

# Ancient & Accepted Scottish Rite of Freemasonry



SOUTHERN JURISDICTION OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA  
VALLEY OF CUMBERLAND—ORIENT OF MARYLAND

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To the Officers and Members of:

**CUMBERLAND LODGE OF PERFECTION**  
**CUMBERLAND CHAPTER OF ROSE CROIX**

**CUMBERLAND COUNCIL OF KADOSH**  
**CUMBERLAND CONSISTORY**

I have never applied for any of the Scottish Rite Degrees, and I now respectfully petition to receive the degrees, from the fourth to the thirty-second inclusive, promising always to bear true faith and allegiance to the Supreme Council of the Thirty-Third Degree of the Southern Jurisdiction of the United States of America.

(Note: If applicant has previously applied for any of the degrees, explain fully as to date, place and to what bodies such application was made.)

**APPLICANT'S FULL NAME (Please Print)** \_\_\_\_\_

**I am a Master Mason in good standing in** \_\_\_\_\_ **Lodge No.** \_\_\_\_\_

Location \_\_\_\_\_ Under the jurisdiction of the Grand Lodge of \_\_\_\_\_

Date Raised \_\_\_\_\_ If raised in a Maryland Lodge, have you passed exam in 3rd degree Catechism? \_\_\_\_\_

Residence \_\_\_\_\_

Mail Address \_\_\_\_\_

And I have resided at my current residence preceding date of this petition for \_\_\_\_\_ months/years.

Telephone Number \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Number \_\_\_\_\_ Email Address \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_ Place of Birth \_\_\_\_\_

My Occupation, position, or trade is that of \_\_\_\_\_

Employed by \_\_\_\_\_ Shirt size (circle one) S M L XL XXL

Recommended by two members in good standing in the Maryland Scottish Rite Bodies,

(1) \_\_\_\_\_  
Printed Name \_\_\_\_\_ Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

(2) \_\_\_\_\_  
Printed Name \_\_\_\_\_ Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

The Supreme Council requires the acceptance of the following fundamental principles:

1. The inculcation of patriotism, respect for law and order, underlying loyalty to the principles of civil and religious liberty, and the entire separation of church and state as set forth in the Constitution of the United States of America. Do you approve wholeheartedly of these principles?

(Yes or No) \_\_\_\_\_

2. Have you ever been held or expressed opinions contrary to the foregoing or been affiliated with an organization which has?

(Yes or No) \_\_\_\_\_: If your answer is in the affirmative, give particulars: \_\_\_\_\_

I certify that the above information is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Signed \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_

## INITIATION FEE: \$250.00 includes

32° Patent      32° Prayer Cap and case      Copy of *Bridge to Light*

\$25 discount on the purchase price of a traditional 14th degree ring. (redeemable at Aarons Jewelry)

One free admission to the 2019 Cumberland Scottish Rite Ladies Night. (value \$30)

A Scottish Rite car emblem      A Scottish Rite Polo shirt (value \$30)

### OFFICE USE ONLY

Date Petition received \_\_\_\_\_

CAP SIZE \_\_\_\_\_ (Size taken at initiation)

Amount received \$ \_\_\_\_\_

RING SIZE \_\_\_\_\_ (Size taken at initiation)

Check No. \_\_\_\_\_ Cash \$ \_\_\_\_\_

LADIES NAME \_\_\_\_\_

Ballot Date of Petition \_\_\_\_\_

Member Notification Date \_\_\_\_\_