



Local 1624

International Longshoremen's
Association

ILA Local 1624 Member Oath

"I do most solemnly on my honor promise that during my connection with this Association, I will remain a true and faithful member, observe its laws and labor as far as lies within my power to further the advancement of my trade, so that my fellow-members will receive and enjoy with me the just fruits of their labor. That I will attend the meetings of this Association as often as it is possible; that I will not reveal, unless by permission, any of the secret workings that may at any time be confided to me; and I do further promise to assist a member of this Association when and wherever I may find him in distress, that I will never knowingly wrong him or his, but will help preserve the rights of his household inviolate; and finally that I will strive to create a brother feeling between our Association and organizations who mean to uphold the dignity of labor and to affirm the nobility of all who earn their bread by the sweat of their brow; that I will not deal in any manner with a person who is an enemy of labor. To this I pledge my honor."