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One of the foundational precepts of Freemasonry is Brotherly Love. We first learn to love as part of our family. As we grow and mature we come to recognize the love of God. And then we reach out to others to share the love of friendship. This becomes the Brotherly Love we value.

What is the best way to foster the ideal of Brotherly Love? It is through relationships. We meet new people. We get to know them. We discover shared interests and values. Before long that acquaintance becomes a friend. We give each other mutual care and support. That's a relationship.

We see membership declining in all our fraternal organizations. We are naturally concerned, and we seek for ways to reverse that trend because we know through experience the value of these organizations. We firmly believe that we take good men and make them better.

So how do we get men to want to join us? By developing relationships! Keep your eye out for men of good character. Be interested. Ask questions and listen to the answers. Be willing to share what Masonry and York Rite mean to you. Don't keep your membership a secret. Share with pride the good that we do.

If we make a conscious effort to develop relationships with the people we meet, that is an important first step to opening the door to a possible fraternal relationship as well. Let's make brotherly love a priority in our lives so that others will want to join us.

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