



# Ancient & Accepted Scottish Rite of Freemasonry

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

Mail to: Cumberland Scottish Rite  
73 LaVale Blvd  
LaVale, MD 21502-7418

Phone 301-729-6778  
Fax - 301-729-4327  
Email - mitzjer@atlanticbb.net

To the Officers and Members of:

CUMBERLAND LODGE OF PERFECTION (4° Thru 14°)  
CUMBERLAND CHAPTER OF ROSE CROIX (15° Thru 18°)

CUMBERLAND COUNCIL OF KADOSH (19° Thru 30°)  
CUMBERLAND CONSISTORY (31° AND 32°)

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 (or RETIRED From) \_\_\_\_\_ 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  
**\$25.00 DISCOUNT** on the purchase price of a traditional 14th degree Scottish Rite Ring.  
Free Scottish Rite Polo shirt (value \$30) and Scottish Rite car emblem  
Two Complimentary Dinners at the Capping Ceremony (value \$30)  
One free admission to the 2020 Combined Masonic Ladies Night (value \$30)  
One copy of *A Bridge to Light* (value \$30)

**FOR 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 \_\_\_\_\_