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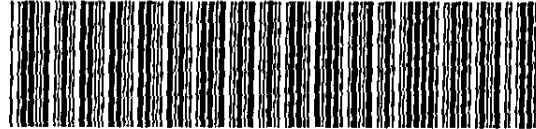
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**TRANSMITTAL LETTER**

Department of State  
Division of Corporations  
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SUBJECT: Life Church of the Living God  
(PROPOSED CORPORATE NAME - MUST INCLUDE SUFFIX)

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

☐ \$70.00  
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Filing Fee &  
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☐ \$78.75  
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**ADDITIONAL COPY REQUIRED**

FROM: Ronnie S Gadsden  
Name (Printed or typed)

2830 NE 4th Ct.  
Address

Ocala FL 34470  
City, State & Zip

352 351-3846  
Daytime Telephone number

**NOTE: Please provide the original and one copy of the articles.**

**ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION**  
In Compliance with Chapter 617, F.S., (Not for Profit)

**ARTICLE I NAME**

The name of the corporation shall be:

Life Church of the living God, Inc.

**ARTICLE II PRINCIPAL OFFICE**

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

Life Church of the living God  
2830 NE 4th Ct Ocala Fl. 34470

**ARTICLE III PURPOSE**

The purpose for which the corporation is organized is:

SEE PAGES I II III

**ARTICLE IV MANNER OF ELECTION**

The manner in which the directors are elected or appointed:

PASTOR appoint Elders

**ARTICLE V INITIAL DIRECTORS AND/OR OFFICERS**

List name(s), address(es) and specific title(s):

PASTOR: Elder Althea Gadsden: Address 2830 NE 4th Ct.  
Ocala Fl 34470  
Co-PASTOR: Elder Ronnie S Gadsden  
SEC. Eugene E. Gadsden: 13389 SE 101 Ave. Bellview Fl. 34420

**ARTICLE VI INITIAL REGISTERED AGENT AND STREET ADDRESS**

The name and Florida street address (P.O. Box NOT acceptable) of the registered agent is:

Ronnie S Gadsden 2830 N.E. 4th Ct  
Ocala Fl 34470

**ARTICLE VII INCORPORATOR**

The name and address of the Incorporator is:

Ronnie S Gadsden  
ARTICLE VIII SEE PAGE IX 2830 N.E. 4th Ct. Ocala 34470

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TALLAHASSEE, FL

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Having been named as registered agent to accept service of process for the above stated corporation at the place designated in this certificate, I am familiar with and accept the appointment as registered agent and agree to act in this capacity.

Ronnie S Gadsden  
Signature/Registered Agent

3-9-05  
Date

Ronnie S Gadsden  
Signature/Incorporator

3-9-05  
Date

## ARTICLE III

### CORPORATE PURPOSE

1. The purpose for which the Corporation is organized and operated purpose/is exclusively for charitable, religious, educational, and scientific 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. Such purposes shall include the following:

**(a) Religious**

- (b) *To conduct a local Church by the direction of the Lord Jesus Christ and under the leadership of the Holy Spirit in accordance with all of the Commandments and provisions as set forth in the Holy Bible, the irrevocable Word of God. Pursuant thereto, the following activities and guidelines shall be established.***

***I. A form of worship shall be established from the Word of god.***

***II. A council of elders shall be established in the Church.***

***III. Ordination of ministers and Elders by the council of elders as the Holy Spirit leads.***

***IV. The council of Elders shall minister to the congregation of the Church.***

***V. Church memberships based upon the acceptance of the Lord Jesus Christ as their personal savior.***

**VI. Establishment of various religious services  
pursuant to the Word of God.**

- (c ). Minister the Word of God to the people**
- (d). To partner up with other organizations to minister  
in the community.**
- (e). To acquire and hold such property, either real or  
personal, for Church purposes, as may be  
necessary for its membership and the worship  
of God.**

**2. As a means of accomplishing the above purposes and  
methods, the Corporation shall have the following  
powers:**

- (a). To receive and accept gifts of money and  
property and to hold the same for any  
of the purposes of the Corporation and its work.**
- (b). To raise and assist in raising funds for the  
purposes herein set forth, including the  
issuance of bonds or other instruments of  
credit.**
- (c ). To acquire, own, lease mortgage, and dispose  
of property both real and personal.**
- (d). To conduct and carry on religious services and  
instruction through the public media, including  
AM and FM radio, telecasting, and cable television**
- (e). To accept property and donations in trust for  
religious or charitable purposes.**

**3. The property of the Corporation is irrevocably dedicated to religious, educational, and charitable purposes, and no part of the net earnings of the corporation/organization shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to, its members, trustees, directors, officers, or other private persons except that the corporation/organization shall be authorized and empowered to pay reasonable compensation for services rendered and make payments and distributions in furtherance of Section 501 (C ) (3) purposes.**

**(a). No substantial part of the activities of the corporation/organization shall be the carrying on of propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, and the corporation/organization shall not participate in, or intervene in (including the publishing or distribution of statements) any political campaign on behalf of, or in opposition to, any candidate for public office.**

**(b)The Corporation shall not:**

- I. Operate for the purpose of carrying on a trade or business for profit;**
- II. Accumulate income, invest income, or divert income, in a manner endangering its exempt status; or**
- III. Except to an insubstantial degree, engage in any activity or exercise any powers that are not in furtherance of the purposes of the Corporation.**
- IV. The Corporation's operations are to be conducted principally in the United States of America.**

## ARTICLE VIII

### MISCELLANEOUS

- (a) Notwithstanding any other provision of these articles, the corporation/organization shall not carry on any other activities nor permitted to be carried on:
  - I. By a corporation/organization exempt from Federal income tax under Section (c ) (3) of the IRC (or corresponding section of the any future Federal tax code) or
  - II. By a corporation/organization, contributions to which are deductible under Section 170 (c )(2) of the IRC(or corresponding section of any future Federal tax code.)
- (b) Upon dissolution of this corporation/organization, 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 any future Federal tax code or shall be distributed to the federal government, or to a state or local government ,or a public purpose.