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## COVER LETTER

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

**SUBJECT:** The Lamb Temple of God Working in the Earth 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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☒ \$78.75  
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& Certified Copy

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**ADDITIONAL COPY REQUIRED**

FROM: Willie D. Lamb, Sr.  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Name (Printed or typed)

410 Parker Knight Rd  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Address

Midway, FL 32343  
\_\_\_\_\_  
City, State & Zip

(229) 400-1298  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Daytime Telephone number

shargrett@live.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**  
**of**  
**THE LAMB TEMPLE OF GOD WORKING IN THE EARTH**  
**MINISTRIES, INC.**  
*A not-for-profit Florida Corporation*

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The undersigned, acting as an authorized member of the Corporation, hereby adopts the following Articles of Incorporation for such Corporation.

**ARTICLE I. NAME - The name of the Corporation is as follows:**

The Lamb Temple of God Working in the Earth Ministries, Inc.

**ARTICLE II. PRINCIPAL OFFICE/MAILING ADDRESS - The principal office and mailing address of the Corporation are the following:**

Principal Address:

410 Parker Knight Road, Midway, FL 32343

Mailing Address:

410 Parker Knight Road, Midway, FL 32343

**ARTICLE III. PURPOSES/POWERS - The following are the purposes for which the Corporation is organized and its powers:**

1. The purposes for which the Corporation is organized and operated are exclusively for religious, charitable, and educational purposes within the meaning of Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue law.

I, \_\_\_\_\_, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Articles of Incorporation of the above-named Corporation.

\_\_\_\_\_  
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2. As a means of accomplishing the above purposes and methods, in accordance with and in addition to the powers conferred by the laws of the State of Florida, the corporation shall have the following powers:

- a. Receiving and accepting gifts of money and property and holding the same for any of the purposes of the Corporation and its work.
- b. Raising and assisting in raising funds for the purposes herein set forth.
- c. Acquiring, owning, leasing, mortgaging and disposing of property, both real and personal.
- d. Accepting property and donations in trust for charitable purposes.
- e. Acquiring, holding, owning, selling, assigning, transferring, mortgaging, pledging, or otherwise disposing of shares of the capital stock, bonds, obligations or other securities of other corporations, domestic, or foreign, as investments or otherwise, in carrying out any of the purposes of the Corporation and, while the owner thereof, to exercise all rights, powers and privileges of ownership, including the power to vote thereon.

3. In the conduct of the affairs of the Corporation:

- a. The property of the Corporation is irrevocably dedicated to religious, educational, and charitable purposes, and no part of the net earnings of the Corporation shall inure to the benefit of or be distributable to its members, directors, officers or other private persons, except that the Corporation shall be authorized and empowered to pay reasonable compensation for services rendered to it and to make payments and distributions in furtherance of the purposes set forth in this Article.

- b. No substantial part of the activities of the Corporation shall consist of carrying on propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, nor shall it in any manner or to any extent participate in, or intervene in (including the publishing or distributing of statements) any political campaign on behalf of any candidate for public office; nor shall the Corporation engage in any activities that are unlawful under applicable federal, state or local laws.
- c. The Corporation shall not:
  - i. Operate for the purpose of carrying on a trade or business for profit;
  - ii. Accumulate income, invest income, or divert income, in a manner endangering its exempt status; or
  - iii. Except to an insubstantial degree, engage in any activity or exercise any powers that are not in furtherance of the purposes of the Corporation.
  - iv. The Corporation's operations are to be conducted principally in the United States of America; the Corporation also may conduct operations in foreign countries, subject, however, to the laws of the State of Florida.

#### **ARTICLE IV. MANAGEMENT OF CORPORATE AFFAIRS:**

The powers of the Corporation shall be exercised by or under the authority of, and the business and affairs of the Corporation shall be managed under the direction of a Board of Directors that shall have five (5) directors initially. The number of directors may be increased or decreased from time to time by a majority of the directors, but at no time shall there be fewer than five (5) directors of the Corporation and

WITNESSED AND SIGNED this 14th day of November, 2014.

\_\_\_\_\_  
President, Corporation

no more than twelve (12). The method of election or appointment of directors shall be in the manner set forth in the Bylaws.

**ARTICLE V. INITIAL DIRECTORS - The names and street addresses of the initial directors of the Corporation are the following:**

1. Bishop Willie D. Lamb, Sr., Chairman/President  
410 Parker Knight Rd  
Midway, FL 32343
2. Emma Lee, Director/Treasurer  
410 Parker Knight Rd  
Midway, FL 32343
3. James Jackson, Director  
410 Parker Knight Road  
Midway, FL 32343
4. Georgia Cloud, Director  
410 Parker Knight Road  
Midway, FL 32343
5. T. Sanders, Director  
410 Parker Knight Road  
Midway, FL 32343

**ARTICLE VI. OFFICERS – The names and street addresses of the initial officers of the Corporation are the following:**

1. President - Bishop Willie D. Lamb, Sr., 410 Parker Knight Road, Midway, FL 32343
2. Emma Lee, Director/Treasurer, 410 Parker Knight Road, Midway, FL 32343
3. James Jackson, Director, 410 Parker Knight Road, Midway, FL 32343
4. Georgia Cloud, Director, 410 Parker Knight Road, Midway, FL 32343

5. T. Sanders, Director, 410 Parker Knight Road, Midway, FL 32343

**ARTICLE VII. INITIAL REGISTERED AGENT - The initial registered agent and street address are the following:**

**Bishop Willie D. Lamb, Sr.  
410 Parker Knight Road  
Midway, FL 32343**

*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.*

 5-7-18

Signature of Initial Registered Agent –Willie D. Lamb, Sr.

Date

**ARTICLE VIII. INCORPORATOR - The name and street address of the Incorporator are as follows:**

Bishop Willie D. Lamb, Sr.  
410 Parker Knight Road  
Midway, FL 32343

**ARTICLE IX. EFFECTIVE DATE:**

The effective date of the Corporation shall be the date of filing and the Corporation shall have perpetual existence.

**ARTICLE X. CORPORATE NATURE:**

This Corporation is a corporation organized under a non-stock basis pursuant to Florida not-for-profit law.

#### **ARTICLE XI. MEMBERS:**

The Corporation will not have members and shall be governed exclusively by its Board of Directors.

#### **ARTICLE XII. AMENDMENTS:**

Amendments to these Articles of Incorporation may be adopted upon the affirmative vote of two-thirds of a quorum of the Board of Directors in the manner set forth in the Bylaws of the Corporation.

#### **ARTICLE XIII. MISCELLANEOUS:**

1. Notwithstanding any other provision of these Articles, the Corporation shall not carry on any activities not permitted to be carried on:
  - a. By a corporation exempt from federal income tax under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (or the corresponding provision of any further United States internal revenue law) or,
  - b. By a corporation, contributions to which are deductible under Section 170(c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (or the corresponding provision of any future United States internal revenue law).
2. In the event of the dissolution of the Corporation, or in the event it shall cease to carry out the objectives and purposes herein set forth, all of the business, property, and assets of the Corporation shall go and be distributed to a non-profit corporation qualifying as an organization exempt under the provisions of Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, or any superseding status thereof, and as the organization qualifying as a public charity under the provisions of Section 509(a)(1) or 509(a)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, or any superseding statute thereof, as the Directors of the Corporation may select and designate; and in no event shall any of said assets or property, in the event of dissolution thereof, go or be distributed or contributed by such directors for any

*THE FIRST BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE CORPORATION SHALL BE:*

*NAME OF FIRST BOARD OF DIRECTORS*



other such purpose. Any of such assets not so disposed of shall be disposed of by the Circuit Court 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.

***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.***



5-2-18

**Signature of Incorporator – Bishop Willie D. Lamb, Sr.**

**Date**