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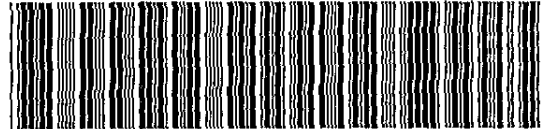
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May 6, 2005

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SUBJECT: THE MOST PRECIOUS BLOOD OF JESUS CHRIST
INTERNATIONAL CHURCH, ~~INC.~~ THE ACADEMY OF THE LIVING BIBLE
THEOLOGY, INC.
Ref. Number: W05000023033

We have received your document for THE MOST PRECIOUS BLOOD OF JESUS CHRIST INTERNATIONAL CHURCH, INC. THE ACADEMY OF THE LIVING BIBLE THEOLOGY, 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):

You cannot use both names in your Corporate Name.

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

You must list at least one incorporator with a complete business street address.

Section 607.0120(6)(b), or ^{for not in proper} 617.0120(6)(b), Florida Statutes, requires that articles of incorporation be executed by an incorporator.

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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CERTIFICATE OF INCORPORATION

"The Most Precious Blood of Jesus Christ International Church, The Academy of the Living Bible Theology, Inc."

We the subscribers all being of full age, of whom at least two thirds are citizens of the United States and at least one a resident of the State of Florida, for the purpose of incorporating an un-incorporated independent religious organization pursuant to article 10 of the Religious Corporation Law, hereby certifying as follows:

1) A meeting of the Religious Organization The Most Precious Blood of Jesus Christ International Church, The Academy of The Living Bible Theology, Inc., an un-incorporated independent religious organization was called and duly held in conformity with the afore said article of the Religious Corporation Law at on 5053 Riny Rose Court, Golf Breeze, Florida 32563, the 27th day of March, 2005 at which meeting a majority of the duly qualified voters of said Organization being at least six in number, were present.

2) At said meeting Pastor Francis J. De Benedetto, Jr. D. V, President¹/Chairperson one of the subscribers hereto was the presiding officer and the other subscribers hereto were present and voted.

3) At said meeting it was duly decided that said religious organization should become incorporated.

**4) The name of the proposed corporation was decided on at said meeting is to be:
The Most Precious Blood of Jesus Christ International Church,
The Academy of the Living Bible Theology, Inc.**

To organize, engage in charitable activities and services to benefit the community to which we are assigned.

5) The number of the Board of Trustees therefore shall be four

6) The first annual election of the Board of Trustees shall be held on the last Sunday 27th day of March 2005, and the annual election of the Board of Trustees, and officers shall be each year thereafter on the last Sunday of March.

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7) The names of the persons elected as members of the Board, and terms of the office for which they are elected are to wit:

Pastor - Francis J. De Benedetto Jr., D.V. - President/Chairperson

Pastor - Anthony F. De Benedeto - Vice President

5053 Ring Rose Court

Sister - Kathleen De Benedetto - Secretary-Treasure


Gulf Breeze, Florida

Sister - Donna De Benedetto - Corresponding Secretary

Zip Code 32563

8) That Pastor Francis J. De Benedetto, Jr., D.V. to hold office until the first annual election of the Board of Trustees, Pastor Francis J. De Benedetto, Jr. D.V. is to hold office until the second annual election of the Board of Trustees Pastor Anthony F. De Benedetto, Sister Kathleen De Benedetto, and Sister Donna De Benedetto are to hold office until third annual election of the Board of Trustees and thereafter each year.

9) The corporate headquarters of said organization is located at 5053 Ring Rose Court, Gulf Breeze, Florida, 32563

9a) I, Anthony F. De Benedetto am familiar with the incorporation and accept the duties and responsibilities of Registered Agent. My complete address is 5053 Ring Rose Court, Florida, 32563. Signature: 

Pastor Anthony F. De Benedetto

9b) We are registering this as a non-for-profit Section 617.0120(6)(b), Florida Statutes articles of incorporation be executed by Pastor Anthony F. De Benedetto, the incorporator.

10) The object or purposes for which said corporation is formed is as follows:

a) To conduct and carry on religious services and Divine worship or other religious services.

b) To maintain regular places of worship for the preaching of the gospel of Jesus Christ and the Holy Scriptures, Young People's services, Prayer meetings and other services.

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- c) To have the power to set up and maintain church schools to teach and study the gospels of Jesus Christ and the Holy Scriptures.**
- d) To have the power to set up and maintain educational facilities, children's day care centers and soup kitchens, according to Local, State and Federal Laws.**
- e) To have power to take and hold any grant, donation, gift bequest or devise of real or personal property.**
- f) To ordain ministers to promulgate the teaching of the gospel of God**
- g) To ordain Christian workers to visit hospitals, jails and other institutions**
- h) To air or procure the services of competent ministers or persons, with or without compensation to promulgate the teaching of the Gospel of God.**
- i) To have power to take, purchase, lease or otherwise acquire real estate, and to hold, own, sell, mortgage, lease or to build, construct, maintain, alter and manage any building, or church edifices for the use and purposes of said corporation.**
- j) To have power to solicit and raise funds by any and all appropriate means, under and subject to the Religious Corporations Law and to receive and disburse such funds or moneys occurring from offering collections or any other contributions for the general support of said corporation.**
- k) To have power to acquire, maintain and improve real property to be used as a campground for meeting purposes.**
- l) To have power to hold and operate such property which shall come into possession of said corporation and sell, assign properties and rights which may at any time be acquired or held by this corporation and in all respects to deal in and with the same insofar as may lawfully be done under the provisions of the Religious Corporations Law.**
- m) To have power to borrow money and to contract debts when necessary for the exercise of it's corporate rights, privileges, or for any other lawful purpose of it's corporation; and to mortgage it's property and / or to make such deed of trust as may be necessary to secure the payment of such obligation or any debts contracted for such purposes.**

n) To have power to enter into, make, perform and carryout contracts with any person, firm, corporation private, public, municipal or political body, under the Government of the United States of America, and foreign countries, as far and to the extent that the same may be done and performed under the provisions of the Religious Corporations Law of the State of Florida.

o) Notwithstanding any other provisions of these articles, the organization is organized exclusively for one or more of the purposes as specified in section 501(c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, and shall not carry on any activities not permitted to be carried on by an organization exempt from Federal income tax under IRC 501 (c)(3) or corresponding provisions of any tax laws.

p) No part of the net earnings of the organization shall insure to the benefit of any member, trustee, director, officer of the organization, or any private individual (except that reasonable compensation may be paid for services rendered to or for the organization), and no member, trustee, or officer of the organization, or any private individual shall be entitled share in the distribution of any of the organization's assets on dissolution of the organization.

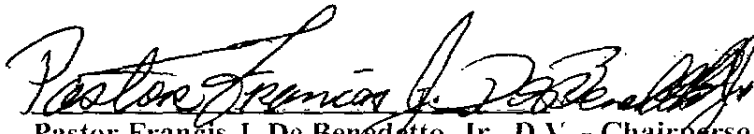
q) No substantial part of the activities of the organization shall carry on propaganda, or otherwise attempt to influence legislation except as provided by IRC 501(h) or participating in, or intervening in (including the publication or distribution of statements), any political campaign on behalf of or in opposition to any candidates for public office

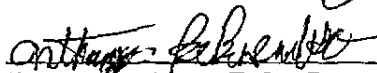
r) In the event of dissolution, all of the remaining assets and property of the organization shall after payment of necessary expenses thereof be distributed to such organizations as shall qualify under section 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986. Or corresponding provisions of any subsequent Federal Tax Laws, or to the Federal Government or State or Local Government for a public purpose, subject to the approval of a Justice of the Supreme Court of the State of Florida.

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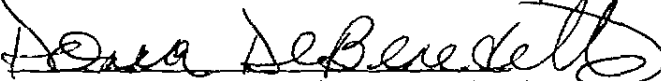
11) The foregoing clause shall be construed both as objects and powers, and it is hereby expressly provided that the foregoing enumeration of specific power shall not be construed or held to limit or restrict on any manner the powers of the within 5corporation.

12) The duration of the corporation shall be perpetual.


Pastor Francis J. De Benedetto, Jr., D.V. - Chairperson / President


Pastor Anthony F. De Benedetto - Vice President


Sister Kathleen De Benedetto - Secretary/Treasurer


Donna De Benedetto - Corresponding Secretary