



# PETITION FOR DEGREES / INITIATION

(Code Sections: 37010, 37020, 37030, 37040, 37070)

To the Master, Wardens and Brethren of

## Helena LODGE NO. 3 AF & AM

I respectfully represent that, unbiased by friends and uninfluenced by motives of financial or material rewards, I freely and voluntarily make this application to receive the degrees of Freemasonry; that I am prompted to solicit this privilege by a favorable opinion conceived of the Institution, a desire for knowledge, and a sincere wish to be of service to my fellowmen; and that I promise, if found worthy, to conform to all the Ancient usages and regulations of the Fraternity.

1. Full name \_\_\_\_\_  
First Middle Last Suffix (Jr. Sr., III, etc.)

2. Home Address \_\_\_\_\_  
Number Street City State ZIP

3. Business Address \_\_\_\_\_  
Number Street City State ZIP

4. Home phone \_\_\_\_\_ Business Phone \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

5. Birth Date \_\_\_\_\_  
Month Day Year

6. Birth Place \_\_\_\_\_  
City State Country

7. State explicitly your business or occupation \_\_\_\_\_

8. Spouse Name \_\_\_\_\_

9. Are you a Senior DeMolay?  Yes  No

10. Have you resided in the State of Montana for the last full six months? Yes  No

11. Where have you resided in the past ten years? (If in more than one place, state the particular years in each place.)

12. Have you ever presented an application to any Masonic Lodge?  Yes  No If yes, when and to what Lodge or Lodges? \_\_\_\_\_

13. Have you ever been rejected by any Masonic Lodge?  Yes  No If yes, when and to what Lodge or Lodges? \_\_\_\_\_

14. Do you believe in a Supreme Being? Yes  No

15. Have you ever been convicted of felony? Yes  No

16. If your answer to question No.15 is "yes" state fully all of the facts, including date and place, the court or other public body disposing of the same, the sentence or other disposition made, and all other facts pertaining thereto or which shed light thereon. (Attach separate sheet if necessary.) \_\_\_\_\_



I do, upon my honor, declare all of my foregoing statements to be true. Also, as a condition and in consideration of my being considered for membership in the above named Lodge, I do hereby authorize the Master, his Officers, any member of that Lodge, or of any other Lodge, or any person requested to do so by the above referred-to Lodges or their investigating members to make any investigation into my personal history and character. I further understand that this procedure may entail the contacting of persons, either known or unknown to me, and that I waive all rights and remedies which may be extended to me under present or future laws in connection with or relating to this procedure. I further agree to hold harmless and free from any liability any and all Lodges, members of Lodges, and persons referred to above from all legal proceedings, rights and remedies that may otherwise be available to me under current and future laws.

**I hereby certify that I have read and fully understand the foregoing statement.**

**Dated** \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_ **Signature**   x   \_\_\_\_\_  
(Sign all names in full)

**Recommended by:**

- 1. I am a member of the above named Lodge. I have personally known the above petitioner/applicant approximately \_\_\_\_\_. From my knowledge of him, I have strong reasons to believe that, if elected, he will reflect honor to our ancient Institution.

Signed \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

Residence Address \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone \_\_\_\_\_

Business Address \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone \_\_\_\_\_

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**Reference**

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

Residence Address \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone \_\_\_\_\_

Business Address \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone \_\_\_\_\_

**Reference**

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

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**Fees for Degrees (Sec 37080)**

FEES FOR EACH OF THE DEGREES MUST BE PAID PRIOR TO BEING CONSIDERED FOR THAT DEGREE  
PAYMENT FOR EACH OF THE THREE DEGREES OF MASONRY IN THIS LODGE IS AS FOLLOWS:

**Entered Apprentice Degree \$100.00 ; Fellow Craft Degree \$50.00 ; Master Mason Degree \$50.00**

**ALL FEES ARE PAYABLE IN ADVANCE -- THE FEE FOR THE ENTERED APPRENTICE DEGREE MUST ACCOMPANY THIS APPLICATION IN ORDER FOR IT TO BE ACTED UPON**

**AMOUNT OF FEES PAID WITH THIS APPLICATION \$ \_\_\_\_\_ paid to the Lodge**