

## **PARTICIPANT AGREEMENT, RELEASE AND ASSUMPTION OF RISK**

In consideration of the services of St. Peter's Catholic Church, The Roman Catholic Diocese of Lafayette, Louisiana, its staff, volunteers, chaperones, and all other persons or entities acting in any capacity on their behalf, I hereby agree to release, indemnify, and discharge St. Peters Catholic Church, on behalf of myself, my children, my parents, my heirs, assigns, personal representative and estate as follows:

I acknowledge that my participation wills all UPLIFT/Youth4Truth summer 2011 activities sponsored by St. Peter's Catholic Church entails known and unanticipated risks that could result in physical or emotional injury, paralysis, death or damage to myself, to property, or to third parties. I understand that such risks simply cannot be eliminated without jeopardizing the essential qualities of the activities.

I expressly agree and promise to accept and assume all of the risks existing in these activities. Participation in these activities is purely voluntary.

I hereby voluntarily release, forever discharge, and agree to indemnify and hold harmless St Peters Catholic Church, The Roman Catholic Diocese of Lafayette, Louisiana, and all of their volunteers and staff, from any and all claims, demands, or causes of action, which are in any way connected with participation in the UPLIFT/Youth4Truth Summer 2011 activities.

I release the use of all photos, videos and other media taken while participating in UPLIFT/Youth4Truth summer 2011 activities to St. Peters Catholic Church for promotion purposes.

**By signing this document, I acknowledge that if anyone is hurt or property is damaged during participation in UPLIFT/Youth4Truth Summer 2011 activities, I may be found in a court of law to have waived my rights to maintain a lawsuit against St. Peters Catholic Church, the Roman Catholic Diocese of Lafayette Louisiana, or anyone acting on their behalf on the basis of any claim from which I have released them herein.**

**I have had sufficient opportunity to read this entire document. I have read and understood it, and I agree to be bound by its terms.**

In consideration of \_\_\_\_\_ (print participants name) being permitted to participate in St. Peters UPLIFT/Youth4Truth summer 2011 activities, I further agree to indemnify and hold harmless St Peters Catholic Church, the Roman Catholic Diocese of Lafayette, Louisiana, and all those acting on their behalf, from any and all claims which are brought by, or on behalf of (minor) and which are in any way connected with such use of participation by (minor).

**Signature of parent/ legal guardian:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

***Must be hand delivered to the Youth Minister at the event!***