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Division of Corporations
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SUBJECT: The Open Door Christian Church
(Proposed corporate name - must include suffix)

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: Richard C. Bosteder
Name (Printed or typed)

3913 Castle Key Lane
Address

Valrico, FL 33594
City, State & Zip

813-685-6792
Daytime Telephone number

Richard A. Bosteder GAVE
AUTHORIZATION BY PHONE TO
CORRECT Corp Suffix
DATE 8-2-96
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NOTE: Please provide the original and one copy of the articles.

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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

ARTICLE I

The name of the corporation shall be: The Open Door Christian Church, Corp.

ARTICLE II

The principal place of business and mailing address of this corporation shall be: 3913 Castle Key Lane
Valrico, Fl 33594

ARTICLE III

The specific purposes for which this corporation is organized shall be: to conduct for religious worship and instruction a church, schools, pastoriums and other institutions connected therewith of religious, educational, charitable and benevolent character to the end that its own members and others may be generally instructed and guided concerning those articles of faith which are most surely held among Christians who have no creed or articles of faith other than those contained in the New Testament, and whose church the primitive ordinances of Baptism and the Lord's Supper shall be observed, the former by immersion only.

This Church shall be known as interdenominational. It is not now and shall not at any time hereafter come under jurisdiction, or subject to the orders, of any outside body or group of any kind. This corporation shall be the supreme authority in exercising any powers hereunder; and, its act pursuant hereto shall not be subject to review or control by or direction from outside body or group. This church is not now, nor shall it at any time hereafter, become affiliated with any group or denomination (such as the Disciples of Christ) or interdenominational organization or unit thereof, either local, state or international, in any manner as to delegate any of its authority herein to any such denomination or group.

This Article III of these Articles of Incorporation, nor any part thereof, shall be hereafter amended, altered or rescinded except by the affirmative vote of one hundred per cent (100%) of the entire membership of this church, active and inactive, in person, at a meeting of this corporation duly called for the specific purpose of considering any action in regard to this Article III, and for that purpose only, which purpose shall be clearly stated in a written notice sent by United States mail to each member at least ten (10) days

prior to said meeting. At any such meeting the entire membership shall be present, each member shall be polled individually as to his or her vote on any question upon which action is taken, and, any vote in any other manner shall be null and void.

This corporation shall have the power to acquire, hold and dispose of real and personal property, notes, mortgages, stocks, bonds and securities of any kinds, and shall have full power and authority to borrow money and execute its notes and/or bonds therefor and to secure the same by mortgage or deeds of trust upon its real or personal property, and to manage any funds entrusted to it for the furtherance of the purposes of the church. These powers shall be exercised through its Board of Trustees when so ordered by resolution adopted by the affirmative vote of seventy-five per cent (75%) if the active members present at a called meeting.

ARTICLE IV

The manner in which the directors are elected or appointed is as follows: they are appointed as specified in the corporation's bylaws.

ARTICLE V

The corporate powers of this corporation are as provided in section 617.0302, Florida Statutes unless limited as follows: The only detail for limitation is stated in 'ARTICLE III.

ARTICLE VI

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

Richard C. Besteder
3913 Castle Key Lane
Valrico, FL 33594

ARTICLE VII

The names and the street addresses of the incorporators for these articles of incorporation are:

Richard C. Besteder
3913 Castle Key Lane
Valrico, FL 33594

Jim D. Weston
602 Pinewalk Dr.
Brandon, FL 33510

The undersigned incorporator has executed these Articles of Incorporation this 30 day of July, 1996.

Signature of Incorporator:

Richard C. Besteder

Richard C. Besteder

CERTIFICATE OF DESIGNATION OF
REGISTERED AGENT/REGISTERED OFFICE

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

1. The name of the corporation is:

The Open Door Christian Church, Corp.

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

Richard C. Besteder

3913 Castle Key Lane

Valrico, FL 33594

Having been named as registered agent and to accept service
of process for the above stated corporation at the place des-
ignated 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.

Richard C. Besteder

30 July 1996

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