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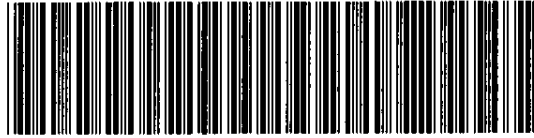
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**SUBJECT:** TRINITY MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH, INC  
(PROPOSED CORPORATE NAME – MUST INCLUDE SUFFIX)

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

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☐ \$78.75  
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& Certified Copy

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**ADDITIONAL COPY REQUIRED**

FROM: REV. ARTHUR L. DAY  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Name (Printed or typed)

704 WEST 4TH AVENUE  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Address

TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA  
\_\_\_\_\_  
City, State & Zip

(850) 681-7773  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Daytime Telephone number

MRARTDAY@BIRTHRITESERVICESINC.COM

E-mail address: (to be used for future annual report notification)

**NOTE: Please provide the original and one copy of the articles.**

Trinity Missionary Baptist Church # 2

704 W. 4<sup>th</sup> Avenue

Tallahassee, Fl 32304

EIN # 26-1106067

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION  
OF

TRINITY MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH # 2 INC.

The undersigned incorporator signs and delivers these Articles of Incorporation in order to form a corporation not for profit pursuant to Florida's Not For Profit Corporation Act, Chapter 617, Florida Statutes

ARTICLE I  
NAME

The name of this corporation is: TRINITY MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH # 2 INC.

ARTICLE II  
PRINCIPAL OFFICE AND MAILING ADDRESS:

The address of the principal office and the mailing address of this corporation is:

704 W. 4<sup>th</sup> AVE TALLAHASSEE, FL 32304

TERM OF EXISTENCE.

This corporation shall exist perpetually.

ARTICLE IV  
PURPOSES

A. This corporation is organized and shall operate exclusively for the furthering of the Christian religion as is espoused by our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. Such purposes shall include but not be limited to cultural, charitable and religious activities.

This corporation shall be authorized to carry on such businesses in all respects to those exempt purposes described in Section 501 C 3 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 as amended. Furthermore, this corporation may engage in any and all lawful acts established

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pursuant to F.S. 617.021 as is or hereafter amended. As well as those activities permitted under the laws of the State of Florida and the United States of America as shall constitute activities in furtherance of such purposes. In furtherance of its purposes the corporation may promote, establish, conduct and maintain activities on its own behalf and it may contribute to or otherwise assist other corporations, organizations and institutions carrying on exempt activities.

B. As a means and incidental to accomplishing these tasks, it may:

1. Solicit, accept, acquire, receive and hold by bequest, devise, grant, gift, purchase, exchange, lease, transfer, or otherwise, for any of its objects real and/or personal property of whatever nature or description and wherever situated;
2. Sell, exchange, convey, mortgage, lease, transfer or otherwise dispose of any such property, both real and personal, as the objects and purposes of as may be prescribed by law; and
3. Borrow and/or lend money but only as authorized by its Board of Directors, and from time to time, to make, accept endorse, execute and issue bonds, debentures, promissory notes, bills of exchange and other obligations properly acquired or for the other purposes of the corporation, and to secure the payment of any such obligation by mortgages, pledge, deed, indenture, agreement or other instrument of trust, or privileges of the corporation, wherever situated; and
4. In general, to exercise such other powers which now are or which hereafter may be conferred by law upon a corporation organized for the purposes hereinabove set forth or necessary or incidental to the powers so conferred or conducive to the attainment of the purpose of the corporation, subject to such limitations as are or may be prescribed by law.

C. Notwithstanding anything herein to the contrary, this corporation may exercise only such powers as are in furtherance of the exempt purpose of organizations set forth in Section C 3 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 and its Regulations and Florida

Statutes 617 as the same now exist, or as they may be hereafter amended from time to time.

D. No part of the income or principal of this corporation shall inure to the benefit of or be distributed to any member, director or officer of the corporation or any other private individual, in such a fashion as to constitute an application of funds not within the purpose of exempt organization described in Section 501 C 3 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986. However, reimbursement for expenditures or the payment of reasonable compensation for services rendered shall not be deemed to be distribution of income or principal.

E. No part of the activities of this corporation shall consist of carrying on propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, and this corporation shall not participate in, or intervene in (including the publishing or distributing of statements) any political campaign on behalf of any candidate for public office.

F. In the event of the complete or partial liquidation or dissolution of the corporation, whether voluntary or involuntary, the balance of all money and other property received by the corporation from any source, after the payment of all debts and obligation of the corporation, shall be used or distributed to one or more non-profit organization who's beliefs and goals are the same or similar to Revelation's or as otherwise provided by law or to one or more organization then described in Section 501 C 3 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, or to the federal, state or local government for exclusively public purposes.

**ARTICLE V**  
**MEMBERSHIP**

Qualification(s) for membership, manner of admission, classes, privileges, regulations, termination, rights and obligations of members shall be as regulated by the laws.

**ARTICLE VI**  
**BOARD OF DIRECTORS**

This corporation shall have five (5) Directors, initially and one (1) alternate. The number of Directors may be increased or diminished from time to time in accordance with the Bylaws, but shall never be less than three (3). Directors shall be elected as provided in the Bylaws.

The names and addresses of the initial Board of Directors who shall serve only until the first annual meeting of Directors are:

Rev. Arthur Day	2710 Ridgeway Street Tallahassee, Fl	Chairman
Sis Harriet Crawford	2417 Windy Pine Way Tallahassee, Fl	Sec/Treas
Rev. Irvin Miller	3535 Roberts Ave Tallahassee, Fl	Vice Chairman
Sis Carolyn Ash	2013 Trimble Road Tallahassee, Fl	
Brother Hodges Collins	1619 Stukey Ave Tallahassee, Fl	

**ARTICLE VII**  
**OFFICERS**

The general officers of the corporation shall be those elected and/or appointed to perform such duties as those set forth in the by-laws.

**ARTICLE VIII**  
**REGISTERED AGENT**

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

ARTHUR STEPHENS, SR.  
704 W. 4 AVE  
TALLAHASSEE, FL 32304

**ARTICLE IX**  
**CORPORATORS**

The name and address of the incorporators of the corporation are:

ARTHUR STEPHENS, SR.  
704 W. 4 AVE  
TALLAHASSEE, FL 32304

**ARTICLE X**  
**BY-LAWS**

The Board of Directors of this corporation shall provide laws for the conduct of its business and the carrying out of its purposes. Said by-laws shall provide for the procedures in drafting, adopting, amending and rescinding said by-laws. The by-laws may be amended or rescinded by a majority vote of those members of the Board of Directors at any regular meeting or any special called meeting; provided that notice has been given in accordance with the by-laws.

**ARTICLE XI**  
**AMENDMENTS**

These Articles of Incorporation may be amended at any regular or special meeting of the Board of Directors by a majority vote of those present; provided that notice of the intention to submit amendments shall have been given as provided by the by-laws.

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**CERTIFICATE DESIGNATING PLACE OF BUSINESS OR DOMICILE FOR  
THE SERVICE OF PROCESS WITHIN THE STATE, NAMING AGENT UPON  
WHOM PROCESS MAY BE SERVED**

In pursuance of Chapter 48.091, Florida Statutes, the following is submitted, in  
compliance with said Act:

That TRINITY MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH, <sup>#2 INC</sup>, is desiring to  
organize under the laws of the State of Florida with its principal office as indicated in the  
Articles of Incorporation at the City of Tallahassee, County of Leon, State of Florida, has  
named Rev. Arthur Stephens, Sr., located at 704 W 4<sup>th</sup> Ave. Tallahassee, FL 32304.  
its agent to accept service of process for the above stated corporation, at the place  
designated in this certificate. I hereby accept to act in this capacity, and agree to comply  
with the provision of said act relative to keeping open said office.

Rev. Arthur Stephens Sr.  
Rev. Artur Stevens, Sr.

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