

Take the I Ride Safe Child Passenger Safety Pledge!

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- **✓** I Pledge to Drive Safe...
 - **BECAUSE** I know that car crashes are the #1 killer of children and that safe driving saves lives... and **BECAUSE** my decisions behind the wheel can either take a life or save a life including my own, my passengers and others on the road.
- ✓ I Pledge to Always Be a Good Example...

 BECAUSE I know that my children and other passengers are watching me and that I must be the best example of safe driving every time I am behind the wheel.
- ✓ I Pledge to Always Ride Safe and Buckle Up... BECAUSE seatbelts are the single most effective means of reducing the risk of death in a crash.
- ✓ I Pledge to Keep My Child Rear-Facing as Long as Possible...

 BECAUSE I want to make sure all my young passengers are safe, including children under the age of two, who are 75 percent less likely to die or to be severely injured in a crash if they are rear-facing. I will keep them rear-facing as long as possible BECAUSE riding rear-facing is five times safer than forward-facing.
- ✓ I Pledge to Restrain My Child in a 5-Point Harness...

 BECAUSE children who ride forward-facing are safer when secured in a 5-point harness. It is best practice for larger children to ride in a forward-facing car seat and not transition to a booster seat until they reach the maximum height or weight limit allowed by the manufacturer of the forward-facing car seat.
- ✓ I Pledge to Have My Child Ride in a Booster Seat...

 BECAUSE it's the law in the state of Georgia for children under the age of 8 to ride in a booster seat unless they are over 4′9″ tall.
- ✓ I Pledge to Never Drive Distracted...

 BECAUSE I understand that eating, grooming, talking and interacting with passengers, taking selfies, responding to friend requests, and other such activities are dangerous distractions.

 Red lights, slow traffic and boredom are NEVER REASONS to endanger myself, my passengers or others on the road.

My Signature is my Pledge to Safe Driving!

