



## Fort Wilderness Ministries Participants Acknowledgement of Risk

In consideration of the services of Fort Wilderness, their staff, volunteers, and all other persons associated with their ministry hereinafter referred to as Fort Wilderness, I agree as follows:

Although Fort Wilderness has taken reasonable steps to provide you with appropriate equipment and knowledgeable people so you can enjoy activities for which you may not be skilled, we wish to remind you these activities are not without risk. Certain risks cannot be eliminated without destroying the unique character of the activity. The same elements that contribute to the unique character of certain activities can be causes of loss or damage to your equipment, or accidental injury, illness, or in extreme cases, permanent trauma or death. We do think it is important for you to know in advance and to be informed of the inherent risks. The following describes some, but not all of those risks: Road and terrain hazards, risks associated with vehicles moving, horses and rider/animal behavior, weather conditions, ice, skiing terrain and equipment, inner tubes and slopes, ice and wet areas, and the usual activity of engaging, mounting or dismounting in any of these activities. I understand that my actions, falling objects in moving conditions and lack of following rules of procedure can add to my risk.

I am aware that the above stated activities entail certain risks of injury or death to myself. I understand the description of these risks is not complete and that other unknown or unanticipated risks may result in injury or death. I agree to assume responsibility for the risks herein and those risks not specifically identified. My participation in these activities is purely voluntary. I possess at least the following qualification; A) Willingness to abide by the safety instructions concerning my well being. B) Willing to inform necessary personnel of my disabilities that might affect my safety, such as serious heart or other health problems that could endanger me or someone else.

I certify that I am fully capable of participating in the activities I sign up for. Therefore, I assume full responsibility for myself, including my minor children, for bodily injury, death and loss of personal property and expenses thereof as a result those inherent risks and dangers and of my negligence in participation in any of the activities.

I have read and accepted the terms and conditions stated herein and acknowledge that this agreement shall be effective and binding upon myself, my heirs, assigns, personal representatives, and estate for all members of my family listed in this "Acknowledgement of Risk" Form.

Full name and address of Participant: _____ _____ _____	
_____ Signature	_____ Date
_____ Signature of Parent or Guardian if under 18	_____ Date