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**ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION
BUFORD GROVE BAPTIST CHURCH, INC.**

EFFECTIVE DATE

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The undersigned hereby forms a Florida corporation not for profit under and pursuant to the following Articles of Incorporation:

**ARTICLE I
NAME**

The name of the corporation shall be BUFORD GROVE BAPTIST CHURCH, INC.

**ARTICLE II
PRINCIPAL OFFICE**

The principal office of the Corporation is located at Route 4, Box 7115, Hilliard, Florida 32046, or at such other place as the Board of Directors may from time to time designate.

**ARTICLE III
REGISTERED AGENT**

Kerry L. Davis, whose address is Buford Grove Baptist Church, Route 4, Box 7115, Hilliard, Florida 32046 is hereby appointed the initial registered agent of the Corporation.

**ARTICLE IV
PURPOSES AND POWERS OF THE CORPORATION**

The Corporation does not contemplate pecuniary gain or profit to its members. The Corporation is formed to promote fundamental Christian religious beliefs and practices in accordance with the Articles of Faith contained in the Corporation's Constitution and bylaws, to serve as successor in title and interest to the property of Buford Grove Baptist Church of Hilliard, Florida, an unincorporated church, and for the additional purposes set forth in the Bylaws. The Corporation shall exercise all of the powers and privileges and perform all the duties and obligations which a corporation organized under the not-for-profit corporation laws of the State of Florida may now or hereafter have or exercise.

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**ARTICLE V
MEMBERSHIP AND VOTING RIGHTS**

The Bylaws shall provide for membership and voting rights in the Corporation.

**ARTICLE VI
BOARD OF DIRECTORS**

The Board of Directors shall consist of not less than three (3) members nor more than ten (10) members. The Board of Directors will be elected by the Members in the manner set forth in the Bylaws.

**ARTICLE VII
EXISTENCE AND DURATION**

Existence of the Corporation shall commence five business days prior to the filing of these Articles with the Secretary of State, Tallahassee, Florida. The Corporation shall exist in perpetuity.

**ARTICLE VIII
AMENDMENTS**

Amendment of these Articles shall require the assent of the holders of a majority of the total number of votes in the Corporation.

**ARTICLE IX
OFFICERS**

The officers of the Corporation shall be elected by the Board of Directors. The officers of the Corporation shall be elected and shall serve for the term as prescribed by the Bylaws. The Board, by resolution, may create such officers as determined necessary for the operation of the Corporation.

**ARTICLE XI
BYLAWS**

The Board shall adopt Bylaws consistent with these Articles. Amendment of the

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Bylaws shall require the assent of the holders of a majority of the total number of votes in the Corporation.

ARTICLE XII
SUBSCRIBER

The name and address of the subscriber to these Articles is Lynda R. Aycock, Post Office Box 59, Jacksonville, Florida 32201.

ARTICLE XIII
CONFLICT


In the event of any conflict between these Articles and the Bylaws, the Articles shall control and prevail.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has hereunto set his hand this 21 day of November, 2000, for the purpose of forming this corporation not for profit under the laws of the State of Florida.


Lynda R. Aycock

STATE OF FLORIDA
COUNTY OF DUVAL

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this 21 day of ^{December} ~~November~~, 2000 by Lynda R. Aycock, who is personally known to me.


Printed Name _____
Notary Public, State of Florida
Commission No.: _____
My commission expires _____



Corinne P. McClure
MY COMMISSION # 00804699 EXPIRES
February 28, 2001
BONDED THRU TROY FAIN INSURANCE, INC.

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ACCEPTANCE BY REGISTERED AGENT

Having been named to accept service or process for the above stated non-profit corporation, at the place designated in Article III of these Articles of Incorporation, the undersigned hereby agrees to act in this capacity and further agrees to comply with the provisions of all statutes relative to the proper and complete discharge of his duties.

DATED this 16 day of October, 2000.

Kerry L. Davis
Name: Kerry L. Davis
Registered Agent

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