

Application for Membership

Bethany Bible Church
3300 W. Parker Road
Plano, TX 75075
972-596-5813

Date: _____

Name: _____

Address: _____

City, State, Zip _____

Phone numbers: _____

Birth dates: _____

Names and birth dates of minor children: _____

(Please record last name of child if different than parent.)

Have you read Bethany's bylaws and doctrinal statement? ___ yes ___ no ___ parts of it

Do you agree with them? ___ yes ___ no ___ yes, except: _____

If you are coming from another church, did you leave the church in good standing? _____

What is the name and phone number of your former church? _____

What does a person need to do to go to heaven? _____

Who is Jesus Christ? _____

What role does the Bible play in spiritual life? _____

Do you agree to the following statements?

- The Grace of God in justification is an unconditional free gift.
- The sole means of receiving the free gift of eternal life is faith in the Lord Jesus Christ, the Son of God, whose substitutionary death on the cross fully satisfied the requirement for our justification.
- Faith is a personal response, apart from our works, whereby we are persuaded that the finished work of Jesus Christ has delivered us from condemnation and guaranteed our eternal life.
- Justification is the act of God to declare us righteous when we believe in Jesus Christ alone.
- Assurance of justification is the birthright of every believer from the moment of faith in Jesus Christ, and is founded upon the testimony of God in His written Word.
- Spiritual growth, which is distinct from justification, is God's expectation for every believer; this growth, however, is not necessarily manifested uniformly in every believer.
- The Gospel of Grace should always be presented with such clarity and simplicity that no impression is left that justification requires any step, response, or action in addition to faith in the Lord Jesus Christ.

_____ Yes, I agree.

_____ No, I do not.

Would you like to attend an introductory class that covers the essential elements of the Bible church movement? _____ yes _____ no

Please have each person applying for membership sign below:

Please complete this form and return it to one of the elders who will present it to the board. After approval by the board, you will be recognized before the congregation. We look forward to worshipping and serving the Lord together with you.