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June 1, 2004

DR. LEONARD HUNT, SR. 2103 WALDEN PARK CIR KISSIMMEE, FL 34744 2ND ML

SUBJECT: TRINITY TABERNACLE, INC.

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We have received your document for TRINITY TABERNACLE, 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):

The document must contain a registered agent with a Florida street address and a <u>signed</u> statement of acceptance. (i.e. I hereby am familiar with and accept the duties and responsibilities of Registered Agent.)

You only list the registered agent in Article XIII.

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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### ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

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#### TRINITY TABERNACLE, INC.

We, the undersigned subscribers to these articles of incorporation, each a natural person, competent to contract, hereby associate ourselves together for the purpose of constituting a church, to operate in accordance with the laws of the Statutes of the State of Florida relative to corporations not for profit; and we hereby covenant and agree as follows:

#### **ARTICLE 1: NAME**

The name of this non-profit Church Corporation shall be Trinity Tabernacle, Inc and it shall be located 2145 East Irlo Bronson Memorial Highway Kissimmee, Fl. 34744

#### ARTICLE II: TERM OF EXISTENCE

This corporation shall exits perpetually unless dissolved according to law.

#### ARTICLE III: PURPOSE

The purpose for which Trinity Tabernacle is organized are exclusively religious, charitable, scientific, literary, and educational within the meaning of Section 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 or the corresponding provision of any future United States internal Revenue law.

#### ARTICLE IV: POWERS

To the end that the foregoing objectives and purpose and any related religious and charitable purpose may be carried out, performed and accomplished, this Church corporation shall have the power to engage only in such activities as shall not constitute business unrelated to its religious, benevolent, charitable, literary and educational purpose. Notwithstanding any other provision of these articles, this organization shall not carry on and 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 Revenue law. Subject to the foregoing limitations, and subject specifically to the provisions of Sections 617.0105 of the Florida Statutes, this Church Corporation shall have all of the rights and powers set forth in Section 617.021 of the Florida Statutes.

#### **ARTICLE V: MEMBERSHIP**

The membership of this corporation shall consist of all persons herein named as subscribers to these Articles of Incorporation and all persons who shall meet the following qualifications for membership and who shall be admitted, in the following manner.

1. In order to qualify for membership in this Church, a prospective member must accept, believe in and rely on Jesus Christ for his salvation and give evidence of his intention to keep his commandments; must believe that the Holy Bible is the Word of God; must publicly confess his faith; must commit himself to

participate actively in the fellowship of the Church; and must submit himself to the authority of the Pastor, Board of Elders and the discipline of the Church.

 The Pastor after advice and consultation with the Board of Elders shall determine whether any applicant for membership meets the foregoing qualifications; if so the applicant shall be admitted to membership in this Church.

#### ARTICLE VI: BOARD OF TRUSTEES

The affairs of the Church, both spiritual and secular, shall be directed by the Pastor, upon advice and consultation with the Board of Managers which shall be referred to as the Board of Trustees. The minimum number of Board of Trustee Members may be increased in accordance with the needs of the Church as determined form time to time by the governing Board of Trustees. The Board Members themselves must be members of the Church.

The Board of Trustees may adopt Council of Advisors, the number of which shall be determined by the Board of Trustees, which shall serve in the capacity of spiritual and secular Advisors. Such Council of Advisors shall have powers only as determined by the Board of Trustees.

The Board of Trustees shall appoint such Board Members, in addition to any Council Members, as may be necessary to properly minister to the membership and carry out the purposes for which this Church is Organized. Board and Council members so appointed must possess all of the qualifications as set forth by the Board of Trustees; and once appointed shall serve so long as they remain members of this Church, unless removed as set forth hereinafter.

The initial governing Board of Trustees, as set forth in Article IX hereof, shall be deemed to have been set in office as of the time these Articles are approved and filed by the Secretary of State of the State of Florida. Thereafter, in the event of a vacancy on the Board of Trustees, whether caused by resignation, removal, death, or expansion of the Board, the ruling Board then serving shall suggest to the pastor, the member so suggested shall be set in office a governing Board Member, but if there be an unresolved objection the governing Board Members shall suggest another name, and the process continue until the vacancy or vacancies shall have been filled.

The Board of Trustees will make every effort to act with unanimity; but in any event all actions of the Board shall be with the concurrence of at least two-thirds (2/3) of the governing Board of Trustees.

The Pastor, upon advice and consultation with the Board of Trustees, shall be responsible for the maintenance of the scriptural discipline within the Church and its membership, as well as for the maintenance of membership standards. In the event the Board of Trustees, after due examination, should decide that a member no longer fulfills the requirements for membership, his membership shall be terminated, and he shall be appropriately notified. Similarly, if the Pastor, after due examination, should determine that a ruling Board Member no longer fulfills the requirements for a Board Member, such Board Member shall be removed from his position as a ruling Board Member, but not necessarily from his membership in the church, unless he shall also no longer fulfill the requirements for Church membership.

Any decision of the Board of Trustees shall be final and subject to appeal to any higher court or other body.

#### ARTICLE VII: SUBSCRIBERS

The names and residences of each subscriber to these Articles of Incorporation are as follows:

Dr. Leonard J. Hunt, Sr., President, 2103 Walden Park Circle Apt. 203 Kissimmee, Fl. 34744

Trittonia Hunt, Vice President, 2103 Walden Park Circle Apt 203 Kissimmee, Fl.34744

Patricia Hernandez, Treasurer, 2203 Pontina Court Apt. H Kissimmee, Fl. 34741

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#### ARTICLES VIII: OFFICERS

The affairs of this corporation shall be administered by its officers, which shall be a President, Vice President, Secretary and a Treasurer, all of whom shall be ruling Board of Trustees Members; and such other assistant or administrative officers as are determined by the Board of Trustees from time to time. The Pastor, upon advice and consultation with the Board of Trustees shall appoint the officers and the officers shall serve at the pleasure of the Pastor and Board of Trustees; provided however, that any person dealing with the corporation shall do so by its President, Vice President, Treasurer, or Secretary with its corporate seal thereto affixed and attested by its Secretary.

#### ARTICLE IX: INITIAL BOARD OF TRUSTEES AND OFFICERS

The names and addresses of the persons who shall serve as the initial Board of Trustees and as the initial officers of the corporation are as follow:

President- Patricia Hernandez, 2103 Walden Park Circle Kissimmee, Fl. 34744 Vice- President - Trittonia Hunt, 2103 Walden Park Circle Kissimmee, Fl. 34744 Treasurer - Patricia Hernandez, 2203 Pontina Court Apt. H Kissimmee, Fl. 34741

#### ARTICLE X: -BY-LAWS

The Pastor, upon advice and consultation with the Board of Trustees shall provide such by-laws for the conduct of its business of the Church, as the Board may deem necessary from time to time. Such By-laws may be amended, altered, or rescinded by a majority vote of the Board members present at any regular meeting or any special meeting called for that purpose. The evidence of the final vote shall then be presented to the pastor for final consideration determination and enactment. The manner of election of the Board Members shall be stated in the By-laws.

#### **ARTICLE XI: AMENDMENTS**

These Articles of incorporation may be amended at any special meeting of the Pastor and Board of Trustees called for that purpose, or at any regular meeting of the Pastor and Board of Trustees; provide, however that notice of the fact that an amendment to the Articles of incorporation is to be considered shall be given in writing to the governing Board of Trustees Members at least one week prior to the date of such meeting. Upon adoption by the Pastor, upon advice and consultation with the Board of Trustees, and filing with the Secretary of State of Florida, the amendment shall become effective as to these Articles of Incorporation; provided

however, no amendment to the Articles of Incorporation shall ever conflict with the purpose and powers of this Church as set forth in Articles III and IV hereof.

#### ARTICLE XII: DISSOLUTION

This corporation may be dissolved only pursuant to the final approval of the Pastor. Upon the dissolution of the corporation, assets shall be distributed one or more exempt purposes within the meaning of section 501 (c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, or corresponding section of any future federal tax code, or shall be distributed to the Federal, state or local government for a public purpose. Any such assets not so disposed of shall be disposed of shall be disposed of by the Circuit Court of Osceola County, Florida, if the principal office of the corporation, or by the organization or organizations as the said Court shall determine which are organized and operated exclusively for such purpose.

## ARTICLE XIII: REGISTERED OFFICE AND REGISTERED AGENT

The location of the registered office of this corporation shall be at Or at other location as May from to time be designated by the Board of Trustees. The registered agent shall be Dr. Leonard J. Hunt Sr.

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#### REGISTERED AGENT STATEMENT OF AGREEMENT

I DR. L. J. HUNT, SR. 2103 WALDEN PARK CIRCLE KISSIMMEE, FL 34744 AM FAMILIAR WITH AND DO HEREBY ACCEPT AND UNDERSTAND THE RESPONSIBILITIES AND DUTIES AS REGISTERED AGENT OF TRINITY TABERNACLE, INC.

Leonard J. Hunt Sr.

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