

# STATEMENT OF FAITH

Name of Prospective Adoptive Couple \_\_\_\_\_

## Trusting in Jesus Christ as my personal Lord and Savior:

1. I believe the Bible to be the inspired, inerrant, the only infallible, authoritative word of God.
2. I believe that there is only one God, eternally existent in three Persons: Father, Son and Holy Spirit.
3. I believe in the deity of our Lord Jesus Christ, in His virgin birth, in His sinless life, in His miracles, in His vicarious and atoning death through His shed blood, in His bodily resurrection, in His ascension to the right hand of the Father, and in His personal return to Earth in power and glory.
4. I believe that for the salvation of lost and sinful man, regeneration by the Holy Spirit is absolutely essential, and that this salvation is received through faith in Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, and not as a result of good works.
5. I believe in the resurrection of both the saved and the lost; they that are saved into the resurrection of life and they that are lost unto the resurrection of damnation.
6. I believe in the spiritual unity of believers in our Lord Jesus Christ.
7. I believe that scripture teaches the sanctity of human life, beginning at conception, and accordingly that abortion is wrong and sinful.

(Adapted from the National Association of Evangelical's Statement of Faith)

I have read the above Statement of Faith and its explanation and acknowledge that I personally agree with and adhere to it. Further I represent that the Church that I am pastoring, where the above couple are members, adheres to and teaches the principles set forth in the statement.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_  
Pastor

\_\_\_\_\_   
Church / City / Phone Number

STATE OF \_\_\_\_\_

COUNTY OF \_\_\_\_\_

**I HEREBY CERTIFY** that on this day before me, an officer duly authorized in the state aforesaid and in the county aforesaid to take acknowledgments, personally appeared \_\_\_\_\_, known to me to be the person described in, and who, after being duly sworn executed the foregoing Statement of Faith and acknowledged before me that they executed the same after presenting to me the following:

\_\_\_\_\_ Current identification card or driver's license issued by the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles; or,

\_\_\_\_\_ Passport issued within the past 5 years by the Department of State of the United States; or

\_\_\_\_\_ Other: \_\_\_\_\_.

**WITNESS** my hand and official seal in the county and state last aforesaid this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 20\_\_\_\_.

Notary Signature \_\_\_\_\_

**NOTARY STAMP:**