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SUBJECT:

Spirit of Life Christian Ministries #3 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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Rev CHARLES E. GRAMM
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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION
of

SPIRIT OF LIFE CHRISTIAN MINISTRIES #3, INC.

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We, the undersigned, citizens of the state of Florida, pursuant to Chapter 617 Florida Statutes, have associated ourselves together, and do hereby associate ourselves together for the purpose of becoming incorporated under the laws of the state of Florida as a corporation not for profit pursuant to the following Articles of Incorporation.

ARTICLE I - NAME

The name of the Corporation shall be **SPIRIT OF LIFE CHRISTIAN MINISTRIES #3, INC.** and it shall be hereinafter referred to as **SPIRIT OF LIFE CHRISTIAN MINISTRIES #3, INC.** Its principle office shall be, and is located in the city of Orlando, County of Orange, and the State of Florida.

ARTICLE II - Physical and Mailing Address

The physical address of this corporation, in the name of **Spirit of Life Christian Ministries #3, INC.** is 4101 El Rey Road, Orlando, Florida 32805. The mailing address of this corporation is 6133 Peso Court, Orlando, Florida 32808.

ARTICLE III - Purpose

PURPOSE: The purposes for which the corporation is organized are as follows:

- (A) To disseminate the Gospel of Jesus Christ and the Word of God, to the end that people may be evangelized and believers may be conformed to the image of Jesus Christ; (Mark 16:15-16, Isaiah 6:8, Acts 13:47, II Corinthians 5:20) to regularly assemble for fellowship to worship God in Spirit and in truth (Hebrews 10:25) and to cooperate in the building up of the whole body of Christ. (Ephesians 2:19-22)
- (B) To provide basic New Testament discipleship to all who are approved for this purpose by the Elders. (Acts 14:20-23, Acts 11:26)
- (C) To establish and maintain a church and to provide a place of public worship and prayer in accordance with the directions of the Holy Spirit (I Kings 8:28-29, Psalms 96:9, 122:1, I Corinthians 5:4); to spread the Gospel of Jesus Christ through the preaching and teaching of the Bible to bring the unsaved to Christ (Mark 16:15; Romans 1:15-16, I Thessalonians 5:9, II Thessalonians 2:13, II Timothy 3:15), and to build up the saved in Christian grace and living. (Ephesians 4:11-16, Hebrews 3:1-4, I Corinthians 3:9-15) Pursuant thereto, the following activities and guidelines shall be established:
 - 1. A recognized Statement of Faith, Code of doctrine, discipline and form of worship shall be established. (Acts 8:37, 15:11, 16:31, Romans 4:20-25, 10:9-11, I Thessalonians 4:14-17, I Peter 1:21)
 - 2. A biblical form of government shall be established. (Exodus 18, Ephesians 4:8-11, I Corinthians 12:27-31)
 - 3. Ordination of ministers upon completion of the prescribed course of study, designated by this church. (I Chronicles 9:22-23, Titus 1:5, I Corinthians 7:17, Acts 14:23)

4. An organization of ministers shall be established to minister to the congregation of **SPIRIT OF LIFE CHRISTIAN MINISTRIES #3, INC.** (Colossians 4:17, II Timothy 1:16-18, I Corinthians 16:15, Romans 16:1)
 5. Establishment of a covenant fellowship based upon acceptance of and conformity to the belief of the church. (Acts 15:41, 16:5)
 6. Propagate the **Word of the Gospel** through seminars, radio, television, establishment of church literature, and other forms of mass media for the purpose of educating the individual in the **Word of God**, (Psalms 96:10, Proverbs 13:17, Mark 13:10, Acts 13:47)
 7. Establishment of a Bible Training School or School of Theology for the preparation of Faith, form of worship, discipline of the church and the established of Sunday Schools and adults to exalt the standard of Christian living and the leadership of our divine Lord and Master. (Proverbs 8:10, 13:1, Zephaniah 3:7, II Timothy #:16)
 8. Establishment of a Bible Training School or School of Theology for the preparation of ministers who minister to **SPIRIT OF LIFE CHRISTIAN MINISRIES #3, INC.** and to ordain ministers and Christian workers to the edification and the unity of the body of Christ. (Psalms 40:9-10, John 14:26, I Peter 4:6)
- (d) To send forth home and foreign missionaries to the spreading of the Gospel and in extending the Gospel of God throughout the world. (Mark 16:15-16, Acts 13:47, 4:29-30)
- (e) To print, publish, and distribute and sell books, magazines and other literature in connection with the purposes of this corporation; to sell, record and reproduce tapes, radio, and television programs in connection with the purposes of this corporation to produce and distribute radio and television programs. (Deuteronomy 31:19, I Chronicles 16:23-24, Psalms 69:4, Revelation 14:2)
- (f) To have the right to purchase or acquire by gift, bequest, or otherwise, either directly or as a trustee, and to own, hold in trust, use, sell, convey, mortgage, lease, or otherwise disposes; of any real estate or personal property as may be necessary for the furtherance of the church and Christian education; and to conduct financial campaigns to further the aims and progress of the church (Ezra 8:28).
- (g) To establish and raise up satellite churches and pastors to lead them; establish auxiliaries, clubs, and societies of a religious nature and to promote and encourage Christian fellowship between its members. (Acts 15:41, 16:5)
- (h) to carry on charitable work for the poor and lost (Leviticus 35:35, Matthew 25:34-40, Galations 6:10, Mark 14:7) such as a Feed the Hungary Soup Kitchen, Food Pantry, Clothes Closet, Prison Ministry, (Psalms 142:7, Luke 4:18, I Peter 3:19) After-care Center for released prisoners (Job 3:18, Psalms 69:33, Isaiah 49:9-10), sick and Shut-in Ministry, unwed mother's home (Luke 1:39-40, 56) and abused wives and children's home (Exodus 22:22-24, Deuteronomy 10:18, Acts 6:1, I Timothy 5:3-12, 16), and housing for the homeless and runaways (Leviticus 25:35, Proverbs 29:17, Luke 3:11, II Corinthians 8:14-15) and housing for those with addictive behavior (Luke 4:18), Drug and Alcohol Program (Isaiah 5:11, 19:14, 20; Habakkuk 2:15; Joel 2:32; Matthew 9:12; Psalms 121:2), Elderly-duties to aged (Leviticus 19:32; Psalms 92:14; I Timothy 5:1, 5: 17), Mentally Disturbed, Matthew 4:24, 17:15), care for and assist handicapped individuals (Leviticus 19:14; Isaiah 35:5; Mark 7:37; Luke 7:32, 14:13-14)

- (i) To assist the Ministers to the **Body of Christ** by establishing a retreat center to minister to them (Jeremiah 3:15, Psalms 37:30, Proverbs 9:9).
- (j) To own and operate Radio and Television Stations for the purposes of the dissemination of the **Gospel of Jesus Christ**, through word and music. (Matthew 5:14-16, 10:27; II Timothy 1:8)
- (k) To provide ministry to prostitutes and homosexuals so they also may be taught the **Gospel of Jesus Christ**. (I Corinthians 1:27-31, 6:9-11; Hebrews 10:22; Luke 14:12-24; Matthew 22:2-10; John 8:1-11)
- (l) To further all religious and charitable work and for such purpose to adopt and establish Bylaws, rules, regulations in accordance with law and not inconsistent with this article of Incorporation. (Joshua 1: 7-8; Habakkuk 2:2-3; Romans 7:12, 10:4)
- (m) To merge, join or unite with any other church or religious society having the same ideals, aims and purposes of this church. (Acts 5:12-14; I Corinthians 1:10, 6:17; Ephesians 4:16)
- (n) To establish and maintain an educational institution and not for pecuniary gain; for the establishment, maintenance and support of a private Christian elementary and secondary schools (Christian Academy) at which both charity and pay students shall be received; for the establishment, maintenance, and support of a private Christian day care center and nursery school (Mark 10:14, Luke 18:16-17) at which both charity and pay students shall be received; for the establishment and maintenance of a theological college of higher education and training in the Bible, Biblical languages, Christian theology and literature, and such training in mathematics, history, science, languages, and scripture as are needful and appropriate to the education and training of ministers of the gospel and missionaries in foreign and home fields, Bible teachers, and other Christian workers in various lines of religious, benevolent, and philanthropical work. The institution shall grant appropriate degrees and provide for the proper regulation and control of its students. The institution shall offer admittance and equal advantages to all students who possess the requisite literary, moral, and other qualifications, irrespective of their particular denomination or religious profession and both charity and pay students shall be received, wherein the income from the pay students shall be used to extend the charity work, but not part of the income shall ever be paid or distributed to its member, directors, or officers, other than reasonable compensation for services rendered. Such institutions within the church shall have a racially **NONDISCRIMINATORY** policy towards students and shall not discriminate against applicants and students on the basis of race, color, and national or ethnic origin. (Psalms 40:9-10, John 14:26, I Peter 4:6, II Timothy 2:2, 24-25, I Corinthians 14:12)
- (o) To establish and maintain a Christian bookstore for the benefit of the students and members of the church and their guest (Psalms 68:11, Acts 13:39)

(p) To establish and maintain a counseling service for the use of the church and public and to provide access to such counseling services by virtue of telephonic communication (Proverbs 12:15, 25; 15:22, Jeremiah 49:20, I Thessalonians 5:14); to assist the **Body of Christ** with employment and financial counseling including off-site Institute of Vocation (Job Training) (I Corinthians 3:8; Colossians 4:1, Ecclesiastics 9:10; I Timothy 6:9-10; John 6:27); a Christian in Human Services Group (I Corinthians 10:24, 12:5; Job 29:16; Luke 6:34; Galatians 5:13, 6:10) and to provide for ministry through Family Services (Deuteronomy 15:7; Nehemiah 8:10; Matthew 5:42; Galatians 6:2; Hebrew 13:16).

(q) To provide homes for the aged (Leviticus 19:32; Psalms 71:9; Isaiah 45:20-22) and to provide child placement services (Psalms 127:3; Isaiah 54:1; Mark 10:14; Numbers 3:13).

(r) To establish and maintain a Lending of books and tapes for members of the church who cannot afford to purchase the same (Psalms 68:11; Mark 14:7; Galatians 6:10; Mark 13:10; I Timothy 6:10; Romans 12:13).

(s) To do those things allowed and permitted to it under specifically those set forth in the Florida Not-For-Profit Corporation Code.

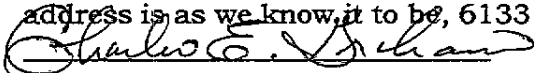
ARTICLES IV - Election and Appointing of Director's

The affairs of this corporation shall be managed by a General Board of Trustees, such management to be subject to the approval of the church, and said General Board of Trustees shall be elected from and by the membership of said corporation. The term of membership of Trustees shall be for life, or for such other length of time, not less than one year, as the membership of said corporation may provide in its by-law's. The said General Board of Trustees shall appoint from its own membership a Chairman, Vice-Chairman and Secretary. All legal instruments of the corporation seal and attested by said Secretary; or in such other manner as may be authorized by law. All election to the membership of said General Board of Trustees shall be by a 2/3 majority vote of the member of the corporation present at any business meeting of the said corporation.

ARTICLE V - Registered Agent

The name of the registered agent for **SPIRIT OF LIFE CHRISTIAN MINISTRIES #3 INC.**

is Charles E. Graham and his street address is as we know it to be, 6133 Peso Court Orlando, Florida 32808.



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ARTICLE VI - INCORPORATIONS

The present General Board of Trustees of **SPIRIT OF LIFE CHRISTIAN MINISTRIES #3, INC.** the incorporators hereof, namely Charles E. Graham, Tommy Kelly, Stanley Davis, LeJeol Perryman, and Eliza Jackson shall constitute the General Board of Trustees and shall hold office until their successors are elected and qualified.

ARTICLE VII – I.R.C. Section 501(c)(3)

This corporation is organized exclusively for religious purposes, including, for such purposes, making of distributions to organizations that qualify as exempt organizations under section 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1953 (or corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law).

No part of the net earning of the corporation shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributed to its members, trustees, officers, 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 its purposes. No substantial part of the activities of the corporation shall be the carrying on of propaganda, or intervene in (including the publishing or distribution of statements) any political campaign on behalf of any candidate for public office.

This corporation shall have a President, Vice-President, Secretary, and Treasurer and such other officers as may be necessary, and such other officers shall be elected by a 2/3 majority vote of the corporation present at any business meeting of said corporation for such term as the corporation may provide by its By-Laws.

The names and addresses of the incorporators, officers, , and their office who are to manage all affairs until further elections under Charter are as follows:

President	<u>Charles E. Graham</u>	<u>CHARLES E. GRAHAM</u>
Vice-President	<u>Betty J. Luster</u>	<u>Betty J. Luster</u>
Secretary	<u>Lottie L. Kelly</u>	<u>LOTTIE L. KELLY</u>
Treasurer	<u>Stanley P. Davis</u>	<u>STANLEY P. DAVIS</u>

GENERAL BOARD OF TRUSTEES

CHARLES E. GRAHAM
TOMMY KELLY
STANLEY DAVIS
LEJEOL PERRYMAN
ELIZA JACKSON

ARTICLE VIII- By-Laws

The By-Laws of the corporation are to be made, altered or rescinded upon a two-thirds vote of the members present at any annual meeting of the corporation.

ARTICLE IX - Amendments

Any proposed amendment to the Charter of the corporation may be at any annual meeting upon a two-thirds vote of the members present.

ARTICLE X - Indebtedness

The corporation shall subject itself to any amount of indebtedness or liability as authorized by the General Board of Trustees and approved by a two-thirds vote of the members present at any business meeting of said corporation, duly called and announced to its membership.

Witness the hands and seals of the incorporators at Orlando, County of Orange, and State of Florida, this 29 day of the month of March, this year of 1992. By my signature in Article V, I, Charles E. Graham, hereby accept designation as registered agent.

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Stanley Davis

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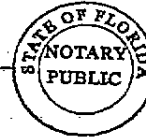
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Melvin Lewis Birdsong
NOTARY



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Personally appeared before me, the undersigned authority, Charles E. Graham, Tommy Kelly, Stanley Davis, LeJeol Perryman, and Eliza Jackson, to me well known to be the incorporators described in the foregoing Charter of **SPirit OF LIfe CHRiSTIAN MINISTRIES #3, INC.** and acknowledged the same, and, after being by me first duly cautioned and sworn, upon their oath, depose and say: "That it is intended in good faith to carry out the purposes and objects set forth.

Charles E. Graham

Tommy Kelly

Stanley Davis

Lejeol Perryman

Eliza Jackson

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 29 day of March, the year of 1998.

Melvin Lewis Birdsong
Notary Public
State of Florida at Large

My Commission expires:



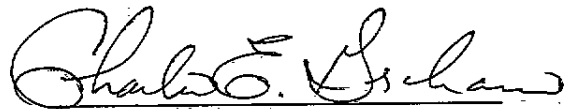
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STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES OF SPIRIT OF LIFE CHRISTIAN MINISTRIES #3

Spirit of Life Christian Ministries #3, Inc. is currently engaged in activities of weekly religious worship, and bible study. Future activities include weekly radio broadcasting, vacation bible school, and a county and state jail ministry. We plan to organize several ministries within our community, such as Evangelistic Outreach, Women's ministry, Men's Fellowship, Single's Ministry and youth ministry. The nature of the activities mentioned above involves the proclamation and instruction of principles of Jesus Christ with the intent of bringing men, women and children to a saving knowledge of Jesus Christ. Also included in the ministry is the attention given to the needs of the whole man, body, soul and spirit. Our ministry has grown a great deal and continues to grow. Therefore, our activities will increase as the size of the membership of Spirit of Life Christian Ministries #3, Inc. increases, as well as the needs of our members and our community.

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Charles E. Graham". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned above the printed name.

**Charles E. Graham, Pastor
Spirit of Life Christian Ministries
#3, Inc.**