

## **Prayer Shield Covenant, Guidelines and Commitment**

Vows as unto the Lord - Psalm 50:14; 55:13; 75:11

It is very important that the person who has asked you to join their Prayer Shield be bathed in fervent and *intentional* prayer. He/She will have a specific team of three (3) intercessors who accept the assignment to pray for him/her which may include personal needs, professional needs, health, ministry, and/or family. Prayer focus can be rotated monthly between the three members of the Prayer Shield Trio.

"Though one may be overpowered, two can defend themselves.

A cord of three strands is not quickly broken." Ecclesiastes 4:12

## BEFORE ACCEPTING THIS ASSIGNMENT, PLEASE READ THE FOLLOWING AND PRAY FOR GUIDEANCE:

- Confess Jesus Christ as Savior and accept this call of God to serve as an intercessor on this special team.
- Prayer Shield Member must have email capability and check their emails on a regular basis if your leader communicates their needs through email.
- Please respond to all emails, phone calls and texts from the person for whom you are praying.
- Pray for the prayer lists and prayer requests submitted to the Prayer Shield Trio team.
- Pray faithfully and regularly for the person who has requested you join their Prayer Shield. Your prayer assignment is specifically for that person and the ministry, business/vocation or family they represent.
- When a Prayer Meeting is scheduled all Prayer Shield members are encouraged to be present, if possible. Your leader may also schedule Conference Call prayer meetings.
- If applicable: When a special event, meeting, conference, speaking engagement, prayer walk, day of fasting, etc. is scheduled you are asked to pray prior to that event/meeting/appointment and silently during the event if you are in attendance. For events, Prayer Shield members may be asked to arrive 30-60 minutes early to pray over the facility and for the person you represent.
- Regularly encourage your Leader with a phone call, email, or note card as you feel led by God.
- Note: Prayer requests MUST be kept confidential! The only Person you should discuss these needs with, is God. You should not give advice or your personal opinion about the matter, but simply pray as they have requested. However, you may be prompted to give encouragement from God's Word as He so leads.

<u>AN ASSIGNMENT</u>: This "prayer covering" is more than just intercessory prayer. This is an important assignment from God i.e. taking prayer to a whole new level! The person who has asked you to join their Prayer Shield welcomes the opportunity to meet with you, on occasion, to learn the passion of your heart. It is a special blessing when all members of the Prayer Shield have the opportunity to meet and pray together.

This commitment is for one year but may be extended indefinitely, as God leads. How exciting to know that the prayers of the saints are forever in the Throne Room. (Rev. 5:8)

Thank you for your commitment to serve our Lord and this individual in this important capacity!

PRAYER SHIELD MEMBER: (As stated in Gen. 31:44)	Email	Phone	
Signed			_
Address		Date	_

