

PETITION FOR MEMBERSHIP IN THE SCOTTISH RITE

To the Officers and Members of the Scottish Rite Bodies of the Valley of Portland.

I, the undersigned hereof, respectfully show that I am desirous of being admitted as a member of YATES LODGE OF PERFECTION, PORTLAND COUNCIL, PRINCES OF JERUSALEM, DUNLAP CHAPTER OF ROSE CROIX, and MAINE CONSISTORY and request that I may be received among you and that I will pray for the prosperity and glory of the Fraternity and the welfare of the Brethren.

In making this application I promise on my word of honor that should I be elected and become a member of your honorable body, I will swear true faith, allegiance and fealty to the Supreme Council of Sovereign Grand Inspectors General of the Thirty-third and last degree of the Ancient Accepted Scottish Rite of Freemasonry for the Northern Masonic Jurisdiction of the United States of American, sitting at its Grand East in the Town of Lexington, Massachusetts, and will support and abide by its Constitutions, Orders and Decrees.

That I will hold allegiance to the said Supreme Council and be loyal thereto, as the supreme authority of the Rite; that I will hold illegal and spurious every other body that may be established within its Jurisdiction claiming to be a Supreme Council and every other Body of said Rite within the same Jurisdiction that does not hold its powers from said Supreme Council and will hold no communication whatever in Scottish Rite Masonry with any member of the same nor allow him to visit any Body of the Rite of which I may be a member; that I will dispense justice to my brethren according to the laws of equity and honor.

And should I violate this, my solemn vow and pledge, I consent to be expelled from Scottish Rite Masonry, and all rights therein and in any Body of the Rite, and to be denounced to every Body of the Ancient Accepted Scottish Rite in the world as a traitor and forsworn.

And may God Aid me to keep and perform the same. Amen

Print Name in Full: _____

Place of Birth _____ Date of Birth _____
(City and State) (Month/Day/Year)

I have resided in Maine since _____ and in the _____ since _____
(Month and Year) (City or Town) (Month and Year)

Mailing Address _____
(Street) (City) (State) (Zip Code)

Telephone _____ Email Address _____

Name of Spouse (if applicable): _____

Occupation _____
(Give Details even if Retired)

I am now a member of _____ Lodge No. _____, at _____

Have you ever before petitioned the Scottish Rite and been accepted or rejected? YES: _____ NO: _____

If yes, where and when: _____

The Fee for all four Bodies is \$130.00 and is due when you begin your Degrees.

Signature in Full: _____ Date: _____

Recommended by the following two member of Yates Lodge of Perfection:

Print Name: _____ Signature: _____

Scottish Rite Number: _____

Candidate must present his current Blue Lodge Dues Card at time of registration.