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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

Of

NEW VICTORY TEMPLE CHURCH OF GOD BY FAITH, INC.

We, the undersigned natural persons of age twenty-one (21) years or more, acting as incorporators of a corporation, not for profit, adopt the following Amended and Restated Articles of Incorporation for such Corporation pursuant to Chapter, 617, of Title 34 of the Statutes of the State of Florida.

ARTICLE I

Name

The name of the Corporation shall be **New Victory Temple Church Of God By Faith, Inc.**

ARTICLE II

Duration

The term of the Corporation shall be perpetual.

ARTICLE III

Principal Office, Registered Agent And Address

The address of the Corporation's principal office is **2004 Martin Luther King Avenue, Lakeland, Florida 33805**

The registered agent of the Corporation is Ann Nealy, whose address is 2004 Martin Luther king Avenue, Lakeland, Florida 33805.

ARTICLE IV

Corporate Seal

The Corporate Seal of the Corporation shall have inscribed thereon the name of the Corporation, the year of its incorporation and the words "CORPORATE SEAL" AND "FLORIDA."

ARTICLE V

Purpose

The purpose for which the corporation is organized is exclusively for religious, educational, charitable and scientific, that are described in Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 as it is currently and shall hereafter be enforced and effect (or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law).

1. To proclaim the **Gospel message** of **Salvatiion** through **Christ** and bringing mankind into **His discipleship**;

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2. To provide a **sanctuary** of regular assembly for the **worship of God**;
3. To develop and nurture **effective leadership** within the church;
4. To safeguard the principles of **religious liberty, social justice** and **equality** of mankind;
5. To do good for the **bodies** and **souls** of mankind by feeding the hungry, clothing the naked, and ministering to the sick;
6. To serve as a agency for **Christian Education** and **Church growth**;
7. To implement the biblical "**Stewardship**" principle by deed and action through **Tithing**;and
8. To serve as a **clearinghouse** for education, employment, health and affordable housing opportunities.

In furtherance, but not in limitation of the forgoing purposes, the corporation shall have the power and authority:

1. To receive assistance, money (as grants or otherwise), real or personal property and any other form of contribution, gifts, bequest or devise from any person, firm or corporation to be utilized in the furtherance of the necessary, objects and purposes of this Corporation; to enter into agreements or contracts for contributions to the Corporation for its objects and purposes, provided however, that gifts shall be subject to acceptance by the Board of Trustees as required by the by-laws;
2. To distribute, in the manner, form and method, and by means determined by the Board of Trustees of this corporation, any and all forms of contributions received by it in carrying out the programs of the corporation in furtherance of its stated purposes. Money and real or personal property contributed to the corporation in furtherance of those objects and purposes are and shall continue to be impressed with a trust for such purposes; and
3. Each and all of the objects, purposes and powers of the Corporation, however, shall be exercised, construed and limited in their application to accomplish the purpose for which this Corporation is formed.

ARTICLE VI

Limitation

1. Notwithstanding any other provision of these articles, this corporation 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 provisions of any future United States Internal Revenue Law.
2. The Corporation shall not carry on propaganda or otherwise attempt in any way to influence legislation or participate or intervene in (including the publishing or distribution of statement), any political campaign on behalf of any candidate for public office.

3. No part of the net earnings of the Corporation shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to its Trustees, officers and members except that the Corporation shall be authorized and empowered to pay reasonable compensation for services rendered and to make payments and distributions in furtherance of the purpose set forth above.

ARTICLE VII

DISSOLUTION

The regulation of internal affairs of the Corporation, including the distribution of assets on dissolution, shall be provided for in the by-laws and shall include that:

1. Upon dissolution of the Corporation or winding down of its affairs, the assets of the Corporation shall be applied and distributed as follows:
 - (a) All liabilities and obligations of the Corporation shall be paid, satisfied and discharged, or adequate provisions shall be made;
 - (b) Assets held by the Corporation upon condition requiring, return, transfer or conveyance, which condition occurs by reason of the dissolution or winding down, shall be returned, transferred or conveyed in accordance with such requirements; and
 - (c) All remaining assets not disposed of under either of the preceding paragraphs (a) or (b) shall be transferred or conveyed to one or more religious, charitable, education or scientific organizations (i) which are described in Section 509 (a) (1) , (2), or (3), and (ii) to which deductible contributions can be made under Section 170 (c) (2) 2522 (a) (2), as the Board of Directors shall select.

ARTICLE VIII

INDEMNIFICATION

Every director and officer of the Corporation shall be indemnified by the Corporation against all expenses and liabilities, including counsel fees, reasonably incurred by or imposed in connection with any proceeding or any settlement of any proceeding (including any appeal thereof) to which a director may be a party or may become involved by reason of being or having been a director or officer at the time such expenses incurred, except when the director or officer is adjudged guilty of, or liable for, willful misfeasance in the performance of duties; provided that in the event of a settlement before entry of judgment, the indemnification shall apply only when the Board of Directors approves such settlement and reimbursement as being in the best interest of the Corporation. The foregoing right of indemnification shall be in addition to and not exclusive of all other rights to which such director or officer may be entitled by law. Appropriate liability insurance shall be provided for every officer, director and agent of the Corporation in amounts determined from time to time by the Board.

ARTICLE IX

Management

The management of the Corporation shall be vested in a Board of Trustees. The number of Trustees constituting the Board of Trustees is four (4). The number of Trustees may be increased or decreased from time to time in accordance with the Bylaws, but shall

never be less than four (4). The Trustees shall be elect in the manner prescribed by the Bylaws.

The name and address of each Trustee of the Corporation is as follows:

Ann Nealy
7767 Habersham Circle
Lakeland, Florida 33810

Florence Davidson
701 W Belmar Street
Lakeland, Florida 33803

Elnora Burroughs
525 Heartland Circle
Mulberry, Florida 33860

Michael Worlds
5564 Starling Loop
Lakeland, Florida 33810

ARTICLE X

Officers

The Officers of the Corporation shall consist of a President, Secretary, and Treasurer, The name and address of each Officer of the Corporation is as follows:

Ann Nealy, President
7767 Habersham Circle
Lakeland, Florida 33810

Florence Davidson, Secretary
701 W Belmar Street
Lakeland, Florida 33803

Elnora Burroughs, Vice President
525 Heartland Circle
Mulberry, Florida 33860

— Michael Worlds, Treasurer
5564 Starling Loop
Lakeland, Florida 33810

ARTICLE XI

Incorporators

The names and residences of the subscribers to the Articles of Incorporation are:

Ann Nealy
7767 Habersham Circle
Lakeland, Florida 33810

Florence Davidson
701 W Belmar Street
Lakeland, Florida 33803

Elnora Burroughs
525 Heartland Circle
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ARTICLE XII
Articles of Incorporation

The Articles of Incorporation are made and adopted by the Board of Trustees.

ARTICLE XIII
Amendment

The corporation reserves the right to amend or repeal any provisions contained in these Articles of Incorporation or any amendment to them. The Articles of Incorporation shall be amended in accordance with the Bylaws and provisions of the laws of the State of Florida,

ARTICLE XIV
Fiscal Year

The fiscal year of the Corporation shall begin January 1 and end on December 31 of each calendar year.

ARTICLE XV
Territory

The territory in which the operations of the Corporation is principally to be conducted is Lakeland, Polk County, Florida 33805.

ARTICLE XVI
Rules Of Order

The rules contained in the current edition of Robert Rules of Orders, newly revised, shall govern all meetings of the Corporation.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, We, the undersigned do acknowledge these Articles of Incorporation and accordingly have hereunto set hands this ____ day of May, A.D. 2001.

Ann Nealy
Ann Nealy
Elnora G. Burroughs
Elnora Burroughs
Florence Davidson
Florence Davidson
Michael Worlds
Michael Worlds

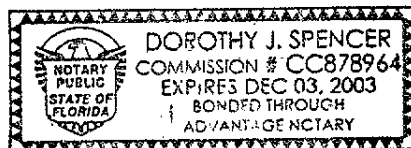
**STATE OF FLORIDA
COUNTY OF POLK:**

I HEREBY CERTIFY that on this day, before me, an officer duly authorized in the State and County aforesaid to take acknowledgments, personally appeared:

Ann Nealy
Elnora Burroughs
Florence Davidson
Michael Worlds

to me well known to be the persons described in the forgoing Amended and Restated Articles of Incorporation and acknowledge before me that they subscribed to same.

Dorothy J. Spencer
Notary Public



CERTIFICATE OF DESIGNATION OF REGISTERED AGENT/REGISTERED OFFICE

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF SECTION 607.0501 or 617.0501, FLORIDA STATUTES, THE UNDERSIGNED CORPORATION, ORGANIZED UNDER THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF FLORIDA, SUBMITS THE FOLLOWING STATEMENT IN DESIGNATING THE REGISTERED OFFICE/REGISTERED AGENT, IN THE STATE OF FLORIDA.

1. The name of the corporation is: New Victory Temple Church of

God by Faith, Inc.

2. The name and address of the registered agent and office is:

Ann Nealy

(Name)

2004 Marjorie LUTHER King Avenue

(P.O. Box not acceptable)

Lakeland, Florida 33805

(City/State/Zip)

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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 the appointment as registered agent and agree to act in this capacity. I further agree to comply with the provisions of all 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.

Ann Nealy
(Signature)

May 24, 2001
(Date)