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SUBJECT: THE JOURNEY Fellowship ministries, 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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FROM: JOHN HASSELL
Name (Printed or typed)
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Address

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City, State & Zip

850-533-8739
Daytime Telephone number

JOHN.HASSELL@LIVE.COM
E-mail address: (to be used for future annual report notification)

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

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION
THE JOURNEY FELLOWSHIP MINISTRIES, INC.
A NONPROFIT CORPORATION

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We, the undersigned, acting as incorporators of a non-profit corporation under Chapter 617 of the Florida Statutes do hereby adopt the following Articles of Incorporation:

ARTICLE I

The name of the corporation is:

THE JOURNEY FELLOWSHIP MINISTRIES, INC.

ARTICLE II

The principle place of business and mailing address of the corporation shall be:

4644 Gulf Star Drive, Destin Florida 32541

ARTICLE III

The specific purposes for which the corporation is organized

The corporation is organized exclusively as a church for religious, charitable and educational purposes within the meaning of Section 501(c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code (or the corresponding provision of any future United States internal revenue law and Chapter 617 of Florida Statutes)

In furtherance of such purposes, the Organization shall have the power to:

1. Perform all the duties and obligations of the Organization.
2. Promote the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ through education and service
3. Serve the community through the ownership of real property and the construction, maintenance and operation of a church building thereon.
4. Acquire by gift, purchase or otherwise own, hold, and maintain, sell, transfer, dedicate to public use or otherwise dispose of personal property in connection with the affairs of the Organization.
5. Have and exercise any and all powers, rights, and privileges that a non-profit corporation organized under Chapter 617 of the Florida Statutes by law may now or hereafter have or exercise.
6. Make distributions to organizations exempt at the time under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code (or the corresponding provision of any future United States internal revenue law).

ARTICLE IV

There shall be at least three (3) Directors. The method of election of the Board of Directors shall be stated in the bylaws. Directorship shall not be denied to any person on the basis of race, color, gender, or national origin.

ARTICLE V

The names and addresses of the persons who are initial directors of the corporation are as follows:

NAME	ADDRESS	OFFICE
John Lewis Hassell	400 Shore Drive; Miramar Beach, Fl 32550	Director
James Colin Ready	520 Kelly Street; Destin, FL 32541	Director
Kenneth L Scoper Jr	3924 Mesa Road; Destin, FL 32541	Director

ARTICLE VI

The initial registered agent of this corporation is

John Hassell and the street address of its initial registered agent is 4644 Gulf Star Drive, Destin Florida 32541

ARTICLE VII

The name and address of the incorporator:

John Hassell 400 Shore Drive, Miramar Beach Fl 32550

ARTICLE VIII

The corporation shall have perpetual duration.

ARTICLE IX

Any directors not listed in Article 5 of this document shall be elected as stated in the bylaws.

ARTICLE X

1. General. The corporation shall have all the rights and powers customary and proper for tax-exempt nonprofit corporations, including the powers specifically enumerated in Chapter 617 of the Florida Statutes.
2. Restrictions. Notwithstanding any other provisions of these Articles of Incorporation, the corporation shall not carry on any activities not permitted to be carried on by a corporation exempt from federal income tax under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or by a corporation to which contributions are deductible under Sections 170(b)(1)(A) and 170(c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code (or the corresponding provisions of any future United States internal revenue law).

3. Charitable Directorship Etc. The corporation shall be empowered to hold or administer property for the purposes stated in Article V, including the power to act as trustee.
4. Limitation of Liability. No Director shall have any personal liability to the corporation for monetary damages for breach of duty of care or other duty as a Trustee, by reason of any act or omission occurring subsequent to the date when this provision becomes effective, except that this provision shall not eliminate or limit the liability of a Director for (a) any appropriation, in violation of his duties, of any business opportunity of the corporation; (b) acts or omissions which involve intentional misconduct or knowing violation of law; or (c) any transaction from which the Director derived an improper personal benefit.

ARTICLE XI

Membership is open to any person who is willing to assist the advancement of the cause of this organization.

ARTICLE XII

The By-Laws of the Organization may be made, altered, or rescinded at any annual meeting of the Organization or at any special meeting duly called for such purpose, on the affirmative vote of a majority of the Board of Directors existing at the time of and present at such meeting except that the initial By-Laws of the Organization shall be made and adopted by the officers/directors.

ARTICLE XIII

Amendments of these Articles of Incorporation may be proposed by a Board member of the Organization. These Articles may be amended at any annual meeting of the Organization or at any special meeting duly called and held for such purpose, on the affirmative vote of two-thirds (2/3) of the Board of Directors existing at the time of, and present at such meeting.

ARTICLE XIV

1. The Organization is organized and shall be operated exclusively for the purposes set forth above. The activities of the Organization will be financed by charitable contributions, other charitable organizations and no part of any net earnings of the Organization shall be distributed to any member.
2. No part of the net earnings of this corporation shall inure to the benefit or be distributable to any member, trustee, officers or directors of this corporation or any private individual, except that the organization 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 the purpose clause hereof.

3. No substantial part of the activities of the organization shall be the carrying on of propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, and the organization 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.
4. The Organization shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on (a) by an organization exempt from federal income tax under section 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or corresponding section of any future federal tax code, or (b) by an organization, contributions to which are deductible under section 170 (c) (2) of the Internal Revenue Code, or corresponding section of any future federal tax code.
5. The corporation shall not have capital stock or shareholders.

ARTICLE XV

The Organization may be dissolved only with the assent given in writing and signed by two-thirds (2/3) of the Board. Written notice of a proposal to dissolve setting forth the reasons therefore and the disposition to be made of the assets shall be mailed to every member at least sixty (60) days in advance.

ARTICLE XVI

Upon the dissolution, the assets of the Organization 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, for a public purpose. Any such assets not disposed of shall be disposed of by the Court of Common Pleas of the county in which the principal office of the organization 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. In the event such distribution is refused acceptance, such assets shall be granted, conveyed, and assigned to any non-profit corporation, association, trust, or other organization organized and operated for such similar purposes.

ARTICLE XVII

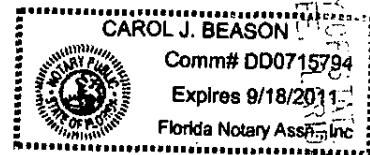
The effective date of this corporation shall be upon the filing with the Office of the Secretary of State of the State of Florida.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we, the undersigned incorporators to these Articles of Incorporation, have hereunto set out hands and seals this 8th day of September.

John Lewis Hassell
John Lewis Hassell

Kenneth L Scoper Jr.
Kenneth L Scoper Jr.

James Colin Ready
James Colin Ready



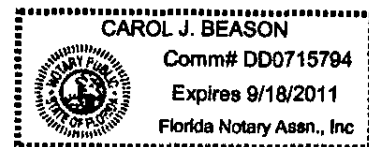
STATE OF FLORIDA
COUNTY OF Okaloosa

BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority, personally appeared John Lewis Hassell, Kenneth L Scoper Jr, James Colin Ready and who are to me well known to be the persons described in and who executed the forgoing Articles of Incorporation of **The Journey Fellowship Ministries, Inc.** and they did freely and voluntarily acknowledge before me according to the law that they made and subscribed the same for the uses and purposes therein mentioned and set forth.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereto set my hand and official seal, at Okaloosa County, in said Country and State, this 8th day of September.

Carol J. Beason
Notary Public, State of Florida

My commission expires: (seal)



Registered Agent's acceptance:

Having been named as registered agent and 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. I further agree to comply with the provisions of all statutes relative to the proper and complete performance of my duties, and I am familiar with and accept the obligations of my position as registered agent.

John Lewis Hassell
(Registered agent's signature)

John Hassell
Incorporators Signature

9/8/2009
Date
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