

RRUMC PARTICIPANT RELEASE AND INDEMNIFICATION FOR A MINOR

I/We, the undersigned parent(s)/guardian(s) of _____ (“Participant”), a minor under the age of eighteen (18), do hereby grant permission for Participant to participate in the activities and ministries of Rocky River United Methodist Church (“RRUMC”), and in consideration thereof, hereby freely and voluntarily execute this Release under the following conditions:

1. **General Release.** I/We, on behalf of myself/ourselves and Participant, release, protect, indemnify, forever discharge, and hold harmless RRUMC and its directors, officers, employees, volunteers, agents, successors and assigns from any and all liability, claims, demands, actions, costs, expenses, damages, defenses, or causes of action of whatever nature, kind, or description, known or unknown, either in law or in equity, now existing or hereafter acquired, from Participant’s activities with RRUMC. This release includes, but is not limited to, all losses and damage of any kind to property or personal injury (including death), based upon any activity, accident, incident, or occurrence arising out of, incidental to, or in any way resulting from my participation in RRUMC activities or ministries, even if caused by the strict liability or negligence (whether sole, joint or concurrent) of RRUMC and whether asserted by me or any person claiming by, through, or under me.

2. **Medical Release.** I understand and acknowledge that RRUMC does not assume any responsibility for or obligation to provide financial assistance or other assistance in the event of injury or illness. I understand and acknowledge that RRUMC does not carry or maintain health, medical, or disability insurance coverage for any participant.

3. **Media Release.** I further irrevocably grant to RRUMC, its assigns and successors, my consent and full right to: use Participant’s name, photograph, likeness, image, voice and biography in any and all media, publications, advertising, and publicity, in connection with Participant’s participation hereunder.

4. **Standards of Conduct.** I/We agree that Participant will comply with all laws and ordinances and with RRUMC’s rules, standards, and instructions for behavior for RRUMC activities and ministries and agree that RRUMC has the right to enforce standards of conduct, in its sole judgment.

5. **General Provisions.** I expressly agree that this Release is intended to be as broad and inclusive as permitted by the laws of the State of Ohio, and that this Release shall be governed by and interpreted in accordance with the laws of the State of Ohio. I agree that in the event that any clause or provision of this Release shall be held to be invalid by any court of competent jurisdiction, the invalidity of such clause or provision shall not otherwise affect the remaining provisions of this Release, which shall continue to be enforceable. The headings contained in this Agreement are for reference purposes only and shall not affect in any way the meaning or interpretation hereof.

IMPORTANT: PLEASE READ ENTIRE RELEASE BEFORE SIGNING

*Parent/Guardian(s) Printed Name(s)	Parent/Guardian(s) Signature(s)	Date
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*All custodial parents must sign