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#### FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE Glenda E. Hood Secretary of State

December 5, 2003

JAMES K. SPECK 1604 MELODIE BRANDON, FL 33510

SUBJECT: FAITH FELLOWSHIP OF TAMPA BAY, INC.

Ref. Number: W03000036789

We have received your document for FAITH FELLOWSHIP OF TAMPA BAY, INC. and your check(s) totaling \$87.50. However, the enclosed document has not been filed and is being returned for the following correction(s):

Enclosed are (2) sets of articles for filing. Please only resend the set you want processed whithin our office.

An effective date <u>may</u> be added to the Articles of Incorporation <u>if a 2004 date is needed</u>, otherwise the date of receipt will be the file date. <u>A separate article must be added to the Articles of Incorporation for the effective date.</u>

Please return the original and one copy of your document, along with a copy of this letter, within 60 days or your filing will be considered abandoned.

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Shawn Logan Document Specialist New Filings Section

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## Articles of Incorporation for Faith Fellowship of Tampa Bay, INC.



The undersigned, acting as an incorporator of a corporation not for profit pursuant to chapter 617, Florida Statues, adopt the following articles of incorporation for such corporation.

Article I Name

The name of the Corporation is Faith Fellowship of Tampa Bay, Inc.

Article II Address

EFFECTIVE DATE

The initial principal address of the corporation is 1604 Melodie Drive Brandon, Florida 33510.

Article III Purpose

The Corporation is organized exclusively for charitable, religious, and educational purposes, including, for such purposes, the making of distributions to organizations that qualify as exempt organizations under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code.

The manner and method for carrying out the above purposes is provided in the Articles of Religion and By Laws in the Manual of Faith Fellowship of Tampa Bay, Inc.

Article IV The Board of Directors

The affairs of the Corporation shall be managed by a Board of Directors The number, manner of election, qualifications for office and duties of these directors are provided in the By Laws of the Manual of said Corporation.

#### Article V Persons on the Board of Directors

The initial members of the Board of Directors and their respective addresses are:

1. James Kevin Speck, Rev	1604 Melodie Dr. Brandon, Fl 33510
2. Carolyn Jean Speck, Rev	1604 Melodie Dr. Brandon, FL 33510
3. Donald Sr. Urbina	3106 Juanita Dr. Plant City, FL 33567
4. Dana Urbina	3106 Juanita Dr. Plant City, FL 33567
5. David Urbina	3106 Juanita Dr. Plant City, FL 33567

#### Article VI Registered Agent

The street address of the initial registered Agent of the Corporation is 1604 Melodie Dr. Brandon Fl 33510 and the name of the registered agent at such address is James Kevin Speck, Rev.

#### Article VII Incorporator

The incorporator is the President of the incorporation. The initial President is James Kevin Speck, Rev. and his street address is 1604 Melodie Drive Brandon FL 33510

#### Article VIII Commencement and Duration

The period of duration of this Corporation is perpetual, unless dissolved according to law. Corporate existence shall commence upon the 1st. Day of December, 2003

#### Article IX Membership

The categories of membership, qualifications for membership, and the manner of admission shall be set forth and regulated by the By Laws in the <u>Manual</u> of said Corporation. Members of the Corporation will have such voting rights as are provided in the By Laws in the <u>Manual</u> of said Corporation.

Article X Non-stock Basis

This Corporation is organized under a non-stock basis.

Article XI Distribution of Assets upon Dissolution

Upon dissolution of the Corporation, assets shall be distributed for one or more purposes within the meaning of section 501 (c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code. Any such assets not so disposed of shall be disposed of by Court of Competent Jurisdiction of the county in which the principal office of the Corporation is then located, exclusively for such purposes of to such organization or organizations, as said Court shall determine, which are organized and operated exclusively for such purposes.

#### Article XII Officers of Board of Directors

The officers of the Board of Directors shall initially consist of a President, a Vice President of Evangelism, a Vice President of Discipleship, a Secretary, and a Treasurer. The manner of election, tenure of office and filling of vacancies shall be provided for in the By-Laws in the Manual of the Corporation. The initial officers are as follows.

President

James Kevin Speck, Rev 1604 Melodie Dr. Brandon, FL 33510

Vice President of Evangelism

Donald Sr. Urbina 3106 Juanita Dr. Plant City, FL 33567

Vice President of Discipleship

Carolyn Jean Speck, Rev. 1604 Melodie Dr. Brandon, FL 33510

Secretary

Dana Urbina 3106 Juanita Dr. Plant City, FL 33567

Treasurer

David Urbina 3106 Juanita Dr. Plant City, FL 33567

#### Article XIII The Manual as the Authoritative Guiding Document

The Corporation shall provide By-Laws in the Manual for its government not inconsistent with these Articles of Incorporation. The Corporation shall set forth a creed, mission statement, ritual, and guiding principles for the ministry and Christian service in the Articles of Religion in the Manual. All that is contained in the By Laws and Articles of Religion shall constitute the Manual of Faith Fellowship of Tampa Bay which shall be the authoritative guiding document for said Corporation.

#### Article XIV Amending Articles of Incorporation

These Articles of Incorporation may be amended by a vote of two-thirds of the members present at the annual meeting or a special meeting and ratified by one-half of all ordained, licensed, and commissioned ministers at such meeting.

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In WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned being the incorporator has executed these Articles of Incorporation.

Signature of Incorporator

James Kevin Speck, Rev. 1604 Melodie Dr. Brandon, FL 33510

Acceptance of Registered Agent

Having been named to accept service of process for the above stated Corporation, at the place designated in this certificate, I hereby agree to act in this capacity, and I further agree to comply with the provisions of all statues relative to the proper and complete performance of my duties and I accept the duties and obligations of Section 607.325 Florida Statues.

Registered Agent James Kevin Speck, Rev. 1604 Melodie Dr. Brandon, FL 33510

State of Florida County of Hillsborough

Before me, the undersigned authority, personally appeared to me well known to be one of the persons who executed the foregoing articles of incorporation and acknowledged before me, according to law, that we have been specific made and subscribed the same for the purposes therein mentioned and set forth. IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and the seal this 1975 day of November 2003.

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Notary Public

BELINDA A. GAYLORD

