

Worshipful Master Lodge Discussion Series

Title: Composite

Version: 1.0

Purpose: Help brothers notice when their separate strengths and skills actually belong together, and test what happens when they bring them into one place.

Keywords: integration, mature elements, coherence, synthesis, distinct parts

Materials Needed:


None

Supporting Content/Guides

PDF - AMW Groundrules

Related Podcast Episodes:

 The Master Mason Series – Part III: The Workman and the Work

 Hidden Tool #2 - Non-duality moving with and through positive and negative

 The World - Part IV: Becoming Part of the Living System



Setup:

WM Time Needed:

2 minutes

Member Time Needed

None

Considerations:

Individuals in the lodge will participate in different ways. Challenging a member to participate in a way that is uncomfortable for them should only be done with a skilled facilitator and a high-trust group.

Messaging:

Most of us think we need to add more to get better. But sometimes we already have everything we need. It just lives in different rooms. Tonight we look at what happens when you bring your separate strengths together and let them work as one.

Key questions:

“When you watch someone bring different skills or strengths together into one coherent thing, what does that look like? How can you tell he is doing it instead of just juggling separate pieces?”

“Does any of that sound familiar in your own work or life? Where do you already do that kind of synthesis without naming it as such?”

“Tell us about a time when combining two separate strengths or approaches actually solved something that neither one could solve alone. What made you see that they belonged together?”

“If a visitor to this lodge noticed that our different roles and perspectives were truly integrated rather than isolated, what would he actually see happening that is different from now?”

“How did this conversation change what you are noticing about the strengths you already have but have not yet brought together?”

Wrap-up:

Touch on the key points and highlights of the discussion. Pay special attention to discoveries or immediate learnings by the participants. Personalize positive feedback with “I really valued Brother [John’s] point about X, or Y”

DISCUSSION

Date of Meeting:

Rating? ☆ ☆ ☆ ☆ ☆

Key Points

Takeaways

The Best Part:

Thing's I'd do differently next time:

Do this again? Y N

If so, how often? _____

