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**Event and Activity Substitution of Liability and Release  
CHURCH YOUTH LEADER**

Event: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Event: \_\_\_\_\_

In consideration of CrossTies Christian Ministries, Inc. (hereinafter referred to as CTCM), furnishing services, premises and/or equipment to enable me and/or the children in my group (hereinafter collectively referred to as "Participants") to voluntarily participate in any activity or event sponsored in full or in part by CTCM, including but not limited to such extreme sports activities as paintball, inline skating, skateboarding, BMX biking and wall climbing, and all other activities, I agree as follows:

I fully understand and acknowledge that (a) risks and dangers exist in Participants' use of any and all equipment and Participants' participation in any and all activities; (b) Participants' participation in such activities and/or use of such equipment may result in Participants' injury or illness including but not limited to bodily injury including broken bones, disease strains, fractures, partial and/or total paralysis, eye injury, blindness, heat stroke, heart attack, death or other ailments that could cause serious disability; (c) these risks and dangers may be caused by the negligence of the board of directors, board of advisors, employees, officers, volunteers, agents or lessors of CTCM, the negligence of Participants, the negligence of others, accidents, breaches of contract, the forces of nature or other causes, and such risks and dangers may arise from foreseeable or unforeseeable causes; and (d) by Participants' participation in these activities and/or use of equipment and/or premises, my Church hereby assumes all risks and dangers and all responsibility for any losses and/or damages, whether caused in whole or in part by the negligence or other conduct of the board of directors, board of advisors, employees, officers, volunteers, agents or lessors of CTCM, or by any other person.

I hereby irrevocably grant to CTCM perpetually, exclusively, and for all media throughout the world (including print, non- theatrical, home video, digital or analog media, internet and any other electronic medium presently in existence or invented in the future), the right to use and incorporate (alone or together with other materials), in whole or in part, photographs or video footage taken of Participants as a result of participation in any and all activities sponsored in part or in full by CTCM.

I hereby acknowledge that my Church maintains liability insurance for any and all injuries or illnesses which may occur to Participants, or that my Church is self-insured with regard to such instances, and with the authority of my Church hereby voluntarily agree to release, waive, discharge, hold harmless, defend and indemnify CTCM and its board of directors, board of advisors, employees, officers, volunteers, agents and lessors from any and all claims, actions or losses for bodily injury, property damage, wrongful death, loss of services, or which otherwise may arise out of my use of any and all equipment or premises, or Participants' participation in any and all activities. I understand that I am releasing, discharging and waiving any claims or actions that Participants may have presently or in the future for the negligent acts or other conduct by the board of directors, board of advisors, employees, officers, volunteers, agents or lessors of CTCM, and substituting my Church as the responsible party for any and all such claims or actions. This waiver is valid until rescinded in writing and delivered by US Postal Service to 9876 E. 2000<sup>th</sup> Avenue, West York, IL, 62478.

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I have read the above waiver and release and by signing it agree as a Church Youth Leader that it is my intention to exempt and relieve CTCM from liability for personal injury, property damage or wrongful death caused by negligence or any other cause. I represent and certify that I have the authority of my Church to voluntarily enter into the above waiver and release, thereby placing my Church in the position to be responsible for any and all bodily injuries or illnesses which may occur to Participants. I have further gained the permission from a parent and/or guardian of each of the Participants as represented below and that each such parent and/or guardian has full knowledge of his or her child's participation in any and all activities sponsored in full or in part by CTCM.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Printed Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Church: \_\_\_\_\_

