

# APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP

Mr.  Mrs.  Miss

Today's Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Last First Middle

Age:  18 to 23  24 to 35  35 to 45  45 to 55  Over 55

Birth month/day/year: \_\_\_\_\_ Wedding Anniversary: \_\_\_\_\_

Single  Married  Widowed  Separated  Divorced

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Work Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Spouse's Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Last First Middle

### Children Living at Home

Last name	First Name	M/F	Relationship	Birthday	Grade (school age)

Have you trusted Jesus Christ as your Lord and Savior?  Yes  No  Not Sure

Have you been baptized since you professed faith in Christ?  Yes  No

If yes, date and location \_\_\_\_\_

What does your baptism mean to you? \_\_\_\_\_

How long have you been attending Country Oaks Baptist Church? \_\_\_\_\_

Are you presently—or were you previously—either a member or a regular attender of another church? If yes, please list the name of the church \_\_\_\_\_

Reason for leaving? \_\_\_\_\_

Why do you want to become a member of Country Oaks Baptist Church? \_\_\_\_\_

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\_\_\_\_\_  
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Name: \_\_\_\_\_

The questions below will guide you through a clear presentation of your personal testimony of faith in Jesus Christ. If you need more room you can write your testimony on a separate sheet of paper.

1. Give a brief description of your life before salvation. \_\_\_\_\_

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2. How did you become a Christian? \_\_\_\_\_

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3. Give a brief description of your life since you've come to Christ. \_\_\_\_\_

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4. In what ways do you cultivate your walk with God? \_\_\_\_\_

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5. Who is Jesus Christ? \_\_\_\_\_

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6. Have you come to a place in your life where you know for certain if you were to die today you would go to heaven? \_\_\_\_\_

7. Suppose you were to die today and stood before God Himself and He said, "Why should I let you into my Heaven?" What would you say? \_\_\_\_\_

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I affirm my faith in Jesus Christ as my personal Lord and Savior.

I have thoroughly read the Constitution and By-laws of Country Oaks Baptist Church and I agree to behave in a manner consistent therewith. (Copies of the Constitution and By-laws are available in the church office or online at [www.countryoaks.org](http://www.countryoaks.org))

I agree with the Statement of Doctrine found in Section 3 of the Constitution and By-laws and I agree to behave in a manner consistent therewith.

*"Obey your leaders and submit to their authority. They keep watch over you as men who must give an account. Obey them so that their work will be a joy, not a burden, for that would be of no advantage to you." Hebrews 13:17*

I am willing to submit to the loving rule of the elders of Country Oaks Church.

I seek to, as God guides and enables, participate in this body of believers, including:

- **Worship** - I will be faithful to the corporate worship services and small groups at Country Oaks Church

Do you currently attend a Sunday Morning Adult Bible Fellowship?  Yes  No  
 Do you currently attend a Growth Group or Home Bible Study?  Yes  No

- **Grow** - I commit to grow in love for Christ, expressing this love by my obedience to and faith in the Word of God.

- **Serve** - I commit my **Talents** (including natural abilities and spiritual gifts) **Time** and **Treasure** to serve others in the body at Country Oaks Church.

Please list areas of ministry where you are interested in serving: \_\_\_\_\_  
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- **Invite** - I commit to Country Oaks Church's mission to evangelize the unsaved through obedience to the Great Commission at home and abroad, by leading unbelievers to faith in Christ and identification with a local body of believers.



Therefore, in light of my personal commitment to God and my understanding of the importance of the local body of believers, I make my commitment of membership to Country Oaks Church.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date