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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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

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SUBJECT: Southern Star Ministry
(Proposed corporate name - must include suffix)

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

☒ \$70.00
Filing Fee

☐ \$78.75
Filing Fee
& Certificate

☐ \$122.50
Filing Fee
& Certified Copy

☐ \$131.25
Filing Fee,
Certified Copy
& Certificate

FROM: Rev. David M. Lepak
Rev. Jareen Lepak
Name (Printed or typed)

PO Box 266
Address

Panacea Florida 32346
City, State & Zip

904-984-5066
Daytime Telephone number

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

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

The undersigned, acting as Incorporator(s) of a corporation pursuant to chapter 617, Florida Statutes, adopt(s) the following Articles of Incorporation:

ARTICLE I

Name

The name of the corporation shall be: *Southern Star Ministry Inc.*

ARTICLE II

Principal place of business and mailing address

The principal place of business and mailing address of this corporation shall be:

Southern Star Ministry Inc

PO Box 266

Panacea Florida 32346

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ARTICLE III

Purpose(s)

The specific purpose(s) for which the corporation is organized is(are):

Southern Star Ministry Inc. is a non-profit Church, preaching the Gospel to a fallen world, reaching out to those in need as resources and abilities dictate. It is primarily a Voluntary Organization to be of service to the surrounding community. Southern Star Ministry Inc will seek to work with children, visit the sick and elderly, conduct worship services, conduct weddings, funerals, baptisms, special celebration as the need arises, along with all other church related activities.

ARTICLE IV

Manner of election of directors

The manner in which the directors are elected or appointed is as follows:

Following Biblical Standards the offices to be held in Southern Star Ministry Inc are the following: Bishop, Pastor, Deacon, Deaconess.

These positions will be filled by the process of ordination & licensing as the need develops. All of these positions are open to men and women of solid Christian character with the approval of the Bishop(s). Functions and Duties of these offices will vary according to need. Bishops and pastors are recognized by Southern Star Ministry Inc, as ordained clergy with full authority to fulfill all ministerial duties, such as weddings. Deacons and Deaconess are licensed positions and their duties are determined by the Presiding Bishop(s) through the Pastor, according to need.

ARTICLE V

Limitation of corporate powers

The corporate powers of this corporation are as provided in section 617.0302, Florida Statutes, unless limited are as follows:

The Presiding Bishop(s) shall have full responsibility and authority to oversee and direct the day to day operations of Southern Star Ministry Inc. The presiding Bishop(s) shall have full authority to appoint and remove individuals especially if they should bring discredit upon the Name of Jesus Christ or the Name of Southern Star Ministry Inc. This includes revoking Ministerial Credentials and Licenses.

ARTICLE VI

Initial registered agent and street address

The name and the street address of the initial registered agent is:

Southern Star Ministry Inc.

Rev. David M. Lepak

Rev. Joreen K. Lepak

Mailing Address

PO Box 266

Panacea, Florida 32346

Street Address

1328 Coastal Hwy, Lot 11

Panacea Florida 32346

ARTICLE VII

Incorporators

The name(s) and the street address(es) of the incorporator(s) for these articles of incorporation is(are):

Rev. David M. Lepak, Bishop

Rev. Joreen K. Lepak, Bishop.

#328 Coastal Hwy, Lot 11

Panacea, Florida 32346

The undersigned incorporator has executed these Articles of Incorporation this 10 day of May, 19 95.

Signature of Incorporator:

David M. Lepak.

Joreen K. Lepak

Rev. David M. Lepak, Bishop

Rev Joreen K. Lepak, Bishop.

Typed name of incorporator signing

**CERTIFICATE OF DESIGNATION OF
REGISTERED AGENT/REGISTERED OFFICE**

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF SECTION 617.0501, FLORIDA STATUTES, THE UNDERSIGNED CORPORATION, ORGANIZED UNDER THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF FLORIDA, SUBMITS THE FOLLOWING STATEMENT IN DESIGNATING THE REGISTERED OFFICE/REGISTERED AGENT, IN THE STATE OF FLORIDA.

1. The name of the corporation is:

Southern Star Ministry, Inc.
(must include suffix)

2. The name and address of the registered agent and office is:

Rev. David M. Lepak, Bishop
Rev. James K. Lepak, Bishop.
(NAME)

1328 Coastal Hwy Lot 11
(P.O. Box or Mail Drop Box **NOT** ACCEPTABLE)

Panacea Florida 32946
(CITY/STATE/ZIP)

Having been named as registered agent and to accept service of process for the above stated corporation at the place designated in this certificate, I hereby accept the appointment as registered agent and agree to act in this capacity. I further agree to comply with the provisions of all statutes relating to the proper and complete performance of my duties, and I am familiar with and accept the obligations of my position as registered agent.

David M. Lepak, Bishop
James K. Lepak, Bishop
(SIGNATURE)

10 May 95
(DATE)

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TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA