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[Rotary Club]

You are joining a world fellowship of business and professional persons focused on service to others. You are joining Rotary . . . the world's oldest service organization . . . a network of 1.2 million members in 32 thousand Rotary clubs in over 168 countries who take pride in the motto "Service Above Self."

- service to one's club,
- service to one's vocation,
- service to one's community
- and service to the extended international community.

As your relationship with this Rotary Club develops, focus on those four avenues of service.

We are pleased to share with you **The Rotary Foundation** as our instrument of peace.

We welcome you to a network of business and professional people that are looking forward to meeting you as you travel throughout this country, and in fact, throughout the world.

If you remember nothing of what I am saying, please focus on this challenge: I want you to promise that you will look among your friends and acquaintances for people who might be moved by the concept of "Service Above Self" to join us in our work.

Welcome to our fellowship. Welcome to Rotary. It is a pleasure to share with you the emblem of Rotary membership.

To the club leadership:

[Name] is not joining the club for the meal. Put [Name] to work. There is plenty to be done. Use him/her or lose him/her.

And to the rest of you, please stand and give a warm FURNITURELAND Rotary welcome to [Name]