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SUBJECT: Disciple	s of Christ Christian Fellowship,	INC.	TIPE OFFERIN
	(PROPOSED CORPOR	ATE NAME <u>MUST INCI</u>	LUDE SUFFIX)
Enclosed are an orig	inal and one (1) copy of the art	ticles of incorporation and	l a check for:
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FROM: <u>Di</u> s	sciples of Christ Christian Fellow Name	ship, INC. c (Printed or typed)	
	P.O. Box 2078	Address	
	Riverview, FL 33568-2078	y, State & Zip	
	(813) 741-2803 Daytime	Telephone number	

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

Articles Of Incorporation

Of

DISCIPLES OF CHRIST CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP, INC.

A NONPROFIT CORPORATION

The undersigned, natural person of the age of eighteen years or older, with the capacity to contract, acting as incorporator for the purpose of creating a nonprofit corporation by virtue of the laws of the State of Florida in compliance with Chapter 617, F.S., do hereby set forth and adopt the following Articles of Incorporation:

Article I The name of the corporation is:

DISCIPLES OF CHRIST CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP, INC.

The principal place of business and mailing address of this corporation is: {

BUSINESS ADDRESS:

7732-B Gibsonton, Dr., Gibsonton, FL 33534

MAILING ADRESS:

P.O. Box 2078, Riverview, FL 33568-2078

Article II The purposes for which the corporation is organized are:

a. The specific purpose for which the corporation is initially organized is to establish and oversee places of worship, conduct the work of evangelism, create departments necessary to support missionary activities and to license and oversee ministers of the gospel and to also engage in activities which are necessary, suitable or convenient for the accomplishment of that purpose, or which are incidental thereto or connected therewith which are consistent with Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code. This corporation is organized and operated exclusively for religious purposes within the meaning of Section 501(c)(3), Internal Revenue Code.

b. Notwithstanding any other provision of these articles, this corporation will not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on by (i) a corporation exempt from federal income tax under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue law, or (ii) a corporation, contributions to which are deductible under Section 170(c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 or any other corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue law.

c. The purposes for which this corporation is organized are exclusively charitable, scientific, literary and educational within the meaning of Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue law.

Article III The Corporation will have **non-voting members** whose rights will be detailed in the bylaws. The members of the corporation shall consist of any person accepted by the Board of Directorsexpressing a desire to help further the purposes for which the corporation was organized, and who displays willingness to regularly contribute time, service, and money for this regard. Furthermore, those seeking membership of the corporation must be willing to accept the "Statement of Faith", Bylaws, and Constitution of DISCIPLES OF CHRIST CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP, INC.

Article IV The date of commencement of corporate existence shall be when these articles have been filed with the Department of State and approved by it and the respective filing fee has been paid; the term for which the corporation is to exist shall be perpetual. This corporation is organized and operated exclusively for religious purposes within the meaning of Section 501(c)(3), Internal Revenue Code. In the event of dissolution of the corporation, no part of the corporation's earnings or assets shall inure to the benefit of any of its members; the residual assets of the corporation shall be distributed to one or more organizations which themselves are exempt as organizations described in Sections 501(c)(3) and 170(c)(2) of the Internal Revenue code of 1986, or corresponding sections of any prior or future law, or to the federal, state or local government for exclusive public purpose.

Article V The name of the Initial Registered Agent of the corporation is Mary Jo McKay, and the street address of the Initial Registered Agent of this corporation is: 10459 Hunters Haven Blvd., Riverview, FL 33578.

Article VI The name and address of the Incorporator is as follows: KENNETH MCKAY 10459 Hunters Haven Blvd Riverview, FL 33578

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Article VII

a. No part of the net earning of the corporation shall ever inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to its members, directors, officers, or other private persons, except that the corporation shall be authorized and empowered to pay reasonable compensation for services rendered and to make payments and distributions in furtherance of the purposes set forth in Article II.

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

Article VIII

The Board of Directors of the corporation shall consist of no less than three (3) directors as determined by the bylaws. Directors shall be selected in the manner set forth in the bylaws. Directors may be removed and the vacancies shall be filled in the manner provided by the bylaws. The directors named in these articles shall serve as directors as long as they remain in good standing with the organization as set forth in the bylaws. The Board of Directors shall have the authority to make provision for reasonable compensation to its members for their services as directors and to fix the basis and conditions upon which this compensation shall be paid. Any director may also serve the corporation in any other capacity and receive compensation there from in any form. The directors whose positions and duties are set forth in the bylaws will manage the affairs of this corporation. The names and addresses of the directors who are to serve until they no longer desire or are no longer in good standing with the organization as outlined in the bylaws:

The names, addresses, and titles of Directors / Officers are:

 KENNETH MCKAY 10459 Hunters Haven Blvd. Riverview, FL 33578 FOUNDER/PRESIDENT

- MARY JO MCKAY 10459 Hunters Haven Blvd. Riverview, FL 33578
- CO-FOUNDER/VICE-PRESIDENT
- FRED WILLIAMS 1901 Princeton Lakes Dr., #1906 Brandon, FL 33511

DIRECTOR

RODERICK SANDERS 11324 Maybrook Ave Riverview, FL 33569

DIRECTOR

DEBRA ELMORE 5701 Harris Ridge Lane Riverview, FL 33578

TREASURER

- Article IX The first bylaws of the corporation shall be adopted by the board of directors and may be amended, altered or rescinded by the board of directors in the manner provided by such bylaws.
- Article X These articles of incorporation may be amended by statue or directive of the Board of Directors. Every amendment shall be approved by the Board of Directors as outlined in the bylaws.

I, THE UNDERSIGNED, for the purposes of becoming a nonprofit corporation under the provisions of the laws of Florida, do make and affix my signature to acknowledge and file in the office of the Secretary of State these articles of incorporation. WITNESS my respective hand and seal on the date and place indicated below.

Name

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.

Name