

**WHITE RIVER LODGE
No. 153**



Brotherhood & Friendship

2nd Degree Working Tools

Masonry being a progressive science, when you were made an Entered Apprentice you were placed at the North-Eastern part of the Lodge to show that you were newly admitted; you are now placed at the South-Eastern part to mark the progress you have made in the science. You now stand to all external appearance a just and upright Fellow Craft Freemason, and I give it you in strong terms of recommendation ever to continue and act as such; and as I trust the import of the former charge neither is nor ever will be effaced from your memory, I shall content myself with observing that, as in the previous Degree you made yourself acquainted with the principles of Moral Truth and Virtue, you are now permitted to extend your researches into the hidden mysteries of Nature and Science.