**Petition for Membership - Ancient Accepted Scottish Rite of Freemasonry**

Northern Masonic Jurisdiction - United States of America

Petitioners are reminded that if a Scottish Rite Valley exists IN their county of residence, they must petition

that Valley or obtain a waiver of jurisdiction. ALL QUESTIONS MUST BE ANSWERED IN FULL.

To the Officers and Members of

**Gourgas Lodge of Perfection, 14°**

**Pennsylvania Council of Princes of Jerusalem, 16°**

**Pittsburgh Chapter of Rose Croix, 18°**

**Pennsylvania Consistory, S...P...R...S..., 32°**

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SITTING IN THE VALLEY OF PITTSBURGH, PENNSYLVANIA

I, the undersigned hereof, respectfully show that I am desirous of being admitted as a member of your honorable Bodies and request that I may be received among you, and that I will ever 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 Bodies, I subscribe to the following Oath of Fealty:

I, the undersigned, do herby promise on my word of honor, and 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 America, 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; 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; and 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 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.

**APPLICANT’S NAME IN FULL - NO INITIALS - NO ABBREVIATIONS** *(If you have no middle name, enter, NMN)*

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*(Give Title or Name of position or state nature of duties) (If retired give former employer’s name)*

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I have never before petitioned for the degrees of the Ancient Accepted Scottish Rite, and been rejected therein. True [ ] False [ ]

I am now a member of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Lodge No. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ F. & A.M.,

located at \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

*(City or Town and State)*

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**WE HEREBY CERTIFY THAT WE HAVE EXAMINED THE CURRENT SYMBOLIC LODGE DUES CARD OF THE ABOVE PETITIONER**

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*Recommender Please Sign First or Middle Name in Full Please print your name Supreme Council No. Lodge No. Phone No. (area code)*

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*Recommender Please Sign First or Middle Name in Full Please print your name Supreme Council No. Lodge No. Phone No. (area code)*

PETITION FEE: $200.00

OR USE CREDIT CARD

Make check payable to the order of:

GOURGAS LODGE OF PERFECTION

**Method of Payment**

Enclosed find: **Check** [ ] **Cash** [ ] in the amount of $200.00.

For **Credit** or **Debit Card** Payments please call the Valley Office at 412-939-3579