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#### Articles of Amendment to Articles of Incorporation of

Comunidad Cristiana Caminos de Esperanza "Caminan		
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ursuant to the provisions of section 617.1006, Florida S mendment(s) to its Articles of Incorporation:	tatutes, this <i>Florida Not Fo</i>	or Profit Corporation adopts the following
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COMUNIDAD CRISTIANA CAMINOS DE ESPERA	NZA, INC	The new
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If amending the Officers and/or Directors, enter the title and name of each officer/director being removed and title, name, and address of each Officer and/or Director being added:

(Attach additional sheets, if necessary)

Please note the officer/director title by the first letter of the office title:

P = President; V = Vice President; T = Treasurer; S = Secretary; D = Director; TR = Trustee; C = Chairman or Clerk; CEO = Chief Executive Officer; CFO = Chief Financial Officer. If an officer/director holds more than one title, list the first letter of each office held. President, Treasurer, Director would be PTD.

Changes should be noted in the following manner. Currently John Doe is listed as the PST and Mike Jones is listed as the V. There is a change, Mike Jones leaves the corporation, Sally Smith is named the V and S. These should be noted as John Doe, PT as a Change, Mike Jones, V as Remove, and Sally Smith, SV as an Add.

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Add			Naples, Florida 34117
Remove			
2) Change	<u>s</u>	Sebastian Lopez	1460 13th Street SW
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# E. If amending or adding additional articles, enter change(s) here (attach additional sheets, if necessary). (Be specific)

## ADDING ADDITIONAL ARTICLES TO COMUNIDAD CRISTIANA CAMINOS DE ESPERANZA, INC,

#### AMENDING ARTICLE III: CHARITABLE PURPOSE

- (1): Comunidad Cristiana Caminos de Esperanza, Inc., is organized exclusively for charitable, religious, educational, or scientific purposes under Section 501 (c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or corresponding section of any future federal tax code.
- (2): In case of dissolution of Comunidad Cristiana Caminos de Esperanza, Inc., remaining 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 any public purposes.

# ADDING ARTICLE IX: Statement of our Christian Faith. COMUNIDAD CRISTIANA CAMINOS DE ESPERANZA, INC., BELIEVE:

- (1): We believe that God is the creator of the universe creating both of the seen (physical) and the unseen (spiritual) realms and that God is also the only giver of life.
- (2): We believe the Holy Bible (King James and Reina-Valera 1960 Versions) is God's word inspired by God for the purpose of revealing who He is and it is without error in all issues to which it speaks. We believe the Holy Bible is the only and infallible rule of faith and conduct
- (3): We affirm that the inspiration of the Holy Spirit gives the Bible its canonical authority, and the role of the church is to recognize and affirm this authority. We affirm that our church is subject to the Word of God in its order as in its doctrine
- (4): We believe in the Triunity (Trinity), one God in three Persons, consisting of God the Father, God the Son Jesus, and God the Holy Spirit.
- (5): We Believe Jesus Christ is Divine God who came from Heaven to mankind as a man yet retaining the Divinity of God, one hundred percent God and one hundred percent man, and who while living a sinless life was rejected and betrayed by man to be crucified and die on the cross yet not to remain dead but to resurrect the third day in accordance with His everlasting divine life.
- (6): We believe that the death of Jesus on the cross provided complete atonement for all the sins of the world therefore cleansing those who choose to be cleansed from their sin to then receive the Holy Spirit and by receiving the Holy Spirit becoming "Born Again" and being Born Again becoming children of God. Children in the family of God and as children in a personal

relationship with their Father who is God above all and as children also inheritors in the Heavenly Kingdom of Jesus the kingdom that is without end.

- (7): We believe that God is the judge of all of mankind's thoughts, intentions and actions and that He is just and wise in His judgment. We believe that Jesus is our advocate and intermediary between God and men who subsequently will judge the unjust (those who are not covered by the blood of Jesus Christ) to everlasting condemnation while to the righteous (those who are covered by the blood of Jesus Christ) He will give of His life, His gifts, and His glory.
- (8): We believe in the baptism of the Holy Spirit and that through this baptism we receive the power to witnesses of Jesus to the world (Acts 1:8, Acts 2:4 & Mark 16:17).
- (9): We believe Jesus physically rose from the dead, was seen by and interacted with many eyewitnesses including the Disciples and Apostles and that Jesus has now ascended back into Heaven where He originally came from. Jesus is currently seated in Majesty, Power and Authority alongside the Father and He is now accessible to us in both Prayer and Fellowship.
- (10): We believe that all human life is sacred and created by God in His image. Human life is of inestimable worth in all its dimensions, including pre-born babies, the aged, the physically or mentally challenged, and every other stage or condition from conception through natural death. We are therefore called to defend, protect, and value all human life (Psalms 139). We only accept children for presentation to the Lord if their parents ere members in good standing of our church.
- (11): We believe that this Statement of Christian Faith does not exhaust the extent of our beliefs. The Holy Bible (King James and Reina-Valera 1960 Versions) itself, as the inspired Word of God that speaks with final authority concerning truth, morality, and the proper conduct of mankind, is the sole and final source of all that we believe.

## ADDING ARTICLE X: Statement of Christian Faith on Marriages, Gender and Sexuality

#### COMUNIDAD CRISTIANA CAMINOS DE ESPERANZA, INC., BELIEVE :

(1): We believe that God wonderfully and immutably creates each person as male or female. These two distinct, complementary genders together reflect the image and nature of God (Genesis 1:26-27). Rejection of one's biological sex is a rejection of the image of God within that person. Man and woman are created by God in His image and likeness and their should not reject their biological sex.

- (2): We believe that the term marriage has only one meaning: the uniting of one biological man and one biological woman in a single, exclusive union, as delineated in Scripture (Genesis 2:18-24). We believe that God intends sexual intimacy to occur only between a biological man and a biological woman who are married to each other. (First Corinthians 6:18, 7:2-5 & Hebrews 13:4)
- (3): We believe that any form of sexual immorality, including adultery, fornication, homosexual behavior, bisexual conduct, bestiality, incest, and use of pornography, is sinful and offensive to God. (Matthew 15:18-20 & First Corinthians 6:9-10).
- (4): We believe that in order to preserve the function and integrity of our church as the local Body of Christ, and to provide a biblical role model to our members and the community, it is imperative that all persons employed by our church in any capacity, or who serve as volunteers, agree to and abide by this Statement of Faith on Marriage, Gender and Sexuality. (Matthew 5:16; Philippians 2:14-16 & First Thessalonians 5:22).
- (5): We believe that God is merciful to all sinners. He offers redemption and restoration to all who confess and forsake their sin, seeking His mercy and forgiveness through Jesus Christ (Acts 3:19-21; Romans 10:9-10 and First Corinthians 6:9-11).
- (6): We believe that every person must be afforded compassion, love, kindness, respect, and dignity (Mark 12:28-31 & Luke 6:31). Hateful and harassing behavior or attitudes directed toward any individual are to be repudiated and are not in accord with Scripture nor with the doctrines of our church.
- (7): We believe that God has ordained marriage and defined it as the covenant relationship between a man and a woman, and Himself, our church only recognize marriages between a biological man and a biological woman.
- (8): We believe that the senior pastor, the assistant pastors, ministers, staff and volunteers of our church shall only participate in weddings and solemnize marriages between one biological man and one biological woman that are active members in good standing of our church. These believe shall not be limited to weddings and shall covered also children presentations, funeral ceremonies, birthday celebrations and any other activity involving our church's personnel.

## ADDING ARTICLE XI: Statement on Church Facility Use Policy COMUNIDAD CRISTIANA CAMINOS DE ESPERANZA, INC., BELIEVE:

(1): We believe the church's facilities, buildings, schools, land, patios, front and backyard, and equipments were provided through God's benevolence and by the sacrificial generosity of church members and volunteers. The church facilities are private facilities and used only for the fellowship of the Body of Christ and to bring God glory.

- (2): We believe that the church's facilities use would not be permitted to persons or groups holding, advancing, or advocating beliefs or practices that conflict with the church's statement of faith or moral teaching that are summarized in the Articles of Incorporations.
- (3): We believe that, in no event shall persons or groups who hold, advance, or advocate beliefs, or advance, advocate, or engage in practices that contradict the church's faith use any church facility. The church's facilities should not be used in any way that contradicts the church's statement of faith.
- (4): We believe that this policy applies to all church facilities, regardless of whether the facilities are connected to the church's sanctuary or not, because the church sees all of its property, present and future, as holy and set apart only to worship God. (Colossians 3:17).

# ADDING ARTICLE XII: Statement of Religious Employment and Volunteers. COMUNIDAD CRISTIANA CAMINOS DE ESPERANZA, INC., BELIEVE:

- (1): We affirm that the inspiration of the Holy Spirit gives the Bible (King James and Reina-Valera 1960 Versions) its canonical authority, and the role of our church is to recognize and affirm this authority in all aspect and activities of the church. The church affirms and projects that authority also by its employees and volunteers.
- (2): We believe that all and every position within the church, employees and volunteers, furthers the church's religious mission and has to be filled by a person that his/her life is inspired and reflect the doctrine of faith and conduct according to the Holy Bible and the church's Statement of Faith.
  - (3): We believe that all and every employee and volunteer of the church is a minister and therefore has to agree, support and lives according to the church Statement of Faith.
  - (4): We believe that the "ministerial exception" is a legal doctrine that clearly state that churches are exempt from anti-discrimination laws in hiring and firing employees.

# ADDING ARTICLE XIV: Statement of Church Membership Policy COMUNIDAD CRISTIANA CAMINOS DE ESPERANZA, INC., BELIEVE:

- (1): We believe that membership of our church is a privilege and shall be composed only of individuals who are believers in the Lord Jesus Christ and affirm the tenets of the Church Statement of Faith and the church's Statement of Faith on Marriage, Gender and Sexuality.
- (2): We believe that all members should offer evidence, by their confession and their conduct, that they are living in according to the rule of faith and conduct of the Holy Bible (King James and Reina-Valera 1960 Versions) and our church's Statement of Faith.

- (3): We believe that to carry on the religious mission of the church, to preserve the function and integrity of the church as the local Body of Christ, and to provide a biblical role model to the church members and the community, it is imperative that all persons who associate with the church as members should abide by and agree to the church's statement of membership policy.
- (4): We believe the Lord Jesus Christ has entrusted the local church with the authority and responsibility to discipline members for flagrant sin or serious doctrinal error, with the goal of the restoration of the offender. This discipline is entrusted to the Pastoral Staff and is to follow the biblical pattern as set forth in Matthew 18:15-20; First Corinthians 5; Second Corinthians 2:7-8; Galatians 6:1; Second Thessalonians 3:6; Titus 3:10-11 and Second John 7-11.
- (5): We believe discipline will follow the biblical pattern described on paragraph four (4), and is an effort to bring the individual to repentance and protect the church from unrepentant sin. Discipline may involve exclusion from participation in ministry and communion, as well as dismissal from the fellowship of our church.
- (6): We believe that in order for an individual to apply for membership he /she should have been attending regularly for at least two (2) years our weekly services and have been attending the member and discipleship classes and must have a conduct according to the Holy Bible and the Church's Statement of Faith.

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