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SUBJECT: The Secret Place 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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ADDITIONAL COPY REQUIRED

FROM: Michael Arnold
Name (Printed or typed)

1935 Alamanda Way
Address

Riviera Beach, FL 33404
City, State & Zip

(954) 234-4415
Telephone number

drmichaelarnold@gmail.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

Articles of Incorporation of the undersigned, a majority of whom are citizens of the United States, desiring to form a Non-Profit Corporation under the Non-Profit Corporation Law of the State of Florida, do hereby certify:

First: The name of the Corporation shall be

The Secret Place Ministries, Inc.

Second: The place in this state where the principal office of the Corporation is to be located in the City of West Palm Beach, Florida. The address is

1935 Alamanda Way

Riviera Beach, FL 33404

Third: Said corporation is organized exclusively for charitable, religious, educational and scientific 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).

Fourth: The names and addresses of the persons who are the initial directors of the corporation are as follows. The manner in which the Directors are elected are as stated in the by-laws.

Michael Arnold, President	1935 Alamanda Way	Riviera Beach, FL 33404
Calvin Evans, Vice President	1935 Alamanda Way	Riviera Beach, FL 33404
Lisa Smith, Secretary	1935 Alamanda Way	Riviera Beach, FL 33404
Kim W. Bailey, Treasurer	1935 Alamanda Way	Riviera Beach, FL 33404

Fifth: No part of the net earnings of the corporation shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to its members, trustees, 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 Section 501 (c) 3 purposes. No substantial part of the activities of the corporation/organization 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 or in opposition to any candidate for public office. Notwithstanding any other provision of these articles, the corporation/organization shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be

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carried on (a) by a corporation/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 a corporation/organization, contributions to which are deductible under section 170(c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code, (or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code.)

Sixth: 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 Internal Revenue Code, or the 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 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.

Seventh: The name and the address of the incorporator is

Michael Arnold 1935 Alamanda Way Riviera Beach, FL 33404

Eighth: The name and address of the registered agent is:

Michael Arnold 1935 Alamanda Way Riviera Beach, FL 33404

Michael Arnold
Signature/Registered Agent
Michael Arnold
Signature/Incorporator

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