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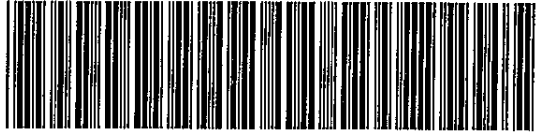
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Truth International Fellowship of Churches, Inc.

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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION  
OF  
**TRUTH INTERNATIONAL FELLOWSHIP OF CHURCHES, INC.**

THE Undersigned incorporator (s), for the purpose of forming a Not for Profit Corporation under Chapter 617 of the Florida Statutes, hereby adopt(s) the following Articles of Incorporation.

ARTICLE I

The name of the corporation shall be: **Truth International Fellowship of Churches, Inc.**

ARTICLE II

The principal place of business and the mailing address of this corporation shall be:

**14504 NW 7<sup>th</sup> Ave  
Miami, FL 33167**

ARTICLE III

The purpose for which the corporation is formed, and the business and the objects to be carried on and promoted by it, are as follows:

1. The purposes for which the corporation is organized are to receive and maintain real or personal property, or both, and subject to the restrictions and limitations hereinafter set forth, to use and apply the whole or any part of the income there from and the principal thereof exclusively for charitable, religious, scientific, literary, or educational purposes either directly or by contributions to organizations that qualify as exempt organizations under Section 501 ( C ) ( 3 ) of the Internal Revenue Code and Regulations issued pursuant thereto as they now exist or as they may hereafter be amended.
2. The specific purposes for which the corporation is organized are: Set up churches, ordain Pastors and Bishops. They will also have the ability to cover churches. The churches covered will be able to, but not limited to have the following ministries:

**Outreach/Street Ministry** – This ministry is designed to reach out to the less fortunate. The purpose of this ministry is to witness to the lost spiritually, as well as naturally. We have specific days that teams go out into some of the

worst neighborhoods in Miami. Not only are we witnessing to these people we are also feeding and clothing the homeless.

This ministry consists of 5 teams of people that go out on different days of the week and reach out to the dying and lost souls. Our focus is on the substance abuser, homeless, battered and abused family members, juvenile delinquents, and many more.

**Christian Education** – The purpose of this ministry is to educate the people as it pertains to Christianity and daily living. This ministry offers leadership classes, a seven-week course on the introduction to living and maintaining a Christian lifestyle.

**Youth Ministry** – Our youth church is designed to reach out to all ages of young people. It is set up in three different stages; Elementary, Middle, and High School/College. Our goal is to adhere to the total development of our young people. Understanding that today's youth are tomorrow's leaders. We have set into motion In-School visitation, tutoring programs, operation graduate, and career developments, just to name a few. We are also reaching out to them in a more personal way in the rearing and guiding of confident young men and women. Mentoring programs and selective training for the individual genders on a more personal level do this.

**Special Interest** – This ministry has been put into place to meet the special needs of the people. This ministry includes; Marriage ministry, Women's ministry, Men's ministry, Divorce Recovery, Singles ministry, Handicapped, and Senior Citizen's. Monthly meetings and outings are held with these individual ministries. So that these people can bond and share what they are dealing with and to become effective citizen's in our community. We find that most if not all of us are dealing with some issues, so these individual ministries have designated times to deal with people that can relate to their issues. This ministry is designed to minister to the total man.

**Member Services** – This Ministry is to meet the needs of the people in an administrative way. Sending newsletters, welcome packets, keeping up with membership attendance, and keeping up with the sick and shut in. Also to build public relations with the community by advertising and promoting the church.

**Music & Fine Arts** – This ministry is in affect to reach out to the community through the ministry of the arts. Its ministries involve music, liturgical dance, hip – hop dance, mime, gospel rap, drama etc.

3. To erect and maintain a building or buildings for the above purpose and to engage in any operation incidental to and essential to carry out the purposes above mentioned.
4. To solicit funds and donations in kind and from time to time to further the purposes of this corporation.
5. To acquire and receive by purchase, donation or otherwise, any property, real, personal or mixed, and to hold, use and dispose of the same.
6. To borrow money and to issue evidences of indebtedness in furtherance of any or all of the objects of its business; and to secure loans by mortgage, pledge, deed of trust, or other lien.
7. To apply for, obtain and contract with any federal, state or local government or agency for a direct loan or loans or other financial aid in the form of grants or otherwise relating to the purposes of this corporation.
8. To engage in any kind of activity, and to enter into, perform and carry out contracts of any kind, necessary or in connection with, or incidental to the accomplishment of any one or more of the non-profit purposes of the corporation.
9. No part of the net earnings of the corporation shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to, any Director or Officer of the corporation or any member of the corporation or any other private individual (except that reasonable compensation may be paid for services rendered to or for the corporation affecting one or more of its purposes), and no Director or Officer of the corporation, or any private individual shall be entitled to share in the distribution of any of the corporate assets on dissolution of the corporation. No substantial part of the activities of the corporation shall be carrying on each propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation and the corporation shall not participate in, or intervene in (including the publication or distribution of statement) any political campaign on behalf of any candidate for public office.
10. Notwithstanding any other provision of these Articles, the corporation shall not carry on any activities not permitted to be conducted or carried on by an organization exempt from taxation under Section 501( c ) ( 3 ) of the Internal Revenue Code and Regulations issued pursuant thereto as they now exist or as they may hereafter be amended, or by an organization, contributions to which

are deductible under Section 170 (c ) ( 2 ) of the Internal Revenue Code and said Regulations as they now exist or as they may hereafter be amended.

11. Upon the dissolution of the corporation, the Board of Directors shall, after paying or making provision for the payment of all of the liabilities of the corporation disposes 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, educational, religious or scientific purposes as shall at the time qualify as an exempt organization or organizations under Section 501 ( c ) ( 3 ) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 ( or the corresponding provisions of any future United States Internal Revenue Law), as the Board of Directors shall determine. Any of such assets not so disposed of shall be disposed of by the Circuit Court of Dade County, Florida in which the principal office of the corporation is then located, exclusively for such purposes or to such organization or organizations, as said script shall determine, which are organized and operated exclusively for such purposes.
12. The corporation shall have such powers as are conferred upon it by Chapter 617 of the Laws of the State of Florida, and to exercise those powers in the accomplishment of its objects and purposes.
13. The By-Laws may impose other conditions of membership from time to time.

#### ARTICLE IV

The manner in which the directors are elected or appointed shall be: During an annual board meeting.

#### ARTICLE V

The name and street address of the initial registered agent shall be:

Sabrina G. Butler  
5740 NW 54<sup>th</sup> Lane  
Tamarac, FL 33319

## ARTICLE VI

The name and street address of the incorporator of these Articles of Incorporation shall be:

Sabrina G. Butler  
5740 NW 54<sup>th</sup> Lane  
Tamarac, FL 33319

## ARTICLE VII

The affairs of the corporation shall be managed by a President, Vice President, Secretary and a Treasure and such other officers as may from time to time be created by the Board of Directors. The names of the Officers and the office they shall hold until the first election shall be:

1. James E. Wright – President
2. Jacqueline S. Wright – Vice President
3. Holley Richardson – Secretary
4. Glenda Foster – Treasurer

## ARTICLE VIII

The members of the Board of Directors shall never be less than three ( 3 ) in number. The name and address of the initial Board of Directors shall be:

James E. Wright  
2234 SW 164th avenue  
Miramar, FL 33027  
954 450-3246

Jacqueline S. Wright  
2234 SW 164th avenue  
Miramar, FL 33027  
954 450-3246

Maurice Redding  
21335 NW 9th court apt#205  
Miami, FL 33169

## ARTICLE IX

These Articles of Incorporation may be amended by a majority vote of the Board of Directors at any special meeting called for that purpose, after first giving at least ten (10) days written notice of the meeting. Amendments to the Articles of Incorporation shall only be effective from the date of approval in writing by Chairman of the Board.

It is hereby expressly provided that in the determination of whether an individual qualifies and should be thus entitled to membership, the Officers of this Corporation, to abide by the By-Laws promulgated by the Board of Directors in determining whether any certain individual qualifies in accordance with the criteria herein established. It is hereby expressly provided that said By-Laws shall not discriminate or be applied in any manner which may be contrary to the purposes described in these Articles of Incorporation or which would disqualify this corporation's qualification as an organization exempt from taxation under Section 501 ( c ) ( 3 ) of the Internal Revenue Code.

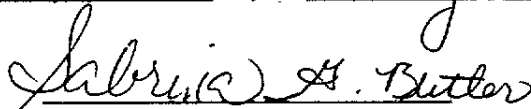
## ARTICLE X

The By-Laws of the corporation may be amended from time to time by a majority vote of the Board of Directors at a meeting called especially for that purpose and after giving at least ten (10) days notice of said meeting in writing.

## ARTICLE XI

The corporation shall hold an annual meeting for members within ninety ( 90 ) days of the end of its fiscal year as determined by the Board of Directors. At such meeting Directors shall be elected or appointed in accordance with the By-laws.

The undersigned incorporator has executed these Articles of Incorporation this 20 day of May, 2003.

  
INCORPORATOR

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**CERTIFICATE OF DESIGNATION  
REGISTERED AGENT/REGISTERED OFFICE**

TRUTH INTERNATIONAL FELLOWSHIP OF CHURCHES, INC.

HAVING BEEN NAMED AS REGISTERED AGENT AND TO ACCEPT SERVICE OF PROCESS FOR THE ABOVE STATED CORPORATION AT THE PLACE DESIGNATED IN THE ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION, I HEREBY ACCEPT THE APPOINTMENT AS REGISTERED AGENT AND AGREE TO ACT IN THIS CAPACITY. I FURTHER AGREE TO COMPLY WITH THE PROVISION 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.

Sabrina A. Butler 5/20/03  
REGISTERED AGENT