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STATE OF IDAHO

**LIVING WORD CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP, INC.**

The undersigned, acting as the incorporator of a nonprofit corporation ("Corporation") organized under and pursuant to the Idaho Nonprofit Corporation Act, Chapter 3, Title 30, Idaho Code ("Act"), adopts the following Articles of Incorporation ("Articles").

Article I Name.

The name of the Corporation is, **LIVING WORD CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP, INC.**

Article II Nonprofit Status.

The Corporation is a nonprofit corporation.

Article III Period of Duration.

The period of duration of the Corporation is perpetual.

Article IV Registered Office and Agent.

The location of the Corporation is in the City of Twin Falls, County of Twin Falls, and in the State of Idaho. The address of the initial registered office is 2418 Julie Lane, Twin Falls, ID 83303, and the name of the initial registered agent at this address is Kelly Hassani.

Article V Purposes.

The purposes for which the Corporation is organized and will be operated are as follows:

A. The purpose of the Corporation is:

1. To proclaim the good news of salvation by faith in our LORD JESUS CHRIST by any suitable method or media which includes but is not limited to the following:

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- a. Establishing and operating a local church for the worship of JESUS CHRIST, using personal evangelism, television and radio for crusades, conventions, preaching, teaching, missions and other Christian purposes;
  - b. Assisting and furthering the task of providing Biblical Scripture to groups of the world through the Holy Scriptures and other printed material by providing speakers and other instructional and educational programs which may be deemed necessary or convenient in effecting the above purposes;
  - c. Establishing of new programs of outreach and ministry, and the strengthening of existing programs and organizations which have a similar purpose and dedication to presenting CHRIST as SAVIOR
2. To be obedient to our LORD JESUS CHRIST'S command to "Go ye therefore, and teach all nations, baptizing them in the Name of the FATHER, and of the SON, and of the HOLY SPIRIT."
  3. To serve as an instrument through which men may be witnesses unto our LORD JESUS CHRIST in Jerusalem and unto all Judea, and in Samaria, and unto the uttermost parts of the earth; and
  4. To do only that which glorifies the FATHER, the SON, and the HOLY SPIRIT.
- B. Charitable, religious, educational, or scientific within the meaning of Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended from time to time, including, for such purposes, the making of distributions to organizations that qualify as exempt under such Section 501(c)(3).
  - C. To exercise all powers granted by law necessary and proper to carry out the foregoing purposes, including, but not limited to, the power to accept donations of money, property, whether real or personal, or any other things of value. Nothing herein contained shall be deemed to authorize or permit the Corporation to carry on any business for profit, to exercise any power, or to do any act that a corporation formed under the Act, or any amendment thereto or substitute therefor, may not at that time lawfully carry on or do.

#### Article VI Limitations.

No part of the net earnings or the assets of the Corporation shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to, its members, directors, 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 the purposes set forth in Article V hereof. No substantial part of the activities of the Corporation shall be for 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 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 by a corporation exempt from federal income tax under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended from time to time.

#### Article VII Members.

The Corporation shall have no members.

#### Article VIII Board of Directors.

The affairs of the Corporation shall be managed by its Board of Directors. The number of Directors serving on the Board of Directors shall be fixed in accordance with the Corporation's Bylaws. Other than the Directors constituting the initial Board of Directors, who are designated in these Articles, the Directors shall be elected by the existing Directors of the Corporation in the manner and for the term provided in the Bylaws of the Corporation.

The names and street addresses of the persons constituting the initial Board of Directors are:

<u>NAME</u>	<u>ADDRESS</u>
Butch Veenstra	3425 North 3400 East Kimberly, ID 83341
Richard Griff	2354 East 2900 North Twin Falls, ID 83301
Jay Proost	4060 N. Canyon Ridge Dr. Twin Falls, ID 83301
Kelly Hassani	2418 Julie Lane Twin Falls, ID 83301

#### Article IX Distribution on Dissolution.

Upon dissolution of the Corporation, the Board of Directors shall, after paying or making provision for the payment of all liabilities of the Corporation, distribute all the assets of the Corporation consistent with the purposes of the Corporation to such organization or organizations as shall at that time qualify as exempt organizations under Section 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended from time to time, in such manner as the Board of Directors shall determine. In doing so, the Board of Directors shall distribute such assets among so many of the following nonprofit organizations as shall at that time qualify as exempt organizations under Section 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended from time to time, in such manner as the Board of Directors shall determine. Any such assets not so distributed shall be distributed by the district court of the county in which the principal office of the Corporation is then located, exclusively for the purposes or to such organizations, as such court shall determine to be consistent with the purposes of the Corporation.

#### Article X Incorporators.

The names and street addresses of the incorporators are:

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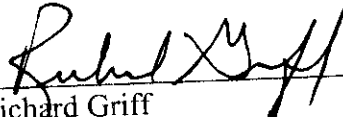
#### Article XI Bylaws.

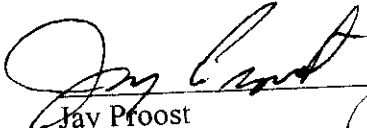
Provisions for the regulation of the internal affairs of the Corporation shall be set forth in the Bylaws.

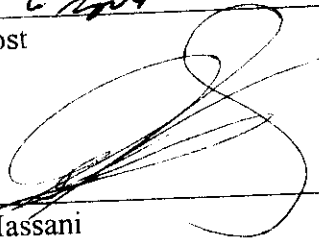
The Board of Directors of the Corporation shall be authorized to amend the Corporation's Bylaws at a properly noticed special or regular meeting of the Board of Directors.

DATED this 28<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2005.

  
Butch Veenstra

  
Richard Griff

  
Jay Proost

  
Kelly Hassani