

Saluting the Worshipful Master

Many Masons are still confused when it comes to saluting the Worshipful Master in the Lodge.

The Book of the Work directs that the only times a brother shall salute the Worshipful Master are:

- When entering the Lodge;
- When leaving the Lodge;
- When addressing the Worshipful Master; and
- When called for in the Ritual.

It follows therefore that a salute is **NOT** required:

- After you have received instructions from the Worshipful Master. (The Wardens will, of course, be guided by the Book of the Work.)
- After you have finished speaking. (**AVOID THE “SECOND SALUTE”.**)

Please remember that salutes are only given to the Worshipful Master, (or to the brother who is in possession of the gavel in Lodge).

