

LifeSpirit Congregational Church

A Recognized NGO – Group Exemption #2739

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Bona Fide Exempt Organization Statement

This Statement is to confirm that the LifeSpirit Congregational Church is a Non-Governmental Organization (NGO) Church and Association of Churches duly recognized by the United States Internal Revenue Service as a “Group 1” Exempt Organization since 1974 (Group 1 Organization local units are included in its Exemption). The Trustees of the Church are incorporated under the laws of the State of New Jersey.

In 1974, after a series of private Symposia at the University where several of us were or had been students, a small group of incipient New Agers formed what has become the LifeSpirit Congregational Church -- the LifeSpirit Collaborating Congregations or LifeSpirit Organization. Founding trustee Ralph Fucetola JD (Rev. Esnur) was, at that time, beginning a law career, representing small churches, holistic practitioners, alternative enterprises and social dissidents. Founding trustee Kathy A. Greene was beginning her exploration of alternative modalities.

These activities continued as the ministry grew. Our Exempt Status was recognized in 1975 and a Group Exemption was issued in 1976. The LCC currently includes half dozen active congregations, providing New Age teaching and ministerial services, and such religious activities as Marriages, Memorials, Namings and traditional Solstice and Equinox celebrations. We support alternative lifestyles, organic and biodynamic farming, and advanced healing techniques. At the same time, our personal spiritual quests continue and broaden as New Age phenomena evolve. The Spirit of Life quickens as we entered New Millennium.

Among other religious expressive association Teachings of the Church is our rejection of invasive health care, including vaccination for ourselves, children and companion animals. This is set forth as a Doctrinal Statement at: <http://www.lifespirit.org/Religious-Injunction-Against-Vaccination.htm>. The correct ICD-9-CM Code that applies is V64.07 “Vaccination not carried out for religious reasons.” The Church requests accommodation of our religious objection to vaccination under the First Amendment, the Restoration of Religious Freedom Act and the 1964 Civil Rights Act: Sec. 201, 202, 203 and 204.

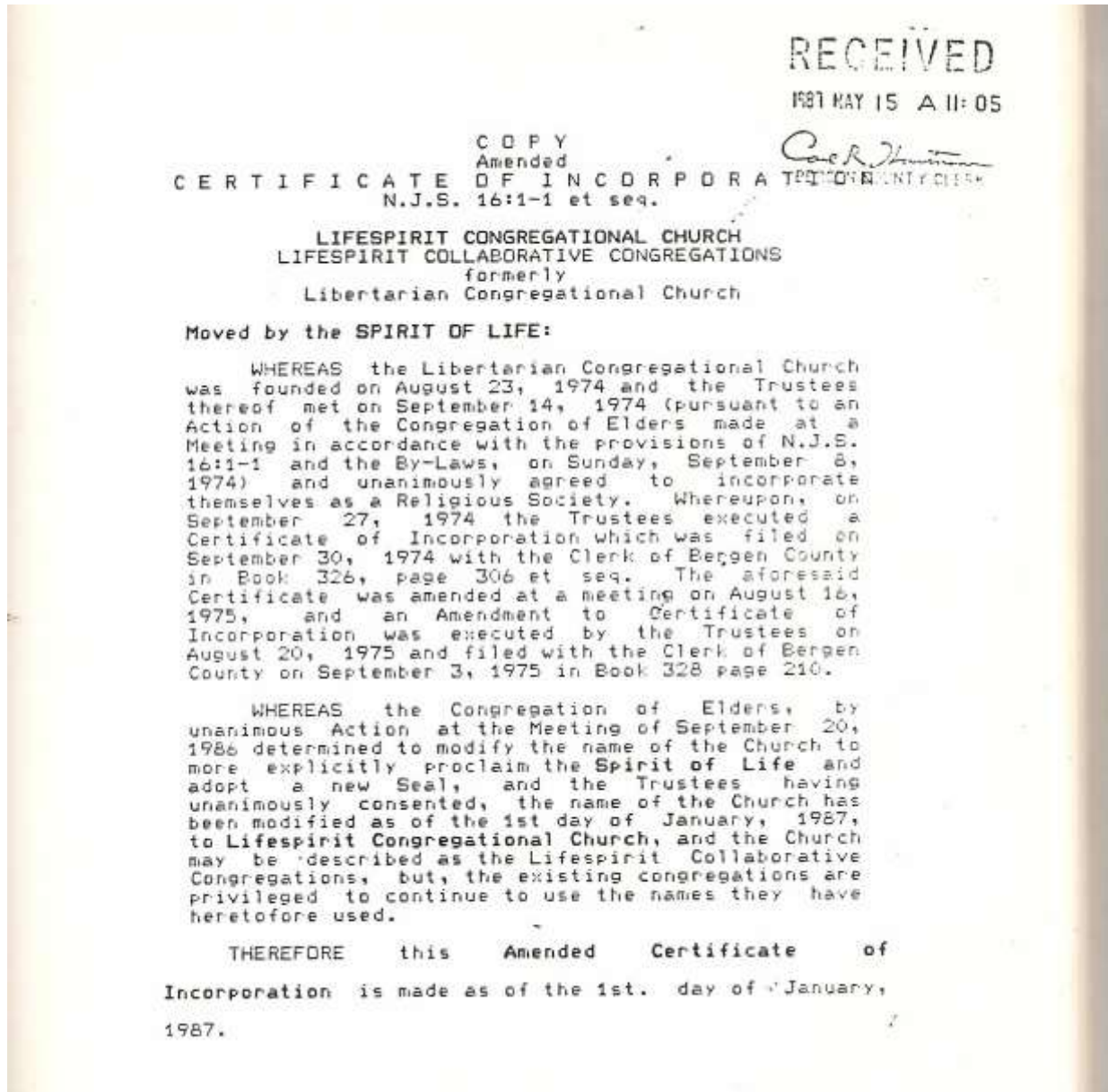
IRS Cumulative Listing of Exempt Organizations (IRS Pub. 78) Online Listing

The screenshot shows the IRS.gov website interface. At the top, there is a search bar and navigation links. Below the navigation bar, there are tabs for "Individuals", "Businesses", "Charities & Non-Profits", "Government Entities", "Tax Professionals", "Retirement Plans Community", and "Tax Exempt Bond Community". The "Charities & Non-Profits" tab is selected. The main content area displays "Search for Charities, Online Version of Publication 78 Search Results". There are three search criteria sections: "Organization" with a dropdown menu set to "Includes" and a text input field containing "lifespirit"; "Location" with dropdown menus for "City", "State" (set to "NJ"), and "Country" (set to "USA"); and "Deductibility Code" with a dropdown menu set to "All". Below these sections are "Search", "Begin New Search", and "Search Tips" buttons. At the bottom of the search results, there is a table with columns for "Name", "City", "State", "Country", and "Code". The first row shows "LifeSpirit Congregational Church", "Newton", "NJ", "USA", and "1". Navigation controls for the table include "Show 25", "OK", and "Prev | 1-1 | Next".

Fundamental Church Documents

<http://www.lifespirt.org/LifeSpiritCongregationalChurch.Fundamental.Documents.pdf>

The Certificate Incorporating the Trustees



"... expressing our beliefs through our association..."

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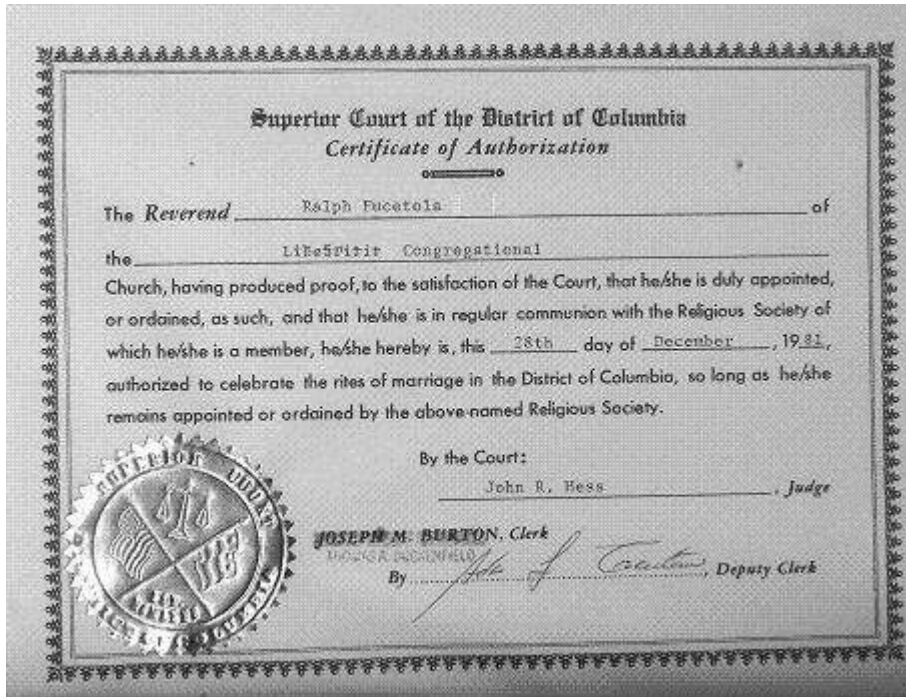
Main Church Web Site

www.LifeSpirit.org

LifeSpirit Seminary

www.LifeSpiritSeminary.org

Federal Recognition of Ministry



Rev. Ralph Fucetola JD and Rev. Kathy A. Greene are the Founders of the Church. Rev. Greene has been the Chairperson of the Board of Trustees since 1974.

I certify that the above statements are true, accurate and current.

January 1, 2019

Church Seal:



Sincerely,

Rev. Ralph Fucetola JD
Trustee



Notice

Minister Trustee, LifeSpirit Center, www.lifespirtcenter.org

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Revs. Ralph Fucetola, JD & Kathy Greene Fucetola, Minister Practitioners since 1974.
LCC Minister Practitioners do not diagnose, prescribe for, treat or claim to cure, mitigate or prevent disease conditions.*