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Grace Community Baptist Church

Covenant of Membership

KNOWING THAT God has called me by His grace to be a partaker of His kingdom and BELIEVING THAT He has led me to commit myself in Grace Community Baptist Church, and REALIZING THAT Christ's desire for His church requires the faithful, conscientious involvement of every member,

IN GRATEFUL RESPONSE to His love, and with a desire to be a faithful steward of the spiritual gifts, material possessions, physical energy and time He has given me, I do thereby pledge myself to the Lord and to the fellow members of this church,

- a. To cultivate a regular and daily time of fellowship with God through personal prayer and reading of the Scriptures. Exodus 33:13 and I Corinthians 1:9.
- b. To faithfully participate in our corporate time of worshipping God and teaching His Word on the Lord's Day, making His Word my final authority. Hebrews 10:24-25 and Acts 2:42.
- c. To pursue the development of the home as an oasis of loving relationships, spiritual education, and practical ministry to others. Romans 12:10-13 and Deuteronomy 4:9.
- d. To purpose to walk in Christian love, exercising care and watchfulness over other members of this church, and to promote their spiritual growth and well being. Hebrews 3:13.
- e. To esteem, love and pray for the leaders whom God raises up to give leadership to this church and to submit to that leadership so long as they follow the clear direction of the Word of God. Hebrews 13:7,17.
- f. To be committed in at least one specific dimension of this church's ministry, maximizing the spiritual gifts which God has entrusted to me. Mark 10:45 and Ephesians 2:10.
- g. To endeavor by life, word, and prayer to lead others to personal faith in the Lord Jesus Christ, establishing them in the faith, and equipping them for victorious Christian living. Matthew 28:19-20 and II Timothy 2:2.
- h. To contribute regularly as God directs to the financial support of the ministries which the Lord has entrusted to Grace Community Baptist Church. Malachi 3:10 and II Corinthians 9:6-7.

Signature: _____ Date: _____