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TRUE SUBJECT:	Vine Worship Cer (PROPOSED CORPORATI	nter înc. Ename- <u>must inclui</u>	DE SUFFIX)	
Enclosed is an original and one(1) copy of the articles of incorporation and a check for:				
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FROM: Pastor Christopher M. Muti Name (Pfinted or typed)				
7708 Vienna LANE Address				
Port Richey FL 34668 City, State & Zip (727) 376-7733 Daytime Telephone number				

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FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE Glenda E. Hood Secretary of State

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TALLAHASSEE FLORIDA

October 12, 2004

PASTOR CHRISTOPHER M. MUTI 7708 VIENNA LANE PORT RICHEY, FL 34668

SUBJECT: TRUE VINE WORSHIP CENTER, INC.

Ref. Number: W04000037609

We have received your document for TRUE VINE WORSHIP CENTER, INC. and your check(s) totaling \$78.75. However, the enclosed document has not been filed and is being returned for the following correction(s):

The document must contain written acceptance by the registered agent, (i.e. "I hereby am familiar with and accept the duties and responsibilities as Registered Agent.)

The registered agent must sign accepting the designation.

An effective date <u>may</u> be added to the Articles of Incorporation <u>if a 2005 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>

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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF TRUE VINE COMMUNITY CHURCH, INC.

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ARTICLE I.

CORPORATE NAME AND PRINCIPLE ADDRESS

THE NAME OF THE CORPORATION IS: TRUE VINE COMMUNITY CHURCH, INC. THE INITIAL PRINCIPLE ADDRESS OF THE CORPORATION IS:

7708 VIENNA LANE, PORT RICHEY, FLORIDA, 34668

ARTICLE II.

TERM OF EXISTENCE

THIS CORPORATION SHALL HAVE PERPETUAL EXISTENCE

ARTICLE III.

PURPOSE

SECTION 3.01

PURPOSES FOR THIS CORPORATION

- (a) THE PURPOSES FOR WHICH THIS CORPORATION IS FORMED ARE TO OPERATE EXCLUSIVELY FOR RELIGIOUS, CHARITABLE, AND EDUCATIONAL PURPOSES AS WILL QUALIFY IT AS AN EXEMPT ORGANIZATION UNDER SECTION 501(C)(3) OF THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE OF 1999, OR CORRESPONDING PROVISIONS OF ANY SUBSEQUENT FEDERAL TAX LAWS, INCLUDING FOR SUCH PURPOSES, THE MAKING OF DISTRIBUTIONS TO ORGANIZATIONS UNDER THAT CODE. IN ADDITION, THE CORPORATION IS ORGANIZED FOR THE FOLLOWING PURPOSES:
- (i) TO RENDER CHRISTIAN GUIDANCE, ASSISTANCE AND EDUCATION
- BY ADMINISTERING THE GOSPEL OF JESUS CHRIST TO ALL PEOPLE.
- (ii) TO PIONEER, PARTICIPATE IN AND AID ORGANIZATIONS INVOLVED
- IN CHRISTIAN OUTREACH AND EVANGELISM.

ARTICLE IV. POWERS AND PROHIBITED TRANSACTIONS

SECTION 4.01

(a) IN ADDITION TO THE POWERS AUTHORIZED BY LAW, THIS CORPORATION SHALL HAVE POWERS TO LEASE, ACQUIRE, EITHER BY DEED, GIFT OR PURCHASE, ANY REAL OR PERSONAL PROPERTY AND TO MORTGAGE, SELL, OR OTHERWISE ENCUMBER ANY SUCH REAL OR PERSONAL PROPERTY WHEN SUCH ACTION IS DEEMED TO BE IN THE BEST INTEREST OF THE CORPORATION AS DEFINED IN ITS STATED PURPOSES AS A CHRISTIAN ORGANIZATION.

SECTION 4.02 PROHIBITED ACTIVITIES

(a) THE CORPORATION IS PROHIBITED FROM ENGAGING IN ANY ACTIVITIES PROHIBITED BY SECTION 501(C)(3) OF THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE OF 1999, AS AMENDED.

ARTICLE V. DEDICATION OF ASSETS

SECTION 5.01 CORPORATE ASSETS

(a) THE ASSETS OF THIS CORPORATION ARE IRREVOCABLE DEDICATED TO RELIGIOUS, CHARITABLE, AND EDUCATIONAL PURPOSES AND NO PART OF THE NET INCOME OR ASSETS OF THIS CORPORATION SHALL EVER INURE TO THE BENEFIT OF ANY DIRECTOR, OFFICER OR MEMBER THEREOF.

ARTICLE VI. MEMBERSHIP

SECTION 6.01 APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP

(a) ANY PERSON MAKING APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP AS PROVIDED IN THE BYLAWS AND AGREEING TO BE BOUND BY THE ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF THIS CORPORATION, BY IT'S BYLAWS AND BY SUCH RULES AND REGULATIONS AS THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS SHALL FROM TIME TO TIME ADOPT, IS ELIGIBLE FOR MEMBERSHIP IN THE CORPORATION. THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS SHALL FROM TIME TO TIME PRESENT THE FORM AND MANNER IN WHICH APPLICATION MAY BE MADE FOR MEMBERSHIP.

SECTION 6.02 RIGHTS AND PRIVILEGES

(a) THE RIGHTS AND PRIVILEGES OF THE MEMBERS OF THE CORPORATION ARE AS PROVIDED IN THE BYLAWS OF THE CORPORATION.

ARTICLE VII. REGISTERED AGENT AND INITIAL REGISTERED OFFICE

SECTION 7.01 CORPORATE ADDRESS

- (a) THE STREET ADDRESS OF THE INITIAL REGISTERED OFFICE OF THE CORPORATION IS: 7708 VIENNA LANE. PORT RICHEY, FLORIDA, 34668
- (b) THE NAME OF THE INITIAL REGISTERED AGENT AT SUCH ADDRESS IS:

CHRISTOPHER M. MUTI

ARTICLE VIII. DIRECTORS

SECTION 8.01 INITIAL BOARD OF DIRECTORS

(a) THERE SHALL BE (3) DIRECTORS CONSTITUTING THE INITIAL BOARD OF DIRECTORS. THE NAME AND ADDRESS OF EACH PERSON WHO IS TO SERVE AS AN INITIAL DIRECTOR IS AS FOLLOWS:

CHRISTOPHER M. MUTI 7708 VIENNA LANE PORT RICHEY, FL. 34668

WILLIAM S. STRAYER 8120 MOONLIGHT LANE NEW PORT RICHEY, FL. 34654

ANTHONY CILUFFO 1234 CALE ALTA NEW PORT RICHEY, FL. 34654 ARTICLE IX. INCORPORATOR

SECTION 9.01

(a) THE NAME AND STREET OF THE PERSON SIGNING THESE ARTICLES AS THE INCORPORATOR IS:

CHRISTOPHER M. MUTI 7708 VIENNA LANE PORT RICHEY, FLORIDA 34668

ARTICLE X. MANAGEMENT OF CORPORATE AFFAIRS

SECTION 10.01 BOARD OF DIRECTORS

(a) THE POWERS OF THIS CORPORATION SHALL BE EXERCISED, IT'S PROPERTIES CONTROLLED, AND IT'S AFFAIRS CONDUCTED BY A BOARD OF DIRECTORS. THE NUMBER OF DIRECTORS SHALL NOT BE LESS THAN THREE(3) AND MAY BE SUCH NUMBER GREATER THAN THREE(3) AS MAY, FROM TIME TO TIME, BE VOTED UPON BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS. THE PASTOR/PRESIDENT OF THE CORPORATION IS A PERPETUAL MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS.

SECTION 10.02 ELECTION

(a) THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS NAMED IN ARTICLE VIII SHALL HOLD OFFICE UNTIL THE FIRST ANNUAL MEETING OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS TO BE HELD AS PRESCRIBED IN THE BYLAWS BUT IN NO EVENT LATTER THAN TWELVE(12) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF INCORPORATION, AT WHICH TIME AN ELECTION OF DIRECTORS SHALL BE HELD. IF A VACANCY OCCURS ON THE BOARD, NOMINATION AND ELECTION SHALL FILL SUCH VACANCY BY THE REMAINING MEMBERS OF THE BOARD. IF THESE ARTICLES AND THE BYLAWS INCREASE THE NUMBER OF DIRECTORS ABOVE THREE(3) AS AUTHORIZED, THE NEWLY CREATED DIRECTOR POSITIONS SHALL BE FILLED BY NOMINATION AND ELECTION BY THE REMAINING MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS.

SECTION 10.03 BOARD MEMBER TERM

- (a) DIRECTORS ELECTED AT THE FIRST ANNUAL MEETING AND AT ALL TIME THEREAFTER SHALL SERVE FOR A TERM OF NOT LESS THAN ONE(1) YEAR AND UNTIL THE QUALIFICATION OF THEIR SUCCESSORS IN OFFICE. THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS MAY, IN THE BYLAWS OF THE CORPORATION, PROVIDE FOR STAGGERED TERMS OF OFFICE OF THE DIRECTORS.
- (i) CORPORATION OFFICERS: THE PASTOR SHALL SERVE AS THE PRESIDENT OF THE CORPORATION. THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS SHALL ELECT A VICE PRESIDENT, TREASURER AND SECRETARY AND MAY ELECT SUCH OTHER OFFICERS, INCLUDING ADDITIONAL VICE PRESIDENT(S), AS THE BYLAWS OF THE CORPORATION MAY AUTHORIZE FROM TIME TO TIME. SUCH OFFICERS SHALL BE INITIALLY ELECTED AT THE FIRST ANNUAL MEETING OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS. UNTIL SUCH ELECTION IS HELD, THE FOLLOWING PERSONS SHALL SERVE AS CORPORATE OFFICERS:

CHRISTOPHER M. MUTI, PRESIDENT 7708 VIENNA LANE PORT RICHEY, FL. 34668

WILLIAM S. STRAYER, VICE-PRESIDENT 8120 MOONLIGHT LANE NEW PORT RICHEY, FL. 34654

ANTHONY J. CILLUFFO, SECRETARY/TREASURER 9319 CALLE ALTA NEW PORT RICHEY, FL. 34655

ARTICLE XI. AMENDMENTS

SECTION 11.01 AMENDMENT OF ARTICLES

(a) THE ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF THE CORPORATION MAY BE AMENDED BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS BY RESOLUTION PROPOSED AND CONSIDERED AT ANY REGULAR MEETING OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS BUT WHICH MAY NOT BE ADOPTED UNTIL THE NEXT SUCCEEDING REGULAR MEETING OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS AND THEN ONLY BY A UNANIMOUS VOTE. THE BYLAWS OF THE COOPERATION SHALL BE MADE, ALTERED, AMENDED OR RESCINDED BY A MAJORITY VOTE OF THE BOARD

OF DIRECTORS AT A MEETING OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS CALLED FOR THE PURPOSE.

DISSOLUTION OF CORPORATION

(a) UPON THE DISSOLUTION OF THE CORPORATION, IT'S ASSETS REMAINING AFTER PAYMENT, OR PROVISION FOR PAYMENT, OF ALL DEBTS AND LIABILITIES OF THE CORPORATION, SHALL BE DISTRIBUTED TO A NON-PROFIT FUND, FOUNDATION OR CORPORATION ORGANIZED AND OPERATED EXCLUSIVELY FOR RELIGIOUS, CHARITABLE, OR EDUCATION PURPOSES WHICH HAS ESTABLISHED ITS TAX EXEMPT STATUS UNDER SECTION 501(C)(3) OF THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE OF 1986, OR CORRESPONDING PROVISIONS OF ANY SUBSEQUENT FEDERAL TAX LAWS.

IN WITNESS THEREOF, THE INCORPORATOR HAS EXECUTED THESE ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION THE /st OF NOVEMBER , 2004.

I CHRISTOPHER M. MUTI HERBY AM FAMILIAR WITH AND ACCEPT THE DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES AS REGISTERED AGENT.

CHRISTOPHER M. MUTI

STATE OF FLORIDA

COUNTY OF PASCO

BEFORE ME, A NOTARY PUBLIC, PERSONALLY APPEARED CHRISTOPHER M. MUTI. TO ME KNOWN TO BE THE PERSON DESCRIBED AS INCORPORATOR AND WHO EXECUTED THE FORGOING ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION, AND ACKNOWLEDGED BEFORE ME THAT HE SUBSCRIBED TO THESE ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION ON THE /st OF November , 2004.

MY COMMISSION EXPIRES