



# PETITION FOR DEGREES



Date: \_\_\_\_\_

To the Worthy Matron, Officers, and Members of \_\_\_\_\_ Chapter No. \_\_\_\_\_,

\_\_\_\_\_, Order of the Eastern Star. The undersigned respectfully petitions to receive the degrees of the  
city, state, province, country

Order of the Eastern Star and become a member of this Chapter. If accepted I pledge myself to a cheerful obedience to the laws of the Order.

I have lived within the Jurisdiction of this Chapter \_\_\_\_\_. I believe in a Supreme Being. I have not petitioned any other Chapter  
length of time

and been rejected within the past two months.

## **FEMALE:** CHOOSE ONE ELIGIBILITY FOR PETITION

1. I am related to Master Mason \_\_\_\_\_, a member of \_\_\_\_\_ Lodge  
No. \_\_\_\_\_ F&AM located in \_\_\_\_\_  
City, State, Province, Country
2. I am/was a member of International Order of Rainbow for Girls or Jobs Daughters of \_\_\_\_\_.  
ATTACH PROOF OF MEMBERSHIP \_\_\_\_\_  
State, Province, Country
3. I am sponsored by the following female and male Eastern Star members:

Sister \_\_\_\_\_, a member of \_\_\_\_\_

Chapter No. \_\_\_\_\_, located in \_\_\_\_\_  
City, State, Province, Country

Brother \_\_\_\_\_, a member of \_\_\_\_\_

Chapter No. \_\_\_\_\_, located in \_\_\_\_\_  
City, State,, Province, Country

**Each must attach Certificate of Good Standing from primary Chapter and a signed Statement of Sponsorship**

**MALE:** I seek membership through my standing as a Master Mason. I am a member of \_\_\_\_\_

Lodge No. \_\_\_\_\_ F&AM, located in \_\_\_\_\_  
City, State, Province, Country

## **NAME OF PETITIONER** \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

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

Telephone \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

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

Referred to the following investigating committee:

Recommended by:

1. \_\_\_\_\_

1. \_\_\_\_\_

2. \_\_\_\_\_

2. \_\_\_\_\_

3. \_\_\_\_\_

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DATE \_\_\_\_\_

The undersigned, your committee appointed to investigate and report upon the foregoing petition, respectfully state that they have discharged the trust confided to them, and report her/him (circle one) favorably/unfavorably (circle one).

1. \_\_\_\_\_

2. \_\_\_\_\_

3. \_\_\_\_\_

**Presented on** \_\_\_\_\_

**Elected on** \_\_\_\_\_

**Initiated on** \_\_\_\_\_

**CERTIFICATE OF GOOD STANDING FOR  
SPONSOR OF FEMALE PETITIONER**

Every Petition for the Degrees submitted by a female petitioner who is sponsored by two Eastern Star members must be accompanied by one of these certificates for each sponsor. In every case, this certificate must be provided by the sponsor's primary Chapter. It is valid for 60 days from date of issuance stated on the certificate.

This is to certify that Sis./Bro. \_\_\_\_\_ is a member in good standing in  
\_\_\_\_\_ Chapter No. \_\_\_\_\_ located in \_\_\_\_\_,  
City  
\_\_\_\_\_. Her/his dues are paid current and there are no charges pending against  
State/Grand Jurisdiction  
her/him as of this date.

Given under my hand and the seal of this Chapter on \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_.  
Month and Day Year

\_\_\_\_\_, Secretary  
Signature

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Street Address

*(Chapter Seal)*

\_\_\_\_\_,  
City & State Zip

## STATEMENT OF SPONSORSHIP FOR THE DEGREES FOR FEMALE PETITIONER

Every Petition for the Degrees for a female petitioner sponsored by two Eastern Star members must be accompanied by this Statement of Sponsorship from each sponsor

DATE \_\_\_\_\_

As a member of \_\_\_\_\_ Chapter No. \_\_\_\_\_, Order of the Eastern Star  
Primary Chapter

located at \_\_\_\_\_,  
Street Address, City, State, Province, Country

I am pleased to sponsor \_\_\_\_\_  
Name of Female Petitioner (Print)

to become a member of the Order of the Eastern Star.

This petitioner is over the age of 18 years and has been a resident of the State of Alabama for  
\_\_\_\_\_. She is known to me to be of good moral character and worthy of  
Length of time  
membership in the Order of the Eastern Star.

Print Name \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_