

ACT OF APOSTASY

TO WHOM IS CONCERNED

I the undersigned,

First name: _____ Last name: _____

Address: _____

email address : _____ phone no : _____

Born in : _____ on the _____
(City, province or state, country) (Date)

Baptized: yes / no: _____ If yes, which Parish: _____

City, province or state, country: _____ Name of a larger city: _____

Baptized on the: _____ in the Diocese of: _____

Mother's First name: _____ Mother's maiden name: _____

Father's First Name: _____ Last name: _____

I do hereby certify that I do not wish to continue to be a member of the _____ Religion.

According to the International Declaration of Human Rights I wish to follow the religion of my choice and to have this choice be respected as I respect the religious choices of others including the one of atheism. I have thought carefully about my decision and I know that it will not hinder my rights as a citizen, now nor in the future.

Where my name occurs on the Baptismal Registry, I would be pleased if you would include the following: "Renounced his/her baptism by letter dated _____"

In addition, would you please be so kind as to remove me from the list of the baptized in your diocese and send me documentation of this removal.

Consequently, I make this act of Apostasy, in the presence of the two undersigned witnesses.

Made in _____ on the day _____ of the year _____

Signature: _____

First witness:

Second witness:

(Signature)

(Signature)

(Family name, first name) (PRINT)

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Send to :

Toronto : Archdiocese of Toronto, Catholic Pastoral Centre, 155 Yonge Street - Toronto, ON, M4T 1W2

Ottawa : Archdiocese of Ottawa, 1247. Place Kilbom, Ottawa, ON, K1H 6K9

Montreal : Archdiocese of Montreal, 2000 W. Sherbrooke Street, Montréal, QC, H3H 1G4

For a more detailed listing, please visit : http://www.missa.org/dioceses_e.html

For the Anglican Church addresses : <http://www.anglican.ca/directories/dioceses.html>

For the United Church addresses : <http://www.uccan.org/home.htm>

Internet reference: http://infocatho.cef.fr/fichiers_html/agences/agenciesdiocese.html

Note : It is suggested that you keep a copy of your act of apostasy by photocopying this form after you fill it out. **This form must be completely filled out as much as possible before to send it to the appropriate diocese or parish.**