

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

Paradise Christian Homeschoolers, Inc.

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Pursuant to KRS 14A and KRS 273, the undersigned hereby forms a nonprofit corporation and the following:

ARTICLE I - Name

The name of the corporation is Paradise Christian Homeschoolers, Inc.

ARTICLE II – Registered Agent and Office

The name of the registered agent is Ashley Ball and the street address of the corporation's initial registered office in Kentucky is 108 Cardinal Dr. Central, City, KY 42330.

ARTICLE III – Mailing Address

The mailing address of the corporation's principal office in Kentucky is PO Box 44, Central City, KY 42330.

ARTICLE IV – Incorporation and Duration

The incorporator shall be Ashley Ball 108 Cardinal Dr. Central City, KY 42330. The duration of Paradise Christian Homeschoolers shall be perpetual.

ARTICLE V – Association Leadership

Paradise Christian Homeschoolers shall be governed by at least three (3) officers to be determined by the Board of Directors. The name and total number of officer positions will be determined as the group requires, changeable as circumstances necessitate. Officers may be elected by nomination and a majority vote of at least a majority of the Board of Directors.

The initial Board of Directors will be constituted of three (3) directors. The names and addresses of the persons who are the initial Board of Directors of the corporation are as follows:

Ashley Ball	108 Cardinal Dr. Central City, KY 42330
Tara Chambers	305 Ash St. Central City, KY 42330
Ashley Snodgrass	8545 State Route 69 S Centertown, KY 42328

ARTICLE VI - Intent and Purpose

Paradise Christian Homeschoolers is a community of like-minded Christian families who choose to collaborate in their home education journey to draw nearer to Christ.

Said corporation is organized exclusively for educational and religious 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, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code. The corporation does not contemplate pecuniary gain or profit, incidental or otherwise.

ARTICLE VII – Statement of Faith

Said corporation is governed by the following Statement of Faith:

1. We believe that the Bible, consisting of 66 books of the Old and New Testaments, divinely inspired, free from error in doctrine, fact, and ethic, and inerrant in the original writings, is the Word of God and the only infallible and authoritative rule of faith and practice.
2. We believe in one God eternally existent in three persons - Father, Son, and Holy Spirit - the same in substance, equal in power and glory. We believe that God is the creator of the universe and that all life is created by God.

3. We believe in the Deity of our Lord Jesus Christ, His virgin birth, His sinless life, His miracles, His vicarious and atoning death, His bodily resurrection, His ascension to the right hand of God the Father, and His personal and physical return in power and glory.
4. We believe that God created man in His own image but through sin, man brought upon himself and his posterity not only physical death but also spiritual death which is separation from God; that all human beings by physical birth possess a sinful nature.
5. We believe that repentance is a genuine turning from sin toward God and that God declares righteous those who, through faith in Christ, repent of their sins and confess Him as sovereign Lord.
6. We believe that the salvation of lost and sinful man is a free gift of God's grace apart from works, based solely upon Christ's vicarious and atoning death, effected by the regenerating work of the Holy Spirit, and received by trusting in Christ's finished work on the cross and that this salvation is eternally secured to all believers.
7. We believe in the present ministry of the Holy Spirit, by Whose indwelling upon salvation the Christian is enabled to live a godly life; that it is incumbent upon every believer to walk worthy of his calling - to walk after the Spirit and not after the flesh.
8. We believe in the resurrection of the body of both the saved and the lost - they that are saved to the resurrection of life everlasting and they that are lost to the resurrection of eternal damnation.
9. We believe in the spiritual unity of believers in the Lord Jesus Christ.
10. We believe that it is the parent's responsibility to teach his or her child a biblical worldview and raise him or her in the fear and admonition of the Lord. We believe the primary responsibility for disciplining and discipling a child remains with the parents.
11. We believe the Bible teaches that all humans are created in the image of God, we hold that all human life is sacred and of inestimable worth in all its dimensions, including pre-born babies, babies, the aged, the physically or mentally challenged, and every other stage or condition from conception through natural death. We are therefore called to defend, protect, and value all human life.
12. Statement on Marriage, Gender, and Sexuality - We believe that the Bible has given us a true and valid definition of marriage attendant boundaries of sexuality and moral conduct, and the clear Biblical teaching that gender is both sacred and established by God's design.
 - I. We believe that God wonderfully and immutably creates each person as a biological male or female, and a person's gender cannot be separated from his or her biological sex. These two distinct, complementary genders together reflect the image and nature of God, and, therefore, the rejection of one's biological sex is a rejection of the image of God within that person.
 - II. We believe that the term "marriage" has only one meaning: the uniting of one man and one woman in a single, exclusive union, as delineated in Scripture.
 - III. We believe that God intends sexual intimacy to occur only between a man and a woman who are married to each other and that God has commanded that no intimate sexual activity be engaged in outside of a marriage between a man and a woman.
 - IV. We believe that any form of sexual immorality (including adultery, fornication, homosexual or bisexual behavior, bestiality, incest, and use of pornography) is sinful and offensive to God.

ARTICLE VIII – Prohibitions

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 Article VI hereof. 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 or in opposition to any candidate for public office. 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

ARTICLE IX


Dissolution

Upon the dissolution of the corporation, assets shall be distributed for one or more exempt purposes within the meaning of section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code, or shall be distributed to the federal government, or to a state or local government, for a public purpose.

ARTICLE X

This application will be effective upon filing.

I/We declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the Commonwealth of Kentucky that the foregoing is true and correct.



Signature of Incorporator

Ashley Ball, President 4/3/24

Print Name & Title

Date



Signature of Registered Agent

Ashley Ball, President 4/3/24

Print Name & Title

Date