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SUBJECT: "In His Presence" Ministries

Enclosed are an original and one (1) copy of the Articles of incorporation and a check for:

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From:

"In His Presence" Ministries
Post Office Box 682814
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"IN HIS PRESENCE" MINISTRIES, LEESBURG, INC.
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FEDERAL ID# 20-0541050

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COUNTY OF ORANGE

BE IT KNOWN that on this date herein noted below, the several persons whose names are hereunto

subscribed, all of full age, who severally declared that, availing themselves of the benefits and provisions of the

Constitution of the State of Florida and the laws of said State relative to the organization of non-profit corporations,

they have united to form, and do by these presents form and organize themselves, as well as all other persons who

may hereafter joint or become associated with them or their successors, into a non-profit corporation for the objects

and purposes and under the covenants, stipulations and agreements following, to-wit:

ARTICLE I

The name and title of this Corporation shall be "In His Presence" Ministries, Leesburg, Inc., and, under

and by said name, unless sooner dissolved in accordance with law, it shall exist and continue, and shall have and

enjoy corporate existence and succession, perpetually from and after the date of this during

which time it, generally, shall possess all the powers, rights, privileges, capacities and immunities which non-

profit corporations are authorized, and may hereafter be authorized, to possess under the Constitution and laws of

this State. The objects and purposes for which this corporation is formed are hereby declared to be: the holding

and administering of property, real, personal, and mixed, so that the same may be devoted to religious, charitable,

educational and literary purposes, for the benefit of those who attend "In His Presence" Ministries, Leesburg, Inc. and for the glory

of God.

ARTICLE II

The domicile of this corporation shall be 33741 S Haines Creek Road, Lecsborg, Florida 34789, Lake

County and the location and post office address of its office shall be Post Office Box 682814 Orlando, FL 32868.

ARTICLE III

No part of the net earnings or other assets of this corporation shall inure to the benefit of, or be Distributable to its members, trustees, directors, officers or any 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 the furtherance of Section 501(c)(3) purposes. 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 of distribution of statements) any political campaign on behalf of, or in opposition to, any candidate for public office.

ARTICLE IV

The officers of this corporation shall consist of a President and Vice President and a Treasurer, who shall

also be the pastor and assistant pastor of the church duly elected by majority vote of the congregation; a secretary,

who shall be a member of the congregation duly elected by majority vote; and a treasurer who shall be a member of

the congregation duly elected by majority vote; a deacon who shall be a member of the congregation duly elected by

majority vote and who shall be a member of the congregation duly elected by majority vote. Any two or more

offices may be held by the same person, except the office of president and secretary. All officers are to be elected as

set forth above and shall serve for such term as set forth in the bylaws of this organization.

ARTICLE V

The corporate powers and management of this corporation shall be vested in, and exercised by a board of

Directors of no less than three members or as so listed in the bylaws of said corporation, to be composed of the

Officers, as above set forth, in Article IV at the first general meeting of the members. The terms of the members of

the board of directors shall not be specified, but shall be defined in the bylaws of said organization.

Any vacancy occurring among the directors of this corporation, by death, resignation otherwise, shall be

filled at the next regular or special meeting of the board of directors.

A majority of the directors shall constitute a quorum; and a quorum shall be necessary to consider any

question that may come before any meeting of the Directors. If a quorum is present at a duly assembled meeting, a

majority of those present may adjourn the meeting from time to time, but may not transact any other business until

a quorum is secured. A quorum being present, the affirmative vote of a majority of the directors present shall be

necessary to decide any questions.

The board of directors shall have the power to make, alter and annul such by-laws, rules and regulations

for the government of the affairs of this corporation as it may deem proper.

Special meetings of the members of this corporation may be called at such times and places as determined

by the Board of Directors or by the president. Meetings of the Board of Directors may be held outside of the State

of Florida.

ARTICLE VI

The full name of the corporation's Registered Agent is: John Julius Cleveland, President, 7115 Gray

Shadow Street, Orlando, FL 32818-8350

ARTICLE VII

This corporation is to be organized on a non-stock basis. There shall be but one class of

membership. The subscribers to these Articles of Incorporation shall be the first members of this corporation.

ARTICLE VIII

Membership tithes and offerings as well as contributions made from time to time to this corporation, for its use in furtherance of its objects and purposes, may be used promptly, at the discretion of the Board of directors, to carry out the objects and purposes of this corporation, or may be employed or invested so that the revenues there from may be used to carry out the objects and purposes of this corporation, provided, however, that any investments may be converted thereafter into cash, and the proceeds used, as required, to carry out the objects and purposes of this corporation.

ARTICLE IX

The names of the subscribers to these articles of incorporation are: John Julius Cleveland, Viney Cleveland, Willie Cleveland, Etharine Cleveland, Sharon Washington, Julian Cleveland, Janice Hutto.

The signing of these Articles of Incorporation by the said incorporators shall act as their election to membership in this corporation.

ARTICLE X

The first Board of Directors Incorporators shall be composed of John Julius Cleveland, President, 7115 Gray Shadow Street, Orlando, FL 32818-8350, Viney Cleveland, Treasurer/Vice President, 7115 Gray Shadow Street, Orlando, FL 32818-8350, Willie Cleveland, Director, 5457 Timberleaf Boulevard, Apartment 606, Orlando, FL 32811, Sharon Washington, Joint Secretary, 7115 Gray Shadow Street, Orlando, FL 32818-8350, Etharine Cleveland, Secretary, 5457 Timberleaf Boulevard, Apartment 606, Orlando, FL 32811, Julian Cleveland, Director, 6113 Westgate Drive, Apartment 1402, Orlando, FL, 32835, Janice Hutto, Director, 6106 Sixth Manor West, Palatka, FL 32177

ARTICLE XI

No member of this corporation shall ever be held liable or responsible for contracts, debts or defaults of

this corporation in any further sum than the unpaid dues , if any, owing by him or her to the corporation,, nor shall

any mere informality in organization have the effect of rendering these Articles of Incorporation null or of exposing the members to any liability other than as above provided.

ARTICLE XII

Notwithstanding any other provision of these articles, the corporation shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on (a) by a corporation exempt from Federal income tax under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal revenue Code or corresponding section or (b) by a corporation/organization, or

contributions to which are deductible under Section 170(c)(2) of the Internal revenue Code (or corresponding

section of any future Federal tax code).

ARTICLE XIII

In the event of a dissolution of this corporation, assets shall be distributed for one or more exempt purposes within the meaning of Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or corresponding section of the

future Federal tax code, or shall be distributed to the Federal government, or to a state or local government for a

public purpose.

ARTICLE XIV

The fiscal year of this corporation shall be January through December.

ARTICLE XV

Any director, officer or key employee who has an interest in a contract or other transaction presented to the

Board or a committee thereof for authorization, approval, or ratification shall make a prompt and full disclosure of

his interest to the Board or committee prior to its acting on such contract or transaction. Such disclosure shall include

any relevant and material facts known to such person about the contract or transaction which might reasonably be

construed to be adverse to the corporation's interest.

The body to which such disclosure is made shall thereupon determine, by a vote of seventy-five percent

(75%) of the votes entitled to vote, whether the disclosure shows that a conflict of interest exists or can reasonably be

construed to exist. If a conflict is deemed to exist, such person shall not vote on, nor use his personal influence on,

nor participate (other than to present factual information or to respond to questions) in the discussions or deliberations with respect to such contract or transaction. Such person may be counted in determining whether a

quorum is present but may not be counted when the Board of Directors or a committee or the Board takes action on the transaction. The minutes of the meeting shall reflect the disclosure made, the vote thereon, the

abstention from voting and participation, and whether a quorum was present.

ARTICLE XVI

The president of the board of directors of the corporation shall have the authority to sell, assign, transfer

and lease upon such terms and conditions for cash or credit any and all property, movable and/or immovable

which may be owned by this corporation and is thereby authorized to purchase and acquire moveable and/or

immovable property from whomever he deems fit and proper and upon such terms and conditions deemed

advisable by him. He is hereby authorized to execute for and on behalf of this corporation any and all such acts of

sale or other instruments including mortgages and promissory notes which may be necessary in connection with

such transactions.

THUS DONE AND PASSED, for the purpose of forming a corporation under the laws of the State of

Florida in the city of Orlando, Orange County.

John J. Cleveland
John Julius Cleveland, President & Registered Agent

Date 3/8/04

Viney Cleveland
Viney Cleveland, Vice President/Treasurer

Date 3/8/04

Etherine Cleveland
Etherine Cleveland, Secretary

Date 3/8/04

Willie J. Cleveland
Willie Cleveland, Director

Date 3/8/04

Janice Hutto
Janice Hutto, Director

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