



New Biblical Church Charter
For

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Recognition is given this day for having demonstrated dedication to the Holy Bible and the Christian faith, and in acknowledgement of evangelical and ministerial efforts in this Independent Charter.

Church Charter for Covenant of Hope Ministries
Evangelical Covenant Ministry Statement of Faith

Covenant of Hope Ministries is a church built on the hopes and dreams of those who believe fully in spreading the Word that Our Savior Jesus Christ Lives. We're in a small town, Midway, Georgia, with members from all over the place. We serve any and all who would wish to be a part of it. We have wonderful, faithful members who are part of the church, and are always or nearly always there to participate in some fashion. We take working for the Lord seriously as ministers and as disciples and apostles for Christ.

- 1. We believe in the Scriptures of the Old and New Testaments as verbally inspired by God and inerrant in the original writings, and that they are the supreme and final authority by which all human opinions, creeds or conducts shall be tried and judged.**
- 2. We believe that Jesus Christ was begotten by the Holy Spirit, born to the Virgin Mary, and is both true God and true man.**
- 3. We believe that man was created in the image of God; that he sinned, and thereby incurred not only physical death, but also that spiritual death, which is separation from God; and that all human beings are born with a sinful nature and, in the case of those who reach moral responsibility, manifest themselves as sinners in thought, word, and deed.**
- 4. We believe that the Lord Jesus Christ died for our sins according to Scriptures as a representative and substitutionary sacrifice, and that all who believe in Him are justified on the basis of His precious blood shed on Calvary's cross.**
- 5. We believe every person should be water baptized by immersion, as commanded by our LORD, following his/her conversion to Christ. Water baptism is a symbol of the Christian's identification with Christ in His death, burial, and resurrection (Matt 28:19; Rom 6:4; Col. 2:12; Acts 8:36-39). We respect our brethren who hold another view on the mode of baptism.**

- 6. We believe in the bodily resurrection of Jesus Christ, who has ascended into heaven and ever lives to intercede for us as our High Priest.**
- 7. We believe in the second coming of Jesus Christ, the personal return of our Lord and Savior.**
- 8. We believe in the bodily resurrection of all men, those who have done good unto the resurrection of life and those who have done evil unto the resurrection of damnation (John 5:29).**
- 9. We believe that the Baptism in the Holy Spirit is a second experience subsequent to salvation for believers who have already been born again. The Baptism in the Holy Spirit anoints the child of God with power to witness and with supernatural strength to live the resurrected life. We believe that all 25 gifts of the Holy Spirit should be operating in each local church today, even as they did in the early church. Jesus Christ is the same yesterday and today and forever.**
- 10. We believe that all who receive by faith the Lord Jesus Christ as their Lord are born again of the Holy Spirit and have become children of God and members of the Body of Christ. We desire to have fellowship with all those who are born again and who love to praise His holy name.**
- 11. We believe in one God, eternally existing in three persons – Father, Son and Holy Spirit. (I John 5:7,8)**
- 12. We believe in the sanctity of marriage, and that marriage is the union of a man and a woman and that the doctrine of marriage was established during the creation. Genesis 2:18, 21-24: and the LORD God said, It is not good that man should be alone; I will make him an help meet for him. And the LORD God caused a deep sleep to fall upon Adam, and he slept: and he took one of his ribs, and closed up the flesh instead thereof; And the rib, which the LORD God had taken from man, made he a woman, and brought her unto the man. And Adam said, This is now bone of my bones, and flesh of my flesh: she shall be called Woman, because she was taken out of Man. Therefore shall a man leave his father and his mother, and shall cleave unto his wife: and they shall be one flesh.**

I do set my bow in the cloud, and it shall be for a token of a covenant between me and the earth. (Genesis 9:13 KJV)

For where two or three are gathered together in my name, there am I in the midst of them. (Matthew 18:20 KJV)

And he that sat was to look upon like a jasper and a sardine stone: and there was a rainbow round about the throne, in sight like unto an emerald. (Revelation 4:3 KJV)

The Membership of Covenant of Hope Ministries shares the truth found in God's Promise sealed with Heaven's Bow.

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