



STATEMENT OF MEMBERSHIP

I (we) _____ desire to join the membership of DBC. By signing below,

1. I publicly and confidently state that I have placed my personal faith in Jesus Christ as my Savior and Lord. I have been forgiven and I have received eternal life because of His death, burial, and resurrection,
2. I express my personal commitment to the Vision of DBC, the Doctrinal Statement, and the Membership Commitment,
3. I agree to submit to the leadership, direction, and discipline of DBC Elders, in accordance with Scriptural principles as discerned by such Board, and
4. I will take Discover DBC to know the essentials of our church.

SIGNATURE OF PROSPECTIVE MEMBER DATE

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DIRECTORY OF INFORMATION (Please Print)

Name

Spouse's Name

Street Address and Apartment Number

City State Zip Code Marital Status

Home Telephone Mobile Telephone

His D.O.B. Her D.O.B. Anniversary Date

His E-mail Her E-mail

Children's Names, Birth date & Gender:

1. _____ 4. _____

2. _____ 5. _____

3. _____ 6. _____



The Dallas Bible Church Membership Statement*

PURPOSE: Through the power of God's grace, the membership of DBC is trying to be and to build a passionate LIFE transforming community reach our world for Christ. In that pursuit, we serve our Lord Jesus Christ freely because of our salvation through His grace and the freedom and joy He gives through the Holy Spirit.

By signing this Statement, I agree to help build the body of Christ by joining the people of DBC, as best I can, in passionately seeking to:

I. PROTECT THE UNITY OF MY CHURCH

- ...By acting in love toward other members
- ...By following the leaders
- ...By refusing to gossip
- ...By choosing to obey the biblical pattern of Matthew 18.21-35 in order to confront sin and other serious conflict

II. SHARE THE RESPONSIBILITY OF MY CHURCH

- ...By praying for its growth
- ...By inviting the unchurched and others to attend
- ...By warmly welcoming those who visit

III. SERVE THE MINISTRY OF MY CHURCH

- ...By discovering my gifts and talents
- ...By being equipped by leadership in order to serve at DBC
- ...By developing a servant's heart
- ...By growing strong, enriching relationships

IV. SUPPORT THE TESTIMONY OF MY CHURCH

- ...By attending faithfully
- ...By living a godly life
- ...By giving regularly

Name (Print)

Name (Signature)

***Note:** This Statement is not a scorecard. No one will ever use this document against you, or try to measure your "performance" based on what it says on this page. This Statement is about what the people of DBC think a Christian should spend their life trying to accomplish. Do we always get it all done? No. Can any of us ever attain perfection in striving towards the ideas in this Statement? Of course not – only God can do that. Our limitations are a given, but through grace can we still *try*? We must.