD

Address 1031 SOUTH BROADWAY, LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA

Place and date of birth CHICAGO, ILLINOIS, FEBRUARY 3, 1891

Graduate in architecture No

Holder of Scholarship in architecture No

Passed the qualifying examinations of the Royal Institute of British Architects, or the examinations for the first class of the Ecolè des Beaux Arts No

If your State has a Registration or License Law and you are not registered, state reasons REGISTERED

If practicing architect, firm name PRACTISED 1 YEAR MEMBER FIRM OF WILLARD & HURT.

Have been in practice years. If draughtsman, employed by WALKER & EISEN, LOS ANGELES.

Collegiate and office training AM. SOC. BEAUX ARTS STUDY 2 YRS., OFFICE 18 YEARS.

I have carefully examined the Constitution and By-Laws of the Institute and the "Circular of Advice Relative to Principles of Professional Practice and Canons of Ethics," and I agree, if elected, honorably to maintain them.

I further agree, if elected to membership in the American Institute of Architects, that if at any time my membership shall cease, either by my own resignation or by any action taken by the Institute, I will then, by that fact, relinquish all rights of any character that I may have acquired by reason of such membership in the property, real or personal, of the American Institute of Architects, and of the Chapter of the Institute of which I am then a member.

(1) Stanton D. Willard [Signature of Applicant.]

I hereby certify that the signer of this application was duly elected an Associate of the San Francisco Chapter, A. I. A., on the following date May 11-1921 (2) Albert J. Evans [Signature of the Secretary of the chapter.]

If the applicant is not an Associate, the following acknowledgment must be signed:

Without endorsement I hereby take note on behalf of my chapter that this applicant is applying for Institute membership (3) [Signature of President or Secretary of Chapter to which the applicant will be assigned if elected.]

We, the undersigned members of the American Institute of Architects, have carefully examined the foregoing statement by the applicant and believe it to be correct. We know the applicant personally, and consider that his work and practice warrant his admission to Membership.

Registration or License Number. (4) [Signature]

(Essential if Registered)

It is not mandatory that applicants from Registration or License law states be registered or licensed. But the current number of Registration or License must appear here if the applicant is registered or licensed.

(5) John Reis Jr. (6) Albert J. Evans

[The signatures of three Institute members are here required even if the applicant has the unanimous endorsement of his Chapter, in which case certification to that effect should be made above by the Secretary. Unanimous endorsement is that endorsement in which each Institute member of the Chapter had an opportunity to express himself by letter ballot either for or against the member proposed, and in which there were no negative votes. No other form of unanimous endorsement will be accepted.]

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1031 South Broadway,  
Los Angeles, Calif., March 8, 1927.

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Secretary, American Institute of Architects,  
The Octagon,  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:-

Enclosed herewith is Application  
for Membership in the American Institute of  
Architects, together with exhibits and check  
for \$5.00 initiation fee.

As exhibits I am sending working  
drawings and photographs of a residence designed  
and built by myself, and photographs of a building  
upon which I was principal author under direction  
of Wm. B. Faville, Architect. I am unable to ob-  
tain working drawings of this building.

If there is any question due to the  
fact that I have not fully complied with require-  
ments as to exhibits, I refer you to Mr. William  
B. Faville, past president of the Institute, in  
whose office I spent over eleven years, and under  
whose direction I carried out the execution of  
many buildings. I also refer you to the follow-  
ing architects for whom I have worked, all members  
of the Institute:

- York & Sawyer, New York
- Howard Sill, Baltimore.
- Henry H. Meyers, San Francisco.
- Kenneth MacDonald, Jr., Los Angeles.
- Walker & Eisen, Los Angeles.

Trusting that this will be satisfactory  
and that I may be duly elected to membership, I am

Very truly yours,

*Stanton D. Willard*

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May 23, 1927.

Dear Mr. Willard:

Acting for the Secretary, I am pleased to advise you of your election to Membership in the American Institute of Architects, effective May 23, 1927.

You have been assigned to the Southern California Chapter as an Institute member in good standing therein, and the Secretary of the Chapter has been so notified.

The enclosed statement covering dues for the last half of the current year should receive prompt attention.

May I take this opportunity to say that the Office of the Secretary at The Octagon is for the service of every Institute Member. Should the occasion arise we shall be glad to give you our best cooperation.

Cordially yours,

Executive Secretary.

Mr. Stanton D. Willard,  
1031 South Broadway,  
Los Angeles, Calif.

K-G  
Enc.

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Los Angeles, May 12, 1928.

American Institute of Architects,  
The Octagon,  
Washington, D. C.

Gentlemen:

Under date of March 31st, 1928, I wrote you reference Exhibits, which were filed with my application for membership dated March 8th, 1927. These Exhibits have not as yet been returned.

I will appreciate your attention to this as some of them were borrowed and I should like to return them to the party who was kind enough to loan them to me.

Thanking you, I am,

SDW\*EP.

Yours very truly,

*Stanton Dillard*

621 S. Hope Street, Room 1300.

Sent via *DP*  
Prepaid..... Collect.....  
Date *5/17/28*  
*SDW*

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THE OCTAGON, WASHINGTON, D. C.

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June 19, 1928.

Dear Mr. Willard:-

This is a belated acknowledgment to your letter of May 12, and will advise that the exhibits sent in connection with your application for Institute membership were returned to you on May 17 and we trust reached you safely.

Sincerely yours,

Executive Secretary.

Mr. Stanton D. Willard,  
621 S. Hope Street, Rm. 1300,  
Los Angeles, California.

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## SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA CHAPTER

THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY

1624 BUSHNELL AVENUE

SOUTH PASADENA, CALIFORNIA



January 25, 1930

Mr. E. C. Kemper, Executive Secretary,  
American Institute of Architects, S  
The Octagon,  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Kemper:

Enclosed please find letter from Mr. Staunton D. Willard, an Institute Member of this Chapter and who has now moved to San Francisco. Mr. Willard is in good standing with this Chapter as of December 31st, 1929, and we would therefore, recommend his application for transfer be accepted.

Yours very truly,

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA CHAPTER  
AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS

By *A. S. Nibecker, Jr.*  
Secretary.

STANTON D. WILLARD

ARCHITECT

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660 Market St.

San Francisco

Secretary of American Institute of Architects  
The Octagon  
Washington, D. C.

Gentlemen:

Inasmuch as I have changed my residence and place of business from Los Angeles to San Francisco and therefore come within the territory covered by the Northern Chapter of the A.I.A., I should like to be transferred from the Southern California Chapter to the Northern California Chapter. I am asking the Secretary of the Chapter of which I am now a member to forward a letter stating that I am in good standing in accordance with the by-laws.

Thanking you for your attention to this, I am,

Very truly yours,

SW:O'C

*Stanton D. Willard*

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February 4, 1930

Dear Mr. Willard:

In accordance with a letter of January 25th from Mr. Nibecker, Secretary of the Southern California Chapter, we beg to advise that you have been formally transferred, as an Institute member in good standing, from the Southern California Chapter to the Northern California Chapter, effective January 1, 1930.

The Secretary of the Northern California Chapter is Mr. James H. Mitchell, 277 Pine Street, San Francisco, Calif.

At some convenient moment will you not be good enough to advise Mr. Mitchell of your new location?

Sincerely yours,

Executive Secretary.

Mr. Stanton D. Willard,  
660 Market Street,  
San Francisco, Calif.

K/fhg



ARTHUR C. METCALF  
J. WARREN WRIGHT  
ASSOCIATE ARCHITECTS

M. H. SYMMES  
1314 SEVENTEENTH STREET  
TELEPHONE 653 or 654

SYMMES & WILLARD  
STANTON WILLARD  
ARCHITECT A. I. A.  
BAKERSFIELD, CALIFORNIA

July 7, 1938



The Octagon  
American Institute of Architects  
Washington, D. C.

Attention: Mr. Chas. T. Ingham

Gentlemen:

Having transferred my place of business from San Francisco, California to Bakersfield, California, and thus located in the Southern Section of the State, it would be advantageous and much more convenient to regularly attend the Chapter meetings if my membership was transferred from the Northern California Chapter to the Southern California Chapter of the Institute.

I would, therefore, be glad if you could entertain this request, and notify me of whatever action you take in the matter.

With my very best wishes, I am

Very truly yours,

*Stanton Willard*  
Stanton Willard

SW/af

CC: Northern Calif. Chapter  
Southern Calif. Chapter

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July 11, 1938.

Dear Mr. Willard:

Responding to your letter of July 7, 1938:

In order to effect a transfer of your chapter assignment from the Northern California Chapter to the Southern California Chapter, where you are now located, it will be necessary to have a letter from the Northern California Chapter stating that you are in good standing therein.

We are writing to the Secretary of the Northern California requesting such advice, upon receipt of which we shall be able to proceed with the transfer.

You will hear further from us in due course.

Sincerely yours,

Executive Secretary.

K:LF

Mr. Stanton Willard, A.I.A.,  
1314 17th Street,  
Bakersfield, California.

HUR C. METCALF  
WARREN WRIGHT  
ASSOCIATE ARCHITECTS

M. H. SYMMES  
1314 SEVENTEENTH STREET  
TELEPHONE 653 or 654

**SYMMES & WILLARD**  
STANTON WILLARD  
ARCHITECT - A. I. A.  
BAKERSFIELD, CALIFORNIA

*Response*

July 26, 1938

American Institute of Architects  
The Octagon  
Washington, D.C.

Gentlemen:

Enclosed is card for the Institute Records, properly corrected, except as noted.

If you will refer to previous correspondence, you will note that I have applied for transfer from the Northern California Chapter to the Southern California Chapter. This transfer has not as yet been effected, but if the transfer is to be made, you will, no doubt, wish to have the record corrected as to the Chapter also.

Very truly yours

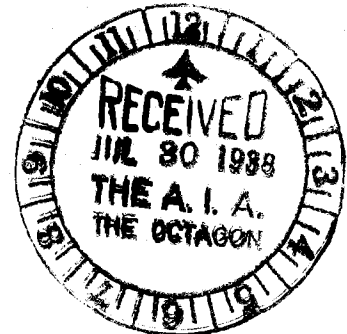
SYMMES & WILLARD

*Stanton Willard*

Stanton Willard, Architect

SW/ls

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August 15, 1938.

Dear Mr. Willard:

In accordance with a letter of August 8, from Mr. James H. Mitchell, Secretary of the Northern California Chapter, we beg to advise that you have been formally transferred, as an Institute member in good standing, from the Northern California Chapter to the Southern California Chapter, effective August 15, 1938.

Both Chapters have been advised.

The Secretary of the Southern California Chapter is Mr. Edgar Bissanz, 816 West Fifth Street, Los Angeles, and we suggest that you get in touch with him concerning the next meeting and other matters of interest.

Sincerely yours,

Executive Secretary.

K:LF

Mr. Stanton Willard, A.I.A.,  
1314 17th Street,  
Bakersfield, California.

STANTON WILLARD  
ARCHITECT A. I. A. THE AMERICAN  
INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS

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WASHINGTON, D. C.

XXXXXX TELEPHONE XXXX  
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Hotel Maurice  
761 Post Street  
San Francisco, Calif.  
January 22, 1943

The American Institute of Architects  
1741 New York Avenue, N. W.  
Washington, D. C.

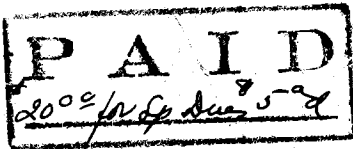
Gentlemen:

Owing to my return to the San Francisco area for an indefinite period, I should like to have my membership transferred from the Southern California Chapter to the Northern California Chapter, effective as of January 1, 1943.

My address for the duration of the war, unless otherwise notified, is as given at the head of this letter.

Enclosed is my check for annual dues for 1943.

Thanking you for your favorable action, and with my very best wishes, I am,



Very truly yours,

*Stanton Willard*  
Stanton Willard

cc/ Northern California Chapter, A.I.A.

Southern California Chapter, A.I.A.

SW/w

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SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA CHAPTER  
THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS  
832 WEST FIFTH STREET, LOS ANGELES  
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February 8, 1943.

Mr Edward C. Kemper,  
1741 New York Avenue, N. W.,  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr Kemper:

In reply to your communication of February 1, 1943  
in regard to the transfer of Mr Stanton Willard to  
the Northern California Chapter.

We are pleased to advise that Mr Willard's Member-  
ship Dues are paid up to December 31, 1942.

Very truly yours,

*William H. Harrison*  
William H. Harrison,  
Secretary.

WHH:mlb

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THE OCTAGON, WASHINGTON, D. C.

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*Willard*

February 15, 1943

*Willard*  
Dear Mr. ~~Stanton~~

Thank you very much for your letter of January 22nd and the accompanying check for your Institute dues for 1943 and special dues.

In accordance with your request, we beg to advise that you have been formally transferred, as an Institute member in good standing, from the Southern California Chapter and assigned to the Northern California Chapter, effective January 1, 1943.

Both Chapters have been advised.

The Acting Secretary of the Northern California Chapter is Mr. James H. Mitchell, 369 Pine Street, San Francisco, and we suggest that you get in touch with him concerning the next meeting and other matters of interest.

Sincerely yours,

*Chas. J. Ingraham*  
Secretary

Mr. Stanton Willard, A.I.A.  
Hotel Maurice  
761 Post Street  
San Francisco, California

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*Bird. A. A.*  
*Feb. 21, 1945*  
*3:35*

Sacramento, California  
February 16, 1945

American Institute of Architects  
1741 New York Avenue  
Washington, D.C.

Gentlemen:

Please be advised of change of my address  
from:

1847 - 29th Avenue  
San Francisco, California

to:

1606 Caramay Way  
Sacramento 14, California ] *noted*

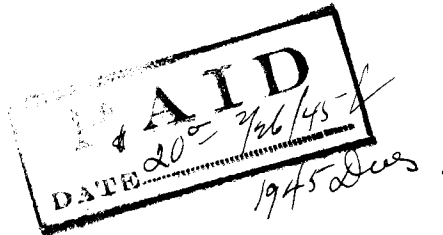
As I expect to be located permanently within  
the territory of the Central Valleys Chapter  
of California, I would like to transfer my  
Chapter membership to the same from the  
Northern California Chapter.

Enclosed is check for 1945 dues.

Very truly yours,

*Stanton Willard*  
Stanton Willard

SW:M





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NORTHERN CALIFORNIA CHAPTER  
369 PINE STREET • SAN FRANCISCO 4

*Recd  
Mar 12 1945*

March 6, 1945

Mr. Edward C. Kemper, Executive Secretary  
The American Institute of Architects  
1741 New York Avenue, NW  
Washington, 6, D. C.

Dear Mr. Kemper:

We have your letter of February 27th, advising us that Mr. Stanton Willard has asked to be assigned to the Central Valley of California Chapter, and asking if Mr. Willard is in good standing in the Northern California Chapter.

Our records show that Mr. Willard is a paid-up member of this Chapter, in good standing, as of December 31, 1944.

Mr. Willard has not advised us of his change of address, but doubtless he will do so soon.

Very truly yours,

*John S. Bolles*  
John S. Bolles, Secretary

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*OK to transfer as of January 1, 1945*

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March 13, 1945

Dear Mr. Willard:

With further reference to your letter of February 16th regarding your transfer from the Northern California Chapter to the Central Valley of California Chapter:

We have received a letter from Mr. Bolles, Secretary of the Northern California Chapter stating that you are in good standing in the Chapter.

You have therefore been formally transferred from the Northern California Chapter to the Central Valley of California Chapter as of January 1, 1945.

Both chapters have been advised.

The Secretary of the Central Valley Chapter is Mr. Frank V. Mayo, 3119 North American Street, Stockton 52, and we suggest that you get in touch with him concerning the next meeting and other matters of interest.

Sincerely yours,

Alexander C. Robinson III

Secretary

Mr. Stanton Willard, A.I.A.  
1606 Caramey Way  
Sacramento 14, California

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December 31, 1946

Dear Mr. Willard:

It is with much regret that we have received your letter of December 23rd advising that you wish to resign your membership in The Institute and the Central Valley of California Chapter.

Before acting finally on the resignation, it has occurred to us that you might be eligible for election as a Member Emeritus of The Institute, and an application form is enclosed which is self-explanatory.

Membership Emeritus permits a member to retain all the rights and privileges of active membership while exempting him from payment of dues to the A.I.A. and the chapter to which he is assigned.

We have no idea, of course, whether the conditions under which such membership may be granted will apply in your case; but if there is a possibility of retaining your membership we do not wish to overlook it.

Awaiting your further advices, and reciprocating your good wishes for the New Year,

Sincerely yours,

Executive Director

Mr. Stanton Willard, A.I.A.  
Route 6, Box 8247  
Sacramento, California

K/g  
Enclosures

Willard, Stanton D.

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## Architect's Rites Today

SAN FRANCISCO -- Funeral services will be held at 10 o'clock this morning in the Nobel Chapel at Cypress Lawn, Colma, for Stanton D. Willard, architect who designed San Francisco's State Building and several of the 1915 Panama-Pacific International Exposition structures.

Mr. Willard died Sunday in a Pleasant Hill rest home at the age of 73 years.

Born in Chicago, he moved to the Bay Area. He designed and constructed a device to lay tile lane markers on the Bay Bridge decks and designed many schools and other structures.

He joined the State Division of Architecture in 1945 and worked on the Soledad State prison design.

He lived in Carmel for several years following his retirement, then moved to live with a niece, Katherine W. Sundquist, Walnut Creek. He was a member of the American Institute of Architects.

Survivors include his brother, Milburn, Los Angeles. Services will be under the direction of the Oak Park Hill Chapel, Walnut Creek. Memorial contributions may be made to the Heart Assn.