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#### **COVER LETTER**

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

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FROM: Michael L. Rackley

2400 South Park Rd

Pembroke Park, FL 33009

(954) 478-05-14 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)

The name of the corporation shall be: Michael L. Rackley Ministries, Inc
ARTICLE II PRINCIPAL OFFICE  The principal place of business and mailing address of this corporation shall be:  2400 South Park Rd Apt 212 Mailing address P.O. Box 246295  Pembroke Park FL 33009 7 Pembroke Pines, FL  ARTICLE III PURPOSE  The purpose for which the corporation is organized is:  See 9Hachment
ARTICLE IV MANNER OF ELECTION  The manner in which the directors are elected or appointed: Appointed As Stated In  the By-lass
ARTICLE V INITIAL DIRECTORS AND/OR OFFICERS  List name(s), address(es) and specific title(s):  Nichgel L. Rackley 2400 South Park Rd Apt#212 Pembroke Park FL/Hesident 33009  inice Dillard 3541 W Broward BIVd. FT. Lauderdale, FL 33319 Vice President ndrea Marshall 21318 S.W. 130th PL MigmijFL 33177 Secretary Treasure  ARTICLE VI INITIAL REGISTERED AGENT AND STREET ADDRESS  The name and Florida street address (P.O. Box NOT acceptable) of the registered agent is:  Article VII INCORPORATOR  The name and address of the Incorporator is: Michael L. Rackley AAST DE 2400 S. Park Rd Apt#212200 S.
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.    And   And

# MICHAEL L. RACKLEY MINISTRIES. INC.

# ARTICLE III PURPOSE

The purpose for which the corporation is organized is:

- A. To promote Evangelical Ministries and /or Educational facility.
- B. To promote missionary activities and other activities usual and customary to the operation of ministries and/or religious organizations.
- C. To acquire, by gift or purchase, hold, sell, convey mortgages and encumber real and personal property necessary to execute the objectives and purposes of the corporation.
- D. To issue bonds, notes, mortgages, and/or certificates of indebtedness as may be necessary for financing of the projects of the corporation, provided always that such bonds, notes, mortgages and/or certificates of indebtedness shall be issued in accordance with the laws of the State of Florida.
- E. To perform all things usual and customary, permitted by law to be done by corporations not for profit and incorporated under Chapter 617.01 of the Florida Statues or the corresponding provisions of any future United States Internal Revenue law.

#### Statement of Beliefs

## Word of God

We believe the Bible to be the inspired, the only infallible, authoritative word of God.

#### **Trinity**

We believe there is only eternal, almighty, and perfect God; Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. Personalities: The Father, Son, and The Holy Spirit, who are eternally self-existent, self-revealed, and function as one entity. Jesus Christ, who is God manifested in the flesh, is the second member of the Godhead, co-equal and co-eternal with The Father and The Holy Spirit.

#### The Fall of Man

Man was created good and upright, for God said, "Let Us make man in Our Image, after Our likeness." But, man by voluntary transgression, fell and his only hope of redemption is in Jesus Christ the Son of God (Genesis 1:26-31, 3:1-7; Romans 5:12-21).

#### Salvation of Man

- Man's only hope of redemption is through the shed blood of Jesus Christ. On the cross Jesus Christ became sin and sickness providing both salvation and divine healing for all mankind, (Psalm 103:3) being justified freely by His grace through the redemption that is in Christ Jesus. For by grace we are saved through faith. "The word is near you, in your mouth, and in your heart that is, the word of faith which we are preaching, that if you confess with your mouth Jesus as Lord and believe in your heart that God raised Him from the dead, you shall be saved; for with the heart man believes, resulting in the righteousness, and with the mouth he confesses, resulting in salvation" (Romans 3:24; Ephesians 2:8; Romans 10:8-10).
- The evidences of Salvation. The inward evidence to the believer of his salvation is the direct witness of The Spirit (Romans 8:16). The outward evidence to all men is a life of righteousness and true holiness. "And this is His commandment, that we believe in the name of His Son Jesus Christ, and love one another, just as He commanded us" (1 John 3:23).
- 3) Faith and Works. Salvation is by faith in Jesus Christ and not by human works; however, our works will determine the rewards in eternity (Acts 16:3; Romans 10:9-10; Ephesians 2:8-9; Titus 3:5-7; Romans 14:10-12; and 2 Corinthians 5:10).

## Baptism in Water

The ordinance of baptism by a burial with Christ should be observed as commanded in the Scriptures by all who have really repented and in their hearts have truly believed on Christ as Savior and Lord. In so doing, they declare to the world that they have died with Jesus and that they have also been raised with Him to walk in newness of life (Matthew 28:19; Acts 10:47-48; Romans 6:4)

## The Lord's Supper

"And when He had given thanks, He broke it, and said, this is my body which is for you. Do this in remembrance of me. In the same way also the cup, after supper, saying this cup is the new covenant in my blood, do this, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of me. Let a man examine himself, and so eat of the bread and drink of the cup" (1 Corinthians 11:24, 25, 28).

#### The Promise of the Father

All believers are entitled to, and should ardently expect and earnestly seek, the promise of the Father, the Baptism in The Holy Ghost and Fire, according to the command of our Lord Jesus Christ. This was the normal experience of all in the early Christian church. With it comes the endowment of power for life and service, the bestowment of the gifts and their uses in the work of the ministry (Luke 24:49; Acts 1:4-8; 1 Corinthians 12:1-31). This wonderful experience is distinct from and subsequent to the experience of the new birth (Acts 2:38; 10:44-46; 15:7-9).

#### The Evidence of the Baptism of The Holy Spirit

The full consummation of the Baptism of believers in the Holy spirit is evidenced by the initial physical sign of speaking with other tongues as the Spirit gives utterance, and by the subsequent manifestation of spiritual power in public testimony and service (Acts 2:4; 10:44-46; 19:2, 6; 1:8).

## The Church

The church is the body of Christ, the habitation of God through The Spirit, with divine appointments for the fulfillment of her great commission. Each believer, born of the Spirit, is an integral part of the general assembly and church of the first born, which are written in heaven (Ephesians 1:22, 2:19-22; Hebrews 12:23).

#### **Total Prosperity**

- 1) Spiritual. John 3:3, 11; 2 Corinthians 5:17-21; Romans 10:9-10.
- 2) Mental. 2 Timothy 1:7; Romans 12:2; Isaiah 26:3.
- 3) Physical. Isaiah 53:4-5; Matthew 8:17; 1 Peter 2:24
- 4) Financial. 3 John 1:2; Malachi 3:10-11; Luke 6:38; 2 Corinthians 9:6-10; Deuteronomy 28:1-4
- 5) Social. Proverbs 3:4

## **Blessed Hope**

Jesus is coming again to gather all His Saints to Heaven (1 Corinthians 15:51-52; 1 Thessalonians 4:16-17; and 2 Thessalonians 2:1).

### The Lake of Fire

Those who have not accepted the redemptive work of Jesus Christ will suffer eternal separation from the Godhead. The devil and his angels, the beast and the false prophet, and anyone whose name was not found written in the book of life, shall be consigned to everlasting punishment in the lake of fire that burns with brimstone. This is the second death, the lake of fire (Revelation 19:20, 20:10-15).

#### The Millennial Reign of Jesus

The return of our Lord Jesus Christ with His Saints from Heaven to rule and reign for one thousand years on earth as the Scriptures promised (Romans 11:25, 27; 2 Thessalonians 1:17; Revelation 19:11-16; 20:1-7).