

## Stephen Ministry Agreement

In order to verify that you understand the requirements and demands of the Stephen Ministry Training process, please read the following information and sign on the line provided at the bottom of this sheet.

The Stephen Ministry of Cedar Hills Community Church is guided in its ministry by the vision and mission statements you read below.

**Vision:** Empowered by the Holy Spirit to be a reliable source of God's love to the lost and hurting.

**Mission:** To come alongside people in need with the care and love of Christ.

1. I understand 50 hours of training are required before I can be commissioned as a Stephen Minister.
2. This training consists of 18 lessons taught in 20 sessions, which will include two Saturday workshops.
3. Trainees may not miss more than two sessions or they will be dropped from the Stephen Ministry training class.
4. Cost for materials is \$50.
5. As a trained Stephen Minister I agree to minister for at least a two-year period.
6. During those two years, I understand I will be expected to attend regularly scheduled supervision sessions two times per month, as well as continuing education classes which are offered to expand the care-giving skills of the Stephen Minister.

I have read, understand and agree to receive the training as described above which will prepare me to serve as a Stephen Minister at Cedar Hills Community Church.

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Signed

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Date