

PETITION FOR THE DEGREES  
Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite of Free Masonry  
SOUTHERN JURISDICTION  
VALLEY OF CEDAR RAPIDS ORIENT OF IOWA

To the Officers and Members of  
LODGE OF PERFECTION, CHAPTER OF  
ROSE CROIX, COUNCIL OF KADOSH,  
CONSISTORY  
DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

BRETHERN: I, the undersigned, being a Master  
Mason in good standing in \_\_\_\_\_  
Lodge No. \_\_\_\_\_ A.F.&A.M., located at  
\_\_\_\_\_, Iowa under the jurisdiction of  
the Grand Lodge of Iowa, certify that I have passed the  
Proficiency Examination on the Master Mason degree  
on or about \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_ and that I have resided  
within the jurisdiction of the Cedar Rapids Scottish  
Rite Bodies since \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_ that I have  
never (\*) previously applied for any of the Scottish  
Rite Degrees, and that I now respectfully petition to  
receive the degrees from the 4° to the 32° inclusive,  
promising always to conform cheerfully and strictly to  
all conditions, statues and regulations of the Supreme  
Council of the Thirty-third Degree A. & A. S. R.,  
Southern Masonic Jurisdiction of the United States of  
American and the by-laws of the Cedar Rapids  
Scottish Rite Bodies.

*The Supreme Council Announces as Fundamental  
Principles the Following:* "The inculcation of  
patriotism, respect for law and order and undying  
loyalty to the principles of civil and religious liberty as  
set forth in the Constitution of the United States. The  
entire separation of church and state and opposition to  
every attempt to appropriate public monies - federal,  
state and local directly or indirectly, for the support of  
sectarian or private institutions."

Do you approve wholeheartedly of these principles?  
YES / NO  
Have you ever held or expressed opinions contrary to  
the foregoing or been affiliated with any organization  
which has? YES / NO If you answered this  
question in the affirmative, give particulars:  
X

(Petitioner's Signature in full: First, middle, Last)  
Recommended By:  
1. \_\_\_\_\_  
2. \_\_\_\_\_

PLEASE COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING  
Name in Full:

\_\_\_\_\_

Residence Address:

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Residence Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Wife's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail address: \_\_\_\_\_

Occupation: \_\_\_\_\_

Firm Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Business Address:

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Business Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Place of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Preferred mailing address: Home\_\_\_\_ Bus\_\_\_\_

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(To be filled in by the Secretary)

Received: \_\_\_\_\_

File No. \_\_\_\_\_ Petition No. \_\_\_\_\_

Elected: \_\_\_\_\_

Rejected: \_\_\_\_\_

Fee \$300- 31 and over, \$150- under 31 **Half the fee  
must accompany Petition- Balance due upon  
Registration.** The total fee includes 14th° ring,  
English Patent for 32°, hat and current years dues.  
Hat size \_\_\_\_\_ Ring size \_\_\_\_\_ (Hat  
and Ring Size Required)

(\*) If applicant has previously applied for any of the  
degrees he will strike out the word "never" and explain  
fully when and where such application was made.