

PETITION FOR INITIATION AND ADVANCEMENT

To The Worshipful Master, Wardens and Brethren of

Whland Lodge No. 735



Home Phone: _____

Business Phone: _____

Date _____, 19 _____

The undersigned, unbiased by the improper solicitation of friends, uninfluenced by mercenary or other unworthy motives and prompted by a favorable opinion and a desire for knowledge of your Ancient and Honorable Institution, freely and voluntarily offers himself a candidate for the mysteries of Freemasonry and respectfully petitions for initiation and advancement in your Lodge, promising a cheerful conformity to the ancient usages and established customs of the Order, and upon his honor has made true answers to the following questions.

Note - The petition MUST be filled out by the petitioner in his own handwriting. Do not hand print.

1. What is your full name? _____
2. Where were you born? _____
3. What was the month, day and year of your birth? _____
4. What is the full address of your residence - include ZIP Code _____
5. Where have you resided the twelve months last past? _____
6. Where have you resided the four months last past? _____
7. Do you believe in the existence of one ever living and true God? _____
8. Do you believe in the immortality of the soul? _____
9. Have you ever been convicted of a crime, irrespective if whether sentence has been suspended? _____
If so, state the facts concisely. _____
10. Have you ever presented a petition to a Masonic Lodge in this State or elsewhere? _____
If so, when and to what Lodge? _____
11. Have you ever been rejected by a Masonic Lodge, either in this State or elsewhere? _____
If so, when and by what Lodge? _____
12. Where have you resided for the ten years last past? If more than one address, state the particular years in each place. _____
13. What has been your business occupation for the ten years last past? _____
14. Have you read all of the foregoing questions? _____
15. Are all of the foregoing answers in your own handwriting? _____
16. Do you, upon your honor, declare all of your answers to be true? _____

Signature of Petitioner _____

Presented by Brother _____

Signature of Proposer

of the above Lodge, who hereby certifies that he is well acquainted with the petitioner, that he has read the answers to the questions contained in the petition and believes them to be true and that the petitioner is of good character and reputation, and comes under the tongue of good repute.

REFERENCES

Name _____	Address _____
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