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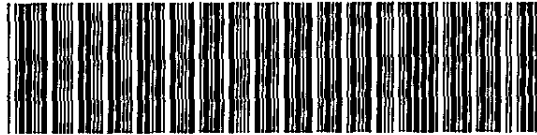
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TO: Amendment Section
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NAME OF CORPORATION: Ship Shaped Adventures, Inc

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 737419

The enclosed *Articles of Amendment* and fee are submitted for filing.

Please return all correspondence concerning this matter to the following:

Bobby Braswell
(Name of Contact Person)

Ship Shaped Adventures, Inc.
(Firm/ Company)

2205 Orange Street
(Address)

Orlando, Fl. 32724
(City/ State and Zip Code)

For further information concerning this matter, please call:

Bobby Braswell at (386) 738-3042
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Articles of Amendment
to
Articles of Incorporation
of

Ship Shaped Adventures, Inc.

(Name of corporation as currently filed with the Florida Dept. of State)

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Pursuant to the provisions of section 617.1006, Florida Statutes, this **Florida Not For Profit Corporation** adopts the following amendment(s) to its Articles of Incorporation:

NEW CORPORATE NAME (if changing):

THE GATES
OF RESTORATION, INC.

The Gates of Restoration, INC.

(must contain the word "corporation," "incorporated," or the abbreviation "corp." or "inc." or words of like import in language; "Company" or "Co." may not be used in the name of a not for profit corporation)

AMENDMENTS ADOPTED- (OTHER THAN NAME CHANGE) Indicate Article Number(s) and/or Article Title(s) being amended, added or deleted: **(BE SPECIFIC)**

See Attached - all previous -

(Attach additional pages if necessary)
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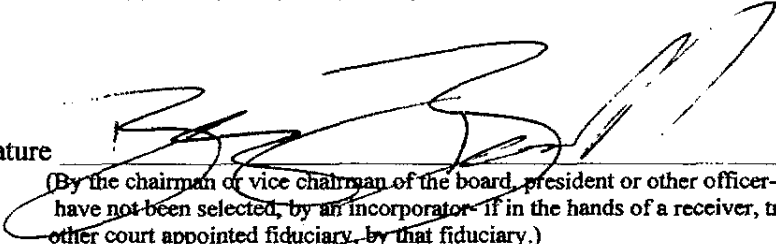
The date of adoption of the amendment(s) was: 9/07/05

Effective date if applicable: 9/12/05
(no more than 90 days after amendment file date)

Adoption of Amendment(s) (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


(By the chairman or vice chairman of the board, president or other officer- if directors have not been selected, by an incorporator- if in the hands of a receiver, trustee, or other court appointed fiduciary, by that fiduciary.)

Bobby Braswell
(Typed or printed name of person signing)

Registered Agent-President
(Title of person signing)

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**CONSTITUTION AND BYLAWS
OF
THE GATES OF RESTORATION**

The previously existing Constitution and ByLaws of Ship Shaped Adventures, Inc., and all previous amendments are hereby repealed in their entirety and replaced by the following Constitution and ByLaws adopted by amendment this 07th day of September, 2005. They were replaced by a unanimous vote of the Board of Directors. The name of the Corporation will be called The Gates of Restoration, Inc.

ARTICLE I

- 1. NAME:**The name of the corporation shall be called **THE GATES OF RESTORATION INC.**.(This Corporation may do business under other names assigned to ministries by the Board of Directors .)
- 2. ADDRESS:**The general office and headquarters of this corporation, The Gates Of Restoration is 2205 Orange Street, Deland Fl. 32724. This corporation shall remain at this location until the President deems it necessary to change its location.
- 3. REGISTERED AGENT:**The registered agent of the corporation is the President, whose address is 2205 Orange Street, Deland, FL. 32724.
- 4. DURATION:**The period of the duration of this corporation shall be perpetual.

ARTICLE II-PURPOSES

This Corporation is organized and shall be ooperated exclusively for non-profit religious, charitable, and educational purposes within the meaning of 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code or the corresponding section of any future Federal Tax Code.

These purposes include but are not limited to the following:

1. To Glorify God in all that we do.
2. To spread the Gospel and to fulfill The Great Commission, given by our Lord Jesus Christ, by promoting His gospel, by teaching and preaching the Word of God by any and all means, and in all places, consistent with the beliefs of this ministry and the Articles of Incorporation.
3. To Equip, train, feed the hungry, clothe the poor, minister to the spiritual and social needs of all. Seeing that the Body of Christ is healed and restored until we mature, attaining to the whole measure of the fulness of Christ.
4. This corporation reserves the right to license and ordain ministers of the Gospel and to release them into the mission fields, the uttermost parts of the earth.
5. To buy, lease, own, possess and sell or manage such properties, both personal and real, and to accept or manage any endowments or gifts as may become necessary through its members or anyone who may become interested in our purpose.
6. To solicit and accept funds, such as offerings, donations, and to receive and acquire by grant, gift, purchase, devise, bequest or hold in trust, mortgage, or otherwise as may be lawful, money or real property of any kind and to hold, accumulate, invest, or dispose of such property or the income derived therefrom for the furtherance of the corporations purposes.
7. To do any and all things deemed by the Board Of Directors to be necessary or proper in the developing or carrying out the general work and for the purposes of this corporation that are not forbidden by the

Florida Corporation Act or by any other law or by these Articles and By Laws.

8. The field of this corporation, or ministry is the United States of America and any foreign lands.

ARTICLE III-RESTRICTIONS

This organization shall at no time be operated for pecuniary gain or profit. No part of the net earnings of the corporation shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to, any member, director, or officer or to any individual, (except that reasonable compensation may be paid for services rendered to or for the corporation effecting one or more of its purposes, and reimbursement may be made for any expenses incurred for the corporation by an officer, director, agent, or employee, or any other person or corporation, pursuant to and upon authorization of the Board of Directors).

This corporation shall not issue shares of stock.

No member, director, officer of the corporation, or any private individual shall be entitled to a share in any of the assets of the corporation on dissolution of the corporation or otherwise.

Upon dissolution of the corporation, all of the assets of the corporation remaining after payment of, or provision for payment of, all debts and liabilities of the corporation, shall be distributed to one or more tax exempt organizations described in the section 501(c) (3) of the internal Revenue Code.

No substantial part of the activities of the corporation shall consist of the carrying on propaganda or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, and the corporation shall not participate in or intervene in, (including the publishing or distribution of statements) any political campaign on behalf of any candidate for public office. Notwithstanding any other provision hereof, this corporation shall not conduct or carry on any activities not permitted to be conducted or carried on by an organization which is tax exempt under the provisions of section 501 (c) (3) of the internal revenue code.

ARTICLE IV-DEBT OBLIGATIONS AND PERSONAL LIABILITY

No member, officer or director of this corporation shall be personally liable for the debts or obligations of this corporation of any nature whatsoever, nor shall property of the members, officers or directors be subject to the payment of the debts or obligations of this corporation.

ARTICLE V-DIRECTORS AND MEMBERS

The corporation shall have no voting members. The corporation will be governed theocratically. The management and affairs of the corporation shall be at all times under the direction of a board of directors, whose operations in governing the corporation shall be defined by statute and by the corporation's by-laws. The Board of Directors shall consist of a minimum of three members. They will be President, Vice President, Secretary, Treasurer or Secretary/Treasurer. More directors may be appointed to the board as necessary according to the ByLaws.

The President of the corporation is the registered agent and CEO of the corporation. The President's tenure is perpetual, with exceptions stated in the By Laws.

Membership will be open to all who have professed their faith in the Lord Jesus Christ as their Lord and Savior and who agree to covenant with the vision of the corporation and to adhere to its Constitution and ByLaws . We are the Body of Christ and will all agree to work in unity to bring forth the kingdom of God in the earth.

The membership will have no voting privileges but the board is open to prayerfully consider all wisdom and input for the fulfillment of the vision. Everything will be done by prayer and direction of the Holy Spirit.

ARTICLE VI-AMENDMENTS TO THIS CONSTITUTION

This Constitution and ByLaws may be added to or amended, as it becomes necessary, by a majority vote

of the Board Of Directors in a meeting called for that purpose.

PRESENT REGISTERED AGENT AND BOARD OF DIRECTORS

<u>Registered Agent</u>	Bobby E. Braswell
Director	Vicky Braswell
Director	Marilyn Braswell

ARTICLES OF THE BYLAWS

Article I: Structure

A. Selection:

The structure of this ministry will be governed theocratically. Questions, answers and deliberations, will prayerfully considered under the guidance of the Holy Spirit.

The Board of Directors will be the governing instrument of this ministry, and assume the responsibilities of administering its affairs.

The Board will consist of at least three directors and the President will appoint more as there is a need.

The President may appoint/dismiss advisors who will assist the Board of Directors if they are knowledgeable in an area of ministry that is purposed in carrying out the vision of the corporation.

B. Duties

The Board of Directors shall operate in spiritual oversight of this entire ministry. They will assign the responsibilities and duties of those working in this Ministry. They will be responsible for the doctrine set forth by anyone ministering in the name of this Ministry. They will adhere to the disciplinary procedures set forth in the scriptures. They will do the works of God as set forth in the scriptures.

President:

The President of the corporation is the registered agent and the CEO of the corporation. The president will call the meeting of the Board of Directors, and all other meetings will be called by the President, or an agent that the President may appoint to call a specific meeting at a specific time. No other meeting called by any other person will be deemed as official or legal under these articles. The President will chair all meetings, unless the President desires to yield the chair for any justifiable cause. All meetings will be governed by Robert's Rules of Order, unless otherwise deemed prudent by the Board of Directors to operate in some other manner that is consistent with unity and the spirit of Christian love and behavior, under the guidance of the Holy Spirit.

Vice President:

The Vice President is a help to the President. In the absence, or disability of the President, the Vice-President is to perform the duties of the President, acting as President.

Secretary:

The Secretary is the person responsible to the President and the Board of Directors, for the presentation of management statistics, concerning the corporation and all of its ministries.

Treasurer:

The Treasurer is responsible to the President and the Board of Directors for the reporting of financial

activities, substances and status of this corporation and ministry.

C.Term of office:

The office of the President (registered agent, CEO) is perpetual. He or she may resign as a willful action or of his or her own accord.

The other officers or Directors may be removed for no particular reason as the president deems necessary to fulfill the vision. He or She may resign as a willful action of his or her own accord.

ARTICLE II: Membership

Membership will be open to all who profess their faith in the Lord Jesus Christ as their Lord and Savior and who agree to covenant with the vision of the corporation and who voluntarily subscribe to its tenets of faith and agree to be governed by its constitution and bylaws. We are the Body of Christ and we will all agree to work in unity of faith to bring about the Kingdom of God in the earth.

There will be no voting membership but input from the members will be prayerfull considered in all that we do to bring forth the vision.

ARTICLE III: Review of Membership:

In order to keep the active membership roster current; review will be made once a year. The Board of Directors will be authorized to revise the membership roll of the church to remove from the list of active/inactive members of all names of those who may have become deceased or no longer desire to be active or covenant the ministry.

ARTICLE IV: PURPOSES

The purposes will go forth as stated in the Articles of this Constitution.

STATEMENT OF FAITH

We believe that the Bible is the verbally inspired Word of God, without error in the original writing, and the supreme and final authority in doctrine and practice.

We believe in one God, eternally existent in three Persons: Father, Son and Holy Spirit.

We believe in the deity of our Lord Jesus Christ, in His virgin birth, in His sinless life, in His miracles, in His vicarious death and atonement through His shed blood, in His bodily resurrection, and in His personal return in power and glory.

We believe in the present ministry of the Holy Spirit, by Whose indwelling the Christian is enabled to live a godly life.

We believe in the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and life eternal.

We believe in the spiritual unity of the Church, which is the Body of Christ, composed of all who are regenerated through faith in the Lord Jesus Christ.