

DISCIPLINE POLICY **of David Herzog Ministries**

“And if your brother sins, go and reprove him in private; if he listens to you, you have won your brother. But if he does not listen to you, take one or more with you, so that by the mouth of two or three witnesses every fact may be confirmed. And if he refuses to listen to them, tell it to the church; and if he refuses to listen even to the church, let him be to you as a Gentile and a tax-gatherer.” Matthew 18:15-17

It is the intent of David Herzog Ministries to make sure that our ministry trip be the best experience ever for each individual coming, and for the entire group as a whole. In order to ensure that, David Herzog Ministries purpose to follow biblical patterns of discipline within the confines of our trips. Submission to David Herzog Ministries leaders and authority is strongly recommended to guarantee peace and unity in the group.

David Herzog Ministries will outline the regulations that will be followed in order to avoid as many misunderstandings and conflicts as possible. You are to read the following outlined regulations, sign the consent form, and return it to us. In doing this, you agree to be in complete submission to David Herzog Ministries leaders, to receive correction, public rebuke and/or removal and finally corporate compliance with the decisions made by the leadership as indicated in the regulations. If issues of sin or disobedience come about, rest assured that we will enforce the Discipline Policy outlined to bring resolution to the situation.

The reason being for even having this Discipline Policy is for your own protection and well-being, and with your best interest at heart. This trip is not your typical tour trip but is to be taken very seriously. It is meant to impart to you the importance of Israel and to be a blessing to them and be blessed in the process. It is also to rediscover, relive and reconnect with our Jewish roots that we, the Church, have lost. At the same time, we want to be a blessing to the people of Israel in spiritual and practical ways, showing our solidarity and support to them in their time of need. Just like with Queen Esther in the Bible, we are identifying with Israel/the Jews and choose to be there for them for such a time as this.

Therefore this trip involves spiritual warfare. Because of this mission, we have just declared war against the enemy and he is like a roaring lion seeking for someone whom he may devour, and we are to be smart and discerning enough to not allow him to even come close to our perimeters. We must be wise, vigilant and alert against the enemy's schemes, devices and subtleties. That is why we need to take the proper precautions and put this Discipline Policy in place, so as to not attract any unnecessary conflicts and not put the group and the mission at risk in creating any open doors for attacks and dangers from the enemy.

We realize that if you are not right with God, the enemy will find an opening and use it against you. If the door is not open too wide, then a slight correction will

bring resolve to the situation. If sin has had its hold on you for too long, even correction from loving brothers and sisters may not suffice to turn you aside and resolve the problem. If that should be the case, you will be asked to leave and be sent back home within 24 hours. In signing this consent form, you agree to abide by the decisions of David Herzog Ministries leadership and their collective wisdom in handling such matters.

It is not our intention for the whole group to know the details of any given situation, unless the problem takes place before them. But if it can be contained to just the ministry leaders, then it shall remain just among us. You must trust us as those in authority over you to seek the Lord in our decisions. In signing this, you agree to abide completely by our decisions. You must understand that we want nothing more than to make this trip to be the most transforming and blessed trip you ever had, which requires us to keep things in order and not make any room for sin and rebellion. For that to happen, we must be realistic as the apostles were, and follow the guidelines they have laid before us.

We have had ministry trips almost destroyed because of one person's disobedience or sin. It is from these experiences that we have endeavored to enforce order in the group as to avoid any open doors to the enemy in bringing confusion, offenses and destruction that would put the entire group and mission at risk. Therefore, compliance with our decisions is not optional, but mandatory.

Here is the Discipline Policy Regulations:

- 1) If you have a problem with anyone, you are to go to that person first, without going to anyone else. Go and make an effort to bring understanding and resolution with that person. If it is with someone of the opposite sex, then talk to him/her in a public setting where others are around but cannot hear. Many times what you consider a problem is just a misunderstanding and bringing it to their attention often resolves it.**
- 2) If you find no resolution after you have talked with them one-on-one, you are then to bring it to your Team Leader. The individuals involved are required to go and discuss the problem with the Team Leader. Then the Team Leader will determine what the problem is, who is at fault, and bring understanding and closure to the situation.**
- 3) If your Team Leader finds later that peace and closure was not attained after the meeting, and that the people involved are in rebellion and refuse the correction given, he/she will bring the matter before the Head Leaders, David and Stephanie Herzog or their representatives, and they will bring final closure to the situation in which all parties involved will be present to hear how the matter should be resolved and have closure. At this time, options will be given as to how it will end. The most probable option would be returning home within 24 hours.**
- 4) If what you are involved in is a sin that cannot be taken care of in a timely manner at the discretion of leadership or would affect the team**

in an unpleasant way or put them at risk, David Herzog Ministries leadership has the right send you back home immediately.

- 5) In signing this agreement, you not only agree to follow these regulations for discipline if you are directly involved, but you also agree as a team member to follow and respect the directions, orders and decisions of the leadership regarding other team members.

Trip Name and Date: _____

I, (Print name) _____ agree to the Discipline Policy of David Herzog Ministries written and agree to abide to all the regulations written and to submit to their authority and leadership. I agree to accept the applications of these regulations according to any of my behavior that requires any disciplinary action.

Print Name: _____

Signature: _____

Date Signed: _____

Media Release Form

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I, hereby authorize David Herzog Ministries to use any photographs and/or video footage taken of myself in any and all publication forms mentioned above.

Print Name: _____

Signature: _____

Date Signed: _____