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ATTENTION: NEW FILINGS
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**RE: ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION
THE FIRE HOUSE CHRISTIAN CENTER, INC.**

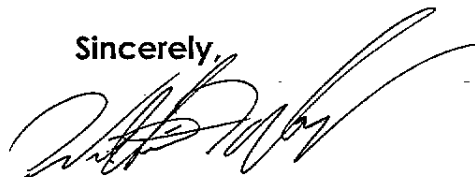
Ladies and Gentlemen:

I enclose an original and two (2) copies of the proposed Articles of Incorporation for The Fire House Christian Center, Inc., to be filed with your office.

Also, I enclose a draft to you in the amount of \$70.00, representing the filing fee for the same. Please file and register said Corporation with your office.

If there are any questions regarding this matter, please contact me immediately.

Sincerely,



Willie M. Marshall

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**ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF
THE FIRE HOUSE CHRISTIAN CENTER, INC.
A FLORIDA NON-PROFIT ORGANIZATION, INC.**

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ARTICLE ONE, NAME

The name of this corporation is THE FIRE HOUSE CHRISTIAN CENTER, INC.

ARTICLE TWO, STATEMENT OF CORPORATION NATURE

This is a non-profit corporation organized solely for general charitable purposes pursuant to the Florida Not For Profit Act.

ARTICLE THREE, PURPOSES

The specific and primary purposes for which this corporation is formed are to operate for the advancement of religion, charity and education and or other charitable purposes, by the distribution of its funds for such purposes and particularly for religious purposes.

The general purposes for which this corporation is formed are to operate exclusively for such religious, charitable and educational purposes.

ARTICLE FOUR, DURATION

The duration of this corporation shall be perpetual, and its existence shall commence upon the time of the filing of these articles by the Department of State.

ARTICLE FIVE, DEDICATION OF ASSETS

The property of this corporation is irrevocable dedicated to religious and related charitable and educational purposes and no party of the net income or

assets of this corporation shall ever inure to the benefit of any director, officer, or member thereof, or to the benefit of any private individual.

ARTICLE SIX, MEMBER

This corporation shall have a membership distinct from the board of trustees. Any person paying dues as provided for in the by-laws, and by such rules and regulations as these will qualify it as an exempt organization under Section 501 (C) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 or corresponding provisions of any subsequent Federal tax laws, including, for such purposes, the making of distributions to organizations qualifying as tax-exempt organizations under that code.

This corporation shall not, as a substantial part of its activities, carry out propaganda or otherwise attempt to influence legislation; nor shall it participate or intervene (by publication or distribution of any statements or otherwise) in any political campaign on behalf of any candidate for public office.

ARTICLE SEVEN, INITIAL REGISTERED OFFICE AND REGISTERED AGENT

The street address of the initial registered office of the corporation is 205 West Dr. Martin L. King, Jr., Boulevard, Tampa, Florida 33603. The name of the initial registered agent at such address is Nathaniel W. Tindall, II, Esquire.

ARTICLE EIGHT, INITIAL DIRECTORS

There shall be eight directors constituting the initial board of directors, managers, or trustees.

The name and address of each person who is to serve as an initial director, manager or trustee is:

PRESIDENT/VICE-PRESIDENT

Willie M. Marshall/Sonja D. Marshall
203 West Ida Street
Tampa, Florida 33603

EXECUTIVE SECRETARY

**Willie Mae Marshall
2005 Eskimo Avenue
Tampa, Florida 33610**

**TREASURER
Betty J. Washington
1016 East 26th Avenue
Tampa, Florida 33605**

ARTICLE NINE, INCORPORATIONS

The names and addresses of the incorporators of this corporation are as follows: Willie M. Marshall, 203 West Ida Street, Tampa, Florida 33603.

ARTICLE TEN, MANAGEMENT OF CORPORATE AFFAIRS

(a) Board of Trustees: The powers of this corporation shall be exercised, its properties controlled, and its affairs conducted by a board of trustees. The number of trustees of the corporation shall be not less than three; provided, however, the exact number shall be set by and may be changed by, by-laws duly adopted by the members.

The trustees named in Article Eight shall hold office until the first meeting of the members, to be held at a time and place as shall be determined by the initial trustees, such meeting to be held as soon as is practical following the incorporation of this corporation.

Trustees elected at the first annual meeting, and all times thereafter, shall serve for a term of one year until the second annual meeting of members following the elections of trustees and until the qualification of successors in office of the corporation, or at such other place or places as the Board of Trustees may designate from time to time by resolution, and on such date and time as the Board may designate (b) Corporate Officers: The board of trustees shall elect the following officers: president, vice-president, secretary, and treasurer, and such other officers as the by-laws of this corporation may authorize the trustees to elect from time to time. Such officers shall be initially elected at the first annual meeting of the board of trustees. Until such election is held, the following persons shall serve as corporate officers:

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ARTICLE ELEVEN, DISTRIBUTION OF ASSETS

Upon the dissolution or winding up of this cooperation, its assets remaining after payment, or provision of payment, of all debts and liabilities of this corporation, shall be distributed to a nonprofit fund, foundation, or corporation organized and operated exclusively for religious or charitable purposes which has established its tax exempt status under Section 501 (C) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954, or corresponding provisions of any subsequent Federal tax laws.

ARTICLE TWELVE, CREDO

THE FIRE HOUSE CHRISTIAN CENTER, INC., we believe that the Holy Bible is the infallible Word of God. All teaching and beliefs are based upon holy scriptures. We believe that Jesus Christ is God manifested in the flesh, we also believe that there is no other plan of salvation besides God redemptive plan through Christ John 3:16.

We believe in the baptism by submersion, this ministry teaches the baptism in the Holy Spirit, this ministry believes in prophetic utterances, and the return of Christ to the planet Earth.

This ministry has a worldwide outreach that has and will minister to the needs of hurting humanity. Verily I say unto you, in as much as ye have done it unto one of the least of these my brethren, ye have done it unto me. (The hungry, homeless, sick, prisoners and sinners.)

The goal for The Fire House Christian Center, Inc., is to teach as many people as possible what is necessary to become a good citizen through the Word of God. This ministry will feed those that are in need, clothe the less fortunate, and fulfill the Mandate of the GREAT COMMISSION, preaching the Gospel to EVERY CREATURE.

I, the undersigned, being the incorporator of this corporation, for the purpose of forming this nonprofit charitable corporation under the laws of the State of Florida have executed these articles of incorporation on August 11, 1999.


(Rev.) Willie M. Marshall


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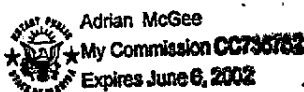
COUNTY OF HILLSBOROUGH

I, Willie M. Marshall, being first duly sworn, state that I have read and subscribed to the foregoing and that the facts set forth therein are true and correct.


Willie M. Marshall

Subscribed and sworn to before me on this 11th day of August, 1999.

(SEAL)




NOTARY PUBLIC

Adrian McGee

NAME: (PRINTED)

Personally Known ☒ OR

Produced Identification ☐

Type of Identification Produced _____

CERTIFICATE DESIGNATING RESIDENT AGENT

In pursuance of 48.091, Florida Statutes, the following is submitted in compliance with said Act:

First - That The Fire House Christian Center, Inc., desiring to organize under the laws of the State of Florida with its mailing address as indicated in the Articles of Incorporation in the City of Tampa, Hillsborough County, Florida, has named NATHANIEL W. TINDALL, II, ESQUIRE, located at 205 West Dr. Martin L. King, Jr., Boulevard, Tampa, Florida 33603, as its agent to accept service of process within this State.

ACKNOWLEDGE

Having been named to accept service for the above stated Corporation, at place designated in this certificate, I hereby accept to act in this capacity and agree to comply with the provisions of said act relative to keeping open said office.

By: 

NATHANIEL W. TINDALL, II, ESQUIRE

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