



MIA2Hope Ministry - Statement of Faith

MIA2Hope Ministry is founded upon Biblical principles. Members of our board, our ministry team and adoption grant applicants indicate their personal agreement with MIA2Hope's Statement of Faith by signing at the bottom of this document.

1. We believe that God is one (Mark 12:29), yet eternally exists in three persons: Father, Son and Holy Spirit (II Corinthians 13:14).
2. We believe in the Supernatural verbal inspiration and inerrancy of the Holy Scripture. It is the basis for all essential beliefs (II Timothy 3:16; II Peter 1:19-21).
3. We believe that God created the world out of nothing and sustains His creation. He made man and woman in His image and likeness (Genesis 1:9, 26). All creation reflects His greatness and power (Genesis 1-3).
4. We believe that God created and ordained the family, beginning with Adam and Eve. God gave Adam and Eve the responsibility to conceive, give birth and rear children. As the creator of life, God himself begins each human life at conception. God gives to each person, as His image bearer, meaning, dignity and value (Genesis 1-3).
5. We believe that God instituted marriage as a life-long covenant between one man and one woman. Marriage is the legal and blessed union of one man, who is born a male (and remains a male), and one woman, who is born a female (and remains a female). Every person must be afforded compassion, love, respect and dignity, as they are created in the image of God (Genesis 2:24; Matthew 19:8; Mark 12:28-31; Luke 6:31).
6. We believe that sin entered the world when Adam and Eve chose to disobey God. As a result of the fall, all people are estranged from God and are born in to sin (Romans 3:23).
7. We believe that because of sin, man needs a Savior. God provided the way of salvation and forgiveness of sin for mankind through the cross-work of Jesus Christ, alone, for those who repent and believe (John 3:3-7, 14:6; Acts 4:12).
8. We believe in the literal, bodily return of our Lord Jesus Christ (Acts 1:11; I Thessalonians 4:16-18).
9. We believe that the Christian Church, as a family of believers, has an obligation to protect, preserve and enhance life, as fully as possible, for each person, born and unborn, from the beginning to the end of life as God ordains.

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