

**COMMITTED PARTICIPANT APPLICATION FOR A
BIBLE FELLOWSHIP MISSION CHURCH**

(Please type or print)

_____ (Name of Mission Church)

I. GENERAL INFORMATION

Name _____ Phone _____

Address _____ Zip _____

Place of birth _____ Date _____

Are you married _____

Date of marriage _____

Where married _____

To whom married _____

Divorced _____ Date of divorce _____

Children – names and ages _____

Occupation _____

Membership in other organizations _____

II. CHRISTIAN EXPERIENCE

Conversion (or approximate point in your life when you were saved)

Give a description of how God saved you (use back of sheet if necessary – explain fully):

Have you been baptized by immersion?

Date _____ By _____ Where _____

If not, are you willing to be baptized by immersion? _____

Church membership: Will you be transferring a BFC membership? _____

Name of present church _____

Location _____

Will you obtain a letter of transfer?

Have you ever been disciplined by a church (if yes, explain)? _____

Please list the following:

1. Christian service training or experience: _____

2. Please list any Christian service you may desire to perform in the mission church:

III. **STATEMENT OF FAITH AND PRACTICE**

What is your belief concerning the Bible? (Explain fully)

What do you believe a Christian is? (Explain fully)

What do you believe it means to live a Christian life? (Explain fully)

IV. **STATEMENT OF COMMITMENT TO JESUS CHRIST**

Will you seek to manifest the virtues of love, peace, joy, longsuffering, forgiveness, self-control, brotherly love, and kindness for the sake of Jesus Christ?

Will you seek to refrain from the sins of improper attitudes and motives as well as questionable activities and practices for the sake of Jesus Christ?

Will you, by private worship, Bible reading, prayer, and relationships with others, seek to maintain a positive, vital Christian testimony that will glorify and please Jesus Christ?

Will you seek to fulfill the “Great Commission” by being a witness to others of the Gospel in your life and in your conversation, and invite and gather people into this mission church?

Will you seek to submit to the Lord and pursue an active walk with Christ, knowing that there are worldly pursuits which could impede your spirituality?

Will you be sensitive to the Holy Spirit’s leading as to how you might serve Christ in ways He would lead?

V. **STATEMENT OF RELATIONSHIP TO THE BIBLE FELLOWSHIP CHURCH**

Have you read the “*Articles of Faith*” of the “*Faith and Order of the Bible Fellowship Church*” or attended an instructional class for committed participants?

Are you in sympathy with the *Articles of Faith* of the Bible Fellowship Church?

Will you submit to the authority, discipline, and spiritual leadership of the Bible Fellowship Church as stated in the “*Faith and Order*”?

Will you faithfully support this mission church with your talents, spiritual gifts, and finances?

What do you consider your gifts or talents (if music, list instrument or vocal)?

Will you endeavor to be responsible for faithful attendance at the services, fellowship times, and other events of the mission church?

Will you seek to work together with the other Christians for the glory of God?

Will you seek the counsel of the mission church when in need or distress?

- VI. Comments – Briefly state why you believe God is calling you to be committed to this particular mission church. Add any other comments or questions (Use the reverse side of this page if needed).

YOUR SIGNATURE _____ **DATE** _____

Date approved by Transitional Leadership Team _____

Church Planter _____ Initial _____

Comments _____
