

Brooklyn, Kings Co. NY
[Divine Love]

This is to certify: that upon Monday, May 18, 1903 at 8 p.m. a meeting was held pursuant to notice heretofore duly given, pursuant to Law, by this Universalist Church, Society or Organization of Universalists then worshipping in the Stone Chapel on 23d st., near Foster Avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, in the county of Kings, in the State of New York, for the purpose of incorporating said Church, Society or Organization, a majority of the qualified voters of said Church, Society or Organization, not less than six being present and voting, and that at said meeting the following action was taken. 1) It was unanimously voted that said unincorporated Church, Society or Organization be incorporated. 2) It was decided by a majority vote of those present that the name of said corporation should be The Universalist Church of Divine Love. 3) It was determined unanimously that the Trustees of said Corporation be six in number. 4) The first annual election thereafter was set for the second Monday in April, 1904. 5) There were elected from the persons qualified to vote at such meeting Frank J. Arnold and James T. McKinney, to hold office as Trustees until the annual election upon the second Monday in April, 1904; George H. Stilwell and J. E. Blood, to hold office as Trustees until the annual election upon the second Monday in April, 1905; and Foster L. Backus and Elias E. L. Peterson to hold office as Trustees until the annual election upon the second Monday in April, 1906. That the first named of the undersigned was the presiding officer of said meeting and that the remaining signers hereof were present and voting at said meeting.

L. Ward Brigham
Benj. [Watson? Wilson?] Marinus
Elias E. L. Peterson
James. T. McKinney

Dated New York, May 27, 1903

City and State of New York
County of New York

On this 1st day of June, 1902 personally appeared before me L. Ward Brigham, known to me and to me known to be one of the individuals described in and who executed the foregoing certificate and acknowledged that he executed the same.

Richard [Lane?] Pettitt
Notary Public, New York County
Certificate filed in Kings County

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On this 27th day of May, 1903, personally appeared before me Benjamin [Wilson? Watson?] Marinus and James L. McKinney, known to me and to me known to be two of the individuals described in and who executed the foregoing certificate and severally acknowledged that they executed the same.

Paul [L___?]

Notary Public, New York County
Certificate filed in Kings Co.

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On the 29th day of May, 1903, personally appeared before me Mr. Elias E. L. Patterson, known to me and to me known to be one of the individuals described in and who executed the foregoing certificate and acknowledged that he executed the same.

T. E. Gunnison

Notary Public, Kings Co.
Certificate filed in New York County

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