

TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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Department of State  
Division of Corporations  
P. O. Box 6327  
Tallahassee, FL 32314

SUBJECT: WELLSPRING OF LIFE MINISTRY, INC.  
(PROPOSED CORPORATE NAME - MUST INCLUDE SUFFIX)

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Enclosed is an original and one (1) copy of the articles of incorporation and a check for:

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Filing Fee &  
Certificate of  
Status

☐ \$78.75  
Filing Fee  
& Certified Copy

☒ \$87.50  
Filing Fee,  
Certified Copy  
& Certificate

ADDITIONAL COPY REQUIRED

FROM: ROBERT H. CODER  
Name (Printed or typed)

2417 PERSIAN DR. #25  
Address

CLEARWATER, FL 33763  
City, State & Zip

727-724-3520  
Daytime Telephone number

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SECRETARY OF STATE  
TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA

NOTE: Please provide the original and one copy of the articles.

T. Burch OCT 3 2000

**Articles of Incorporation  
Of  
Wellspring of Life Ministry, Inc.  
A Florida Not-For Profit Corporation**

*The undersigned incorporator, for the purpose of forming a corporation under the  
Florida Not-For Profit Corporation Act, hereby adopt(s) the following Articles of  
Incorporation.*

**ARTICLE ONE – CORPORATE NAME AND ADDRESS**

The name of this corporation is Wellspring of Life Ministry, Inc., and the principle address of the corporation is 1363 Tenby Way Palm Harbor, FL 34683.

**ARTICLE TWO – TERMS OF EXISTENCE**

This corporation shall have perpetual existence.

**ARTICLE THREE – PURPOSES FOR WHICH THE CORPORATION IS  
ORGANIZED**

The purpose for which the corporation is formed are to operate exclusively for charitable, religious, literary, scientific and education purpose set forth is Section 501 (c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, including, for such purpose, the making of distributions to organizations that qualify as tax exempt organizations under Section 501(c)(3) of such code, or any corresponding provisions of any subsequent tax laws.

**ARTICLE FOUR – PROHIBITED TRANSACTION**

This corporation shall not:

- A. Engage in any activities prohibited by Section 617.0835, Florida Statutes;
- B. As a substantial part of it's activities, carry out propaganda or otherwise attempt to influence legislation;
- C. Participate or intervene, by publication or distribution of any statements or otherwise, in any political campaign on behalf of any candidates for public office;
- D. Notwithstanding any other provisions of these Articles, this organization shall not carry on any activities not permitted to be carried on by an organization exempt from federal income tax under Section 501 (c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law.

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## **ARTICLE FIVE – DEDICATION OF ASSETS**

The property of this corporation is irrevocably dedicated to charitable, religious, literary, scientific and education purpose and no part of the net income or assets of this corporation shall ever inure to the benefit of any director, officer or member thereof.

## **ARTICLE SIX – MEMBERSHIP**

This corporation shall have a membership distinct from the Board of Directors. Any person making application for membership as provided for in the Bylaws and agreeing to be bound by the Articles of Incorporation of this corporation, by it's Bylaws, and by such rules and regulations as the Board of Directors may from time to time adopt, is eligible for membership in the corporation. The Board of Directors shall from time to time prescribe the form and manner in which application may be made for membership. The rights and privileges of the members of the corporation are as provided in the Bylaws of the corporation. Members shall have no voice in the business affairs of the corporation, save for specific instances when the Board of Directors, through a majority vote, may choose to allow such to take place.

## **ARTICLE SEVEN – REGISTERED AGENT AND INITIAL REGISTERED OFFICE**

The street address of the initial registered office of the corporation is 1363 Tenby Way Palm Harbor, FL 34683. The name of the initial registered is Robert H. Coder.

## **ARTICLE EIGHT – INITIAL DIRECTORS**

There shall be no less than four (4) directors constituting the initial Board of Directors. The names and addresses of each person who is to serve as an initial director as follows:

Clayton J. Bowman  
1363 Tenby Way  
Palm Harbor, FL 34683

Bud Karn  
1592 Mac Charles Court  
Dunedin, FL 34698

Robert H. Coder  
2417 Persian Drive #25  
Clearwater, FL 33763

Joyce Coder  
2417 Persian Drive #25  
Clearwater, FL 33763

Michael E. Dean, Sr.  
10602 Keswick Place.  
Tampa, FL 33626

Steve Lee  
1540 Lemon Street  
Clearwater, FL 33756

Chris Maddox  
4612 Poinciana Street #4  
Lauderdale by the Sea, FL 33308

Keith Moritz  
3313 West San Juan Street #4  
Tampa, FL 33629

## ARTICLE NINE – INCORPORATOR

The name and street of the person signing these articles as the incorporator is: Robert H. Coder, 1363 Tenby Way Palm Harbor, FL 34683.

## ARTICLE TEN – MANAGEMENT OF CORPORATE AFFAIRS

The powers of this corporation shall be exercised, its properties controlled, and its affairs conducted by a Board of Directors, which may, however, delegate the performance of any duties or the exercise of any powers to such officers and agents as the board may from time to time, by resolution, designate. The number of Directors of the corporation shall not be less than three (3) and may be such number greater than three (3) as may, from time to time, be voted upon by the Board of Directors.

The Board of Directors named in Article Seven shall hold forth until the first annual meeting of the Board of Directors to be held as prescribed in the Bylaws, but in no event later than twelve (12) months from the date of incorporation, at which time an election or appointment shall be as provided in the Bylaws of the corporation.

Directors elected or appointed at the first annual meeting and at all times thereafter, shall serve for a term of not less than one (1) year and until the qualification of their successors in office. The Board of Directors may, in the Bylaws of the corporation or by separate resolution, provide for staggered terms of office of the directors.

## ARTICLE ELEVEN – AMMENDMENTS

The Articles of Incorporation of the corporation may be amended by the Board of Directors by resolution proposed and considered at any regular meeting of the Board of Directors, but which may not be adopted until the next succeeding regular meeting of the Board of Directors, and then only by unanimous vote. The Bylaws of the corporation shall be made, altered, amended, or rescinded by a majority vote of the Board of Directors at a meeting the Board of Directors called for such purpose.

## ARTICLE TWELVE – DISTRIBUTION OF ASSETS

Upon dissolution or winding up of this corporation, its assets remaining after payment, or provision for payment, of all debts and liabilities of the corporation, shall be distributed to a nonprofit fund, foundation or corporation organized and operated exclusively for charitable, religious, or educational purposes which has established its tax exempt status under Section 501 (c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, or corresponding provisions of any subsequent federal tax law.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Incorporator has executed these Articles of Incorporation this 23 day of SEPTEMBER, 2000.

9/23/00  
Date

Robert H. Coder  
Robert H. Coder, Incorporator

Having been named as registered agent and to accept service of process for the above stated corporation at the place designated in this certificate, I hereby accept appointment as registered agent and agree to act in this capacity. I further agree to comply with the provisions of all the statutes relating to the proper and complete performance of my duties, and I am familiar with and accept the obligations of my position as registered agent.

9/23/00  
Date

Robert H. Coder  
Robert H. Coder, Registered Agent

**STATE OF FLORIDA  
COUNTY OF PINELLAS**

**I HEREBY CERTIFY** that on this day personally appeared before me, the undersigned, Robert H. Coder, to me personally known or who has produced \_\_\_\_\_ as identification, and who executed the foregoing, and he acknowledged before me that he executed the same for the purposes therein expressed.

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, I have set my hand and affixed my seal at ODDSMAR in said County and State aforesaid, this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of SEPTEMBER, A.D., 2000.

Lynn F Coffey  
Notary Public  
Commission Expires :  
Commission No. :



Lynn F Coffey  
My Commission CC602242  
Expires November 18, 2000