From the President

This month Middle Age Arts introduces the Gargoyle Collection. I'm really excited about this new set of classical figures.

The collection contains faithful reproductions of gargoyles from some of the famous cathedrals of Europe, including Notre Dame, Rheims, and Warwick Castle. All reproductions are done to exacting and loving detail.

The collection also contains original works by noted artists such as Susan Bedford and Antonio Salvari. Our expert artisans have produced some wonderful and whimsical works, perfectly suited for home or garden use.

Don't delay, order your gargoyle today.

Irene O'Neil
President

What can you do with a gargoyle?

Don't think you need a gargoyle? Think again. Gargoyles are useful as:

- Bird baths
- Bookends
- Paperweights
- Pen holders
- Wind chimes

Go to our catalog for more ideas!

Profile of the Artist

This month's artist is Michael Cassini. Michael has been a professional sculptor for twenty years. He has won numerous awards, including the prestigious *Reichsman Cup* and an Award of Merit at the 2012 Tuscany Arts Competition.

Michael specializes in recreations of gargoyles from European cathedrals. You'll usually find Michael staring intently at the church walls in northern France. His work is represented by the *Turin Gargoyle*, a great addition to our Gargoyle Collection.

Complete the following:

1. Use your text editor to open the **gargtxt.htm** and **maatxt.css** files from the tutorial.09\case2 folder included with your Data Files. Enter *your name* and *the date* in the comment sections, and then save the files as **gargoyle.htm** and **maa.css**, respectively.
2. Go to the **gargoyle.htm** file in your text editor, and then insert an XML prolog at the top of the file. Use the standard attribute defaults for an XHTML file.
3. After the XML prolog, insert a DOCTYPE declaration for the XHTML 1.0 strict DTD.
4. Set the default namespace of the document to the XHTML namespace.
5. Link the file to the **maa.css** style sheet.