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**IN THE THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT
IN AND FOR SALT LAKE COUNTY, STATE OF UTAH**

8080 South Redwood Road
West Jordan, Utah 84088

In the matter of the marriage of

SHALAY BREEANN PETERSON,

Petitioner,

and

JONATHAN RICHARD PETERSON,

Respondent.

DECREE OF DIVORCE

Case No.: **264903289**

Judge: **Richard Daynes**

Commissioner: **Michelle Blomquist**

This matter came before the Court upon the Stipulation of the parties and the Court's Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law. The Court, being fully advised in the premises, **HEREBY ORDERS, ADJUDGES, AND DECREES** as follows:

RESIDENCY AND JURISDICTION

1. **Residency.** Petitioner, Shalay Breeann Peterson is a bona fide resident of SALT LAKE County, State of Utah, and has been a resident of Utah for at least three (3) months immediately prior to the commencement of this action, as required by Utah Code §81-4-402(1). This Court has jurisdiction over the subject matter of this action and over the parties under the Uniform Child Custody Jurisdiction and Enforcement Act, Utah Code §78B-13-101 et seq.
2. **Marriage.** Petitioner, Shalay Breeann Peterson and Respondent, Jonathan Richard Peterson were lawfully married on 11/20/2007 in Salt Lake City, Salt Lake County, UT. The parties separated on 04/16/2026. Since the date of separation the parties have lived separate and apart.
3. **Grounds for Divorce.** The Court finds that irreconcilable differences have arisen between the parties that have caused the irremediable breakdown of the marriage. There is no

reasonable likelihood that the marriage can be preserved. Grounds for divorce exist under Utah Code §81-4-405(1)(h).

MINOR CHILDREN

4. **Children of the Marriage.** The following minor children were born as issue of the marriage of Petitioner Shalay Peterson and Respondent Jonathan Peterson:
 - (a) **Wesley Peterson**, date of birth 01/29/2014, sex: M. Current address: 6269 South Maplewood Circle, Murray, UT 84121.
 - (b) **Courtney Peterson**, date of birth 01/08/2016, sex: F. Current address: 6269 South Maplewood Circle, Murray, UT 84121.
5. **Residence History of the Minor Children.** All minor children currently reside at 6269 South Maplewood Circle, Murray, UT 84121. Prior to the current residence, the children have lived at the following addresses within the five (5) years immediately preceding the filing of this action: (1) 6269 S Maplewood Cir Murray, UT 84121; (2) 6269 S. Maplewood Cir, Murray, UT 84121.
6. **Jurisdiction Over Children.** This Court has jurisdiction over the minor children under the Uniform Child Custody Jurisdiction and Enforcement Act. Utah is the home state of the children and no other court has continuing exclusive jurisdiction over custody matters.

LEGAL CUSTODY

7. **Award of Legal Custody.** The parties are awarded **Joint Legal Custody** of the minor children. The parties' detailed legal-custody decision-making process, philosophy, and protocols are set forth in the parties' Parenting Plan, filed concurrently with this action and incorporated by reference herein.

PHYSICAL CUSTODY AND PARENT-TIME

8. **Award of Physical Custody.** The parties are awarded **Joint Physical Custody** of the minor children, with the primary residence of the children being with Petitioner Shalay Peterson.
9. **Overnight Allocation.** Petitioner Shalay Peterson shall have approximately 220 overnights per year with the children. Respondent Jonathan Peterson shall have approximately 145 overnights per year with the children. The detailed parent-time rotation, holiday schedule, transportation, communication, travel, and relocation

provisions are set forth in the parties' Parenting Plan, filed concurrently with this action and incorporated by reference herein.

PARENTING PLAN

10. **Parenting Plan Incorporated by Reference.** The parties have executed a separate Parenting Plan, filed concurrently with this action. That Parenting Plan is hereby incorporated into this Decree of Divorce by reference and made a part hereof as though fully set forth herein. The Parenting Plan governs all matters affecting the minor children, including without limitation: legal custody decision-making, behaviors and expectations of the parents toward each other and the children, physical custody rotation, parent-time, holiday and vacation schedules, transportation and exchanges, communication with the children, records access, travel with the children, relocation, first right of refusal, child support amount and payment terms, children's health insurance, non-covered medical and dental expenses, work-related child care, life insurance for the benefit of the children, extracurricular expenses, tax-dependency allocation, and dispute resolution between the Parents. The parties are hereby bound by all terms and conditions of the Parenting Plan with the same force and effect as if they were set forth herein in full.
11. **Base Monthly Child Support.** Based on the **Joint Physical Custody** Child Support Obligation Worksheet filed with the Court pursuant to Utah Code Title 81, Chapter 6, Parts 1 and 2, Respondent Jonathan Peterson shall pay to Petitioner Shalay Peterson base child support in the amount of **\$4,836.00** per month. Detailed payment timing, modification provisions, and administrative terms are set forth in the Parenting Plan incorporated above.

REAL PROPERTY

12. **Real Property — Primary Home.** The parties own real property commonly known as 6269 S Maplewood Cir, Murray, UT 84121, with a fair market value of \$1,564,800.00. The property is encumbered by a mortgage held by Planet Home Lending, with a balance of \$1,445,620.00. The monthly payment is \$9,616.80.
13. **Disposition of Primary Home.** This real property is awarded to Respondent Jonathan Peterson as his sole and separate property, together with all equity therein. The current market value is \$1,564,800.00; the outstanding first mortgage balance is \$1,445,620.00 (Planet Home Lending, payment \$9,616.80/mo). Respondent Jonathan Peterson shall be solely responsible for all mortgage payments, property taxes, insurance, and maintenance from and after the date of the Decree. Respondent Jonathan Peterson shall

use reasonable efforts to refinance the mortgage within one hundred eighty (180) days following entry of the Decree to remove Petitioner Shalay Peterson's name from the loan. Until refinancing is complete, Respondent Jonathan Peterson shall hold Petitioner Shalay Peterson harmless from any mortgage liability. Petitioner Shalay Peterson shall execute a quitclaim deed to Respondent Jonathan Peterson within thirty (30) days of entry of the Decree.

MOTOR VEHICLES

14. **Vehicle: 2017 Ford Explorer Platinum.** The parties own a 2017 Ford Explorer Platinum with a fair market value of \$8,235.00. The vehicle has an outstanding loan balance of \$8,807.54 with USAA. The monthly payment is \$561.49.
15. **Disposition.** The 2017 Ford Explorer Platinum (market value \$8,235.00) is awarded to Petitioner Shalay Peterson as her sole and separate property. Petitioner Shalay Peterson shall assume the outstanding USAA loan balance of approximately \$8,807.54 (payment \$561.49/mo) and shall be solely responsible for all remaining payments, insurance, maintenance, and registration. Petitioner Shalay Peterson shall indemnify and hold Respondent Jonathan Peterson harmless from any liability, collection activity, or adverse credit reporting arising from this vehicle. Petitioner Shalay Peterson shall use reasonable efforts to refinance the loan into her sole name within ninety (90) days of entry of the Decree to remove Respondent Jonathan Peterson's name from the loan.
16. **Vehicle: 2026 Genesis GV70.** Respondent Jonathan Peterson owns a 2026 Genesis GV70 with a fair market value of \$51,300.00. The vehicle has an outstanding loan balance of \$25,719.52 with Genesis Financial. The monthly payment is \$886.88.
17. **Disposition.** The 2026 Genesis GV70 (market value \$51,300.00, leased through Genesis Financial) is awarded to Respondent Jonathan Peterson as his sole and separate property. Respondent Jonathan Peterson shall assume full responsibility for the lease obligation (balance approximately \$25,719.52, payment \$886.88/mo), including all remaining lease payments, insurance, maintenance, and any lease-end obligations. Respondent Jonathan Peterson shall indemnify and hold Petitioner Shalay Peterson harmless from any liability associated with this vehicle.

BANK AND INVESTMENT ACCOUNTS

18. **Account — Chase Checking - ****1789.** The parties have a financial account at Chase Checking - ending in 1789 with an approximate balance of \$43,842.00.

19. **Disposition.** The Chase Checking account ending in 1789 (balance approximately \$43,842.00) is awarded to Petitioner Shalay Peterson as her sole and separate property. Petitioner Shalay Peterson shall receive the full account balance. Respondent Jonathan Peterson waives any claim to funds in this account. Respondent Jonathan Peterson shall cooperate in executing any documentation necessary to remove his name and transfer the account to Petitioner Shalay Peterson's sole name within thirty (30) days of entry of the Decree.
20. **Account — USAA Checking - ****9811.** The parties have a financial account at USAA Checking - ending in 9811 with an approximate balance of \$453.00.
21. **Disposition.** The USAA Checking account ending in 9811 (balance approximately \$453.00) is awarded to Respondent Jonathan Peterson as his sole and separate property. Respondent Jonathan Peterson shall receive the full account balance. Petitioner Shalay Peterson waives any claim to funds in this account. Petitioner Shalay Peterson shall cooperate in executing any documentation necessary to remove her name from the account within thirty (30) days of entry of the Decree.
22. **Account — USAA Savings - ****9803.** The parties have a financial account at USAA Savings - ending in 9803 with an approximate balance of \$200.00.
23. **Disposition.** The USAA Savings account ending in 9803 (balance approximately \$200.00) is awarded to Respondent Jonathan Peterson as his sole and separate property. Respondent Jonathan Peterson shall receive the full account balance. Petitioner Shalay Peterson waives any claim to funds in this account. Petitioner Shalay Peterson shall cooperate in executing any documentation necessary to remove her name from the account within thirty (30) days of entry of the Decree.

RETIREMENT ACCOUNTS

24. **IRA — Fidelity Simple IRA - 3594.** The parties have an IRA retirement account with Fidelity Simple IRA - 3594 with an approximate balance of \$38,075.00. The account is held in the name of Respondent Jonathan Peterson.
25. **Division.** The account described above shall be retained by Respondent Jonathan Peterson as Respondent Jonathan Peterson's sole and separate property, free and clear of any claim by the other party. Any division of this account requiring a Qualified Domestic Relations Order (QDRO) or equivalent plan-specific order shall be prepared and submitted within sixty (60) days following entry of the Decree, with the parties sharing the cost of preparation equally unless otherwise agreed. Each party shall be solely responsible for taxes, penalties, and future gains or losses on their awarded share, and waives any claim to the portion awarded to the other.

26. **401k — T Rowe Price 401K - IHC.** The parties have a 401k retirement account with T Rowe Price 401K - IHC with an approximate balance of \$43,464.00. The account is held in the name of Respondent Jonathan Peterson.
27. **Division.** The account described above shall be retained by Respondent Jonathan Peterson as Respondent Jonathan Peterson's sole and separate property, free and clear of any claim by the other party. Any division of this account requiring a Qualified Domestic Relations Order (QDRO) or equivalent plan-specific order shall be prepared and submitted within sixty (60) days following entry of the Decree, with the parties sharing the cost of preparation equally unless otherwise agreed. Each party shall be solely responsible for taxes, penalties, and future gains or losses on their awarded share, and waives any claim to the portion awarded to the other.

DEBT: 2025 TAXES

28. **Debt — 2025 taxes.** The parties have an obligation to 2025 taxes with an approximate balance of \$20,000.00. Respondent Jonathan Peterson shall timely pay this debt according to its terms and shall indemnify and hold Petitioner Shalay Peterson harmless from any liability, collection activity, or adverse credit reporting arising from it. Respondent Jonathan Peterson shall use reasonable efforts to remove Petitioner Shalay Peterson's name from any joint account when eligible to do so.

DEBT: ARMY PAYBACK

29. **Debt — Army Payback.** The parties have an obligation to Army Payback with an approximate balance of \$140,000.00. **Responsibility.** Respondent Peterson shall timely pay this debt according to its terms and shall indemnify and hold the non-responsible party harmless from any liability, collection activity, or credit reporting arising from it. Respondent Peterson shall use reasonable efforts to refinance, close, or otherwise remove the non-responsible party's name from the account when eligible to do so.

DEBT: MED SCHOOL LOANS

30. **Debt — Med School Loans.** The parties have an obligation to Med School Loans with an approximate balance of \$130,418.00. Respondent Jonathan Peterson shall timely pay this debt (approximate balance \$130,418.00) according to its terms and shall indemnify and hold Petitioner Shalay Peterson harmless from any liability, collection activity, or adverse credit reporting arising from it. The parties acknowledge that responsibility for this debt was assigned to Respondent Jonathan Peterson as part of the

overall marital settlement and that this debt was not counted as part of Respondent Jonathan Peterson's debt pile in the division of marital debts.

DEBT: SOFI PERSONAL LOAN - 6753

31. **Debt — Sofi personal loan - 6753.** The parties have an obligation to Sofi personal loan - 6753 with an approximate balance of \$20,994.00. **Responsibility.** Respondent Peterson shall timely pay this debt according to its terms and shall indemnify and hold the non-responsible party harmless from any liability, collection activity, or credit reporting arising from it. Respondent Peterson shall use reasonable efforts to refinance, close, or otherwise remove the non-responsible party's name from the account when eligible to do so.

DEBT: MACU SIGNATURE LOAN - 0001

32. **Debt — MACU signature loan - 0001.** The parties have an obligation to MACU signature loan - 0001 with an approximate balance of \$16,542.00. **Responsibility.** Respondent Peterson shall timely pay this debt according to its terms and shall indemnify and hold the non-responsible party harmless from any liability, collection activity, or credit reporting arising from it. Respondent Peterson shall use reasonable efforts to refinance, close, or otherwise remove the non-responsible party's name from the account when eligible to do so.

DEBT: SALLIE MAE SIGNATURE - 3693

33. **Debt — Sallie Mae signature - 3693.** The parties have an obligation to Sallie Mae signature - 3693 with an approximate balance of \$15,590.00. **Responsibility.** Respondent Peterson shall timely pay this debt according to its terms and shall indemnify and hold the non-responsible party harmless from any liability, collection activity, or credit reporting arising from it. Respondent Peterson shall use reasonable efforts to refinance, close, or otherwise remove the non-responsible party's name from the account when eligible to do so.

DEBT: USAA SIGNATURE VISA - 0585

34. **Debt — USAA Signature Visa - 0585.** The parties have an obligation to USAA Signature Visa - 0585 with an approximate balance of \$11,760.00. **Responsibility.**

Respondent Peterson shall timely pay this debt according to its terms and shall indemnify and hold the non-responsible party harmless from any liability, collection activity, or credit reporting arising from it. Respondent Peterson shall use reasonable efforts to refinance, close, or otherwise remove the non-responsible party's name from the account when eligible to do so.

DEBT: USAA RATE ADV VISA - 1491

35. **Debt — USAA Rate adv Visa - 1491.** The parties have an obligation to USAA Rate adv Visa - 1491 with an approximate balance of \$10,488.00. **Responsibility.** Respondent Peterson shall timely pay this debt according to its terms and shall indemnify and hold the non-responsible party harmless from any liability, collection activity, or credit reporting arising from it. Respondent Peterson shall use reasonable efforts to refinance, close, or otherwise remove the non-responsible party's name from the account when eligible to do so.

DEBT: MGM REWARDS FNBO - 8511

36. **Debt — MGM rewards FNBO - 8511.** The parties have an obligation to MGM rewards FNBO - 8511 with an approximate balance of \$5,852.00. **Responsibility.** Respondent Peterson shall timely pay this debt according to its terms and shall indemnify and hold the non-responsible party harmless from any liability, collection activity, or credit reporting arising from it. Respondent Peterson shall use reasonable efforts to refinance, close, or otherwise remove the non-responsible party's name from the account when eligible to do so.

DEBT: SOUTHWEST VISA - 7969

37. **Debt — Southwest Visa - 7969.** The parties have an obligation to Southwest Visa - 7969 with an approximate balance of \$5,815.00. **Responsibility.** Respondent Peterson shall timely pay this debt according to its terms and shall indemnify and hold the non-responsible party harmless from any liability, collection activity, or credit reporting arising from it. Respondent Peterson shall use reasonable efforts to refinance, close, or otherwise remove the non-responsible party's name from the account when eligible to do so.

DEBT: KEY BANK - 6312

38. **Debt — Key Bank - 6312.** The parties have an obligation to Key Bank - 6312 with an approximate balance of \$3,778.00.

(a) **Responsibility.** Respondent Jonathan Peterson shall timely pay the Key Bank - 6312 debt according to its terms and shall indemnify and hold the non-responsible party harmless from any liability, collection activity, or credit reporting arising from it. Respondent Jonathan Peterson shall use reasonable efforts to refinance, close, or otherwise remove the non-responsible party's name from the account when eligible to do so.

DEBT: BASS PRO CAPITOL ONE

39. **Debt — Bass Pro Capitol One.** The parties have an obligation to Bass Pro Capitol One with an approximate balance of \$1,865.00.

(a) **Responsibility.** Respondent Jonathan Peterson shall timely pay the Bass Pro Capitol One debt according to its terms and shall indemnify and hold the non-responsible party harmless from any liability, collection activity, or credit reporting arising from it. Respondent Jonathan Peterson shall use reasonable efforts to refinance, close, or otherwise remove the non-responsible party's name from the account when eligible to do so.

SPOUSAL SUPPORT (ALIMONY)

40. **Award of Alimony.** Alimony is awarded in the amount of **\$8,000.00** per month, on the terms set forth below. The Court finds that this award is consistent with Utah Code §81-4-501.

41. **Alimony Terms.** Respondent Jonathan Peterson shall pay Petitioner Shalay Peterson alimony in the sum of Eight Thousand and 00/100 Dollars (\$8,000.00) per month, on the following terms:

(a) **Duration.** The alimony obligation is for a guaranteed term of seventy-two (72) consecutive monthly payments, totaling Five Hundred Seventy-Six Thousand and 00/100 Dollars (\$576,000.00). Payments are due on the first day of each month, with the first payment due June 1, 2026, and the final payment due May 1, 2032.

(b) **Guaranteed Obligation; No Termination on Remarriage or Cohabitation.** This alimony obligation is GUARANTEED. Notwithstanding any provision of Utah Code Section 81-4-501(11) or common law to the contrary, the obligation SHALL NOT terminate, abate, or be reduced upon Petitioner Shalay Peterson's remarriage, cohabitation with another adult in a marriage-like relationship, or change in

Petitioner Shalay Peterson's financial circumstances. The parties acknowledge that this guaranteed structure was a material inducement to the overall settlement and was negotiated in lieu of standard terminable alimony.

(c) **Termination.** The alimony obligation shall terminate only upon the earlier of (i) the completion of all seventy-two (72) monthly payments, or (ii) the death of either party.

(d) **Non-Modifiability.** The amount and duration of this alimony obligation are non-modifiable by either party. Neither party shall petition any court to modify the amount or term of this obligation absent the written consent of both parties.

(e) **Tax Treatment.** Pursuant to the Tax Cuts and Jobs Act of 2017, the alimony payments described herein are neither deductible by Respondent Jonathan Peterson nor includable in Petitioner Shalay Peterson's gross income for federal income tax purposes.

PERSONAL PROPERTY

42. **Personal Property.** It is hereby ordered that all household goods, furniture, furnishings, clothing, jewelry, and other personal property in the possession of Petitioner Shalay Peterson or Respondent Jonathan Peterson on the date of entry of the Decree of Divorce shall be the sole and separate property of the party in possession. Petitioner Shalay Peterson and Respondent Jonathan Peterson represent that the division of personal property has been made fairly and equitably.

GENERAL PROVISIONS

43. **Continuing Jurisdiction.** The Court retains continuing jurisdiction to enforce and, upon a substantial change in circumstances, to modify the provisions of this Decree regarding custody, parent-time, child support, medical insurance and expenses, alimony, and property division as permitted by Utah law.
44. **Attorney Fees and Costs.** Petitioner Shalay Peterson and Respondent Jonathan Peterson shall each bear their own attorney fees and costs incurred in this action.
45. **Full Disclosure.** Petitioner Shalay Peterson and Respondent Jonathan Peterson represent that they have made full, fair, and complete disclosure of all assets and liabilities to the other, and that the division set forth herein is fair and equitable.
46. **Severability.** If any provision of this Decree is held to be invalid or unenforceable, the remaining provisions shall continue in full force and effect.

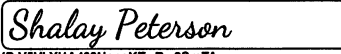
47. **Entire Agreement.** This Decree constitutes the entire agreement of the parties regarding the matters addressed herein and supersedes all prior negotiations and agreements between the parties.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

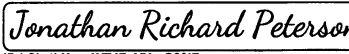
DATED this 16th day of July, 2026.


District Court Judge

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND CONTENT:


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SHALAY BREEANN PETERSON, Petitioner


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JONATHAN RICHARD PETERSON, Respondent

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I certify that I filed with the court and am serving a copy of DECREE OF DIVORCE on the following people.			
Person's Name	Service Method	Service Address	Service Date
Jonathan Richard Peterson	☐ Mail ☐ Hand Delivery ☐ E-filed/MyCase ☒ Email ☐ Left at business (person in charge) ☐ Left at home (suitable age person)	jonnybene@gmail.com	
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Petitioner Peterson

6/29/2026

Date

Signature ■

Shalay Peterson

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Printed Name Shalay Breeann Peterson

I, the Respondent, acknowledge that I have received a copy of this document.

7/2/2026

Date

Signature ■

Jonathan Richard Peterson

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Respondent Printed Name Jonathan Richard Peterson

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Jonathan Richard Peterson	☐ Mail ☐ Hand Delivery ☐ E-filed/MyCase ☒ Email ☐ Left at business (person in charge) ☐ Left at home (suitable age person)	jonnybene@gmail.com	
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Petitioner Peterson

6/29/2026

Date

Signature ■

Shalay Peterson

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Printed Name Shalay Breeann Peterson

I, the Respondent, acknowledge that I have received a copy of this document.

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Date

Signature ■

Jonathan Richard Peterson

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Respondent Printed Name Jonathan Richard Peterson

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