Instructions for the

Release of Liability Form

1. Signing the **Release of Liability Form** is required for all our missionaries. This form states in detail that you do not and will not hold *Mission Quest* liable for any dangers, illnesses, injuries, loss, or any other adversities that you may encounter as a missionary affiliate. Remember - - we are a ***Service Agency*** and not a "sending" Agency. **We have not trained you or "sent" you to the mission field. The decisions you make and the risks you take are your own.** *Because of this, the Release of Liability Form is all-inclusive by intent. This is something that our accountant and lawyer is required for all families.*

2. **READ** the entire document. It simply states that you will not hold *Mission Quest* responsible for whatever you may face as a missionary. Again, it is all-inclusive by intent.

3. Husbands and wives must **EACH** complete a form.

4. Once completed, notarized, and witnessed, please email it back to mq@missionquest.org

RELEASE OF LIABILITY

Release by (your name) _____, City of _____, County of_____, State of _____.

I, _____, releaser, hereby acknowledge that I have voluntarily requested to participate in the *Missionary Service Program* of Mission Quest.

I, releaser, being of lawful age, in consideration of being permitted to participate in the Missionary Service Program of Mission Quest do for myself, my heirs, executors, administrators, spouse and assigns, hereby release and forever discharge Mission Quest together with its officers, directors, agents, employees and legal representative, from any and every claim, demand, action or right of action, of whatever kind or nature – either in law or in equity or arising from or by reason of any bodily injury or personal injuries known or unknown, death or property damage resulting from illness, accident, or otherwise, which may occur in connection with or as a result of my participation in the Missionary Service Program of Mission Quest, whether by negligence or not.

I, releaser, understand that the terms of this release are contractual and not a mere recital. I further state that I have carefully read the foregoing release and know contacts thereof and sign this release as my own free act.

I now have, or may hereafter suffer from injuries, illnesses, losses or damages in connection with my participation in the Missionary Service Program of Mission Quest; however, I release it from each and every right and claim which I now have or may hereafter have because of any matter or thing which happened before the signing of this paper, or which may occur in the future, it being my intention by the signing or rights and claim which have not occurred yet and are not foreseen or known to me.

(1) I know that this paper is much more than a receipt. It is a release. I am giving up every right I have against Mission Quest

(2) I know that in signing this release I am, among other things, now releasing Mission Quest in full for all injuries, illnesses, disabilities or loss which I have had already, which I have now, and which I may have in the future, either because of any occurrence in the past, or because I do not know that I have had already, have now or may have in the future such injuries, illnesses, disabilities, or less and even though they are not mentioned particularly in this release; and I do all this regardless of what anyone may have told me about my injuries, illnesses, disabilities, loss or about anything else.

(3) I know that there are many known and unknown dangers and risks in the ministry I am seeking to perform, and I am taking the risk. If any loss, injury or damage occurs, it is my loss, and I cannot recover anything from Mission Quest

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(Sign Here)

(4) I realize that the above is not an admission that anyone is liable to me for anything.
(5) I am signing this release because I am applying for permission to participate in the Missionary Service Program of Mission Quest I have not been promised anything.
(6) I understand that I am not and will not become an employee of Mission Quest My status will be defined as an "affiliate." **Mission Quest has not trained me, sent me, commissioned me, or defined my job description. I have voluntarily requested their administrative help.**

II. <u>THE FOLLOWING IS TO BE FILLED IN BY THE RELEASOR HIMESELF\HERSELF IN HIS\HER</u>

A. Have you read this paper from the beginning to end?
(Write "yes" or "no") _____

B. Do you know what this paper is that you are signing?
(Write "yes" or "no") _____

C. What is this paper that you are signing?
(If you know, write "This is a Release") _____

D. Do you willingly and knowingly make the above statement written in paragraphs (1) through (6) and do you intend that Mission Quest shall rely on these statements as the truth?
(Write "yes" or "no") _____

E. Do you know that signing this paper release and ends every right or claim you have for damages, not only for past damages, but for claims that you may have for any injuries, losses and damages that you have in the future?
(Write "yes" or "no") _____

THEREFORE, I am SIGNING MY NAME on the line above the words "this is a Release" which is typed below and which is adopted by me as my own – to show that I mean everything that is said in this all-inclusive Release of Liability document regarding Mission Quest and myself.

SIGNATURE WITH A NOTARY _____ Date _____
(This is a Release)

ONE ADULT FRIEND OR FAMILY MEMBER (<u>NOT</u> your spouse / this person does <u>not</u> have to appear before the Notary – Have them Sign and give their Address below) –

_____ Date _____

NOTARY PUBLIC OR OFFICIAL – *(It is only necessary to witness the Applicant's signature)*

THIS INSTRUMENT WAS ACKNOWLEDGED BEFORE ME ON _____20 ___

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(Include Official "Seal") Notary Public for the State of _____
Residing at _____
My commission expires _____