

**FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:**

**Scofield Lighting Celebrates 50 Years of Excellence**  
Introducing the Anniversary Collection by Scofield Lighting

**DOWNINGTOWN, PA, September 2024** – Scofield Lighting was founded by master craftsman, Richard D. Scofield in 1974. Scofield devoted years studying lighting fixtures in 17th – 19th century museum collections and had a vision of beauty and authenticity in the form of timeless lighting design. He was a true craftsman and designer, determined to stay as historically accurate in reproductions, while incorporating unique adaptations that meet the needs of today’s existence. His appreciation for high quality workmanship and dedication to authenticity helped build what Scofield Lighting is today – traditionally inspired reproductions, handmade with only premium materials, and incomparable American craftsmanship.

In 2014, Scofield’s lifelong passion for the simplistic style and elegance of early lighting continued in the hands of a new generation of artisans at Heritage Metalworks. Founder and Owner, Matt White, acquired the brand, continuing its legacy with the same passion for high-quality design and a focus on traditional techniques as Scofield. Apprenticeships with prominent metalwork design firms provided White with the knowledge and appreciation of historic architecture. Later, he opened HMW as an exclusive restoration shop, driven by the challenge to keep things historically accurate, while honoring traditional techniques. Over twenty years later, the shop has expanded, specializing in not only restoration and reproduction projects, but signature lighting brands (Scofield Lighting and Heritage Traditions Lighting), a period hardware line (HMW Forge Hardware), and custom architectural metalwork. Both artists, designers, master-craftsmen, and entrepreneurs believe in making pieces that are not only timeless, but meaningful and enduring.

Today, Scofield Lighting is still known for historically inspired and versatile lighting designs, premium materials, and incomparable American craftsmanship. Fixtures are made to order and sold exclusively by Remains Lighting. Remains shares the same restoration beginnings and appreciation for lighting as Heritage Metalworks, with a dynamic team of accomplished lighting professionals representing high-end, handcrafted pieces of art. Together, we are experts in traditional craftsmanship and ambassadors of the details.

50 years later, we honor Scofield with 13 new handcrafted lighting designs to add to the existing versatile line. These traditionally inspired fixtures are made using the same carefully handcrafted techniques and premium materials as every Scofield fixture that goes out the door. “Designs are made to not only be historically accurate and functional, but a little edgier to fit into today’s modern lifestyle.” – Matt White

Every new fixture is either an adaptation from a Scofield fixture or a custom project out of the Scofield archives, using the traditional parts, shapes, and styles that already exist. This collection was developed to fill a void in design that the Scofield line didn’t offer. To meet the demand for more hanging fixtures, additional lanterns, chandeliers, and pendants ideal for kitchens and islands were created. Designs are slightly unique using asymmetric lines, mixed metals, and geometric shapes, intended for a diverse range of projects. Exterior fixtures were developed with various finishing options to either naturally change into





various shades with a patina or maintain historic-inspired tones sealed with a lacquer. “It’s more than just trying to make something look old. It’s honoring traditional techniques and focusing on the details without cutting corners.” – Matt White.

Craftsman to craftsman. Designer to designer. This collection was developed to carry on the Scofield legacy, celebrating everything that makes lighting extraordinary.

### **About Scofield Lighting**

Founded by master craftsman Richard D. Scofield, Scofield Lighting has been a symbol of exceptional quality and traditional craftsmanship for half a century. In 2013, Heritage Metalworks acquired the brand, preserving its legacy with a commitment to the same high standards of excellence. Scofield offers a range of traditional-inspired fixtures, meticulously handcrafted from premium materials such as copper, tin, and wood. These fixtures are designed to complement both period and modern projects. With over 150 original designs and endless personalization options, Scofield is renowned for its beautiful, versatile, and timeless lighting.

### **About Heritage Metalworks:**

Heritage Metalworks is a distinguished foundry, blacksmith shop, and metal fabricator that specializes in creating signature lighting, period correct hardware, and architectural metalwork. Since 2001, Heritage Metalworks has provided superior concept design, construction logistics, prototype development and the highest quality handcrafted pieces to the most knowledgeable architects, designers, and general contractors in the country. Partnerships include prestigious landmarks such as the Capitol Building, Chrysler Museum, Valley Forge National Park, Winterthur Museum, and Fair Lane: Home of Clara and Henry Ford.

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