

RELEASE OF LIABILITY FOR PRAYER MINISTRY SERVICES

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, COUNTY OF GEORGETOWN

FOR AND IN CONSIDERATION OF Springs of Hope Ministries of Georgetown (HEREAFTER CALLED SOH) provision of ministerial and prayer services, the undersigned, being legally competent and fully authorized and empowered to do so, does hereby RELEASE, ACQUIT, AND FOREVER DISCHARGE SOH AND ALL PARTICIPATING PRAYER MINISTERS CONNECTED WITH SAID MINISTRY, from any and all actions, causes of action, claims, demands, damages, costs, loss of service, expenses and compensation, on account of any and all known and unknown personal injuries, mental anguish or agitation, and damage claims to person or property resulting from or arising out of or related to ministerial services and prayer provided by SOH and/or agents, representatives and/or employees in any way affecting the undersigned parties.

By law, there are certain situations in which information about individuals undergoing such ministry may be released with or without their permission. These situations are as follows:

1. Where children are physically abused, neglected, or sexually abused, the proper authorities must be notified.
2. In emergency situations where there may be danger to the client or others as with homicide or suicide, confidentiality may be broken.
3. If a court of law issues a legitimate subpoena relating to a child abuse case, we are required by law to provide the information specifically described in the subpoena.
4. If an unreported life-threatening felony has been committed, we are required by law to report it to the police.

Before warning or notifying anyone, SOH will first take all possible steps to share that intention with the undersigned parties.

The undersigned parties fully understand that the ministerial services to be provided are Biblical in nature, and they freely enter into such ministerial services with full knowledge of the nature of the services they are about to receive. The undersigned parties further state that they are accepting the preceding of their own free will and accord, and have not been unduly influenced or persuaded by anyone to participate in this prayer ministry. The undersigned parties state that they are seeking guidance and ministry from SOH of their own free will, and fully understand that all prayer ministry is advisory in nature and that decisions and actions taken by said undersigned parties based on anything said by SOH prayer ministers are ultimately their own decisions and actions, and that said undersigned parties take full responsibility for their decisions and actions.

The undersigned further AGREE to indemnify, and hold harmless SOH and its Board of Directors, agents, and employees from any and all claims and damages of every kind to person or property arising out of or attributed to the spiritual, psychological, and/or mental problems which brought the undersigned to SOH, or experience by the undersigned at any point after the date of this release.

IT IS FURTHER UNDERSTOOD AND AGREED that this waiver and release constitutes an admission and acknowledgement by this undersigned that they have received no warranty, guarantee, or promise of any particular result either expressed or implied, from SOH, its agents, representatives, employees, or Board of Directors. The undersigned parties acknowledge and agree that the very nature of their problem(s) is necessarily such that no specific result(s) can be promised or warranted by any such ministry.

This release contains the entire agreement between the parties hereto, and the terms of this waiver and release are contractual and not a mere recital. The undersigned further states they have carefully read the foregoing release, know the contents thereof, and sign the same of their own free act and deed.

SIGNED ON THIS ____ day of _____, AD, 20 __, at _____, ____.

BY (PRINT AND SIGN): _____

WITNESS (PRINT AND SIGN): _____