JOB'S DAUGHTERS INTERNATIONAL
CONSTITUTION
OF A BETHEL

ARTICLE I
NAME

Section 1.

(a) The name of this organization is Job's Daughters International, Bethel No. _____ of _____.
(City/Location) (State, Province, Territory, Country)

ARTICLE II
OBJECT

Section 1.

(a) The object of this organization is to band together girls, hereinafter designated, for spiritual and moral up building, to develop leadership, to seek knowledge, to teach love of God, love of Country, respect for its Flag, love of home and family, and reverence for the teachings of the Holy Scriptures.

ARTICLE III
AUTHORITY

Section 1.

(a) This Bethel was instituted _____(date) and operates under authority of a Charter granted by the Supreme or Grand Guardian Council _____(date).

ARTICLE IV
MEMBERSHIP

Section 1. Members

(a) Girls between the ages of ten (10) and twenty (20) years who bear a Masonic relationship shall be eligible for membership. Masonic relationship shall be interpreted to mean a relationship by blood, marriage, or law to a:
  (1) Mason (See POL-BOT-2),
  (2) his wife or widow,
  (3) a member of Job's Daughters,
  (4) or a Majority Member of Job's Daughters.

(b) If, after diligent and exhaustive search, Masonic relationship cannot be verified for an Applicant, a Majority Member and a Master Mason (other than the Bethel Guardian or Associate Bethel Guardian) may sponsor the Applicant.

(c) A woman under the age of twenty (20) years who has been married, divorced, whose marriage has been annulled or who is pregnant, or has ever been pregnant, except in the case of rape (or its equivalent terminology) or incest is not eligible for membership.

Section 2. Resident Requirements

(a) A resident of a jurisdiction in which there is a Bethel, shall be eligible to membership only in the jurisdiction of her residence unless a waiver of jurisdiction is obtained from the Grand Guardian of the resident jurisdiction or the Supreme Guardian if the Bethel is under Supreme.

ARTICLE V
OFFICERS

Section 1. Elective

(a) The elective officers of each chartered Bethel shall be Honored Queen, Senior Princess, Junior Princess, Guide, and Marshal.

Section 2. Appointive

(a) The appointive officers shall be Recorder, Treasurer, Chaplain, Librarian, Musician, First Messenger, Second Messenger, Third Messenger, Fourth Messenger, Fifth Messenger, Senior Custodian, Junior Custodian, Inner Guard, and Outer Guard.

ARTICLE VI
GENERAL PROVISIONS

Section 1. Birthday

(a) The date on which a Bethel should observe its birthday is the date on which it was instituted.

Section 2. Official Seal

(a) Each Bethel is required to have an official Bethel seal which must be purchased from the Executive Manager or Grand Secretary immediately after the Bethel is chartered.

Section 3. Move/Change of Location

(a) When it is necessary to move from one city to another, the original Charter shall remain intact. An authorization showing date of transfer and new location of the Bethel, signed by the Supreme or Grand Guardian and attested by the Supreme or Grand Secretary, shall be attached to the original Charter.

(b) The Bethel seal shall bear the name of the new location.

Section 4. Auxiliary Club

(a) No auxiliary club calling for ritualistic work of the Order shall be organized from the membership of the Bethel.