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SUBJECT: HIGHWAY & HEDGES MINISTRIES, INC.
(Proposed corporate name - must include suffix)

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

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Filing Fee

☒ \$78.75
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& Certificate

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Filing Fee
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FROM: Patricia M. Anchors
Name (Printed or typed)

128 Twin Oak Dr.,
Address

Crestview, FL 32536
City, State & Zip

(850) 689-3735
Daytime Telephone number

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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION
OF
HIGHWAY & HEDGES MINISTRIES, INC.

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I, the undersigned, hereby submit the following Articles Of Incorporation under Chapter 617, Florida Statutes, which is subscribed and acknowledged to, and which is to be filed in the office of the Secretary of State of Florida.

ARTICLE I.

The name of this organization is HIGHWAY & HEDGES MINISTRIES, INC. a non-profit organization.

ARTICLE II.

The initial office for the transaction of business for the organization shall be located at: 128 Twin Oak Drive, Crestview, FL 32536.

ARTICLE III.

The purpose for which this organization is formed are:

1. To collect from available sources donations, ie. cash, checks, money orders, items which can be sold and/or serviceable toward human physical, mental, emotional, and spiritual needs.
2. To minister to the spiritual needs of individuals.
3. To minister to the physical needs by purchasing food and/or preparation of food for the feeding of the needed human beings, clothing, gasoline, electricity, etc. when deemed appropriate.
4. To present Bibles to those who express a desire to have same.
5. To go into the jails, prisons, hospitals, and any other place where there are downtrodden and hurting people and compel them to come to Jesus Christ, and to do any and all lawful business allowed in the State of Florida under said Statute.

6. To present to others the gospel of the one true God, who has revealed Himself as the eternally self-existent "I AM," Creator of heaven and earth and the Redeemer of mankind. He has further revealed Himself as embodying the principles of relationship and association as Father, Son, and Holy Ghost (Deut. 6:4; Isa. 43:10, 11; Matt. 28:19; Luke 3:22) The Lord Jesus Christ is the eternal Son of God. The Scriptures declare:

- (a) His virgin birth (Matt 1: 23; Luke 1:31, 35)
- (b) His sinless life (Heb 7:26; 1Peter 2:22)
- (c) His miracles (Acts 2:22; 10:38)
- (d) His substitutionary work on the cross (1 Cor. 15:3; 2Cor 5:21)
- (e) His body resurrection from the dead (Matt 28-6; Luke 24:39; 1Cor 15:4)
- (f) His exaltation to the right hand of God (Acts 1:9, 11; 2:33; Phil 2:9-11; Heb 1-3)

That man was created good and upright; for God said, "Let us make man in our image, after our likeness." However man by voluntary transgression fell and thereby incurred not only physical death but also spiritual death, which is separation from God (Gen 1:26, 27; 2:17; 3:6; Rom 5:12-19).

7. Condition of salvation:

Salvation is received through repentance toward God and faith toward the Lord Jesus Christ. By the washing of regeneration and renewing of the Holy Ghost, being justified by grace through faith, man becomes as heir of God according to the hope of eternal (Luke 24:47; John 3:3; Rom 10:13-15; Eph 2:8; Titus 2:11; 3:5-7).

The evidence of salvation being the inward evidence of salvation is the direct witness of the Spirit (Rom 8:16). The outward evidence to all men is a life of righteousness and true holiness (Eph 4:24; Titus 2:12).

To further encourage, promote, education of those in need spiritually, physically, and emotionally.

To secure, train, license, and the ordaining workers to preach the Word of God and to perform services as aforementioned.

We believe the Bible to be the infalliable Word of Almighty God.

We believe salvation comes by repentance toward God, and exercising one's faith in the shed blood of Jesus Christ upon the cross, as an atonement for their sins. In Him alone is salvation.

We believe that Matthew 28:19 is a commandment to the followers of Jesus, to go into the whole world and preach the gospel to everyone. Teaching them, and directing them to walk in the footsteps of Jesus.

We believe and embrace the teaching of James 2:14 - 20 that "Faith without works is dead."

We believe that the unchangeable law of God, is still the standard by which men must measure their lives, that after the salvation experience His law becomes a "light unto our path and a lamp unto our feet."

We believe that Matthew 25:34 - 36 and Luke 14:21 - 23 is a commandment to His church to go into the jails, prisons, hospitals, and any other place where there are downtrodden and hurting people and compel them to come to Jesus Christ.

We believe we are right in ordaining our own ministers of the gospel. While we recognize that a man is not to walk in the footsteps of a woman, nor is a woman to walk in the footsteps of a man, there is a place in the gospel ministry for both. We thereby believe we are scripturally correct in ordaining both men and women, after they receive a divine call from God.

ARTICLE IV.

Eligibility for membership - Those requesting membership in this organization must believe those items as set forth in Article III and shall be voted on by the Board of Directors. Such member must provide services to the organization on a regular basis, ie contributions - financial and otherwise - personal services, ministering the gospel of our Lord, etc.

ARTICLE V.

Duration of membership shall be to the Lord returns or at such time as a member ask to be removed from membership. However, any member deemed undesirable by acts or deeds that tend to jeopardize our organization can be expelled from membership at any published meeting by a 75% popular vote by the members present at such meeting.

ARTICLE VI.

The duration of the corporation shall be perpetual.

ARTICLE VII.

The initial subscriber is:

Patricia M. Anchors

128 Twin Oak Drive

Crestview, FL 32536

ARTICLE VIII.

The Executive Officers of this organization shall be :

President: Bro. Bob Taylor, P.O. Box 92, Fordville, N.D. 58231

Vice President: Bro. T. C. Moon, Bayloop Rd., Freeport, FL32439

Treasurer: Bro. Greg Anchors, 128 Twin Oak Dr., Crestview, FL32536

Secretary: Sis. Pat Anchors, 128 Twin Oak Dr., Crestview, FL32536

The President, Vice-President, Secretary and Treasurer shall be elected by the members at regular annual meeting.

ARTICLE IX.

The powers, business and property of the Chapter shall be exercised, conducted and controlled by a Board of Directors.

The Board of Directors shall consist of the Executive Members, which include President, Vice President, Secretary and Treasurer.

The President shall preside over the Board of Directors or shall otherwise appoint another executive officer to preside in his stead.

Regular meetings of the Board of Directors shall be called at any time and place to be determined by the President.

The Board of Directors shall cause to be kept a complete record of all its acts and proceedings of its meetings.

The Board of Directors shall have the power and authority to promulgate and enforce all rules and regulations pertaining to the use and operation of organization property and to do and perform, or cause to be done and performed any and every act which the organization may lawfully do and perform. Directors and officers to be elected annually starting April 1, 1998, and each year thereafter.

The Board of Directors shall consist of no less than three (3) persons.

ARTICLE X.

All meetings of the members, except as herein otherwise provided, shall be held at a place to be determined by the President. Special meetings of the members may be held at such time and place as the President may determine, or may be called by a majority of the Directors. At any meeting of the members, a quorum shall consist of two thirds of the membership who are in good standing. The President, or in his absence the Vice President, a Chairman elected by the members present shall call the meeting of the members to order and shall act as the presiding officer thereof. At every meeting of the members each voting member shall have only one vote. A majority vote of the members present is necessary for the adoption of any resolution. The proceedings of the meetings shall follow parliamentary procedures.

ARTICLE XI.

If the officer of President, Vice President, Secretary or Treasurer becomes vacant for any reason, the Board of Directors shall elect a successor who shall hold office for the unexpired term.

ARTICLE XII.

The Highway & Hedges Ministries, Inc., its members, officers, and directors shall not be liable for any activities of individual members when such activities of whatsoever kind or nature are not directly under control and direction of the Board of Directors. Any such activities shall be conducted solely at the risk and responsibility of each member.

No officer or member of said corporation purporting to speak in an official capacity or on behalf of said corporation shall issue, publish or make any statement or take any position on any national or general policy, regulation, rule or other matter effecting corporation without first securing written approval of the corporation.

ARTICLE XIII.

The name and address of the registered resident agent shall be:
Gregory M. Anchors, 128 Twin Oak Dr., Crestview, FL 32536

ARTICLE XIII.

Non-voting Membership - shall be any individual approved by the Board of Directors to provide services or monies to this corporation.

ARTICLE XIV.

Removal for cause - Upon a majority of the Board of Directors and notification in writing any member may be removed from the roll by failing to be active or participating in the functions of the corporation and/or causing dissention and discord among other members and/or goals of this corporation.

ARTICLE XV.

All membership are non-transferable

In the event of dissolution or final liquidation of the corporation, all assets, rights and interest of the corporation shall be transferred to a non-profit organization that is non-profit as defined by the Internal Revenue Service in Section 501(3)(c).

The undersigned incorporator has executed these Articles Of Incorporation this ____ day of April, 1998.

PATRICIA M. ANCHORS

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Typed name of the 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.

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1. The name of the corporation is:

HIGHWAY & HEDGES MINISTRIES, INC.
(must include suffix)

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

Gregory M. Anchors

(NAME)

128 Twin Oak Dr.,

(P.O. Box or Mail Drop Box **NOT** ACCEPTABLE)

Crestview, FL 32536

(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.


(SIGNATURE)

28th April, 1998
(DATE)