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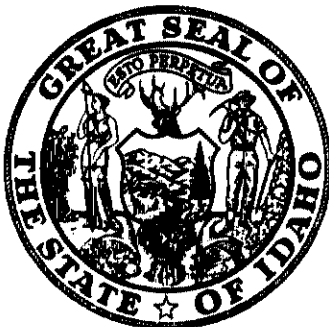
### CERTIFICATE OF INCORPORATION OF

BRIDE OF CHRIST, INC.

I, PETE T. CENARRUSA, Secretary of State of the State of Idaho, hereby certify that duplicate originals of Articles of Incorporation for the incorporation of BRIDE OF CHRIST, INC. duly signed pursuant to the provisions of the Idaho Nonprofit Corporation Act, have been received in this office and are found to conform to law.

ACCORDINGLY and by virtue of the authority vested in me by law, I issue this Certificate of Incorporation and attach hereto a duplicate original of the Articles of Incorporation.

Dated: November 3, 1992



*Pete T. Cenarrusa*  
SECRETARY OF STATE

By *Greg J. Clark*

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APPLICATION FOR CERTIFICATE OF AUTHORITY

(NONPROFIT CORPORATION) '92 NOV 3 PM 2 19  
ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

To the Secretary of State of Idaho

Pursuant to Section 30-301-000, Idaho Code, the undersigned Corporation hereby applies for a Certificate of Authority to transact business in your State, and for that purpose submits the following statement:

We, the undersigned, being over the age of twenty-one years of age, citizens of the United States and residents of the State of Idaho, for the purpose of forming a corporation pursuant to the laws of the State of Idaho, more particularly Section 30-301 through 30-332, do hereby certify:

I.

NAME:

BRIDE OF CHRIST, INC.

II.

CORPORATION:

The Bride of Christ, Inc. Corporation is a Nonprofit Corporation.

III.

TERM:

The period of existence of the corporation shall be perpetual.

IV.

PURPOSES:

The purposes of the organization of this nonprofit corporation are to engage in religious, charitable and eleemosynary activities which has qualified this organization as exempt under Section 501 (d) of the Internal Revenue Code or any further United States Internal Revenue Law and to engage in trades or businesses under Section 501 (d) in which this organization having a common treasury hereby qualifies.

V.

**MEMBERSHIP:**

The corporation shall have a membership, distinct from the Directors. All natural persons who profess to follow Jesus Christ shall be eligible for membership.

VI.

**OFFICE:**

The place in this State where the principal office of the corporation is to be located is Rt. 2, Box 126, Old Town, Idaho 83822 or such other place as the Directors or Trustees may desire. The corporation's initial registered agent at this address is Thomas C. Smith, Jr.

VII.

**DIRECTORS:**

The members of the governing board of this corporation shall be styled Directors, and shall be appointed as needed, but the number thereof shall not be less than three (3). The Directors shall be elected annually by vote of the membership of the congregation for a term of one (1) year.

The names and residences of its initial Directors, who shall hold office are as follows:

<u>NAME</u>	<u>ADDRESS</u> (Street and Number)	(City and State)	(Zip)
<u>Thomas C. Smith, Jr</u>	<u>Rt. 2, Box 126</u>	<u>Old Town, ID.</u>	<u>83822</u>
<u>Susan M. Smith</u>	<u>Rt. 2, Box 126</u>	<u>Old Town, ID.</u>	<u>83822</u>
<u>M. Margaret Puster</u>	<u>1062 Youngreen</u>	<u>Ione, WA.</u>	<u>99139</u>

VIII.

**POWER:**

No part of the net earnings shall inure to the benefit of or be

distributable to its members, officers, directors or other private purposes, 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 IV hereof. Notwithstanding any other provision of these Articles, this corporation shall not, except to an insubstantial degree, engage in any activities or exercise any powers that are not in furtherance of the purposes of this corporation.

IX.

DISTRIBUTION OF ASSETS UPON DISSOLUTION:

Upon the winding up and dissolution of this corporation, after paying or adequately providing for the debts and obligations of the corporation, the remaining assets shall be distributed in a non-profit fund, foundation or corporation which is organized and operated exclusively for charitable, educational or religious and/or scientific purposes which has established the tax exempt status under Section 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code.

X.

INCORPORATION:

The names and residences of the incorporation's signing these Articles of Incorporation are the same as the initial Directors as set forth in Article VII hereof.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have set their hands this

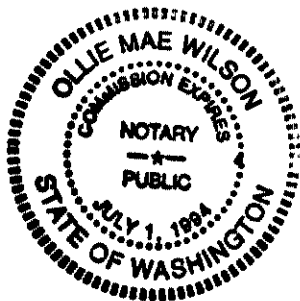
28<sup>th</sup> day of October, 1992.

Thomas B. Smith  
James M. Smith  
M. Margaret Pustec

STATE OF ~~TEXAS~~

COUNTY OF ~~BORNER~~

On this 28<sup>th</sup> day of October, 1992, personally appeared before me a Notary Public, Thomas C. Smith, Susan M. Smith and M. Margaret Pastor, acknowledged to me that they executed the foregoing instrument freely and voluntarily and for the use and purposes therein mentioned.



Ollie Mae Wilson  
NOTARY PUBLIC, in and for said County  
and State.