

Petition for Initiation and Advancement

To the Worshipful Master, Wardens and Brethren of



Blazing Star Lodge No. 694, F. & A. M.



Date _____

The undersigned, not being influenced by improper solicitation, mercenary, selfish or other unworthy motives, and prompted by a favorable opinion of and a desire for knowledge of, The Ancient and Honorable Institution of Free and Accepted Masons, freely and voluntarily makes application to be a candidate to receive the Degrees of Freemasonry, respectfully petitions the above named Lodge for initiation and advancement, promising a cheerful conformity to the ancient usages and established customs of the Order, and upon his honor has answered the following questions truthfully and in his own handwriting and no other:

Note: This petition MUST be filled out by the petitioner in his own handwriting.

1. What is your full name? _____
2. Where were you born? _____
3. What was the month, day and year of your birth? _____
4. Where have you resided for the twelve months last past? _____
5. What are your home and business phone numbers? _____
6. Do you believe in the existence of one ever living and true God? _____
7. Do you believe in the immortality of the soul? _____
8. Have you ever been convicted of a crime, irrespective of where sentence has been suspended? _____
State facts concisely. _____
9. Have you ever presented a petition to a Masonic Lodge, either in this State or elsewhere? _____
If so, when and to what Lodge? _____
10. Have you ever been rejected by a Masonic Lodge, either in this State or elsewhere? _____
If so, when and by what Lodge? _____
11. Where have you resided for the 10 years last past? If in more than one place, state the years in each place.

12. What has been your business occupation for the 10 years last past? State explicitly, specifying particular years and where conducted. _____

13. Have you read the forgoing questions? _____
14. Are all the foregoing answers in your own handwriting? _____
15. Do you, upon your honor, declare all of the answers to be true? _____

Signature of Petitioner _____

(\$50.00 of the \$150.00 initiation fee payable to the Lodge must accompany this petition)

Presented by Brother _____

Signature of Proposer

of the 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 comes under the tongue of good report.

References

Name _____	Address _____	Phone No. _____
Name _____	Address _____	Phone No. _____
Name _____	Address _____	Phone No. _____

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Received and Reviewed by Secretary: *Date* _____ *Signature* _____

Fees Paid:

Amount received with Petition: _____ *Date* _____

Remaining amount of Initiation Fees: _____ *Date* _____

Remaining amount of Annual Dues: _____ *Date* _____

Date read in Lodge: _____

Date and place of Investigation: _____

Investigating Committee Signatures:

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____
5. _____

Favorable

- _____
- _____
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- _____

Unfavorable

- _____
- _____
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Read and balloted upon: *Date:* _____ *Elected* _____ *Rejected* _____