PARTICIPANT SURVEY

Each church volunteer team should ask the participant family to complete this form *three times* at the following intervals: 1) second meeting with family, 2) six months, and 3) twelve months. If participants include both husband and wife, ask each to fill out a form.

Name of church _____

This form is being completed at:

- ❑ Second meeting
- ❑ Six months after working with family
- ❑ Twelve months after working with family

1. Are you currently employed? Y N

How many hours per week are you employed? _____ hours

During the past six months, how many months have you been employed?

Circle one: 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

Was this full-time_____ part-time_____ employment?

2. Check any of the following that you currently receive:

- ❑ Welfare
- ❑ Child support
- ❑ State subsidized day-care
- ❑ Food stamps
- ❑ SSI

3. Do you currently receive any of the following types of assistance from a church or other community organization? (Check all that apply.)

Church	**Community Organization**
❑ Help with rent/utilities	❑ Help with rent/utilities
❑ Food bank	❑ Food bank
❑ Daycare	❑ Daycare
❑ Budgeting/financial classes	❑ Budgeting/financial classes
❑ Parenting classes	❑ Parenting classes
❑ Help in obtaining employment	❑ Help in obtaining employment
❑ Single parent programs (post-divorce counseling/group activities)	❑ Single parent programs (post-divorce counseling/group activities)

On a scale of 1 to 5, with 5 being the highest, please rate the following: (circle one)

4. Our family income is adequate to meet our family's needs.

1 2 3 4 5

not at all adequate *very adequate*

5. I, or my spouse, feel confident and prepared to hold a full-time job.

1 2 3 4 5

not at all *totally confident and prepared*

6. I have a budget for our family that I follow.

1 2 3 4 5
no budget *follow budget routinely*

7. People (other than relatives) care about me and my family.

1 2 3 4 5
nobody cares *lots of people care*

8. I know people I can turn to for help in a crisis and they will be there for me.

1 2 3 4 5
can't turn to anyone *have several people I can turn to who will help*

9. Things will get better for me and my family in the next year.

1 2 3 4 5
won't get better *things will get much better*

10. I have a satisfying spiritual life.

1 2 3 4 5
not satisfying *totally satisfying*

11. I am confident in my ability to nurture and appropriately discipline my children.

1 2 3 4 5
not at all confident *very confident*

12. I have people I can turn to who will help out with child care.

1 2 3 4 5
nobody available *several people available*

13. I am able to handle stress.

1 2 3 4 5
not at all able *can almost always handle stress*

At the six months *and* the twelve months intervals, please complete these questions:

14. The church volunteer team has helped me improve my overall situation.

1 2 3 4 5
not at all *provided a lot of help*

15. What was the most important thing the volunteer team did for you?

Comments: