

# GLOBAL FEDERATION OF CHAPLAINS (GFOC)

## Membership Application

**Your Name in full** \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone \_\_\_\_\_

2. Please describe your devotional life.

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3. As you survey your spiritual life, what would you identify as 3 factors that have contributed most to your spiritual growth?

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4. **References** (Please list the names of 3 people with their phone numbers who are not related to you that have known you for at least one year.)

a. \_\_\_\_\_

b. \_\_\_\_\_

c. \_\_\_\_\_

5. How would you answer a person who asked you, "How do I become a Christian?"

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6. Please list 2-3 areas of your strength or gifts and elaborate.

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7.a. List a couple of areas of your weakness and elaborate.

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b. What type of smoking habit in your life, for which you will need help or prayer ?

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c. Do you drink alcohol and you will need help or prayer ?[ ]YES [ ]NO

d. What is your stand on marriage especially, one man one wife, and the wife must be a woman. ? \_\_\_\_\_

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8. Write your name the way you want it to appear in your Certification:  
(You may include a title before your name, Rev. Pastor, Dr., etc. **-do not include "Chaplain"-** as a title, because that is the certification we are giving you):

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9. Also answer with a YES -or- NO to the next three questions:

A) In your Doctrine, do you believe in God the Father, The Son and The Holy Ghost?  
 YES  NO

B) Do you make at least one or more visits to one of these places a month: Hospitals, Prisons, Shelters, Elderly Homes, Orphanages, Family Homes in need of prayer, etc., etc. -You may not go to all places, but at least one each month? - **Or** do you minister to at least one person over the phone, in person, by email, etc., etc. -The question in synthesis would be: Do you minister to someone in need at least once a month?  
 YES  NO

C) When you minister to people, do you include "Biblical Guidance" telling people that Jesus is the Answer, and that He came to give Life and Life more Abundantly (Eternal Life?). Jn.10:10  
 YES  NO

10. Please tell us how you will use your "Chaplain Certification", (examples: visiting hospitals, prisons, disaster areas, homeless shelters, orphanages, elderly homes, etc.)

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### **11. Criminal History**

Have you ever been arrested or convicted? Yes  No  If yes, complete the following section; attach additional sheet if necessary.

**CHARGE :** \_\_\_\_\_

**APPROXIMATE DATE:** \_\_\_\_\_

**DISPOSITION:** \_\_\_\_\_

**CITY / STATE:** \_\_\_\_\_

Statement of Faith

We Believe:

1. the Bible to be the inspired and infallible and authoritative word of God.

2. there is one God eternally manifested in the person of the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

3. in the virgin birth of Jesus Christ, in His victorious and atoning sacrifice through His shed blood, in His bodily resurrection, in His ascension, and in His personal return in power and glory upon the earth.

4. regeneration and conversion through faith in Jesus Christ is absolutely essential for the salvation of lost and sinful humanity

5. the gospel includes holiness of heart and life, healing of the body, and definite personal experience with the Holy Spirit where-by the gifts of the Spirit become active in the life of the believer.

6. in the bodily resurrection of believers at the endtime; the just unto eternal life and the unjust into eternal damnation.

7. in the spiritual unity of all believers in our Lord Jesus Christ.

8. in one man one wife, and the wife, a woman.

We believe in the above confession of faith and agree to uphold the high standard of ministry of Jesus Christ and of the Global Federation of Chaplains  
*I HEREBY AGREE TO ALL THE ABOVE AND, TO LOOK TO GLOBAL FEDERATION OF CHAPLAINS, INC. FOR SPIRITUAL LEADERSHIP AND DIRECTION AS DESIRED, OR AS NEEDED, IN ORDER TO REMAIN IN THE FLOW OF GOD'S WILL FOR THE BODY OF CHRIST AND THOSE FOR WHOM GOD HAS GIVEN US RESPONSIBILITY:*

**REQUIRED ADMINISTRATIVE SUPPORTS:**

1. GFOC membership application - \$15.00 (non refundable).
2. GFOC annual ID - \$15.00

GFOC may approve, disapprove or void any membership/renewal application with or without question. BUT, a life-time faithfulness is required of every member. 1Cor. 4:1-2.

Sign: \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

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