



SUPPORTING AND ASSISTING CHRISTIAN HOME EDUCATORS

Roots Conflict Resolution

I understand that Roots is an evangelical Christian society. By applying, I confirm that I have reviewed the Roots Mission Statement and Statement of Faith, and understand membership requires full agreement.

Whereas the Roots Statement of Faith holds the Bible as the final authority on Christian faith and life, and whereas the Bible teaches that believers should not take disputes between one another before unbelieving judges (1 Corinthians 6:1–11), I understand that it is my responsibility to promptly seek reconciliation—first privately with the person(s) involved, then in the presence of one or two witnesses if needed, and finally before the community of believers (Matthew 18:15–17; Matthew 5:21–26). Therefore:

- If I become dissatisfied with Roots in any respect, I will seek to resolve the matter directly with the person(s) involved, rather than spreading criticism or holding a negative attitude.
- Should any dispute arise between me (or my family) and Roots, its employees, volunteers, Board members, or other members, I agree to address it through this biblical process of reconciliation first.

I commit to uphold these principles in all interactions and commit to pray for Roots, its leaders, and its members