

ORIGINAL

No. 2001-65993

THE LOCAL CHURCH,
an unincorporated association, et al.,

Plaintiffs.

vs.

HARVEST HOUSE PUBLISHERS, an
entity incorporated in Oregon and California;
JOHN ANKERBERG, an individual; and
JOHN WELDON, an individual,

Defendants.

§ IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF
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§ HARRIS COUNTY, TEXAS
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§ 80TH JUDICIAL DISTRICT
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Harris County, Texas

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**ORDER DENYING DEFENDANTS' MOTION
TO STAY DISCOVERY PENDING APPEAL**

On this day, the Court considered Defendants' Motion to Stay Discovery Pending Appeal (the "Motion"). The Court, after considering the pleadings on file, the Motion and Plaintiffs' Response, and oral argument of counsel, finds that Defendants' Motion should be denied.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Defendants' Motion is DENIED.

IT IS SO ORDERED this 2nd of April, 2004.



JUDGE PRESIDING

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