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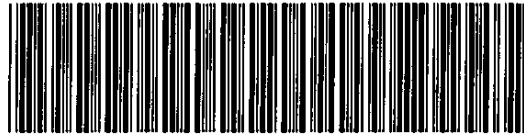
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## COVER LETTER

Department of State  
Division of Corporations  
P. O. Box 6327  
Tallahassee, FL 32314

SUBJECT: Praise World Center of Ocala, Inc.  
(PROPOSED CORPORATE NAME - MUST INCLUDE SUFFIX)

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

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☐ \$78.75  
Filing Fee  
& Certified Copy

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**ADDITIONAL COPY REQUIRED**

FROM: David E. Seuis  
Name (Printed or typed)

4597 SW 103<sup>rd</sup> St. Rd.  
Address

Ocala, FL 34476  
City, State & Zip

(352) 207-5888  
Daytime Telephone number

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

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION  
OF  
**PraiseWorld Center of Ocala, Inc.**  
A Florida corporation not for profit

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ARTICLE I

The name of this corporation shall be PraiseWorld Center of Ocala, Inc.

ARTICLE II

The initial principal office of this corporation shall be 4597 SW 103<sup>rd</sup> St Rd. Ocala, FL. 34476  
The initial mailing address of this corporation shall be PO Box 770791, Ocala, FL. 34477-0791

ARTICLE III

The Statement of Faith of the corporation shall be as set forth herein:

***We Believe:***

***The Bible*** – The Holy Scriptures, both Old and New Testaments, are the divinely inspired Word of Jehovah God, without errors, infallible and perfect (II Timothy 3:16-17), a complete revelation from God to mankind outlining His will and plan for the salvation of man; and it is the final, divine authority, giving no man or church authority to establish doctrine, beliefs or teaching contrary to the Scriptures. The Bible is the final authority and holds the truths to the Kingdom of God, eternal life, God's principles for living, and wisdom through the Scriptures to understanding how to live the abundant, christian life (John 10:10), have eternal life through Jesus Christ (Romans 6:2-4) and be prepared to live for eternity ruling and reigning under His Lordship.

***One True Living God (Jehovah)*** – There is one God (Deuteronomy 6:4), Creator of all things, eternally perfect, self-existing, manifested in three persons – the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit (Matthew 28:19).

***Jesus Christ (the Word)*** – Jesus Christ existed as the Word before time began (John 1:1-2), he is Co-Creator (John 1:3), conceived of the Holy Spirit and born of the virgin Mary. He lived a life without sin and became the one and only acceptable sacrificial lamb satisfying the requirement (of God) for sin's atonement once and for all (Hebrews 10:8-10). He died on the cross at Calvary, rose from the dead after 3 days, was seen of men after his resurrection, ascended to heaven, is sitting at the right hand of the Father ever making intercession for us as our High Priest and Advocate (Hebrews 4:14-16, 8:26-28).

***The Holy Spirit*** – The Spirit of God existed with the Word and the Father since time began (I John 5:6-8), He is the Witness, He is the breath of God, Activator of God's will, our Guide, convicting us of sin, drawing us to the Father, regenerating us by the washing of the Word of God, empowering believers to live holy, Godly lives of service to our God and King.

***We Believe*** in justification by faith (Galatians 2:16, Romans 1:16-17). The experience of Salvation is available to every man, woman, boy and girl, through faith in the finished work of Jesus Christ on the cross, through faith in Jesus blood sacrifice as an atonement for our sin, and acceptance of the truth there is no other way to the Father except through faith in Jesus Christ.

***We Believe*** every person must have a personal, living-relationship with Jesus Christ in order to be a believer (Romans 3:23, John 3:16). It is not enough to know about Jesus, but to be a true believer you must believe that He is (exists) and that He is a rewarder of those who diligently seek Him (Hebrews 11:6).

***We Believe*** in the process of Sanctification (I Corinthians 1:30-31, I Thessalonians 4:3-4). The Holy Spirit enables every believer to become like God, to please God in our actions and words, and to live the overcoming life that shows the world we are set apart for God and for His purpose. We believe this is an ongoing process that is constantly changing us to become more like God every day that we live (Hebrews 12:14).

***We Believe*** in the Baptism of the Holy Spirit as a genuine experience and testimony of the indwelling power of God living in believers, and that this experience is for our everyday lives. When we are filled with the Holy Spirit there will be the outward evidence of the inward experience and we will speak with other tongues as the Scriptures have declared (Acts 2:1-4,) and as Jesus promised (Acts 1:4, 5, 8).

***We Believe*** in the Manifestation of the Gifts of the Holy Spirit. God uses people as His agents to bring what is done in heaven to earth, the gifts are manifested for the common good of the church body (1 Corinthians 12:7-11). He ministers through gifts given by the Holy Spirit such as messages of wisdom, messages of knowledge, faith, healing, miraculous power, prophecy, distinguishing of spirits, speaking in different tongues and interpretation of tongues.

***We Believe*** in water baptism by immersion to follow Christ's public example that we identify with the death, burial and resurrection of Jesus Christ (Romans 6:3-6).

***We Believe*** in taking holy communion to follow Christ's example to show our belief in His sacrifices of His Body and Blood, participating in the Lord's Supper proclaiming His death until He returns (John 6:53-58, 1 Corinthians 11:20-34).

***We Believe*** in Divine Healing, that Jesus Christ provided our healing in the atonement and work of Calvary, as He was whipped with 39 stripes, as He hung upon the tree He took in His own body all our sicknesses and diseases (1 Peter 2:24) and by His stripes we are still able to experience healing today for our body, mind, soul and spirit (Isaiah 53:5).

***We Believe*** in the personal, premillennial, and imminent return of Jesus Christ, those who died with a personal relationship to Jesus Christ He will resurrect and they will rise first, then He will catch away (rapture) those alive with a personal relationship with Jesus Christ to meet Him in the air. Further we believe in the literal millennial reign of Christ upon the earth when He establishes a new heaven and a new earth. Eternal life for the righteous, those who know Christ and eternal damnation for those who do not know Christ (Matthew 24:31-46, Acts 1:11, Acts 24:15, I Thessalonians 4:13-18, Revelation 22:12-15).

***We Believe*** in worshipping God in Spirit and in Truth (John 4:24), through psalms, hymns and spiritual songs (Ephesians 5:19), through dance (Psalm 149:3), with clapping and lifted hands (Psalm 47:1, 63:4, 134:2), with a shout in our mouth (Psalm 47:1), with musical instruments (Psalm 150:3-5), through drama, flags and banners (Psalm 20:5), sound, media, and whatever instruments we have available to us now or in the future, let everything that breathes praise the Lord (Psalm 150:6).

***We Believe*** the gifts and calling of God upon men and women are still at work in the Body of Christ and will be until the Lord's return. Apostles, Prophets, Evangelists, Pastors and Teachers are functioning to prepare God's people for works of service so that the whole Body of Christ is able to function according to New Testament guidelines (Ephesians 5:11-14).

***We Believe*** in empowering people through training, mentoring, and discipling, helping people to discover their gifts, to become all that God has called them to be, to fulfill their purpose in the Kingdom of God on earth, and to realize their dreams to fulfill Jeremiah 29:11-13.

#### ARTICLE VII

The name and address of the incorporator of this Corporation is as follows:

Reverend David E. Seus  
4597 SW 103<sup>rd</sup> Street Road  
Ocala, FL. 34476

#### ARTICLE VIII

This Corporation shall have at least three (3) directors initially. The method of election and the number of directors shall be determined by, and may be either increased or diminished from time to time by the By-Laws, but shall never be less than three (3).

The initial directors shall be:

Charles T. Miller  
2957 NE 90<sup>th</sup> St.  
Anthony, FL. 32617

Benjamin Long  
561 NE 37<sup>th</sup> Pl.  
Ocala, FL. 34479

Daniel Long, Jr.  
3800 NE 25<sup>th</sup> Ave.  
Ocala, FL. 34479

#### ARTICLE IX

The name and street address of the initial registered agent are:

Reverend David E. Seus  
4597 SW 103<sup>rd</sup> St. Rd.  
Ocala, FL. 34476

#### ARTICLE X

The Board of Directors of this Corporation may provide such Bylaws for the conduct of its business in the carrying out of its purposes as they may deem necessary from time to time consistent with *Florida Statutes*. The Bylaws may be altered, amended or repealed and new and other Bylaws may be made and adopted by the Board of Directors as provided in the Bylaws.

#### ARTICLE IV

The corporation is organized exclusively for religious, charitable and educational 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. More specifically, the corporation is organized for the purpose of forming, maintaining, and operating a church.

#### ARTICLE V

This is a corporation not for profit organized under the laws of the State of Florida pursuant to Chapter 617, *Florida Statutes*.

1. Upon dissolution of this corporation, the Board of Directors shall, after paying or making provisions for the payment of all the liabilities of the corporation, dispose of all of the assets of the corporation exclusively for the purposes of the corporation and in such manner, or to such organization or organizations organized and operated exclusively for religious, charitable, or educational purposes as shall at the time qualify as an exempt organization under Section 501(c)(3) of the *Internal Revenue Code* as it now exists or may hereafter be amended, as the Board of Directors shall determine. Such assets shall be distributed to one or more of the following organizations if such organizations shall qualify as an exempt organization:  
Essential2Life  
PO Box 620053  
Atlanta, GA 30362-2053 Tel: (770) 621-9463 Fax: (770) 271-2229  
Member Email: [info@e2lonline.com](mailto:info@e2lonline.com) Member Website: [www.e2lonline.com](http://www.e2lonline.com)  
CEO: Mr. Vincent Hungate Donor Contact: Mr. Vincent Hungate,  
or any other exempt organization that shall exist for the furtherance of the Christian faith. Any such assets not so disposed of shall be disposed of by the Circuit Court of the county in which the principal office of the corporation is then located, exclusively for such purposes or to such organization or organizations as said Court shall determine, which are organized and operated exclusively for such purposes.
2. No part of the income or net earnings of this corporation shall be distributable to its members, directors or officers.
3. Notwithstanding any other provisions of these Articles of Incorporation, no member, director, officer, employee or representative of this corporation shall take any action or carry on any activities by or on behalf of the corporation not permitted to be carried on by an organization exempt under Section 501(c)(3) of the *Internal Revenue Code* and its Regulations as they now exist or may hereafter be amended, or which are not permitted to be taken or carried on by an organization, the contributions to which are deductible under Section 170 (c)(2) of such Code and Regulations as they now exist or as they may hereafter be amended.

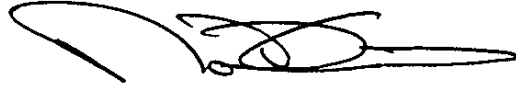
#### ARTICLE VI

The Corporation shall receive as members those who profess Jesus Christ as their Savior, manifest the fruit of the Spirit in their lives, and agree with the Statement of Faith and polity of the Corporation. The Bylaws of the Corporation may set forth terms and conditions regarding qualification, admission, termination, and standing of membership.

ARTICLE XI

Amendments to these Articles of Incorporation may be made and adopted only by a vote of at least two thirds (2/3) of the members of the Board of Directors of the Corporation.

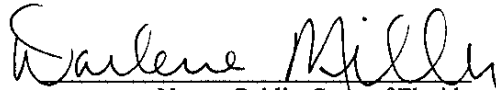
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned incorporator of this corporation has executed these Articles of Incorporation this 2nd day of August, 2007.



David E. Seuis

STATE OF FLORIDA  
COUNTY OF MARION

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this 2nd day of August, 2007, by David E. Seuis, who is personally known to me.

  
Notary Public, State of Florida