

CANYON CHURCH OF CHRIST

PREACHER CANDIDATE QUESTIONNAIRE

Name: _____ Date: _____

Age: _____ Marital Status: _____ Children: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Congregation: _____

Please use email (if possible) when answering the questions, and use as much space as needed for each response. Format answers as: Q1, Q2, Q5b, etc.

1. How many years have you been preaching? Where (church name and location)? Please provide references (names and phone numbers) and any related education you may have had.
2. Why have you decided to relocate?
3. How is your overall health? Any short or long-term health issues?
4. Are you self-supporting? If not, how much monthly support do you think you will require?
5. Please provide a detailed response with scriptures to the following doctrinal questions to adequately understand your answers and biblical stance on each of the topics.
 - a. Baptism and repentance and why they are both essential. Please explain how you would address this doctrinally.
 - b. Marriage, Divorce, and Remarriage and what is the cause of divorce? Who can remarry or not and why? Please explain how you would address this doctrine
 - c. Associated with MDR there are preachers and brethren that refer to the law of Moses justifying divorce today (Mat 19:7; Mk 10:4; and 1Cor 7:10-16). Please explain how you would address this doctrinally.
 - d. Fellowship with other churches of Christ and brethren. Please describe and provide examples and scriptures that would prevent having fellowship with other churches and brethren.
 - 1.) Example: There are preachers and brethren in the church that advocate and teach that if a couple were in an adulterous marriage they could be baptized, remain married, and still have fellowship with them and the church. Please explain how you would address this in detail including scriptures.
 - e. There are preachers and brethren in the church that advocate and teach that 1 Cor 7:10-16 ---specifically vs.15---that they can divorce. Please explain how you would address and handle this doctrinally.

- f. Please describe a sponsoring church arrangement if or not it is scripturally authorized and why. Please explain how you would address this doctrinally.
- g. There are preachers and brethren in the church that advocate and teach that the four gospels are not part of the NT to justify MDR and still have fellowship with them. Please explain how you would address and handle this doctrinally.
- h. Lord's Supper PM service. There are preachers and brethren in the church that advocate and teach that the LS cannot and should not be served at the PM worship service. Please describe and clarify how you would address this doctrinally.
- i. Role of women in the church. Please explain how you would explain and address this doctrinally.

6. Which Bible translation do you use most, and why?

7. How many Sundays were you out of the pulpit last year? What is your schedule of engagements for this year and next?

8. Based on your past experiences with other churches, what would be your personal goals for our congregation to grow in knowledge, strength, spirit and in number?

9. Do you have any questions for us?

Please email your answers to: canyoncoc@mail.com