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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION
(NOT FOR PROFIT CORPORATION)

Strings for Hope, Corp.

A FLORIDA NOT FOR PROFIT CORPORATION

We, the undersigned incorporators of this corporation under Chapter 617, Florida Statutes, as amended, adopt the following Articles of Incorporation:

ARTICLE I

The name of this corporation is: Strings for Hope, Corp.

A FLORIDA NOT FOR PROFIT CORPORATION

ARTICLE II

The general nature of the business to be conducted by this Corporation is:

1. The corporation has, for its objective, the performance of and educational training and instruction for musical programs, all form of musical entertainment, stage production, orchestral and selected musical instrument performance, and guidance to underprivileged persons, or on behalf of public and/or private charitable entities, to public and/or private institutions established for or operating as a service organization to underprivileged

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students, individuals and/or community providers to underprivileged persons, and all similarly related musical activity or musical instrument lessons for charitable purposes whatsoever.

2. To employ, hire and appoint corporations, firms and individuals in any and all parts of the world to act as agents in such capacity and on such conditions as may be determined from time to time by the Board of Directors.

3. To purchase, lease or otherwise acquire, equip, hold, own, improve, develop, manage, maintain, control, operate, lease, mortgage, create security interest in, create liens upon, sell, convey, or otherwise dispose of and turn to account any and all property, real and personal, improved and unimproved of every kind and description, incidental to, connected with, or suitable, necessary, or convenient for, any of the purposes enumerated herein including all or any part or parts of the properties, assets, business and goodwill or any persons, firms, associations or corporations.

4. To carry on any other business or enterprise which may be carried on or exercised by a corporation organized under Chapter 617, Florida Statutes, as amended.

ARTICLE III

This corporation shall have perpetual existence.

ARTICLE IV

The principal office of this Corporation shall be c/o Sheldon Evans, P.A., 3074 Lakewood Circle, Weston Florida 33332, or such other place as may be designated by the Board of Directors.

The initial Board of Directors shall consist of 2 members. The number of directors may be increased or decreased from time to time by vote of the stockholders, and as set forth in the By-Laws as to the method of Election of Directors, but in no case shall the number of directors be less than one.

ARTICLE V

The name and address of the member of the first Board of Directors is:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Address</u>
Sheldon Evans	c/o Sheldon Evans, P.A. 3074 Lakewood Circle Weston, Florida 33332

ARTICLE VI

The Registered Agent of the Corporation to accept service of process within the State of Florida is initially designated as Sheldon Evans, P.A., 3074 Lakewood Circle, Weston, Florida 33332 who by his signing of these Articles of Incorporation accepts this designation and agrees to comply with the provisions of Section 48.091, Florida Statutes, relative to keeping open the office for service of process. The registered office of the Corporation shall be at 3074 Lakewood Circle, Weston, Florida 33332.

ARTICLE VII

The name of the members of the initial officers are:

<u>NAME</u>	<u>TITLE</u>
Abraham E. Evans	Founder and President
Juan- Felipe Jaramillo	Co-Founder and Vice President
Sheldon Evans, Esq.	Assistant Secretary

ARTICLE VIII

In the absence of fraud, no contract or other transaction between this Corporation and any other person, corporation, firm, association or partnership shall be affected or invalidated by the fact that any director or officer of this Corporation is pecuniarily or otherwise interested therein. Any director may be counted in determining the existence of a quorum at any meeting of the Board of Directors of this Corporation for the purposes of authorizing any such contract or transaction with like force and effect as if he were not so interested or were not a director, member or officer of such other corporation, firm, association or partnership.

ARTICLE IX

The Director(s) are to be elected or appointed by such method as shall be set forth in the By Laws of the corporation. Furthermore, the regulation of the internal affairs of the corporation, including without limitation, any provision with respect to the relative rights or interests of the members as among themselves or in the property of the corporation, shall be governed and decided by a majority of the Board of Directors.

ARTICLE X

Membership in the corporation may be terminated by written notification from the resigning individual, delivered by registered mail, to the offices of the Registered Agent. Upon the effectiveness of said resignation, the terminated member shall have no further liability to or be entitled to any benefit relating to the corporation, nor thereafter be allowed to utilize the property, name, business plan, assets, or any other operational aspects of the corporation.

Membership in the corporation shall not be transferable. Notwithstanding, should a member be unable to perform his/her duties and obligations to the corporation for any reason, then the Directors (or as many as shall then remain other than the proposed transferring member) may

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authorize the transfer of membership upon due written notice of said Director's ~~secretary~~ ^{SECRETARY OF STATE}
duly held meeting for that purpose. TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA

The name and address of each of the incorporators and subscribers is:

Name	Address
Abraham E. Evans	c/o 3074 Lakewood Circle Weston, Florida 33332
Juan Felipe Jaramillo	c/o 3074 Lakewood Circle Weston, Florida 33332
Sheldon Evans	c/o 3074 Lakewood Circle Weston, Florida 33332

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, We have signed these Articles of Incorporation this 31st

day of January, 2011

Abraham E. Evans

Abraham E. Evans, as Incorporator

Sheldon Evans

Sheldon Evans, as
Co-Incorporator

Juan Felipe Jaramillo
Juan Felipe Jaramillo, as Co-Incorporator

Sheldon Evans, Esq.
SHELDON EVANS, Esq.

as Registered Agent, Hereby
Accepting Duties set forth in Art. VII above and
applicable Florida Statutes