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hristian Raburn 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: Christian Rabuan

Name (Printed or typed)

P. D. Box 783992

Winter Garden FZ 34778
City, State & Zip

407 614 5117

Daytime 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**

**OF** 

# Christian Raburn Ministries, Inc.

# A Non Profit Corporation

The undersigned, being over the age of eighteen (18) years and competent to contract, for the purpose of organizing a Corporation not-for-profit pursuant to the laws of the **State of Florida**, does hereby adopt the following Articles of Incorporation, and does hereby agree and certify as follows:

#### ARTICLE!

# NAME

The name of this Corporation shall be Christian Raburn Ministries, Inc.

# **ARTICLE II**

# PRINCIPAL OFFICE

The principal address of the principal office of the Corporation shall be 45 Misty Oaks Run Casselberry, FL 32707. The mailing address shall be P.D. Box 783992 Winter Garden, FL 34778

#### ARTICLE III

# **PURPOSE AND POWERS**

- (1) The purpose for which the Corporation is organized and operated is 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. Such purposes shall include the following:
- (a) To equip men, women, and children with vital truths that lead them to seek God in every aspect of their lives, and empower them to "make" a difference in their communities and around the world.
- (2) As a means of accomplishing the above purposes and methods, the Corporation shall have the following powers:

- (a To use forms of media (television, radio, internet) to preach the gospel and to receive and accept gifts of money and property and to hold the same for any of the purposes of the Corporation and its work.
- (b) To raise and assist in raising funds for the purposes herein set forth.
- (c) To acquire, own, lease, mortgage and dispose of property both real and personal.
- (d) To accept property and donations in trust for religious or charitable purposes.
- (3) The property of the Corporation is irrevocable dedicated to religious, educational and charitable purposes, and no part of the net earnings of the corporation/organization shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to its members, trustees, directors, officers or other private persons, except that the corporation/organization 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.
- (a) 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/organization 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.
- (b) The Corporation shall not:
  - (1) operate for the purpose of carrying on a trade or business for profit:
  - (2) accumulate income, invest income, or divert income, in a manner endangering its exempt status; or
  - (3) except to an insubstantial degree, engage in any activity or exercise any powers that are not in furtherance of the purposes of the Corporation.

## **ARTICLE IV**

# **MANNER OF ELECTION**

Directors shall be elected as set forth in the Corporation's Bylaws.

#### **ARTICLE V**

# INITIAL REGISTERED AGENT AND OFFICE

The name and address of the registered agent shall be as follows: Christian Raburn 477 Misty Oaks Run Casselberry, FL 32707

#### **ARTICLE VI**

# INITIAL BOARD OF DIRECTORS

This Corporation shall have three (3) directors initially. The number of directors may be either increased or diminished from time to time in accordance with the Bylaws, but shall never be less than three (3). The name and street addresses of the initial directors of this Corporation are:

Christian Raburn–President P.O. Box 783992 Winter Garden, FL 34778 Richard Pratt –Treasurer 477 Misty Oaks Run Casselberry, FL 32707 Carlos Rodriquez–Secretary 3157 Graceland Ct Orlando, FL 32812

# **ARTICLE VII**

### **INCORPORATOR**

The name and address of the incorporator shall be as follows: Christian Raburn P.O. Box 783992 Winter Garden, FL 34778

## **ARTICLE VIII**

## **BYLAWS**

The power to adopt, alter, amend or repeal bylaws shall be vested in the Board of Directors.

#### ARTICLE IX

#### INDEMNIFICATION

This Corporation may be empowered to indemnify any officer or director, or any former officer or director in the manner set out and provided for in the bylaws of this Corporation.

Notwithstanding any other provision of these articles, the corporation/organization shall not carry on any other activities nor permitted to be carried on:

(1) by a corporation/organization exempt from Federal income tax under Section 501C3 of the I.R.S. Code (or corresponding section of the any future Federal tax code) or

- (2) by a corporation/organization, contributions to which are deductible under Section 170(c)(2) of the I.R.S. Code (or corresponding section of any future Federal tax code.)
- (b) Upon dissolution of this corporation/organization 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.

## **ARTICLE X**

## **AMENDMENT**

This Corporation reserves the right to amend or repeal any provisions contained in these articles of incorporation, or any amendment hereto.

Signature Incorporator /Date

CHRISTAN RABURN PRESIDENT

Print Name /Title

Having been named as registered agent to accept services 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 I this capacity.

Signature/Registered Agent

Print Name/ Date

CHRISTAN RABURN 12/16/2013