

# Worshipful Master Lodge Discussion Series

## Title: The Lodge

Version: 1.0

Purpose: Help brothers recognize that focused work requires an intentional container, and learn what they personally contribute to maintaining one.

Keywords: boundary, focus, shared intent, container, transformation


### Materials Needed:


None


### Supporting Content/Guides

PDF - AMW Groundrules

### Related Podcast Episodes:

 Hidden Tool #1 - Metallic Objects & The Preparing Room

 The Junior Warden: Noticing Before You Numb

 Creating Space for Play and Flow



### 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 a good meeting just needs good people in the room. But transformation doesn't happen by accident. It happens inside containers. A lodge is not the building. It is the agreement to set something aside at the door and do different work inside. Tonight we look at what that actually means in your life right now.

### Key questions:

"What does a working container look like from the outside? When you walk into a meeting or a space where people are focused on something real, what do you notice that tells you the boundary is held?"

"Does any of that sound familiar in your own world right now? Where are you part of a group that has a clear line between what belongs inside and what stays out?"

"Think of a time when that boundary got blurry or someone brought distraction into the space. What did you notice happening to the work? How did you know it was time to reset it?"

"If this lodge were truly a container for transformation, what would a visitor see happening here that he would not see in the ordinary world?"

"Which part of this conversation stayed with you? What did you hear about containers that you are still sitting with?"

### 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:

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Rating? ☆ ☆ ☆ ☆ ☆

Key Points

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Takeaways

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The Best Part:

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Thing's I'd do differently next time:

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Do this again?  Y  N

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