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

SUBJECT: Bible Way Baptist Church of Orange-Lake County, Inc.

Dear Sirs:

Enclosed are an original and one copy of the articles of incorporation and a check for \$78.75 (filing fee and certified copy).

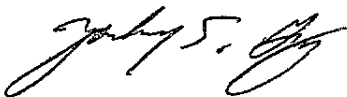
Once filed, please return the certified copy of the articles to:

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If you have any further questions, please contact our office at (727) 399-8300.

Sincerely,

GIBBS LAW FIRM, P. A.



Zachary S. Gray

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**Articles of Incorporation  
of  
Bible Way Baptist Church of Orange-Lake County, Inc.**

The undersigned, acting as the incorporator of a corporation pursuant to Chapter 617 of the Florida Statutes, the Florida Not For Profit Corporation Act, adopt the following Articles of Incorporation for such corporation:

**Article 1**

The name of the corporation is BIBLE WAY BAPTIST CHURCH OF ORANGE LAKE COUNTY, INC.

**Article 2**

The principle place of business of this corporation is 100 West Golf Links Avenue, Ocala, Florida 32726 (Lake County).

**Article 3**

The corporation is organized exclusively for religious, charitable, and educational purposes within the meaning of Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (or corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue law), including, but not limited to, for such purposes, the establishing and maintaining of religious worship, the evangelizing of the unsaved by the proclaiming of the gospel of the Lord Jesus Christ, the educating of believers in a manner consistent with the requirements of Holy Scripture, and the maintaining of missionary activities in the United States and any foreign country.

**Article 4**

The method of election of directors shall be stated in the Bylaws of the corporation. The corporation shall have a minimum of three (3) directors.

**Article 5**

No part of the net earnings of the corporation shall inure to the benefit of or be distributable to its members, directors, officers, employees, 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 tax-exempt purposes of the corporation set forth in Article 3.

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## Article 6

Upon the dissolution of the corporation, the Board of Directors shall, after paying or making provision for payment of all the liabilities of the corporation, dispose of all of the assets of the corporation exclusively for the purposes of the corporation in such manner, or to such organization or organizations organized and operated exclusively for charitable, religious, or educational purposes as shall at the time qualify as an organization exempt from Federal income taxation under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law).

## Article 7

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 (including the publishing or distribution of statements) any political campaign on behalf of or in opposition to any candidate for public office.

## Article 8

The corporation shall have a racially nondiscriminatory policy and shall not discriminate against directors, officers, employees, members, applicants, and others on the basis of race, color, or national or ethnic origin.

## Article 9

The qualifications, rights, privileges, duties, and classifications, of members of the corporation shall be stated in the Bylaws of the corporation.

## Article 10

The street address of the initial registered office of the corporation is 100 West Golf Links Avenue, Eustis, Florida 32726 and the name of the initial registered agent of the corporation at the initial registered office is Joel Tillis.

## Article 11

The name of incorporator of the corporation is Joel Tillis and the address of the incorporator is 100 West Golf Links Avenue, Eustis, Florida 32726.

## Article 12


The corporate powers of this corporation are as provided in section 617.0302, Florida Statutes, except that the 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 provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law) or by an organization, contributions to which are deductible under Section 170(c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law).

### Article 13

The period of the duration of the corporation is perpetual unless dissolved according to law.

In Witness Whereof, the undersigned, being the incorporator of this corporation, have executed these Articles of Incorporation this day of 10-2-2002.

  
Joel Tillis, Incorporator

**Certificate of Designation  
Registered Agent/Registered Office**

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF SECTION 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 AND REGISTERED AGENT, IN THE STATE OF FLORIDA.

1. The name of the corporation is: BIBLE WAY BAPTIST CHURCH OF ORANGE-LAKE COUNTY, INC.

2. The name of the registered agent and office is JOEL TILLIS and the address of the registered office is 100 West Golf Links Avenue, Eustis, Florida 32720

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**Acceptance By Registered Agent**

Having been named as registered agent to accept service of process for the above named 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.

10-2-02  
Date

  
Joel Tillis, Registered Agent