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1541 Long Street  
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TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA

July 26, 1996

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

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Dear Sir or Madame:

Enclosed is the completed Articles of Incorporation of REFLECTIONS ON THE GULF, INC. - original and one copy and a check in the amount of \$122.50 made payable to the Division of Corporations.

Please process and file the Articles of Incorporation for REFLECTIONS ON THE GULF, INC. in the customary manner.

Should you have any questions on this matter please contact Linda D. Jenkins at (813)449-9311. Thank you for your timely processing of these articles.

Sincerely,

*Harvey Lawrence*  
Pastor Lawrence

*Linda Jenkins*

*correct BA to listing only (1)  
Edna Lawrence*

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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION  
OF  
REFLECTIONS ON THE GULF, INC.  
A Florida Not-For-Profit Corporation

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TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA

We, the undersigned, acknowledge and file in the Office of the Secretary of the State of Florida, for the purpose of forming a corporation not for profit in accordance with the laws of the State of Florida, these Articles of Incorporation as by law provided.

ARTICLE 1.  
Name

1.1) Name. The Name of the Corporation shall be REFLECTIONS ON THE GULF, INC., and the principal office shall be at P.O. BOX 5432, CLEARWATER, FLORIDA 34618.

ARTICLE 2.  
Purposes and Powers.

2.1) Purposes. The Purposes for which the Corporation is formed are as follows:

- A. To render Christian guidance and assistance and education through administering the gospel to all people.
- B. To participate in and aid organizations involved in Christian outreach and evangelism.
- C. To lease, acquire, either by deed, gift or purchase, any real estate or personal property to be held in trust for the benefit of the Corporation and its stated purposes.
- D. To mortgage, sell, or otherwise encumber any such property when such action is deemed to be in the best interests of the Corporation as defined in its stated purpose as a Christian organization.

- 2.2) Powers. To accomplish the foregoing purposes the Corporation shall have all corporate powers permitted under Florida law, including the capacity to contract, bring suit and be sued.
- 2.3) The Corporation is specifically precluded from engaging in any prohibited activities as defined in Section 617.0835, Florida Statutes.

ARTICLE 3.  
Period of Duration

- 3.1) Period of Duration. The Corporation shall have perpetual existence.

ARTICLE 4.  
Registered Agents & Initial Registered Office

- 4.1) The street address of the initial registered agents shall be 1541 LONG STREET, CLEARWATER, FLORIDA, 34615. The names of the initial registered agent shall be EDNA LAWRENCE.

ARTICLE 5.  
Data Respecting Directors

- 5.1) The affairs and property of the Corporation shall be managed and governed by a Board of Directors composed of not less than four (4) persons. The Board of Directors may, by unanimous vote, increase the number of directors to more than four (4).

- 5.2) The names and addresses of the persons to serve as directors are:

EDNA LAWRENCE - 1541 LONG STREET, CLEARWATER, FLORIDA, 34615;  
HARVEY LAWRENCE - 1541 LONG STREET, CLEARWATER, FLORIDA, 34615;  
JOSEPHINE DAVIS - P.O. BOX 4875, CLEARWATER, FLORIDA, 34618;  
MARGARET JOHNSON - 1538 W. 7TH STREET, LAKELAND, FLORIDA 33805; &  
KELLY LAWRENCE - 1541 LONG STREET, CLEARWATER, FLORIDA, 34615.

5.3) The Board of Directors shall manage the affairs of the Corporation. If a vacancy occurs on the Board, such vacancy shall be filled by nomination and election by the remaining members of the Board. If the number of directors is increased above four (4) as authorized by these Articles and the Bylaws, the newly created director positions shall be filled by nomination and election by the remaining members of the Board of Directors.

ARTICLE 6.  
Officers

6.1) Officers. The names of the officers who shall serve until the first election, are as follows: EDNA LAWRENCE, President; HARVEY LAWRENCE, VICE PRESIDENT.

ARTICLE 7.  
Bylaws

7.1) Bylaws. The Board of Directors shall have the power to make, amend, alter or rescind any Article or Section of the Bylaws, but such a motion must be made at a regular meeting of the Board of Directors and may not be voted upon for acceptance or rejection until the next regular meeting of the Board of Directors and then may be decided only by the affirmative vote of seventy percent (70%) of the Board of Directors.

ARTICLE 8.  
Amendments

8.1) Amendments. Amendments to the Articles of Incorporation may be proposed and adopted in the following manner:

Such may be proposed and considered at any regular meeting of the Board of Directors but may not be adopted until the next regular meeting of the Board of Directors and then only by unanimous vote.

ARTICLE 9  
Dissolution and Limitation

9.1) In the event of dissolution, the residual assets of the organization will be turned over to one or more organizations which themselves are exempt as organizations described in Section 501(c)(3) and 170(c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 or corresponding sections of any prior or future law, or to the federal, state or local government for exclusive public purpose.

9.2) Notwithstanding any other provision of these Articles, this Corporation will not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on by (a) a corporation exempt from federal income tax under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 or corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue law or (b) a corporation, contributions to which are deductible under Section 170 (c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 or any other corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue law.

Article 10.  
Incorporators

10.1) The names and street address of the people signing these Articles as  
the Incorporators are:

EDNA LAWRENCE - 1541 LONG STREET, CLEARWATER, FLORIDA, 34615;

HARVEY LAWRENCE - 1541 LONG STREET, CLEARWATER, FLORIDA, 34615;

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned hereunto set their hands  
and seals this 3 day of August 1996.

Signed, sealed and delivered  
in our presence:

/s/ \_\_\_\_\_  
witness

/s/ \_\_\_\_\_  
witness

/s/ \_\_\_\_\_  
witness

/s/ \_\_\_\_\_  
witness

/s/ Edna Lawrence  
EDNA LAWRENCE

/s/ Harvey Lawrence  
HARVEY LAWRENCE

STATE OF FLORIDA  
COUNTY OF PINELLAS

I HEREBY CERTIFY that on this day before me, a Notary Public duly  
authorized to take acknowledgments, personally appeared EDNA LAWRENCE  
and HARVEY LAWRENCE to me known to be the persons described as  
incorporators in and who executed the foregoing Articles of Incorporation, and  
they acknowledged before me that they executed the same freely and  
voluntarily for the uses and purposes therein expressed.

WITNESS my hand and official seal this 3 day of August, 1996.

Riyad A. Abdullah  
Notary Public

My Commission Expires:

RIYAD A. ABDULLAH  
NOTARY PUBLIC - STATE OF FLORIDA  
MY COMMISSION EXPIRES JUL 6, 1997  
COMMISSION NO CC 300125

CERTIFICATE DESIGNATING PLACE OF BUSINESS OF DOMICILE  
FOR THE SERVICE OF PROCESS WITHIN THIS STATE NAMING AGENTS  
UPON WHOM PROCESS MAY BE SERVED.

In pursuance of Chapter 48.091, Florida Statutes, the following is submitted:  
in compliance with said Act:

First - That REFLECTIONS ON THE GULF, INC. wishes to organize under the laws of the State of Florida with its principle office, as indicated in the Articles of Incorporation at the City of Clearwater, County of Pinellas, State of Florida and has named EDNA HARVEY LAWRENCE, located at 1541 LONG STREET CLEARWATER FLORIDA 34615, as its agent to serve process within this state.

ACCEPTANCE

I, EDNA LAWRENCE, hereby accept  
appointment as Registered Agents of the above-named Corporation, and  
agree to serve as such until our successors shall have been named by the  
Directors of the Corporation, and the proper department of the State of Florida  
notified therefore.

/s/ Edna Lawrence  
EDNA LAWRENCE - REGISTERED AGENT  
/s/ Harvey Lawrence  
HARVEY LAWRENCE