## Worldwide Church of God

World Headquarters, Pasadena, California

## CERTIFICATE OF ORDINATION AS AN ELDER IN THE CHURCH OF GOD

Be it known to all by this Certificate that the Ministry of the Worldwide Church of God acting within the authority vested upon it by Jesus Christ, has determined with careful deliberation being led by the Holy Spirit of God that

## (NAME)

manifests the spiritual fruits and fulfills the scriptural qualifications to be an Elder in the Church of God.

Believing in faith that he has been chosen by the will of God to serve the Church as an Elder, we have ordained him in solemn ceremony through the laying on of hands of the ministry, who were themselves duly authorized to do such by the expressed permission and consent of the Pastor General of the Worldwide Church of God.

He shall hold this office so long as he, as determined by those over him in the Church, continues to meet the spiritual and scriptural qualifications holding fast the Faith, teaching Sound Doctrine as he has been taught, and living by the Word of God in his own life. This ordination is valid in perpetuity unless revoked by the Pastor General.

As Pastor General of the Church, I set my hand and direct to be affixed hereunto the seal of the Church confirming this action taken on (date).

