

**Squire Induction Ceremony Word Score Card**

Manor: \_\_\_\_\_

Ritual Judge: \_\_\_\_\_

Required Squire Officers: Master Squire, Senior Squire, Junior Squire and Squire Marshal  
(Prompt = 10 point penalty each) (Missed or added word = 5 points each)

Master Squire: Squire Marshal, there is a friend outside the door who wishes to become a Squire. You will retire and escort him into our Manor.

Squire Marshal: Master Squire, I present \_\_\_\_\_, who wishes to become a Squire and brother of our Manor.

Master Squire: My friend, I welcome you to this Manor of the Order of Squires. We understand that you have come to join us in our work of being better sons, dedicated to Truth, Wisdom, and Justice. We ask that you now kneel at our Round Table; kneel on both knees, say "I", speak your name, and repeat after me.

I, \_\_\_\_\_, on my honor, promise that from this time forward, I will strive to do what is right, that I will be a better son, and that I will always honor my father and mother.

I promise that I will seek Wisdom. that I will cherish an education, and learn to improve myself.

I promise to tell the Truth, and to be true to myself, my family, my friends, and my brother Squires.

I promise to be just and fair, to obey the laws of my country, and strive to respect the right of others.

You will arise.

I now extend to you my right hand, which is a sign of my friendship and loyalty as a brother.

Master Squire: I will now place you in the protection of the Squire Marshal. He will conduct you on a Quest for the Lessons of Life.

Missed words \_\_\_\_\_ Added words \_\_\_\_\_ Prompt \_\_\_\_\_

Squire Marshal: Brother Junior Squire, I present \_\_\_\_\_, who seeks to know the lesson of the Books of Wisdom.

Junior Squire: My Brothers, I welcome you to this station of life, and will explain the Books of Wisdom. In your journey through life you will find them to be of great value. In your home, in your school, in your community, you will discover lessons that will help you grow in mind and spirit. They open the door to hopes and dreams of great accomplishments and an amazing and happy future.

Seek now the lesson of the Sword of Truth from the Senior Squire.

Squire Marshal: Brother Senior Squire. I present \_\_\_\_\_, who seeks to know the Lesson of the Sword of Truth.

Senior Squire: My brother, I welcome you to this station of life, and will explain the Sword of Truth. Your parents have led you in the paths of Truth throughout your life, so you should be well aware of the power this sword commands. Through Truth you will gain Courage. Through Truth you will show Wisdom. Through Truth you will gain Strength. May the Sword of Truth become your greatest shield.

Continue now to the Master Squire for the lesson of the Gavel of Justice.

Squire Marshal: Master Squire, I present \_\_\_\_\_, who has been taught the lessons of the Books of Wisdom and the Sword of Truth, and now seeks the lesson of the Gavel of Justice.

Master Squire: My Brother, I welcome you to this station of life, and will explain the Gavel of Justice. As the leader of this Manor, I was given the Gavel as an emblem of authority. I was told to use it with Wisdom, to use it for Truth, and to use it to be just, honest, and fair. You have been taught that Wisdom comes from knowledge, and Truth is your shield. Leadership is the result of combining these great powers with the fairness of Justice.

Master Squire: In the name of Wisdom, Truth and Justice. I now proclaim you to be a member of the Order of Squires. Welcome, Brother Squire!

Missed words \_\_\_\_\_ Added words \_\_\_\_\_ Prompt \_\_\_\_\_

Possible Points	1000
Words Missed	_____
Words Added	_____
Prompt Penalty	_____
Performance Points	_____
<b>Total</b>	_____

**Squire Induction Ceremony Performance Score Card**

Manor: \_\_\_\_\_

Ritual Judge: \_\_\_\_\_

**Required Squire Officers:** Master Squire, Senior Squire, Junior Squire and Squire Marshal.  
Deduction of 5 points per improper performance

Master Squire, Senior Squire, and Junior Squire retrieve their emblems from the Round Table and return to their stations. Master Squire stands.

Master Squire: Squire Marshal, (*Squire Marshal stands*) there is a friend outside the door who wishes to become a Squire. You will retire and escort them into our Manor.

*Squire Marshal retires and escorts the candidate to the West of the Round Table.*

**Performance Points:** \_\_\_\_\_

Squire Marshal: Brother Master Squire, I present \_\_\_\_\_, who wishes to become a Squire and brother of our Manor.

*Master Squire moves to the East of the Round Table*

**Performance Points:** \_\_\_\_\_

Master Squire: My friend, I welcome you to this Manor of the Order of Squires. We understand that you have come to join us in our work of being better sons, dedicated to Truth, Wisdom, and Justice. We ask that you now kneel at our Round Table; kneel on both knees, say "I", speak your name, and repeat after me.

*Senior Squire gives 3 raps : \*\*\* (3 Raps) and moves east of the Round Table*

**Performance Points:** \_\_\_\_\_

Master Squire: I, \_\_\_\_\_, on my honor, promise that from this time forward, I will strive to do what is right, that I will be a better son, and that I will always honor my father and mother.  
I promise that I will seek Wisdom. that I will cherish an education, and learn to improve myself.  
I promise to tell the Truth, and to be true to myself, my family, my friends, and my brother Squires. I promise to be just and fair, to obey the laws of my country, and strive to respect the right of others.  
You will arise.

*Master Squires moves to the West of the Round Table*

Performance Points: \_\_\_\_\_

Master Squire: I now extend to you my right hand, which is a sign of my friendship and loyalty as a brother.

*Master Squire shakes hands with the new Squire.*

*Master Squire is escorted to his station by the Squire Marshal*

*Squire Marshal then returns to his own station*

Performance Points: \_\_\_\_\_

Master Squire: I will now place you in the protection of Squire Marshal. He will conduct you on a Quest for the Lessons of Life.

*Master Squire gives 1 rap to seat everyone exception the new Squire and the Squire Marshal.*

Performance Points: \_\_\_\_\_

*Squire Marshal conducts the new Squire to the Junior Squire in the South*

Performance Points: \_\_\_\_\_

Squire Marshal: Brother Junior Squire, (Junior Squire rises) I present \_\_\_\_\_, who seek to know the lesson of the Books of Wisdom.

Performance Points: \_\_\_\_\_

Junior Squire: My Brothers, I welcome you to this station of life, and will explain the Books of Wisdom. In your journey through life you will find them to be of great value. In your home, in your school, and in your community, you will discover lessons that will help you grow in mind and spirit. They open the door to hopes and dreams of great accomplishments and an amazing and happy future. Seek now the lesson of the Sword of Truth from the Senior Squire.

*Squire Marshal conducts the new Squire to the Senior Squire in the West*

Performance Points: \_\_\_\_\_

Squire Marshal: Brother Senior Squire. I present \_\_\_\_\_, who seeks to know the Lesson of the Sword of Truth.

Senior Squire: My brother, I welcome you to this station of life, and will explain the Sword of Truth. Your parents have led you in the paths of Truth throughout your life, so you should be well aware of the power this sword commands. Through Truth you will gain Courage. Through Truth you will show Wisdom. Through Truth you will gain Strength. May the Sword of Truth become your greatest shield.

Continue now to the Master Squire for the lesson of the Gavel of Justice.

*Squire Marshal conducts the new Squire to the Master Squire in the East*

Performance Points: \_\_\_\_\_

Squire Marshal: Master Squire, I present \_\_\_\_\_, who has been taught the lessons of the Books of Wisdom and the Sword of Truth, and now seeks the lesson of the Gavel of Justice.

Master Squire: My Brother, I welcome you to this station of life, and will explain the Gavel of Justice. As the leader of this Manor, I was given the Gavel as an emblem of authority. I was told to use it with Wisdom, to use it for Truth, and to use it to be just, honest, and fair. You have been taught that Wisdom comes from knowledge, and Truth is your shield. Leadership is the result of combining these great powers with the fairness of Justice.

*Squire Marshal escorts the new Squire West of the Round Table. Master Squires comes to the East of the Round Table. Pointing to each of the three emblems of the Squires, he gives the Charge.*

Master Squire: In the name of Wisdom, Truth and Justice. I now proclaim you to be a member of the DeMolay Squires. Welcome, Brother Squires.

Performance Points: \_\_\_\_\_

**Total Performance Points** \_\_\_\_\_ **out of 55**