



PETITION FOR DEGREES OF FREEMASONRY IN NORTH DAKOTA

To the MASTER, WARDENS AND BRETHREN of _____ Lodge No. _____,
Ancient, Free & Accepted Masons of North Dakota

I, the undersigned, respectfully state that, unbiased by friends, and uninfluenced by mercenary motives, I freely and voluntarily offer myself as a candidate for the Degrees of Freemasonry; that I am prompted to solicit this privilege by a favorable opinion conceived of the Institution, a desire for knowledge, and a sincere wish of being serviceable to my fellow creatures, and should this petition be granted, I promise to conform to all of the established Laws, Usages and Customs of the Fraternity.

Full Name: (Print) _____
(First) (Middle) (Surname)

Current Residence: _____
(House Number) (Street) (Town/City) (State) (Zip Code)

How long have you lived in this Town/City? _____

How long have you lived in North Dakota? _____

Place Born: _____, _____ Zip Code _____ Date of Birth: _____, _____
(City) (State) (Month) (Day) (Year)

Telephone Numbers: Residence: _____ Business: _____

Cell Phone: _____ Email: _____

My occupation: _____ Employer: _____

Married: Yes _____ No _____ If Yes, Spouse's Name: _____

Do you believe in a Supreme Being/Deity? Yes _____ No _____

Have you ever been convicted of a felony charge? Yes _____ No _____

If yes, What: _____ When: _____

Where: _____

Have you ever petitioned a Lodge of Freemasonry and been rejected? Yes _____ No _____

If Yes, state which lodge and where it is located _____

I do, upon my honor, declare all of my foregoing statements to be true. Also, as a condition and in consideration of my being considered for membership in the above named Lodge, I do hereby authorize the Master, his Officers, any member of that Lodge, or of any other Lodge, or any person requested to do so by the above referred-to Lodges or their investigating members to make any investigation into my personal history and character. I further understand that this procedure may entail the contacting of persons, either known or unknown to me, and that I waive all rights and remedies which may be extended to me under present or future laws in connection with or relating to this procedure. I further agree to hold harmless and free from any liability any and all Lodges, members of Lodges, and persons referred to above from all legal proceedings, rights and remedies that may otherwise be available to me under current and future laws.

Applicant's Signature: _____ Date: _____

We, the undersigned as Good Standing Master Masons (Need 2) of the petitioned lodge, are personally acquainted with the above named petitioner, and from our confidence in his integrity do cheerfully recommend him as a proper candidate for the Degrees of Freemasonry.

Recommender Signature: _____

Recommender Signature: _____

FREEMASONRY
A great way of life!

What it means to be a Mason.
It means:

1. Belonging to the largest and oldest fraternity in the world.
2. That you believe Faith is central to a good life.
3. Believing that the strength of the family, the church, the community and our country rests with men of strong conviction, firm ethical and moral values and a devotion to our democratic system of government.
4. Becoming a better person while helping to improve the quality of life for others; a deep satisfaction that comes from selfless giving.
5. That each man and woman has an absolute right to intellectual, spiritual, economic and political freedom.
6. That honesty and integrity are essential to life.
7. That each person has the responsibility to be a good citizen
8. Sharing the values of our nation's founding fathers.

The right to petition for the degrees of Ancient Craft Masonry is rarely denied any man, but his right goes no further than granting the privilege of petitioning, and all who petition are not admitted. The Masonic Fraternity wants and welcomes only men of high character and integrity, who seek admission of their own free will and accord. Should a petitioner be accepted, he gets no more out of Masonry than he puts into it, and for every benefit received, a member is expected to render some equivalent.

FEES FOR DEGREES

Petition \$ _____
 E.A. \$ _____
 F.C. \$ _____
 M.M. \$ _____
 DUES & FEES \$ _____
 TOTAL \$ _____

PETITION

Of _____
 Received and
 Referred: _____ 20 _____
 Elected: _____ 20 _____
 Rejected: _____ 20 _____
 Objection filed: _____ 20 _____

DEGREES CONFERRED

E.A. : _____ 20 _____
 Examined: _____ 20 _____
 F.C. : _____ 20 _____
 Examined: _____ 20 _____
 M.M. : _____ 20 _____
 Examined: _____ 20 _____



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