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Department of State  
Division of Corporations  
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Tallahassee, FL 32314

SUBJECT: Present Truth Life Ministries, Inc.  
(Proposed corporate name - must include suffix)

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\*\*\*\*\*78.75 \*\*\*\*\*78.75

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

ADDITIONAL COPY REQUIRED

FROM: Donald R. Weiland  
Name (Printed or typed)

402 Oak Ridge East  
Address

Lakeland, Fl. 33801-6421  
City, State & Zip

941-669-0777  
Daytime Telephone number

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



FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE  
Sandra B. Mortham  
Secretary of State

March 31, 1998

DONALD R. WEIAND  
402 OAK RIDGE EAST  
LAKELAND, FL 33801-6421

SUBJECT: PRESENT TRUTH LIFE MINISTRIES, INC.  
Ref. Number: W98000007118

We have received your document for PRESENT TRUTH LIFE MINISTRIES, INC. and your check(s) totaling \$78.75. However, the enclosed document has not been filed and is being returned for the following correction(s):

Section 617.0202(d), Florida Statutes, requires the manner in which directors are elected or appointed be contained in the articles of incorporation or a statement that the method of election of directors is as stated in the bylaws.

According to section 607.0202(1)(b) or 617.0202(1)(b), Florida Statutes, you must list the corporation's principal office, and if different, a mailing address in the document. If the principal address and the registered office address are the same, please indicate so in your document.

Please return the original and one copy of your document, along with a copy of this letter, within 60 days or your filing will be considered abandoned.

If you have any questions concerning the filing of your document, please call (850) 487-6915.

Pamela Hall  
Document Specialist

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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION FILED  
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SECRETARY OF STATE  
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**PRESENT TRUTH LIFE  
MINISTRIES, INC.**

A Florida Corporatin  
(non-profit)

Articles of incorporation of the undersigned, a majority of whom are citizens of the united states, desiring to form a Non-Profit Corporation under the Non-Profit Corporation law of Florida, do here-by certify:

ARTICLE ONE

NAME

The name of the corporation is "PRESENT TRUTH LIFE MINISTRIES, INC.,"

ARTICLE TWO

DURATION

The term of existence of the corporation is perpetual; and the corporate existence will commence on the filing of these articles by the Department of State.

ARTICLE THREE

PURPOSE

Said corporation is organized exclusively for religious and educational purposes, including, for such purposes, the making of distributions to organizations that qualify as exempt organizations under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code.

Said corporation is organized in order to engage in any lawful purpose or purposes not for pecuniary profit as stated above, which includes, but limited to:

1. The forming of a church to care for and to counsel members and those seeking God and God's ways.
2. To hold evangelistic meetings to minister God's word and power.
3. The forming of a religious school to perform training, education, and support of Christian believers to equip them to serve, evangelize, pray and love all men.

4. To license Christian believers to preach, with all the benefits that this implies; the licensing requirements are outlined in the by-laws.

5. To ordain licensed members, with all the benefits that this implies, the ordination requirements are outlined in the by-laws.

#### ARTICLE FOUR

##### DIRECTIONS

There shall be three initial members of the Board of Directors of the Corporation. The directors are elected with all the benefits that this implies; the election requirements are outlined in the by-laws. The names and addresses of the persons who are to serve as directors until the first election thereof are as follows:

Donald R. Weiland, 402 Oak Ridge East, Lakeland, Fl., 33801  
Gail L. Weiland, 402 Oak Ridge East, Lakeland, Fl., 33801  
Kammi L. Newberry, 1146 South Nokomis Ave., Lakeland, Fl., 33815

#### ARTICLE FIVE

##### PRINCIPLE OFFICE AND REGISTERED AGENT

The initial principle office and the initial registered office of the corporation are located at the same address which is as follows: 402 Oak Ridge East, Lakeland, Fl., 33801 The initial registered agent of the corporation at the same address of the initial principle office and the initial registered office shall be Donald R. Weiland. Said initial registered agent agrees to be said agent and signing his name agreeing to this.

#### ARTICLE SIX

##### MEMBERS

The corporation shall not have any members initially. However, this may change in the future if the directors so choose, with the number, qualifications and voting right are laid down in the by-laws.

#### ARTICLE SEVEN

##### LIMITATIONS

No part of the net earnings of the corporation shall inure to the benefits of, or be distributable to its members, officers, directors, or other private persons, except that the corporation shall be authorized and empowered to pay reasonable compensation for services rendered and to make payments and distributions in furtherance of the purposes set forth in Article Three hereof.

No substantial part of the activities of the corporation shall be the carrying on of propaganda, or otherwise attempting to

influence legislation, and the corporation shall not participate in, or intervene in (including the publishing or distribution of statements) any political campaign on behalf of or in opposition to any candidate for public office. Notwithstanding any other provisions of these articles, the corporation shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on (a) by a 501 (c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or corresponding section of any future federal tax code, or (b) by a corporation, contributions to which are deductible under section 170(c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code, or corresponding sections of any federal tax code.

## ARTICLE EIGHT

### DISSOLUTIONMENT

Upon the dissolution of the corporation, assets shall be distributed for one or more exempt purposes within the meaning of section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code. Said exempt purposes for the distribution of the corporation's assets shall be selected by a majority of current directors and presented to the current active members (if there are no members, a majority of the current directors will decide), as outlined by the by-laws, for the majority vote of those present. All members or directors, if there are no members must be notified by letter sent to the address on file with the corporation.

Any such assets not so disposed of shall be disposed of by a Court of Competent Jurisdiction of the county in which the principle 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.

IN WITNESS THEREOF, we have subscribed our names this 21<sup>st</sup>  
day of March, 1998. Donald R. Weiland, the  
undersigned, agrees to be recognized as the REGISTERED AGENT.

INCORPORATOR AND REGISTERED AGENT  
Donald R. Weiland

DATE

3-21-98

INCORPORATOR  
Gail L. Weiland

DATE

3-21-98

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.

Donald R. Weiland  
Signature/Registered Agent

3-21-98

Date

BOARD OF DIRECTORS:

Donald R. Weiland - President

Donald R. Weiland

Gail L. Weiland - Vice-president

Gail L. Weiland

Kammi L. Newberry - Director

Kammi L. Newberry

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