

RAY OF HOPE INTERNATIONAL INC

MEMBERSHIP COVENANT FORM

Having been brought by divine grace to repent and believe in the Lord Jesus Christ and to give up myself wholly to Him, and having been baptized in the name of the Father and of the Son and the Holy Spirit upon my profession of faith, I do now, relying on His gracious aid, solemnly and joyfully make the following covenant before God and with the body of Saints at ROHI Church.

I commit myself to exalt God by pursuing Christlikeness in holiness, humanity, and love for God through His Word and His Spirit (Heb 11:6; Psa. 42:1; 2 Pet. 1;2-8; Phil. 2:1-7; Matt.22:37-38). I will also endeavor to faithfully pursue the worship of God with the corporate body (John 4; 23-24; Phil. 3:3).

I commit myself to edify the saints of ROHI Church by being committed to shepherding, *fellowship*, and *service*.

I commit myself to the biblical concept of *shepherding* by being shepherded by the elders personally and submitting to their leadership for the Church (1 pet. 5:1-4; Heb. 13:17); by being accountable to the local church for my Christian witness and testimony both in the church and in the world (Matt. 18:15-17); and by applying the "one another" in my family and the church.

I commit myself to *fellowship* by regularly and faithfully participating in the gatherings of ROHI church - i.e. worship services, other activities and events (Heb. 10:24-25); by seeking to encourage and admonish one other towards Christlikeness with Christian love and by refraining from gossip and slander and seeking reconciliation when fellowship with a fellow believer has been broken (Rom. 12:17-19; Eph. 4:31-32).

I commit myself to serve by praying regularly for the needs of others (Jam. 5:16); by serving through the use of my spiritual gifts (1 Pet. 4:10-11); by giving regularly, cheerfully, and sacrificially to the needs and mission of our church (2 Cor. 9:6-9); and by affirming the doctrinal commitments of our church and striving to protect the unity of the faith (Eph. 4:14-16; 1 Thes. 5:19-22).

I commit myself to evangelize the lost by praying for the salvation of souls (Rom. 10:1; Col. 4:2-4); by showing and sharing the Gospel of Christ with unbelievers (Matt. 5:16; Rom. 1014-17; Col. 4:5-6); and by actively supporting the local and global missions efforts of ROHI ministry (Matt. 28:19-20).

I, the undersigned party, wish to become a member of Ray of Hope International Church and

wholeheartedly agree to be abided by the Membership Covenant. I have read the Bylaws of Ray of Hope International Church and its Articles. I understand that this church is governed by these documents, and I hereby covenant and agree to be bound by policies and procedures set forth in them on this day /	
Member's Signature:	
Print Name :	Date:

[Note: complete this application and turn it into the church office. Thank you]