This purely American custom is a great honour reserved for those who have served their country with great distinction

It is much more demanding for an American to progress through the three degrees than his English counterpart.

It is not sufficient to memorise just a few standard answers

Many hours are spent under Instruction and he must show that
he has a thorough knowledge of each degree before proceeding to
the next.

In "Making a Masonat sight" the three degrees, including tuil obligations are given in one day Howeverthe answers to the questions for each degree are given for him.



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General Dougle's Mac Aithur was made a Mason at sight by the Grand Master of the Phillipites in 1936 and affiliated to Manila LodgeNol On many occasions he has extolled the virtues of Freemasonry

"It embraces the highest moral laws and will bear the test of any system of ethics or philosophy ever promulgated for the uplift of man"