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STATE OF INDIANA
OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE

CERTIFICATE OF INCORPORATION

OF

COSMOPOLITAN CHURCH OF FAITH (NON-DENOMINATIONAL), INC.

I, EVAN BAYH, Secretary of State of Indiana, hereby certify that Articles of Incorporation of the above corporation, have been presented to me at my office accompanied by the fees prescribed by law; that I have found such Articles conform to law; all as prescribed by the provisions of the

Indiana Not-For-Profit Corporation Act of 1971,

as amended.

NOW, THEREFORE, I hereby issue to such Corporation this Certificate of Incorporation, and further certify that its corporate existence will begin on March 17, 1988.

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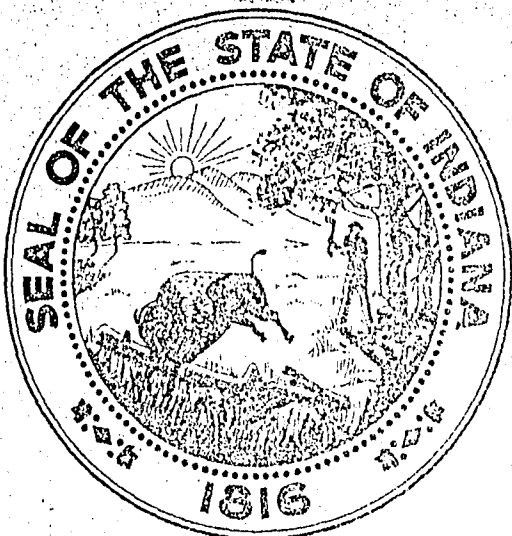
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LAKE COUNTY

LILLIAN A. BLASTICK
RECORDER, LAKE COUNTY
CROWN POINT, INDIANA 46307
S.S. NO.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the State of Indiana, at the City of Indianapolis, this Seventeenth day of March, 1988

Evan Bayh
EVAN BAYH, Secretary of State

By Debra L. Schaub
Deputy



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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

State Form #162R3/Corporate Form No. 364-1 (January 1987)

Articles of Incorporation (Not-for-Profit)

Prescribed by Evan Bayh, Secretary of State of Indiana.

Instructions: Use 8 1/2 x 11 inch paper for inserts
Present 2 executed copies to:

SECRETARY OF STATE
Room 155, State House
Indianapolis, Indiana 46204

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IND. SECRETARY OF STATE
CERTIFICATE NO
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ANNUAL REPORTS MUST BE FILED WITH THIS OFFICE
BY THE LAST DAY OF FEBRUARY OF EACH YEAR.

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For tax exempt status, Not-For-Profit Corporations must qualify
with both the Internal Revenue Service and the Indiana
Department of Revenue.

RECORDING IS NO LONGER REQUIRED.

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF

COSMOPOLITAN CHURCH OF FAITH (NON-DENOMINATIONAL), INC.

(Complete name as will be shown in Article 1)

The undersigned incorporator or incorporators, desiring to form a corporation (hereinafter referred to as the "Corporation") pursuant to the provisions of the Indiana Not-For-Profit Corporation Act of 1971 (hereinafter referred to as the "Act"), execute the following Articles of Incorporation:

ARTICLE I Name
The name of the Corporation is (The name MUST include the word "Corporation" or "Incorporated," or one of the abbreviations thereof): COSMOPOLITAN CHURCH OF FAITH (NON-DENOMINATIONAL), INC.

ARTICLE II Purpose
The purposes for which the Corporation is formed are: Religious - see attached sheet as to 3a, b, c, and d. To spread the Gospel of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. To present salvation to all that believe Jesus Christ died for our sins according to the Scriptures, and that he was buried and rose again the third day according to the Scriptures and is Alive forevermore. pursuant to Holy Bible reference 2 Timothy 3:16-17; 1 Corinthians 15:3-4; and Revelation 1:18.

ARTICLE III Period of Existence
The period during which the Corporation shall continue is: perpetual (The period will be perpetual unless otherwise specified)

ARTICLE IV Resident Agent and Principal Office	
SECTION 1 Resident Agent. The name and address of the Corporation's Resident Agent for service of process are: Pastor Earnest Stevenson	
Name 1309 Harrison Street	
Address (street or building and city) Gary	
Indiana	Zip Code 46407
SECTION 2 Principal Office. The post office address of the principal office of the Corporation is: 1309 Harrison Street, Gary	
Indiana	Zip Code 46407

ARTICLE V Membership
A minimum of one (1) person shall have signed the membership list. (Directors or Trustees or Incorporators may be included in the membership.)
SECTION 1 Classes (if any): NONE

ARTICLE V Membership (continued)

SECTION 2 Rights, Preferences, Limitations, and Restrictions of Classes:

NONE

SECTION 3 Voting Rights of Classes:

All members shall have equal voting rights.

ARTICLE VI Directors

SECTION 1 Number of Directors:

The Initial Board of Directors is composed of four (4) members. If the exact number of Directors is not stated, the minimum number shall be three (3) and the maximum number shall be nine (9) provided, however, that the exact number of directors shall be prescribed from time to time in the By-Laws of the Corporation; AND PROVIDED FURTHER THAT UNDER NO CIRCUMSTANCES SHALL THE MINIMUM NUMBER BE LESS THAN THREE (3).

SECTION 2 Names and Post Office Addresses of the Initial Board of Directors are:

Name	No. and Street or Building	City	State	Zip Code
Pastor Earnest				
Stevenson	1309 Harrison Street	Gary	IN	46407
Homer D. Brinker	916 W. 11th Avenue	Gary	IN	46402
Marvin East	1172 Harrison Street	Gary	IN	46407
Dorothy Hillsman	1168 Harrison Street	Gary	IN	46407

ARTICLE VII Incorporator(s)

Name(s) and Post Office Address(es) of the Incorporator(s) of the Corporation is (are) as follows:

Name	No. and Street or Building	City	State	Zip Code
Earnest Stevenson	1309 Harrison Street	Gary	IN	46407
Homer D. Brinker	916 W. 11th Avenue	Gary	IN	46402
Marvin East	1172 Harrison Street	Gary	IN	46407
Dorothy Hillsman	1168 Harrison Street	Gary	IN	46407

ARTICLE VIII Statement of Property and Value (if any)

A statement of the property and an estimate of the value thereof to be taken over by the Corporation at or upon its incorporation is as follows:

NONE

NONE

ARTICLE IX Provisions for Regulation and Conduct of the Affairs of Corporation

Other provisions, consistent with the laws of this state, for the regulation and conduct of the affairs of the Corporation, and creating, defining, limiting or regulating the powers of the corporation, the directors or the members of any class or classes of members are as follows: (Can be provided for in the "By-Laws") (Any provision in this section may only be changed by amending the Articles of Incorporation.)

That the Corporation affairs shall be conducted by the Board of Directors pursuant to their By-Laws. This Corporation shall have all the powers and authority as provided by Indiana Statute No. 23-7-1.1-4.

The undersigned, being one or more persons, do hereby adopt these Articles of Incorporation, representing beforehand to the Secretary of State of the State of Indiana and all persons whom it may concern, that a membership list or lists of the above-named corporation for which a Certificate of Incorporation is hereby applied for, have heretofore been opened in accordance with the law and that at least three (3) persons have signed such membership list.

THIS DOCUMENT MUST BE SIGNED BY ALL INCORPORATORS.

I (we) hereby verify subject to penalties of perjury that the facts contained herein are true. (Notarization not necessary)

Written Signature <i>Earnest Stevenson</i>	Printed Signature PASTOR EARNEST STEVENSON
Written Signature <i>Homer D. Brinker</i>	Printed Signature HOMER D. BRINKER
Written Signature <i>Marvin East</i>	Printed Signature MARVIN EAST
Written Signature <i>Dorothy Hillsman</i>	Printed Signature DOROTHY HILLSMAN

This instrument was prepared by:
EDWIN T. BROWN, JR., Attorney at Law,
 Address
 8585 Broadway, Suite 735, Merrillville, Indiana, 46410

(3) The following is suggested language recommended by the Internal Revenue Service:

a. Said corporation is organized exclusively for charitable, religious, educational, and scientific 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 of 1954 (or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law).

b. No part of the net earnings of the corporation shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable 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 the purposes set forth in its Articles of Incorporation. 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 any candidate for public office.

c. Notwithstanding any other provision of these articles, the corporation shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on (a) by a corporation exempt from Federal income tax under Section 501 (c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 (or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law) or (b) by a corporation, contributions to which are deductible under section 170 (c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 (or corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law).

d. Upon the dissolution of the corporation, the Board of Directors shall, after paying or making provision for the payment of all of the liabilities of the corporation, dispose of all of the assets of the corporation exclusively for the purposes of the corporation in such manner, or to such organization or organizations organized and operated exclusively for charitable, educational, religious, or scientific purposes as shall at the time qualify as an exempt organization or organizations under section 501 (c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 (or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law), as the Board of Directors shall determine. Any such assets not so disposed of shall be disposed of by a Court of Competent Jurisdiction, exclusively for such purposes or to such organization or organizations, as said Court shall determine, which are organized and operated exclusively for such purposes.