



Dear GOU Prospective Participant:

Thank you for your interest in a Global Outreaches Unlimited (GOU) trip. The following pages will give you details regarding the 2010 GOU trips. Read through the information carefully, and then prayerfully consider which trip will work for you. Any of the trips should be rewarding for those who want to grow in the Lord and give themselves in service to Him.

Complete and return the registration form to the GOU office by the due date. All other required forms should be returned to the GOU office no later than one month prior to your trip. Be sure you legibly complete all applicable forms. Call the GOU office if you need clarification on anything.

Please review the Payment Schedule and Required Forms sheets. Also, make note of the following:

- **Registration fee and payment schedule** – No group/person will be registered for a trip until the GOU office receives the registration fee. To secure your spot on a trip and to avoid late fees you need to follow the payment schedule carefully.
- **Payments** – Be sure your payments arrive at the GOU office by the due date. Cancellations may result from late payments. Read through the Cancellation Policy carefully.
- **Required Forms** – The required forms are extremely important and if not completed could prohibit a person from going on the trip. **IMPORTANT NOTE: There are different Waivers/Authorization Forms for U.S. travel and for foreign travel. Please complete the appropriate form for the trip you are applying for.**
- **Ground Transportation** – For Mexico trips, ground transportation is the responsibility of the group/individual. Contact Linda Dixon in the GOU office for help in making your ground transportation arrangements.
- **Airline travel** – When GOU arranges transportation for an international trip, you are responsible for your transportation to and from the departure point. If a minor (under 18 years of age) is traveling on an international trip a Travel Affidavit for Minors will need to be completed and notarized before travel. The Travel Affidavit will be sent at a later date.
- **Illumatrek trip** – participants must have completed their sophomore year in high school.
- You may wish to solicit donations for your trip from family and friends. See the sample letter.

Upon acceptance of your registration, you will receive additional information including suggested packing lists and specifics about your trip. We look forward to working with you.

In conclusion, I challenge you with this quote, written in 1967, by one of Open Bible's missionary statesmen...

God's Son was the first missionary. The kingdoms, nations and tongues which John saw in the Revelation should hear the message of life as well as us. You and I have a Christian heritage because someone was a missionary. We enjoy the comforts of a Godly home because someone was a missionary. Our names are written in Heaven because someone was a missionary. Shall we close our mouths of witness, our hearts of compassion or our pocketbooks of mercy? No, missions is the business of every Christian.

R. Bryant Mitchell, Open Bible missionary statesman, 1905-1997

For Christ and His Kingdom,

Paul Leavenworth
Director

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Enclosures



REQUIRED FORMS

Adults:

1. **Current Passport** – send copy of 1st page (showing passport #) to GOU office
 - a. **Required for Tijuana, Mexico, and Jamaica trips**
2. **Waiver of Liability – Adult form** – **Please complete appropriate form for the GOU trip you are going on depending upon whether your trip is in the U.S. or out of the country.**
 - a. Must be notarized
 - b. Send original to GOU office
3. **Current photo**
 - a. Send original photo to GOU office with name written on back or
 - b. Send digital photo with identification to linda@openbible.org
4. **Health insurance card**
 - a. Send copy of front and back to GOU office
 - b. Bring original or a copy of front and back with you on trip
5. **Photograph Release – Adult form** – Signing this form is not mandatory to be accepted as a GOU trip participant; however, if you agree to allow GOU and/or the Open Bible International Ministries to use your photo it must be signed and notarized. Send original to GOU.
6. Additional forms may be required upon request.

Minors: (under 18 years old):

1. **Current Passport** – send copy of 1st page (showing passport #) to GOU office
 - a. **Required for Tijuana, Mexico, and Jamaica trips**
2. **Authorization Form – Minor form** – **Please complete appropriate form for the GOU trip you are going on depending upon whether your trip is in the U.S. or out of the country.**
 - a. Must have two parent/guardian signatures and the participant's signature
 - b. Must be notarized
 - c. Send original to GOU office
3. **Current photo**
 - a. Send original photo to GOU office with name written on back or
 - b. Send digital photo with identification to linda@openbible.org
4. **Health insurance card**
 - a. Send copy of front and back to GOU office
 - b. Bring original or a copy of front and back with you on trip
5. **Photograph Release – Minor form** – Signing this form is not mandatory to be accepted as a GOU trip participant; however, if you agree to allow GOU and/or the Open Bible International Ministries to use your photo it must be signed and notarized. Send original to GOU.
6. **Airline Minor Permission Form** – If you are flying out of the country, GOU will send you a Travel Affidavit for Minors form. Send or fax copy of completed form to GOU office, give original to trip leader. This form gives permission for minors to travel without their parent/guardian out of the United States under the supervision of the trip leader.
7. Additional forms may be required upon request.



SAFETY ADVISORY

Individuals participating in a Global Outreaches Unlimited trip are advised that there may be risks for Americans traveling overseas. Specific risks include the threat of terrorism, political uncertainty, and civil disturbances. These concerns may pose risks of an undetermined nature. It is further understood that there may be health issues related to culture, food, water, and substandard medical facilities in the host country. Global Outreaches Unlimited is committed to do everything possible to insure the safety and well being of all participants.

Our commitment to safety can be found in the fact that:

1. Research will continually be done on the countries of destination.
2. Open Bible has established fields in the countries of destination.
3. Global Outreaches Unlimited consults with Open Bible International Ministries regarding short-term outreach.
4. Open Bible International Ministries is networked with several different mission agencies as well as consulting agencies that monitor safety around the world.
5. Global Outreaches Unlimited receives legal counsel from Open Bible's Secretary/Treasurer, who is an attorney.
6. Global Outreaches Unlimited is under the covering of the Open Bible Leadership Development Department and an Open Bible national office advisory team that monitors all trips and keeps abreast of potential situations within the countries of destination.
7. Global Outreaches Unlimited will place safety first and therefore, reserves the right to terminate a trip if the situation in the country or at home should so warrant.
8. Global Outreaches Unlimited advises all participants to check with their health insurance company to see that their coverage extends to other countries.

We will notify you if there are any legitimate concerns regarding team welfare and safety. You may also contact us at any time with your questions or concerns.

Please call or write:

**Global Outreaches Unlimited
Open Bible Churches
2020 Bell Ave.
Des Moines, IA 50315-1096
515.288.6761
linda@openbible.org**



2010 GOU TRIPS and PAYMENT SCHEDULES

2010 TRIPS SCHEDULE *

<u>DESTINATION</u>	<u>DATES</u>	<u>NIGHTS</u>	<u>MEALS BEGIN</u>	<u>MEALS END</u>	<u>PRICE</u>
GOU 1: Tijuana, Mexico	March 20-26	7	B 3.21	D 3.26	\$250+TSD+GT+H (\$5000)
GOU 2: Illumatrek to Washington, D.C.	June 14-20	6	D 6.14	B 6.20	\$500 + TD
GOU 3: Billings & Hardin, MT	June 21-27	6	D 6.21	L 6.27	\$250 + TD
GOU 4: Minneapolis, MN	June 24-July 1	7	D 6.24	B 7.1	\$250 + TD + GT
GOU 5: Jamaica	July 8-16	8	D 7.8	B 7.16	\$900 + TDD
GOU 6: Tijuana, Mexico	July 11-16	5	D 7.11	B 7.16	\$200+TSD+GT+H (\$5000)

For additional information read the

**2010 Trips Payment Schedule below and the
GOU Cancellation Policy & General Guidelines**

Key

D = Dinner
B = Breakfast
L = Lunch
H = House building materials

TDD = Transportation to departure destination
TSD = Transportation to San Diego
GT = Ground Transportation
TD = Transportation to destination

NOTE: * All information is subject to change

2010 TRIPS PAYMENT SCHEDULE *

<u>DESTINATION</u>	<u>DATES</u>	<u>PRICE (PP)</u>	<u>REGISTRATION</u> Non-refundable Send with Registration form		<u>2ND</u> <u>PAYMENT</u>		<u>FINAL</u> <u>PAYMENT</u>		<u>HOUSE</u> <u>PAYMENT</u> <u>(\$5000)</u> 1st \$500 Non-re- fundable
			<u>PP</u> <u>Fee</u>	<u>Due</u> <u>Date</u>	<u>Amt.</u>	<u>Due</u> <u>Date</u>	<u>Amt.</u>	<u>Due</u> <u>Date</u>	<u>Amt. &</u> <u>Due Date</u>
GOU 1: Tijuana, Mexico	March 20-26	\$250 + TSD + GT + H	\$50	11.2.09	-----	-----	\$200	2.19	\$500 due 12.1.09; \$4500 due 2.5.10
GOU 2: Illumatrek, Washington D.C.	June 14-20	\$500 + TD	\$50	3.15	\$250	4.15	\$200	5.13	n/a
GOU 3: Billings & Hardin, MT	June 21-27	\$250 + TSD	\$50	3.17	-----	-----	\$200	5.17	n/a
GOU 4: Minneapolis, MN	June 24-July 1	\$250 + TD + GT	\$50	3.24			\$200	5.24	n/a
GOU 5: Jamaica	July 8-16	\$900 + TDD	\$50	2.8	\$450	4.8	\$400	6.8	n/a
GOU 6: Tijuana, Mexico	July 11-16	\$200 + TSD + GT + H	\$50	3.1			\$150	5.11	\$500 due 3.26.10; \$4500 due 5.27.10

Key

PP = Per Person
GT = Ground transportation
TDD = Transportation to departure destination

TD = Transportation to destination
TSD = Transportation to San Diego
H = House building materials

NOTE: * All information is subject to change

Checks should be made payable and sent to:
Global Outreaches Unlimited
Open Bible Churches
2020 Bell Avenue
Des Moines, IA 50315
Questions, call: 515.288.6761

CHECKS SHOULD ARRIVE BY DUE DATE

Please note in check memo what the check is paying
for (i.e. registration, house, service project, etc.)



2010 CANCELLATION POLICY and GENERAL GUIDELINES *

PAYMENT PHILOSOPHY

We strive to keep the price of our full service mission trips low so as many individuals as possible can participate. To insure the success of a trip many materials need to be purchased and arrangements made in advance. If your payments are not punctual, it affects the cash flow from the GOU office to the mission trip field. For instance, the missionaries start preparation for construction projects months in advance. It is vital they receive the project money on time. Other examples are food preparation, purchasing ministry tools such as for VBS, and materials needed for ministry outreach. It is our desire to get your group out on the field as quickly as possible. If your group's money is late, this severely hinders our ability to make all the preparations ahead of your arrival, especially when we are running multiple trips simultaneously.

TRIP PAYMENT GUIDELINES

1. Pay on time to avoid losing your group's/individual spot on the trip and to avoid late payment fees.
2. If the GOU office has not received your registration money by the due date, you will not have a spot on a trip.
3. If there is a waiting list for the trip, those groups/individuals will be inserted instead of the late payers. If there is no waiting list, late registrations may be accepted, however late registrations will be assessed a \$10.00 per person charge (not to exceed \$100.00).
4. Registration fees are non-refundable. However, (for a group) if you have paid, for example, registration for 10 spots and an individual cancels, you can fill that spot with another person up to 14 days prior to the trip. If you do not fill the spot 14 days prior to the trip, the registration money is forfeited. If someone fills the spot less than 14 days prior to the trip, a new registration fee must be paid.
5. GOU must pay deposits/payments for international airfare well in advance of a trip. If there is a cancellation after a deposit and/or payment has been made for international airfare, there will be no refund to the individual or group who cancelled.
6. If balance payments are received late, you could lose your spot on the trip. If there is a waiting list for the trip, those groups/individuals will be inserted instead of the late payers. If there is no waiting list, late balance payments may be accepted, however they will be assessed a \$10.00 per person charge (not to exceed \$100.00).
7. Balance payments are refundable and transferable to another person up to 21 days prior to the trip. If a new person is added to a group less than 21 days prior to the trip, that person's balance payments must be paid in full and the group is still responsible for the previous person's balance, as well.
8. All prices and dates subject to change.

CONSTRUCTION PAYMENT GUIDELINES

1. Occasionally GOU participants will have the opportunity to be part of a construction project. In the event this happens, GOU will establish a separate payment schedule for construction projects. In the event of house construction in Tijuana, Mexico, the first \$500 payment toward the house is non-refundable if the team cancels the trip or the building project.
2. Money will be due in accordance with the payment schedule. Supplies need to be purchased well in advance of construction.
3. GOU reserves the right to terminate a construction project if the money is not in on time.

TRAVEL GUIDELINES

1. Transportation to and from a rendezvous point is the responsibility of the group/individual.
2. Ground transportation into Mexico from the rendezvous point is the responsibility of the group/individual.
3. The GOU office can help with ground transportation. However, to offer this service, the GOU office needs to know at least one month in advance of the trip.

* All information is subject to change

Guidelines

I AM GOING ON A MISSIONARY TRIP



(Use this sample only to request contributions for payments to the GOU office.)

YOUR
PICTURE
HERE

Your name

I have been accepted to go on a missions trip with a 2010 Global Outreaches Unlimited (GOU) team. GOU is a ministry of Open Bible Churches. Each year a limited number of people are accepted by GOU for various trips around the world. On fill in date of trip I will be going to fill in the name of the country. GOU will be a learning experience for me, but also much more than that. The objectives of GOU are to give an opportunity for individuals to experience spiritual growth and development, share our faith in Christ, minister to the people of fill in name of country, and fellowship with other Christians. I am looking forward to this exciting opportunity.

This is a big step for me because I need to raise enough money to participate on the GOU team. The cost of the GOU trip is \$fill in the price plus the cost of my transportation to the departure point.

I am writing to family and friends to ask if they would be willing to help me with my expenses for this missions trip. I've enclosed a pre-addressed envelope to Open Bible Churches so that you can respond. I'm looking forward to this trip and hope you can help make this a reality for me. I will really appreciate any help you can give. Whether or not you can contribute financially, I ask for your prayers between now and the time I return. I want God to use me and the entire team as we minister. Thanks for listening and for caring.

Add personal comments and sign your name

Your first name, I want to help you go on the GOU mission to name of country/city. Here is my contribution.

Enclosed \$ _____

From: NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

(Make checks payable to Open Bible Churches. In the memo write "GOU and my name." Send your check to GOU – Open Bible Churches, 2020 Bell Avenue, Des Moines, IA 50315. The GOU office will notify me of your contribution.)

(Tear off and enclose with your contribution. The team member will be notified of your contribution. Contributions in excess of needed amount will be returned to the donor.)



REGISTRATION FORM

PLEASE COMPLETE AND RETURN TO:

Global Outreaches Unlimited
 Open Bible Churches - 2020 Bell Ave.
 Des Moines, IA 50315-1096

Individual registration (not traveling with a group) – Complete Section 1

SECTION 1

Name: _____
 Address _____
 City, State & Zip _____
 Phone: _____ E-mail: _____
 Church I attend _____ City & State _____
 Pastor or Youth Pastor Name _____ Phone _____
 Trip applying for: GOU ____ Destination _____ Date of trip _____
 Refer to GOU Trips and Payment Schedule page

Complete sections 2 and 3 for a Group Registration

SECTION 2

Church: _____ Church address _____
 City, State & Zip _____ Church phone: _____
 Group leader _____ Leader's phone _____
 Leader's email _____
 Trip applying for: GOU ____ Destination _____ Date of trip _____
 Refer to GOU Trips and Payment Schedule page

COMPLETE Section 3 for a Group Registration

SECTION 3

PRINT CLEARLY! PHOTOCOPY FOR ADDITIONAL NAMES.

	NAME	BIRTH DATE	GENDER		T-SHIRT SIZE
			M	F	
1.					
2.					
3.					
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10.					

RETURN WITH REGISTRATION FEES AND REQUIRED FORMS TO GOU OFFICE (ADDRESS ABOVE)



FOR A GOU TRIP TO A FOREIGN COUNTRY

TRIP DESTINATION: _____

Date of trip: _____

WAIVER OF LIABILITY FORM – ADULT

(Use if 18 or over – if under 18 use **Authorization Form – Minor**)

Name _____

Address _____

Age _____ Date of birth _____ Home church _____

Phone: Day _____ Evening _____

Emergency contact name _____ Phone _____

PERSONAL IDENTIFICATION QUESTIONS

1. What is your mother’s maiden name? _____
2. What is your favorite sport? _____
3. What is your favorite color? _____

MEDICAL INFORMATION

1. Name of medical insurance company _____
2. Is your medical insurance valid outside of the United States? Yes _____ No _____ Check with your insurance provider. If no, please contact one of the following Web sites for short-term mission trip options. Short-term mission trip insurance is not required for travel to Mexico; however, GOU strongly encourages additional insurance for travel outside the U.S. Global Outreaches Unlimited and Open Bible Churches accept no responsibility for medical costs incurred while an individual is traveling on a GOU trip. Web sites to contact: Insurance Services of America – www.missionaryhealth.net (foreign travel), www.missionaryhealth.com (stateside travel); STM Services International – www.STMServices.com; Global Travel Insurance – www.globaltravelinsurance.com; Go Mission Trip – www.gomissiontrip.com.
3. Please bring the original or a copy (front & back) of your medical card with you on the trip.
4. Are you allergic to any medication? Yes _____ No _____ If yes, please specify _____

5. Are you currently taking any medication? Yes _____ No _____ If yes, what kind? _____
For what reason? _____
6. Date of last tetanus inoculation: _____

WAIVER OF LIABILITY

The undersigned does hereby consent to take part in the noted activity organized by Global Outreaches Unlimited, a ministry of Open Bible Churches, a religious, non-profit corporation. I have been informed that a foreign country is very different from the United States. I have been apprised that there are risks politically, militarily, culturally, safety wise, and health wise and that problems in any or all of these areas may arise during this mission trip. In addition, I have been apprised that the threat of terrorism against Americans increases on foreign soil. I am also aware of the threat of terrorism in air travel both from American and foreign airports. I also understand that this trip will involve mission activities, sporting activities and interaction directly with people while on this trip. I am willing to assume responsibility for my own health and safety while traveling to and from the mission trip destination. I agree to assume all expenses occasioned by any injury or loss and do wholly release Open Bible Churches and Global Outreaches Unlimited from any responsibility or liability, and waive any claims or causes of action against it, its agents, employees, and volunteer assistants which may arise on account of any loss, injury or expense occasioned by any sort of accident or other circumstances involving any foreign or travel risk and agree to hold harmless Open Bible Churches and Global Outreaches Unlimited in the event any such claims should arise.

The undersigned agrees to abide by the rules and regulations, supervision and discipline set and applied by Open Bible Churches, Global Outreaches Unlimited and its agents and does hereby authorize Global Outreaches Unlimited or its staff members or other agents to arrange for and consent to x-ray examinations, anesthetic, dental, medical or surgical diagnosis, and treatment, and hold harmless Global Outreaches Unlimited and Open Bible Churches from any such. The undersigned will furnish payment or insurance for any such treatments, at his/her own expense. I have read the above waiver of liability and completed the medical information. I understand its content and import and agree to its provisions. I hereby declare this release and Waiver of Liability form is executed without reliance upon any statement or representation of Open Bible Churches or Global Outreaches Unlimited or any agent, employee or volunteer thereof and the execution is made voluntarily and knowingly.

IMPORTANT ADVISORY: Individuals traveling to a foreign country and reentering the U.S. are advised that having in their possession illegal substances (drugs) or illegal merchandise are subject to severe penalties including fines and imprisonment as prescribed by each country. Violation of such laws overseas often results in automatic and lengthy prison terms.

MUST BE SIGNED IN THE PRESENCE OF A NOTARY PUBLIC

Signature of trip participant _____ **Date** _____

STATE OF _____

COUNTY OF _____

On this _____ day of _____ A.D. 20____, before me, the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for said County, in said State, personally appeared _____ to me known to be the identical person(s) named in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged that **he/she/they** executed the same as **his/her/their** voluntary act and deed.

Notary Public

Send this original, a current photo, and a copy of your passport to the GOU office (address below). A facsimile or photocopy of this waiver shall be as valid as the original. See Required Forms information sheet.

Global Outreaches Unlimited
Open Bible Churches
2020 Bell Avenue
Des Moines, IA 50315



FOR A GOU TRIP IN THE UNITED STATES

TRIP DESTINATION: _____

Date of trip: _____

WAIVER OF LIABILITY FORM – ADULT

(Use if 18 or over – if under 18 use **Authorization Form – Minor**)

Name _____

Address _____

Age _____ Date of birth _____ Home church _____

Phone: Day _____ Evening _____

Emergency contact name _____ Phone _____

PERSONAL IDENTIFICATION QUESTIONS

1. What is your mother's maiden name? _____
2. What is your favorite sport? _____
3. What is your favorite color? _____

MEDICAL INFORMATION

Global Outreaches Unlimited and Open Bible Churches accept no responsibility for medical costs incurred while an individual is traveling on a GOU trip. Web sites to contact: Insurance Services of America – www.missionaryhealth.net (foreign travel) www.missionaryhealth.com (stateside travel); STM Services International – www.STMServices.com; Global Travel Insurance – www.globaltravelinsurance.com; Go Mission Trip – www.gomissiontrip.com.

1. Name of medical insurance company _____
2. Please bring the original or a copy (front & back) of your medical card with you on the trip.
3. Are you allergic to any medication? Yes _____ No _____ If yes, please specify _____

4. Are you currently taking any medication? Yes _____ No _____ If yes, what kind? _____
For what reason? _____
5. Date of last tetanus inoculation: _____

WAIVER OF LIABILITY

The undersigned does hereby consent to take part in the noted activity organized by Global Outreaches Unlimited, a ministry of Open Bible Churches, a religious, non-profit corporation. I understand that there is a general threat from terrorism in the United States and that attacks could be indiscriminate. I understand that there are risks in any location in the United States in regard to safety, health (including the current concern of the H1N1 virus), and local gang activity and problems in any or all of these areas may arise during this mission trip. I also understand that this trip will/may involve mission activities, sporting activities and interaction directly with people while on this trip. I am willing to assume responsibility for my own health and safety while traveling to and from the mission trip destination. I agree to assume all expenses occasioned by any injury or loss and do wholly release Open Bible Churches and Global Outreaches Unlimited from any responsibility or liability, and waive any claims or causes of action against it, its agents, employees, and volunteer assistants which may arise on account of any loss, injury or expense occasioned by any sort of accident or other circumstances involving any travel risk and agree to hold harmless Open Bible Churches and Global Outreaches Unlimited in the event any such claims should arise.

The undersigned agrees to abide by the rules and regulations, supervision and discipline set and applied by Open Bible Churches, Global Outreaches Unlimited and its agents and does hereby authorize Global Outreaches Unlimited or its staff members or other agents to arrange for and consent to x-ray examinations, anesthetic, dental, medical or surgical diagnosis, and treatment, and hold harmless Global Outreaches Unlimited and Open Bible Churches from any such. The undersigned will furnish payment or insurance for any such treatments, at his/her own expense. I have read the above waiver of liability and completed the medical information. I understand its content and import and agree to its provisions. I hereby declare this release and Waiver of Liability form is executed without reliance upon any statement or representation of Open Bible Churches or Global Outreaches Unlimited or any agent, employee or volunteer thereof and the execution is made voluntarily and knowingly.

IMPORTANT ADVISORY: Individuals traveling on this Global Outreaches Unlimited trip are advised that having in their possession illegal substances (drugs) or illegal merchandise are subject to severe penalties including fines and imprisonment as prescribed by law.

MUST BE SIGNED IN THE PRESENCE OF A NOTARY PUBLIC

Signature of trip participant _____ **Date** _____

STATE OF _____

COUNTY OF _____

On this _____ day of _____ A.D. 20____, before me, the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for said County, in said State, personally appeared _____ to me known to be the identical person(s) named in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged that **he/she/they** executed the same as **his/her/their** voluntary act and deed.

Notary Public

Send this original and a current photo to the GOU office (address below). A facsimile or photocopy of this waiver shall be as valid as the original. See Required Forms information sheet.

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Open Bible Churches
2020 Bell Avenue
Des Moines, IA 50315



FOR A GOU TRIP TO A FOREIGN COUNTRY

TRIP DESTINATION: _____

Date of trip: _____

AUTHORIZATION FORM – MINOR – (Under 18)

(Use if under 18 – if 18 or over use **Waiver of Liability Form – Adult**)

Name _____

Address _____

Age _____ Date of birth _____ Home church _____

Phone: Day _____ Evening _____

Emergency contact name _____ Phone _____

PERSONAL IDENTIFICATION QUESTIONS:

1. What is your mother's maiden name? _____
2. What is your favorite sport? _____
3. What is your favorite color? _____

MEDICAL INFORMATION

1. Name of medical insurance company _____
2. Is your medical insurance valid outside of the United States? Yes _____ No _____ Check with your insurance provider. If no, please contact one of the following Web sites for short-term mission trip options. Short-term mission trip insurance is not required for travel to Mexico; however, GOU strongly encourages additional insurance for travel outside the U.S. Global Outreaches Unlimited and Open Bible Churches accept no responsibility for medical costs incurred while an individual is traveling on a GOU trip. Web sites to contact: Insurance Services of America – www.missionaryhealth.net (foreign travel), www.missionaryhealth.com (stateside travel); STM Services International – www.STMServices.com; Global Travel Insurance – www.globaltravelinsurance.com; Go Mission Trip – www.gomissiontrip.com.
3. Please bring the original or a copy (front & back) of your medical card with you on the trip.
4. Are you allergic to any medication? Yes _____ No _____ If yes, please specify _____

5. Are you currently taking any medication? Yes _____ No _____ If yes, what kind? _____
For what reason? _____
6. Date of last tetanus inoculation: _____

Statement of Intent

The undersigned participant and parent/guardian do hereby consent to participate in or have our son/daughter or ward participate in the noted activity organized by Global Outreaches Unlimited, a ministry of Open Bible Churches, a religious, non-profit corporation. We have been informed that a foreign country is very different from the United States. We have been apprised that there are risks politically, militarily, culturally, safety wise, and health wise and that problems in any or all of these areas may arise during this mission trip. In addition, we have been apprised that the threat of terrorism against Americans increases on foreign soil. We are also aware of the threat of terrorism in air travel both from American and foreign airports. We also understand that this trip will involve mission activities, sporting activities and interacting directly with the people while on this trip. Having been so informed we give our permission for our son/daughter or ward to participate in the above named mission trip and we agree to assume all expenses occasioned by any injury or loss.

The undersigned participant agrees to abide by and the undersigned parent or guardian agrees that the participant is bound by the rules and regulations, supervision and discipline set and applied by Open Bible Churches and Global Outreaches Unlimited and its agents and the undersigned parent/guardian does hereby authorize Global Outreaches Unlimited or its staff members or other agents to arrange for and consent to X-ray examinations, anesthetic, dental, medical or surgical diagnosis, and treatment for his or her son/daughter or ward. The undersigned parent/guardian will furnish payment or insurance for any such treatments, at his/her own expense.

We have read the above and completed the medical information; we understand its content and import and agree to its provisions. We hereby declare this permission form is executed without reliance upon any statement or representation of Open Bible Churches or Global Outreaches Unlimited or any agent, employee or volunteer thereof and the execution is made voluntarily and knowingly.

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MUST BE SIGNED IN THE PRESENCE OF A NOTARY PUBLIC

Two parent/guardian signatures are required unless one is deceased, out of the country or there are extenuating circumstances which prohibit obtaining the signature in which case documentation must be sent with this authorization form to explain the absence of the second signature. (Call GOU office with questions.)

Parent/Guardian signature _____ Date _____

Parent/Guardian signature _____ Date _____

Signature of trip participant _____ Date _____

STATE OF _____

COUNTY OF _____

On this _____ day of _____ A.D. 20____, before me, the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for said County, in said State, personally appeared _____ to me known to be the identical person(s) named in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged that **he/she/they** executed the same as **his/her/their** voluntary act and deed.

Notary Public

Send this original, a current photo, and a copy of your passport to the GOU office (address below). A facsimile or photocopy of this waiver shall be as valid as the original. See Required Forms information sheet.

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Open Bible Churches
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Des Moines, IA 50315



FOR A GOU TRIP IN THE UNITED STATES

TRIP DESTINATION: _____

Date of trip: _____

AUTHORIZATION FORM – MINOR – (Under 18)

(Use if under 18 – if 18 or over use **Waiver of Liability Form – Adult**)

Name _____

Address _____

Age _____ Date of birth _____ Home church _____

Phone: Day _____ Evening _____

Emergency contact name _____ Phone _____

PERSONAL IDENTIFICATION QUESTIONS:

1. What is your mother's maiden name? _____
2. What is your favorite sport? _____
3. What is your favorite color? _____

MEDICAL INFORMATION

Global Outreaches Unlimited and Open Bible Churches accept no responsibility for medical costs incurred while an individual is traveling on a GOU trip. Web sites to contact: Insurance Services of America – www.missionaryhealth.net (foreign travel), www.missionaryhealth.com (stateside travel); STM Services International – www.STMServices.com; Global Travel Insurance – www.globaltravelinsurance.com; Go Mission Trip – www.gomissiontrip.com.

1. Name of medical insurance company _____
2. Please bring the original or a copy (front & back) of your medical card with you on the trip.
3. Are you allergic to any medication? Yes _____ No _____ If yes, please specify _____

4. Are you currently taking any medication? Yes _____ No _____ If yes, what kind? _____
For what reason? _____
5. Date of last tetanus inoculation: _____

Statement of Intent

The undersigned participant and parent/guardian do hereby consent to participate in or have our son/daughter or ward participate in the noted activity organized by Global Outreaches Unlimited, a ministry of Open Bible Standard Churches, a religious, non-profit corporation. We understand that there is a general threat from terrorism in the United States and that attacks could be indiscriminate. We understand that there are risks in any location in the United States in regard to safety, health (including the current concern of the H1N1 virus), and local gang activity and problems in any or all of these areas may arise during this mission trip. We also understand that this trip will/may involve mission activities, sporting activities and interaction directly with people while on this trip. Having been so informed we give our permission for our son/daughter or ward to participate in the above named mission trip and we agree to assume all expenses occasioned by any injury or loss.

The undersigned participant agrees to abide by and the undersigned parent or guardian agrees that the participant is bound by the rules and regulations, supervision and discipline set and applied by Open Bible Churches and Global Outreaches Unlimited and its agents and the undersigned parent/guardian does hereby authorize Global Outreaches Unlimited or its staff members or other agents to arrange for and consent to X-ray examinations, anesthetic, dental, medical or surgical diagnosis, and treatment for his or her son/daughter or ward. The undersigned parent/guardian will furnish payment or insurance for any such treatments, at his/her own expense.

We have read the above and completed the medical information; we understand its content and import and agree to its provisions. We hereby declare this permission form is executed without reliance upon any statement or representation of Open Bible Churches or Global Outreaches Unlimited or any agent, employee or volunteer thereof and the execution is made voluntarily and knowingly.

IMPORTANT ADVISORY: Individuals traveling on this Global Outreaches Unlimited trip are advised that having in their possession illegal substances (drugs) or illegal merchandise are subject to severe penalties including fines and imprisonment as prescribed by law.

MUST BE SIGNED IN THE PRESENCE OF A NOTARY PUBLIC

Two parent/guardian signatures are required unless one is deceased, out of the country or there are extenuating circumstances which prohibit obtaining the signature in which case documentation must be sent with this authorization form to explain the absence of the second signature. (Call GOU office with questions.)

Parent/Guardian signature _____ **Date** _____

Parent/Guardian signature _____ **Date** _____

Signature of trip participant _____ **Date** _____

STATE OF _____

COUNTY OF _____

On this _____ day of _____ A.D. 20____, before me, the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for said County, in said State, personally appeared _____ to me known to be the identical person(s) named in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged that **he/she/they** executed the same as **his/her/their** voluntary act and deed.

Notary Public

Send this original and a current photo to the GOU office (address below). A facsimile or photocopy of this waiver shall be as valid as the original. See Required Forms information sheet.

Global Outreaches Unlimited
Open Bible Churches
2020 Bell Avenue
Des Moines, IA 50315



TRIP DESTINATION _____

Date of trip: _____

PHOTOGRAPH RELEASE FORM – ADULT

(Use if 18 or over – Use **Photograph Release Form – Minor** if under 18)

Name _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone: Day _____ Evening _____ Age _____ Date of birth _____

I hereby give to Open Bible Churches, its successors in interest and assigns, the unrestricted right and permission to copyright and use, re-use, publish and republish photographic portraits or pictures of me in which I may be included intact or in part, composite or distorted in character or form, without restriction as to changes or transformations in conjunction with my own or a fictitious name, or reproduction hereof in color or otherwise, made through any and all media now or hereafter known for illustration, art, promotion, advertising, trade or any other purpose whatsoever.

I also permit the use of any public display of material in connection therewith, either in printed or digital form. I hereby relinquish any right I may have to examine or approve the completed product or products or the advertising copy or printed matter that may be used in conjunction therewith or the use to which it is applied.

I hereby release, discharge and hold harmless Open Bible Churches, its successor or assigns, its legal representatives and all persons functioning under its permission or authority, or those for whom they are functioning, from any liability by virtue of any blurring, distortion, alteration, optical illusion or use in composite form whether intentional or otherwise, that may occur or be produced in the taking of said picture or in any subsequent processing thereof, as well as any publication thereof, including without limitation any claims for libel or invasion of privacy.

I hereby affirm I am over the age of majority and have the right to contract in my own name. I have read the above authorization, release and agreement, prior to its execution and fully understand the contents thereof. This agreement shall be binding on me and my heirs; legal representatives and assigns.

MUST BE SIGNED IN THE PRESENCE OF A NOTARY PUBLIC

Signature of trip participant _____ Date _____

STATE OF _____

COUNTY OF _____

On this _____ day of _____ A.D. 20____, before me, the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for said County, in said State, personally appeared _____ to me known to be the identical person(s) named in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged that **he/she/they** executed the same as **his/her/their** voluntary act and deed.

Notary Public

Signing this form is not mandatory to be accepted as a trip participant.

Please send this original to Global Outreaches Unlimited, 2020 Bell Ave., Des Moines, IA 50315-1096. A facsimile or photocopy of this release shall be as valid as the original.



TRIP DESTINATION _____

Date of trip: _____

PHOTOGRAPH RELEASE FORM – MINOR

(Use if under 18 – Use **Adult Release Form** if 18 or over)

Name _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone: Day _____ Evening _____ Age _____ Date of birth _____

I hereby give to Open Bible Churches, its successors in interest and assigns, the unrestricted right and permission to copyright and use, re-use, publish and republish photographic portraits or pictures of me in which I may be included intact or in part, composite or distorted in character or form, without restriction as to changes or transformations in conjunction with my own or a fictitious name, or reproduction hereof in color or otherwise, made through any and all media now or hereafter known for illustration, art, promotion, advertising, trade or any other purpose whatsoever.

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Because I am under the age of majority and do not have the right to contract in my own name, my parent (s) and/or legal guardian (s) have signed this authorization, release and agreement on my behalf. They have read the contents thereof prior to its execution and fully understand the contents thereof. This agreement shall be binding on me, my heirs, legal representatives and assigns.

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Parent/Guardian signature _____ Date _____

Parent/Guardian signature _____ Date _____

Signature of trip participant _____ Date _____

STATE OF _____

COUNTY OF _____

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