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Department of State
Division of Corporations
P. O. Box 6327
Tallahassee, FL 32314

SUBJECT: **VICTORIOUS FAITH HOUSE OF PRAYERMINISTRIES, INC.**
(PROPOSED CORPORATE NAME – MUST INCLUDE SUFFIX)

Enclosed is an original and one (1) copy of the Articles of Incorporation and a check for :

☐ \$70.00
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☐ \$78.75
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☐ \$78.75
Filing Fee
& Certified Copy

☒ \$87.50
Filing Fee,
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& Certificate

ADDITIONAL COPY REQUIRED

FROM: D. Jerome Shelton
Name (Printed or typed)

P.O. Box 17563
Address

Tampa, FL 33682
City, State & Zip

(813) 775-5469
Telephone number

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
In compliance with Chapter 617, F.S., (Not for Profit)

ARTICLE I NAME

The name of the corporation shall be: **VICTORIOUS FAITH HOUSE OF PRAYER MINISTRIES, INC.**

ARTICLE II PRINCIPAL OFFICE

Principal ~~street~~ address
3515 North 9th St.
Tampa, FL 33682

Mailing address, if different is:

P. O. Box 17563
Tampa, FL 33682

ARTICLE III PURPOSE

The purpose for which the corporation is organized is:

1. the purpose of the corporation is to conduct Christian worship and teaching, and to provide social services.
2. (see the attached full purpose statement) - page 2

ARTICLE IV MANNER OF ELECTION The manner in which the directors are elected and appointed:
are stated in the bylaws of the corporation.

ARTICLE V INITIAL OFFICERS AND/OR DIRECTORS

Name and Title: D. Jerome Shelton, President
Address: 3515 North 9th St.
Tampa, FL 33605

Name and Title: Anthony Burke, Treasurer
Address: 2723 Stallone Dr.
Tampa, FL 33605

Name and Title: leisha Williams, Secretary
Address: 3507 East 24th Ave.
Tampa, FL 33605

Name and Title: _____
Address: _____

Name and Title: _____
Address: _____

Name and Title: _____
Address: _____

ARTICLE VI REGISTERED AGENT

The name and Florida street address (P.O. Box NOT acceptable) of the registered agent is:

Name: leisha Williams
Address: 3507 East 24th Ave.
Tampa, FL 33605

ARTICLE VII INCORPORATOR

The name and address of the Incorporator is:

Name: D. Jerome Shelton
Address: 3515 North 9th St.
Tampa, FL 33605

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

I. Williams

Required Signature of Registered Agent

Date

I submit this document and affirm that the facts stated herein are true. I am aware that any false information submitted in a document to the Department of State constitutes a third degree felony as provided for in s.817.155, F.S.

D. Jerome Shelton

Required Signature of Incorporator

Date

Articles of Incorporation

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ARTICLE III - PURPOSE STATEMENT

1. The Corporation is organized exclusively for charitable, religious, educational and scientific purposes as specified in Section 501(c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code, including for such purposes, the making of distributions to organizations that qualify as exempt under Section 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or corresponding section of any future federal tax code.
2. The Corporation shall accept, solicit, and receive grants, gifts, contributions, donations, bequests and transfers of any and every type of money or property, real, personal or mixed, to carry out the foregoing purposes.
3. No part of the net earnings of the Corporation shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to its officers, directors 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 purpose for which it was organized.
4. 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 or in opposition to any candidate for office. Notwithstanding any other provision of these articles, the Corporation shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on by (a) a corporation exempt from federal income tax under Section 501 (c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code (IRC), or corresponding section of any future federal tax code, or (b) by a corporation whose contributions are deductible under the cited IRC.
5. 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 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 the Superior Court of the county in which the principal office of the corporation is then located, exclusively for such purpose or to such organization or organizations, as said court shall determine, which are organized and operated for exclusively for such purposes.