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Dear Sir:

Enclosed is the Articles of Amendment to Articles of Incorporation of Miracle Valley Church of God in Christ, Inc. Included is a check in the amount of \$45.75. Please return a certified copy to the following address:

Miracle Valley Church of God in Christ, Inc.
c/o Joseph G. Clark
20231 NW 43rd Avenue
Miami, FL 33055

Also, we have been assigned Federal Employee ID #65-1101829. Please place this number in your records.

Sincerely,

Miracle Valley Church of God in Christ, Inc.

Joseph G. Clark
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Vice President

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ARTICLES OF AMENDMENT
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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION
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Miracle Valley Church of God In Christ, Inc.
(present name)

Pursuant to the provisions of section 617.1006, Florida Statutes, the undersigned Florida nonprofit corporation adopts the following articles of amendment to its articles of incorporation.

FIRST: Amendment(s) adopted: (INDICATE ARTICLE NUMBER(S) BEING AMENDED, ADDED OR DELETED.)

The following Amendments were amended and adopted (see attachments):

- Article III
- Article VI
- Article VIII
- Article IX
- Article X
- Article XI

SECOND: The date of adoption of the amendment(s) was: July 23, 2001

THIRD: Adoption of Amendment (CHECK ONE)

- ☒ The amendment(s) was(were) adopted by the members and the number of votes cast for the amendment was sufficient for approval.
- ☐ There are no members or members entitled to vote on the amendment. The amendment(s) was(were) adopted by the board of directors.



Signature of Chairman, Vice Chairman, President or other officer

Joseph G. Clark

Typed or printed name

Vice President

Title

08/22/01

Date

AMENDED ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

OF

MIRACLE VALLEY CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST, INC.

THE UNDERSIGNED, acting as incorporator of a Corporation pursuant to Chapter 617, Florida Statutes, adopt the following Articles of Incorporation:

ARTICLE III - (Amended)
PURPOSE

The purpose for which the Corporation is formed, and the business and the objects to be carried on and promoted by it, are as follows:

1. The Corporation shall have unlimited powers to engage in and do any lawful act concerning any and all lawful activity for which non-profit corporations may be incorporated in the State of Florida under the provisions within the law of which the corporation is incorporated.
2. The Corporation shall undertake such acts as it deems necessary to promote unity in the community, to help with benevolent and charitable character, to assist in restoring moral values and to provide counseling, provide further education and any other positive assistance as the Corporation deems necessary, and for training, motivation and spiritual uplifting, to assist people in becoming more equipped for life. Also, for the purpose of providing public worship.
3. The purpose for which this church is formed is to corporately and publicly worship, praise, glorify, and give thanks to the Triune God, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit; to minister the Word of God to believers and unbelievers alike; to promote fellowship among the body of Christ; and to promote evangelism at home and abroad.
4. Since we believe that the Bible is God's holy and inspired word, it is our practice to draw from the scriptures the principles that determine our beliefs and practices. We have purposed in our hearts that it will be the Word of God rather than the word of men that ultimately direct our church.

5. It is our purpose to meet frequently for worship, instruction, fellowship, and outreach in accordance with Acts 2:42.

"And they continued steadfastly in the apostle's doctrine and fellowship, and in the breaking of bread, and in prayers."

6. We believe that because Miracle Valley Church of God In Christ, Inc. is a body of believers, it is the mission of this church to make disciples. In keeping with Acts 2:42, this church has four major areas through which it will fulfill its purpose:

- (1) *Worship* has as its primary goal expressing to God the esteem that His people hold for Him.
- (2) *Fellowship* is designed to promote the interpersonal caring and sharing of God's people to one another as an outgrowth of their fellowship with God.
- (3) *Christian Education* promotes learning among God's people and a response of personal obedience to the scriptures.
- (4) *Outreach* touches the world at large with the goodness of Jesus Christ and the salvation He offers.

7. Since Miracle Valley Church of God In Christ, Inc. believes that each member of the body has received from the Holy Spirit a spiritual gift, which he/she is to discover and develop, it is our goal to see that these spiritual gifts are exercised, contributing to the life of the body.

8. Miracle Valley Church of God In Christ, Inc. is organized exclusively for (a) *Religious*, (b) *Charitable*, and (c) *Educational Purposes* in keeping with the requirements for 501(c)(3) tax-exempt status.

9. To erect and maintain a building or buildings for the above purposes and to engage in any operation incidental to and essential to carryout the purposes above-mentioned.

10. To solicit funds and donations in kind and from time to time, to further the purposes of this Corporation.

11. To acquire and receive by purchase, donation or otherwise, any property, real, personal or mixed, and to hold, use and dispose of the same.

12. To borrow money and to issue evidences of indebtedness in furtherance of any or all of the objects of its business; and to secure loans by mortgage, pledge, deed of trust, or other lien.
13. To apply for, obtain and contract with any federal, state or local government or agency for a direct loan or loans or other financial aid in the form of grants or otherwise relating to the purposes of this Corporation.
14. To engage in any kind of activity, and to enter into, perform and carry out contracts of any kind, necessary or in connection with, or incidental to the accomplishment of any one or more of the non-profit purposes of the Corporation.
15. No part of the net earnings of the Corporation shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to, any Director or Officer of the Corporation or any member of the Corporation or any other private individual (except that reasonable compensation may be paid for services rendered to or for the Corporation affecting one or more of its purposes), and no Director or Officer of the Corporation, or any private individual shall be entitled to share in the distribution of any of the corporate assets on dissolution of the Corporation. No substantial part of the Corporation's activities shall consist of carrying in propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation (except in accordance with (501H) of the Internal Revenue Code. The Corporation shall not participate in any political campaign on behalf of or in opposition to any candidate for public office.
16. Notwithstanding any other provision of these Articles, the Corporation shall not carry on any activities not permitted to be conducted or carried on by an organization exempt from taxation under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code and Regulations issued pursuant thereto as they now exist or as they may hereafter be amended, or by an organization, contributions to which are deductible under Section 170(c)(2) of the Internal Revenue code and said Regulations as they now exist or as they may hereafter be amended.
17. The Corporation shall have such powers as are conferred upon it by Chapter 617 of the Laws of the State of Florida, and to exercise those powers in the accomplishment of its objects and purposes.
18. In the event of the dissolution of the Corporation, all of its assets remaining after payment of all costs and expenses

of such dissolution shall be distributed for one or more exempt purposes or to one or more organizations qualified for exemption under the Section 501(3)(c) of the Internal Revenue Code or shall be distributed to the federal, state, or local government for a public purpose. None of the assets will be distributed to any Member, Officer or Director of this corporation.

ARTICLE VI (Amended)

The name and street address of the incorporator of these Amended Articles of Incorporation shall be:

Norman McCray, Sr.

1930 N.W. 70th Street
Miami, Florida 33147

Joseph Clark
20231 N.W. 43rd Avenue
Miami, Florida 33055

ARTICLE VIII (Amended)

The affairs of the Corporation shall be managed by a President, Vice President, Secretary and a Treasurer and such other officers as may from time to time be created by the Board of Directors. The names of the Officers and the office they shall hold until an election during its annual meeting as set forth in the By-Laws shall be:

Norman McCray, Sr. President	1930 N.W. 70th Street Miami, Florida 33147
Joseph Clark Vice President	20231 N.W. 43rd Avenue Miami, Florida 33055
Stephanie McCray Secretary	1920 N.W. 55th Terrace Miami, Florida 33142
Elizabeth Tibbs Treasurer	1776 N.W. 57th Street Miami, Florida 33142

The President and Chairman of the Board of the Corporation shall be Norman McCray, Sr., who shall always hold that position and cannot be removed unless he is declared insane or dead. The directors shall be elected at an annual meeting, as stated in the By-Laws.

In addition to the powers and authorities by the By-Laws expressly confirmed upon them, the Board of Directors shall have the maximum power and authority, subject to the approval of its Chairman, now or hereafter, provided or permitted under the laws of the State of Florida to the Directors of the non-profit corporation acting as a Board.

ARTICLE IX (Amended)

It is hereby expressly provided that in the determination of whether an individual qualifies and should be thus entitled to membership as a non-voting or voting member is stated in the By-Laws. The Officers of this Corporation, are to abide by the By-Laws promulgated by the Board of Directors in determining whether any certain individual qualifies in accordance with the criteria herein established. It is hereby expressly provided that said By-Laws shall not discriminate or be applied in any manner which may be contrary to the purposes described in these Articles of Incorporation or which would disqualify this Corporation's qualification as an organization exempt from taxation under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code.

The By-Laws may impose other conditions of membership from time to time.

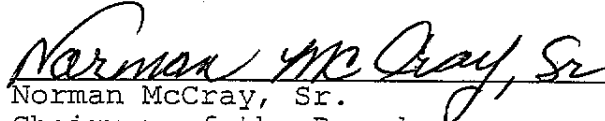
ARTICLE X (Amended)
ARTICLES

1. The Board of Directors may alter, amend, suspend or repeal the By-Laws of this Corporation, from time to time, at any regular or special meeting by majority vote, called for that purpose except as restricted by the laws of the State of Florida.
2. Amendments to the Articles of Incorporation must be proposed and adopted by the Board of Directors, then approved by the Chairman of the Board except, otherwise stated.

ARTICLE XI (Amended)

The Corporation shall hold an annual meeting for members within ninety (90) days of the end of its fiscal year as determined by the Board of Directors. At such meeting, Directors shall be elected or appointed in accordance with the By-Laws. Also a monthly business meeting will be held for all members as stated in the By-Laws.

The undersigned Chairman has executed these Amendments of these Articles of Incorporation this 23rd day of JULY, 2001.


Norman McCray, Sr.
Chairman of the Board
Miracle Valley Church of God In Christ, Inc.