



A Yeshua centered, Torah positive, Messianic Jewish synagogue,  
building community as we make disciples of all nations

# Congregation Eitz Chaim

## Membership Covenant

Having trusted in Y'Shua HaMashiach as my Messiah, L-rd and Redeemer, and being in agreement with Eitz Chaim's Vision Statement and Statement of Faith and all parts of the published By-Laws, I now feel led by the Ruach HaKodesh to join with the Eitz Chaim family and become a member of this Messianic Community. In doing so, I commit myself to the following:

1. I will protect the unity of Eitz Chaim

- by acting in love towards other members
- by refusing to gossip
- by following the leaders

"So let us concentrate on the things which make for harmony and on the growth of our fellowship together." (Rom. 14:9)

"Have a sincere love for other Believers; love one another earnestly with all your heart." (I Pet. 1:22)

"Don't let any unwholesome talk come out of your mouths, but only what is helpful for building others up according to their needs." (Eph. 4:29)

"Obey your leaders and submit to their authority. They keep watch over you as men who must give an account. Obey them so that their work will be a joy and not a burden, for that would be no advantage to you." (Heb. 13:17)

2. I will share the responsibility of my shul / congregation

- by praying for its spiritual growth
- by inviting others to attend
- by warmly welcoming those who visit

"To the Messianic Community -- we always thank G-d for you and pray for you constantly." (I Thes. 1:1-2)

"The Master said to the servant, "Go out to the roads and country lanes, and urge people there to come so My house will be full." (Luke 14:23)

"So, warmly welcome each other into the holy congregation, just as Messiah has warmly welcomed you; then G-d will be glorified." (Rom. 15:7)

3. I will serve the ministry of Eitz Chaim

- by using my gifts and talents
- by becoming discipled and equipped to serve others
- by developing a servant's heart

"Serve one another with the particular gifts G-d has given each of you." (I Pet. 4:10)

"G-d gave some to be pastors and teachers, to prepare G-d's people for works of service, so that the body of Messiah may be built up." (Eph. 4:11-12)

"Each of you should look not only to your own interests, but also to the interests of others. Your attitude should be the same as that of Messiah Y'Shua, who took on the very nature of a servant." (Phil. 2:3-4; 7)

4. I will support the testimony of Eitz Chaim

- by attending faithfully
- by living a godly life, honoring the traditions handed down to us
- by giving regularly (tithes)
- by giving Tz'dakah to the needy

"Let us not give up meeting together, but let us encourage one another." (Heb. 10:25)

"Whatever happens, make sure that your everyday life is worthy of the Good News of Messiah." (Phil. 1:27)

"Each one of you, on the first day of the week, should set aside a specific sum of money in proportion to what you have earned and use it for the offering." (I Cor. 16:2)

"A tenth of all your produce is the L-rd's, and is holy." (Lev. 27:30)

Signed this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Printed Name: \_\_\_\_\_