

## Parent Permission, Release, and Consent for Participation in Student Ministry Activities

## PLEASE READ THIS CAREFULLY, THIS IS A LEGAL DOCUMENT THAT AFFECTS YOUR LEGAL RIGHTS.

In exchange for participation in both off-site and on-site Student Ministry events organized by 12Stone<sup>®</sup> Church, Inc. (the Church), and/or use of the property, facilities and/or services of the Church, I agree for myself and (if applicable) for my child, to the following:

1. **Photographic Release.** I hereby give permission for images of me or my child, captured during any Student Ministry event through audio/video/camera to be used by the church for the purposes of training and/or promotional material and publications, and I waive any rights to compensation/ownership.

2. **Personal Belongings.** I give my permission for the Church Staff, its representatives and/or volunteers to search my child's belongings including but not limited to luggage, purses, and backpacks as deemed necessary for safety and security reasons.

3. **Transportation.** I hereby give permission for me or my child to ride in a vehicle designated by Student Ministry Staff or to travel to/from a student ministry event in a vehicle designated by and/or driven by a staff member of the Church.

4. **Disciplinary Action/ Damages.** In the event either I or my child causes damages, I take full financial responsibility for the damages. In addition, if early return home is warranted due to disciplinary concerns, I will provide transportation home for me and/or my child.

5. <u>LIMITATION OF LIABILITY.</u> I RECOGNIZE THERE ARE CERTAIN POTENTIAL AND INHERENT RISKS ASSOCIATED WITH PARTICIPATION IN STUDENT MINISTRY ACTIVITIES, AND I ASSUME FULL RESPONSIBILITY FOR PERSONAL INJURY TO MYSELF AND (IF APPLICABLE) MY CHILD, AND FURTHER RELEASE, HOLD HARMLESS, INDEMNIFY, AND DISCHARGE 12STONE CHURCH, ITS STAFF, OFFICERS, DIRECTORS, BOARD MEMBERS, VOLUNTEERS, AND AGENTS FOR INJURY, LOSS OR DAMAGE ARISING OUT OF MY OR MY CHILD'S PARTICIPATION IN 12STONE CHURCH STUDENT MINISTRY EVENTS, WHETHER CAUSED BY THE FAULT OF MYSELF, MY CHILD, 12STONE CHURCH, OR OTHER THIRD PARTIES.

6. **Medical Treatment.** In the event of an injury to me or my child during Student Ministry activities, I grant 12Stone Church and its employees, representatives, and agents, the following powers with respect to health care for me and/or my child, with the understanding and agreement that I shall remain financially responsible for same:

- The power to seek appropriate medical treatment or attention on behalf of me or my child as may be required by the circumstances, including without limitation, that of a licensed medical physician and/or a hospital;
- The power to authorize medical treatment or medical procedures in an emergency situation; and
- The power to make appropriate decisions regarding clothing, bodily nourishment, and shelter.

7. **Consent and Release.** I hereby consent and give permission for me or my child to participate in off-site and/or on-site Student Ministry events and agree on behalf of the minor to all of the terms and conditions of this Agreement. This authority will remain in effect until terminated in writing by me. By signing this Release of Liability, I represent that I have legal authority over and custody of the child mentioned above. This document is governed by the laws of the State of Georgia, and the assumption of risk herein is intended to be as broad and inclusive as permitted by law.

## I HAVE READ THIS DOCUMENT AND UNDERSTAND IT. I FURTHER UNDERSTAND THAT BY SIGNING THIS RELEASE, I VOLUNTARILY SURRENDER CERTAIN LEGAL RIGHTS.

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