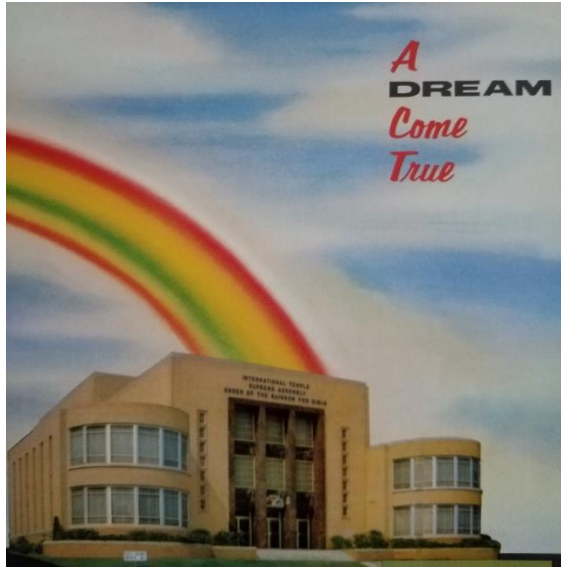


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The Organization

The International Order of the Rainbow for Girls (IORG) was founded in 1922 by W. Mark Sexson in McAlester, Oklahoma, and has grown to become an international service organization for girls ages 11 to 20. Rainbow prepares girls for responsible and purposeful adulthood. With distinguished alumnae including prominent professionals from all walks of life, Rainbow has active assemblies in forty-six states and eight countries around the world. Through leadership training, challenging study, and meaningful public service projects, girls learn important life lessons. In addition to countless hours of community service, members raise hundreds of thousands of dollars each year for world class charities. The International Order of The Rainbow for Girls is a 501 (c) (3) charitable organization.

The Supreme Temple

The Rainbow Temple was built in 1951 in the heart of McAlester, Oklahoma, where it endures as a historic landmark and the center of Rainbow activity. Designed by our founders as a working headquarters of functional offices, supply and shipping departments, it also included archival and ceremonial capabilities. Built with funds collected “by Rainbow Girls for Rainbow Girls”, this historic building houses artifacts from Rainbow Girls all over the world. A visit to the Rainbow Temple is the dream of a lifetime for every Rainbow Girl, past and present - a place she is welcome to call her own and find her treasures on display.

The International headquarters is a three story brick, steel and concrete structure flanked on either side by half circle windows composed of seven sections of glass windows representing the seven colors of the Rainbow. Materials for the building came from throughout the world: red granite from Minnesota, brick from Texas, stone from Indiana, marble from Vermont, terrazzo from Italy, hardware from Connecticut, tile from California, doors from New York, windows from Florida, and roofing and flooring from Oklahoma. This amalgamation of materials symbolically reflects the international significance of the organization. It is architecturally significant as an excellent example of mid-twentieth century Moderne Style building and a unique architectural representation of IORG. The Supreme Temple was added to the National Register of Historic Places in 2013.

The Supreme Temple serves as Rainbow’s world-wide headquarters. Our staff direct and support the business affairs of Rainbow, maintain our database and records, manage our supply and shipping departments and provide administrative support for all programs and projects from this location.

Restoration and Improvement

The Rainbow Temple has been gently used and cared for these six decades in order to maintain it as a center for all Rainbow Girls throughout the world. Nevertheless, resources are now needed to replace the original HVAC system and take other measures to preserve the building and its contents. Since conducting a comprehensive assessment of the building in 2012, the roof was replaced, interior repairs and repainting were done, and plumbing and electrical issues addressed as funds were available. Further restoration has been divided into three phases:

- ~ Phase I - The largest and most urgent issue facing the Supreme Temple is the replacement of the original HVAC system. The expected life span of the HVAC system was 35 years, and the system is now over 65 years old. Major repairs to the system through the years have proven costly and resulted in our inability to maintain sufficient funds to replace the system. It is now a critical matter as replacement parts have become unavailable, making repairs impossible to perform. The HVAC system must be replaced immediately.
- ~ Phase II – Re-glazing and sealing windows and brick grout will prevent leaks and damage to the interior of the building, as well as reduce utility bills and allow the new HVAC system to be more energy efficient.
- ~ Phase III – Establishing a maintenance account will provide funding for maintenance and future major repairs and updates.

Century Celebration

As the International Order of the Rainbow for Girls celebrates its’ 100th anniversary in 2022, the Supreme Temple will be celebrating its’ 70th anniversary. This celebration will recognize the accomplishments of the past while embracing the opportunities of the future. Our Supreme Temple, the heart of our organization, must be preserved for future generations. Together, we can accomplish our goals, and the completion of the Century Campaign will be the testimony to the strength and determination of generations of Rainbow Girls who have learned that, by working together, *anything is possible.*

Campaign Goal: Raise \$600,000 by Centennial Celebration

- **Phase I: Raise \$390,000 to replace HVAC system by 2018**
- **Phase II: Raise \$110,000 by 2020 to seal windows and brick to prevent further damage and improve energy efficiency**
- **Phase III: Raise \$100,000 by 2022 to maintain the Supreme Temple for generations of Rainbow Girls to come**

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Campaign Giving Options

- Century Campaign Gift
 - \$100
 - \$500
 - \$1,000
 - \$5,000
 - \$10,000
 - \$25,000
 - \$100,000
- One-Time Contribution
 - Mail to 315 E. Carl Albert Pkwy McAlester, OK 74501
 - Visit www.gorainbow.org; click the “online giving” link
- Monthly Pledges – Please contact us for details.
- “Go Fund Me” Page – coming soon. Will advise when details are available.
- “Adopt A Part” Program (actual components can be adopted by an assembly or jurisdiction) – Please contact us for details.

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