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STATE OF FLORIDA
DIVISION OF CORPORATIONS
P.O. Box 6327
Tallahassee, Florida 32314

Re: **NEW BEGINNING LIGHTHOUSE OF PRAYER, INC.**

To Whom It May Concern:

Enclosed for filing is the original and one (1) copy of Articles Of Incorporation on the above. Also, enclosed is my check in the amount of \$70.00 for payment of the following:

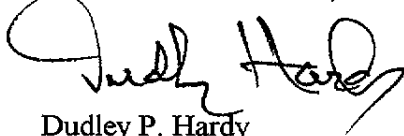
1.	Filing Fee for Articles Of Incorporation	\$35.00
2.	Filing Fee for Designation And Acceptance by Registered Agent	<u>\$35.00</u>
Total:		\$70.00

Please notify me immediately, by facsimile if possible, when the Articles Of Incorporation are filed.

I appreciate your anticipated cooperation.

Sincerely,

DUDLEY P. HARDY, P.A.



Dudley P. Hardy

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Enclosures

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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION
OF
NEW BEGINNING LIGHTHOUSE OF PRAYER, INC.

A NOT FOR PROFIT FLORIDA CORPORATION

The undersigned incorporator to these Articles of Incorporation, hereby forms a corporation under the laws of the State of Florida as follows:

Article I

NAME OF CORPORATION

The name of this Corporation is **NEW BEGINNING LIGHTHOUSE OF PRAYER, INC.**

Article II

TERM OF EXISTENCE

The date when corporate existence shall commence shall be the date of filing of these Articles of Incorporation with the office of the Secretary of State of the State of Florida, and the corporation shall have perpetual existence thereafter.

Article III

GENERAL NATURE OF BUSINESS

The corporation is organized for the following purposes:

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A. To witness to and implement the Gospel of Jesus Christ in Florida and throughout the United States and the world;

B. To communicate the Gospel of Jesus Christ by means of the spoken and written word;

C. To receive, maintain, and accept as assets of the Corporation, any property, whether real, personal, or mixed, by way of gift, bequest, devise, or purchase from any person, firm, trust or corporation, to be held, administered, and disposed of exclusively for charitable, religious, educational, and scientific purposes within the meaning of Section 501(c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code, as amended, and in accordance with and pursuant to the provisions of these Articles of Incorporation; but no gift, bequest, devise, or purchase of any such property shall be received or made and accepted if it is conditioned or limited in such manner as shall require the disposition of income or principal to any organization other than a "charitable organization" or for any purposes other than a "charitable organization" which would jeopardize the status of the Corporation as an entity exempt from federal income tax pursuant to the relevant provisions of the Internal Revenue Code, as amended; and

D. To exclusively promote and carry on any other religious, charitable, or educational purposes and activities for which corporations may be organized and operated under the relevant provisions of the Internal Revenue Code, as amended, and under the Florida Not For Profit Corporation Code.

Article IV

NOT FOR PROFIT NATURE; POWERS

1. The Corporation is organized pursuant to the Florida Not For Profit Corporation Code and is a nonprofit corporation as described in Section 501(c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code, as amended.

2. No part of the net earnings of the Corporation shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to its members, trustees, officers, or other private persons, 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 purposes set forth in these Articles of Incorporation. No substantial part of the activities of the Corporation shall be the carrying on of propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, and the Corporation shall not participate in, or intervene in any political campaign or on behalf of or in opposition to any candidate for public office.

3. Anything contained in these Articles of Incorporation to the contrary notwithstanding, the Corporation shall not carry on or otherwise engage in any activities not permitted to be carried on or engaged in by (i) a corporation exempt from federal income tax under Section 501(c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code, as amended, or any corresponding section of any future tax code; (ii) a corporation, contributions to which are deductible under Section 170(c) (2) of the Internal Revenue Code, as amended, or any corresponding section of any future tax code; or (iii) a corporation organized and existing under the Florida Not For Profit Corporation Code.

4. In the event of the dissolution and liquidation of this Corporation, to the extent allowed or permitted under applicable laws, the property and assets of the Corporation shall be as determined by the Trustees, and shall be distributed to or sold and the proceeds of such sales distributed to any organization(s) organized and operating for the same purposes for which the Corporation is organized and operating or any organization(s), foundation(s), fund(s), or corporation(s) organized and operating exclusively for religious, charitable, scientific, or educational, or other purposes permitted by Section 501(c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code, as amended, all of which such organizations, foundations, funds, or corporations shall be exempt under Section 501(c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code, as amended. In the event that any assets are not disposed of in accordance with the provisions of these Articles of Incorporation or that the Corporation shall fail to act within a reasonable time in the manner provided in these Articles of Incorporation, the Circuit Court of Bradford County, Florida shall upon application of one or more persons having a real interest in the Corporation or its assets make such distribution(s) as provided in these Articles of Incorporation.

Article V

INITIAL REGISTERED OFFICE AND AGENT/PRINCIPAL OFFICE

The street address of the initial registered office of this Corporation in the State of Florida is 403 West Georgia Street, Starke, Florida 32091, and the name of the initial Registered Agent of the Corporation at that address is Dudley P. Hardy. The street address and mailing address of the principal office of the Corporation is 102 Brownlee Street, P.O. Box 353, Starke, Florida 32091.

Article VI

TRUSTEES

This Corporation shall have four (4) Trustees initially. The number of Trustees maybe increased or decreased from time to time in the manner provided for in the Bylaws of the Corporation, provided that the Corporation shall always have at least four (4) Trustees. The method of election of Trustees shall be set forth in the Bylaws of the Corporation. The name and street address of the initial Trustees of this Corporation, who shall serve until their successor(s) are duly elected and qualified are:

SYLVIA JEFFERSON, President/Director
375 Davis Street
Starke, Florida 32091

PAMELA JACKSON, Secretary, Director
1395 Covington Lane
Starke, Florida 32091

LEARANTINE EILAND, Treasurer/Director
1231 Harley Circle
Starke, Florida 32091

RAMONA JEFFERSON, Director
900 Clark Street
Starke, Florida 32091

Article VII

INCORPORATOR

The name and address of the incorporator signing these Articles of Incorporation is:

SYLVIA JEFFERSON
375 Davis Street
Starke, Florida 32091

Article VIII

AMENDMENT

These Articles of Incorporation may be amended in the manner provided by law.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal, acknowledged and filed the foregoing Articles Of Incorporation under the laws of the State of Florida, this 6 day of AUGUST, 2002.


SYLVIA JEFFERSON, President/Director

**STATE OF FLORIDA
COUNTY OF BRADFORD**

I HEREBY CERTIFY that on this day, before me, a Notary Public duly authorized in the State and County named above to take acknowledgments, personally appeared SYLVIA JEFFERSON, to me known to be the person described as Subscriber or who has produced FLORIDA DRIVERS LICENSE as identification, and who executed the foregoing Articles Of Incorporation and acknowledged before me that he subscribed to those Articles Of Incorporation.

WITNESS my hand and official seal in the County and State named above this 6th day of AUGUST, 2002.

Kristin L. Lowe
Notary Public, State of Florida
My Comm. expires April 18, 2006
Comm. No. DD 110191


NOTARY PUBLIC, State of Florida

Acceptance by Registered Agent

WITNESSETH

That NEW BEGINNING LIGHTHOUSE OF PRAYER, INC., having organized under the laws of the State of Florida, and which will have its principal office at 102 Brownlee Street, Starke, Florida has named **DUDLEY P. HARDY**, whose address is 403 West Georgia Street, Starke, Florida 32091, as its agent to accept service of process within this State.

ACCEPTANCE

Having been named Registered Agent and designated to accept service of process for **NEW BEGINNING LIGHTHOUSE OF PRAYER INC.**, at the place designated in this Certificate, I hereby agree to serve as the Registered Agent for the Corporation and agree to comply with the applicable provisions of the Florida Statutes relative to the proper and complete performance of my duties.

Dated this 8th day of August, 2002.



DUDLEY P. HARDY, Registered Agent

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