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Division of Corporations
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RE: Abiding Joy, Inc.

Dear Sir or Madam:

I enclose herewith an original and one copy of the Articles of Incorporation of the above-named corporation. Please file and furnish me with a certified copy.

You will note that Article IX of the Articles of Incorporation sets out the name and address of the Registered Agent of the Corporation.

Also, enclosed is check payable to the Secretary of State in the amount of \$122.50 to cover the charges for your filing fee, corporate charter, including a certified copy of the charter document, and registration of registered agent. I am,

Sincerely yours,

Tracy W. Upchurch
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Enclosure

SHARON I TALA

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xc: Carolyn J. Andrews

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*certified copy
of articles of incorporation
to be filed at
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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION
OF
ABIDING JOY MINISTRIES, INC.

a corporation not for profit organized under the laws of
the State of Florida

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ARTICLE I

Name

The name of this corporation is ABIDING JOY MINISTRIES, INC.

ARTICLE II

Principal Office

The street address and the mailing address of the principal
office of the corporation is 132 Hurst Street, St. Augustine, FL
32095.

ARTICLE III

Purpose

The purpose of the corporation is to provide Biblical teach-
ings, counseling, and other related services as needed, and/or
requested.

ARTICLE IV

Directors

The directors of the corporation shall be selected by a majority vote of the Board of Directors and shall serve three year, staggered, terms. The directors shall be elected in three classes and are eligible to succeed themselves.

ARTICLE V

Initial Directors

The initial directors may serve an initial term that is less than three years. The names, addresses, class, and length of term of the initial directors are:

1. The Class of 1996 who shall have an initial term of one year:

RUTH BENJAMIN
2113 Geary Street
Palatka, FL 32177

INEZ STAFFORD
1048 Audrey Street
Daytona Beach, FL 32017

LOUVENIA CULLAR
117 Julia Street
St. Augustine, FL 32095

2. The Class of 1997 who shall have an initial term of two years:

DORIS BRANTLEY
P.O. Box 66076
Jacksonville, FL 32208

CURTIS RAYAM, JR.
101 Lipscomb Place
Orlando, FL 32805

3. The class of 1998 who shall have an initial term of three years:

CAROLYN J. ANDREWS
132 Hurst Street
St. Augustine, FL 32095

JULIA PARKER
2447 4th Avenue South
St. Petersburg, FL 33712

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ARTICLE VI

Registered Agent

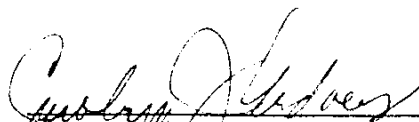
The initial Registered Agent of the corporation is CAROLYN J. ANDREWS, whose street and mailing address is 132 Hurst Street, St. Augustine, FL 32095. By her signature below accept designation as registered agent for the above said corporation.

ARTICLE VII

Incorporators

The name and address of the sole Incorporator of the corporation is CAROLYN J. ANDREWS, 132 Hurst Street, St. Augustine, FL 32095.

Dated this 3rd day of August, 1995.



Incorporator
Registered Agent