

Thurman was a 33° and former Deputy of New Jersey for the Ancient & Accepted Scottish Rite, Northern Masonic Jurisdiction of the USA;
Past Commander of the Legion of Honor Preceptory for New Jersey DeMolay;
a Most Illustrious Past Grand Chancellor and Knight Grand Cross in the Grand College of Rites;
Past Grand Commander and Past Grand Recorder of the Grand Commandery of Knights Templar of New Jersey,
Past Department Commander of the Northeastern Department (1982-1985), recipient of the Knight Commander of the Temple, and an Honorary Most Eminent Past Grand Master of the Grand Encampment of Knights Templar USA;
a Most Excellent Past Great Chief of the Grand Council of Knight Masons USA;
an Honorary Most Venerable Past Sovereign Grand Master of the Grand Council of the Allied Masonic Degrees of the USA;
a Most Illustrious Past Grand Sovereign of the United Grand Imperial Council of the Red Cross of Constantine;
the founder and first Grand Preceptor of the Sovereign Order of Knights Preceptor (he served for over 25-years as Grand Preceptor);
and a Most Worthy Past Supreme Magus and a Knight Grand Cross of the Societas Rosicruciana in Civitatibus Foederatis where, in 2002, he also chaired the proclamation ceremony for the formation of the Societas Rosicruciana in Lusitania (Portugal) and the investiture of the Supreme Magus for the newly formed High Council.