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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION
OF
FELLOWSHIP BIBLE CHURCH OF TAMPA, INC.

The undersigned incorporator hereby executes these Articles of Incorporation for the purpose of forming a corporation not for profit in accordance with the laws of the State of Florida.

ARTICLE 1

Name

The name of this corporation shall be:

FELLOWSHIP BIBLE CHURCH OF TAMPA, INC.

ARTICLE 2

Purposes

(a) The purpose for which this corporation is organized is for religious purposes, and to engage in any lawful purpose or purposes not for pecuniary profit.

(b) This corporation is organized and shall be operated exclusively for charitable, religious, scientific and educational purposes. As means for the accomplishment of the foregoing, it shall be within the purposes of this corporation to make distributions of income to organizations that qualify as exempt organizations within the meaning of Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, or any statute of similar import (the "Code"), and to take any other action which, from time to time, shall seem expedient to the Elders of this corporation and which shall further the said purposes.

(c) No part of the net earnings of this corporation shall inure to the benefit of any Elder, officer of this corporation, or any private individual (except that reasonable compensation may be paid for services rendered to or for this corporation affecting one or more of its purposes). No substantial part of the activities of this corporation shall be the carrying on of propaganda or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, and this corporation shall not participate in, or intervene in (including the publication or distribution of statements) any political campaign on behalf of any candidate for public office.

(d) Notwithstanding any other provisions of these Articles of Incorporation, this corporation shall not conduct or carry on any activities not permitted to be conducted or carried on by an organization exempt under Section 501(c)(3) of the Code or

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the regulations issued thereunder, or by an organization, contributions to which are deductible under Section 170(c)(2) of the Code and regulations issued thereunder.

(e) Upon the dissolution of the corporation, assets shall be distributed for one or more exempt purposes within the meaning of section 501(c)(3) of the Code, or the regulations issued thereunder, or shall be distributed to the federal government, or to a state or local government, for a public purpose. Any such assets not so disposed of shall be disposed of by a court of competent jurisdiction 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. No Elder, officer or private individual shall be entitled to share in the distribution of any of such assets.

ARTICLE 3

Principal Office and Mailing Address

The address of the principal office and the mailing address of this corporation shall be:

11505 East Broadway
Mango, Florida 33550

ARTICLE 4

Powers

(a) This corporation shall have and exercise all powers necessary or convenient to effect any and all of the charitable, religious, scientific and educational purposes for which this corporation is organized.

(b) This corporation shall neither have nor exercise any power, nor shall it engage directly or indirectly in any activity that would invalidate its status:

(1) As a corporation that is exempt from federal income taxation as an organization described in Section 501(c)(3) of the Code; or

(2) As a corporation contributions to which are deductible under Section 170(c)(2) of the Code.

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ARTICLE 5

Members

This corporation shall have no members.

ARTICLE 6

Duration

This corporation shall have perpetual existence.

ARTICLE 7

Registered Office and Registered Agent

The initial registered office of this corporation shall be located at 2907 Bay to Bay Blvd., Ste. 201, Tampa, FL 33629, and the initial registered agent of this corporation at such office shall be Charles H. Carver. This corporation shall have the right to change such registered agent and such registered office from time to time, as provided by law.

ARTICLE 8

Incorporator

The name and street address of the incorporator making these Articles of Incorporation are:

Name

Address

Charles H. Carver

2907 Bay to Bay Blvd., Ste. 201
Tampa, FL 33629

ARTICLE 9

Officers and Elders

The affairs of this corporation shall be managed by a Board of Elders who shall be elected by the Board of Elders, and by officers who shall be elected by the Board of Elders. The officers thus to be elected shall be a president, a secretary and a treasurer and such other officers as may be provided for in the bylaws of this corporation. The

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duties of the respective officers and the manner of filling vacancies in the offices of this corporation shall be as provided in the bylaws.

The number of Elders and the manner of filling vacancies in the Board of Elders shall be provided in the bylaws of this corporation. The number shall not be less than three, but may be any number in excess thereof. A quorum for the transaction of business shall be a majority of the Elders qualified and active, and the act of a majority of the Elders present at a meeting at which a quorum is present shall be the act of the Elders. Meetings of the Elders may be held within or without the State of Florida.

ARTICLE 10

Elders

The initial members of the Board of Elders of this corporation shall consist of three members, such members to hold office until their successors have been duly elected and qualify. The names and street addresses of the initial members of the Board of Elders are:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Address</u>
Kenneth G. Fuller	P.O. Box 461 Mango, FL 33550
William A. Hogan	1701 Lenna Ave. Seffner, FL 33584
John S. Eichholz	3011 King Phillip Way Seffner, FL 33584

ARTICLE 11

By-Laws

The power to adopt the by-laws of this corporation, to alter, amend or repeal the by-laws, or to adopt new by-laws, shall be vested in the Board of Elders of this corporation.

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ARTICLE 12

Amendment of Articles of Incorporation

This corporation reserves the right to amend, alter, change or repeal any provisions contained in these Articles of Incorporation in the manner now or hereafter prescribed by statute.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned incorporator has executed these Articles of Incorporation for the uses and purposes therein stated.


CHARLES H. CARVER

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FELLOWSHIP BIBLE CHURCH OF TAMPA, INC.

ACCEPTANCE OF SERVICE AS REGISTERED AGENT

The undersigned, Charles H. Carver, having been named as registered agent to accept service of process for the above-named corporation at the registered office designated in the Articles of Incorporation, hereby agrees and consents to act in that capacity. The undersigned is familiar with and accepts the duties and obligations of a registered agent under applicable law.

DATED this 1st day of April, 2010.


CHARLES H. CARVER

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