

## **SAMPLE LETTER TO WIFE OF NEWLY ELECTED APPLICANT**

Lodge Letterhead

Date

Mrs.Chathrapathi Sivaji  
1234Anyplace Street  
Anywhere, Chennai - 602 222.

Dear Mrs. Chathrapathi Sivaji:

I am pleased that your husband is being inducted into Freemasonry. Thank you for supporting his decision to join, and welcome to the Masonic family. We hope you share your husband's pride in being part of this prestigious and respected fraternal organization.

Membership in the Masonic fraternity will enable your husband to form lifelong friendships with men who share his values, beliefs and desire for personal growth. In his initial experience, he will be expected to spend some time with his Masonic mentor and coach so he can better comprehend the significance of the Masonic fraternity and to become proficient in his degree work with the opportunity to advance through the three Masonic degrees. When he becomes a Master Mason, the opportunity would afford him to attend regular lodge meetings and functions. If he decides to be a coach, a mentor or an officer of the lodge, more of his time will be required. However, as we learn through our Masonic principles, a Mason's first responsibility is to his family.

Freemasonry encourages continuous pursuit of knowledge, self-improvement and reflection. Most of what your husband will learn and experience can and should be shared with you. The ceremonies performed to confer degrees and certain methods of Masonic recognition are the only things that a member cannot reveal. Freemasonry is based on the philosophy that each person has a responsibility to help make his community and world a better place. Your husband will hopefully become involved in a number of charitable programs aimed at helping mankind and improving the quality of life. Your family will be invited to participate in some of these events and to attend special lodge programs, dinners as well as other activities planned especially for the families of our Masonic members. I can assure you that participation in lodge activities prove to be rewarding and an enriching experience.

Since all of this may be new to you, please don't hesitate to contact me if you have any questions or need additional information. I urge you to read some of our Masonic pamphlets and materials that provide information about Freemasonry.

In closing, I would like to personally welcome you to the fabulous fraternal world of Freemasonry.

I look forward to meeting you in the near future.

Sincerely,

Master of 87645 Lodge.