

# The Greater Mount Moriah Missionary Baptist Church

3125 South Main Street, Melbourne, Florida 32901, (407) 725-8246 or 951-1051  
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Queen McGowan

State of Florida  
Secretary of State  
Carlton Building  
Tallahassee, Florida 32399

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Dear Sir:

We The Greater Mount Moriah Missionary Baptist Church wish to register this church "A none-profit Corporation."

Enclosed, please find check #2367 in the amount of \$122.50.

To form into a legal corporation.

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Respectfully,

*Rev. Dr. Jesse E. Buggs*  
Rev. Dr. Jesse E. Buggs  
Pastor/President

*Ms. Bettye Key*  
Ms. Bettye Key  
Secretary/Treasurer

*Jesse* GAVE  
AUTHORIZATION BY PHONE TO  
CORRECT *corp. articles* to  
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April 8, 1998

Florida Department of State  
Sandra B. Mortham  
Secretary of State  
P.O. Box 6327  
Tallahassee, Florida 32314

Subject: Ref. Number W98000007034

Letter Number 698A00016894

Please find enclosed;

1. The form, documented on Articles of Incorporation.
2. The original & copy of our documentation.
3. Transmittal letter.
4. Article VI corrected to five (5) directors.

Respectfully,

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Ms. Bettye J. Key  
Secretary/ Treasurer



**FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE**  
Sandra B. Mortham  
Secretary of State

March 30, 1998

REV. DR. JESSE E. BUGGS  
GREATER MOUNT MORIAH MISSIONARY BAPTIST  
P.O. BOX 32902  
MELBOURNE, FL 32901

SUBJECT: THE GREATER MOUNT MORIAH MISIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH  
OF MELBOURNE, FLORIDA, INC.  
Ref. Number: W98000007034

We have received your document for THE GREATER MOUNT MORIAH MISIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH OF MELBOURNE, FLORIDA, INC. and your check(s) totaling \$122.50. However, the enclosed document has not been filed and is being returned for the following correction(s):

We regret that we were unable to contact you by phone. Please return the corrected document with a letter providing us with an address and telephone number where you can be reached during working hours.

The articles of incorporation of a nonprofit corporation must be prepared in compliance with section 617.0202, Florida Statutes. Please refer to that section of the law for assistance.

We are enclosing the proper form(s) with instructions for your convenience.

Article VI states there will be 5 (FIVE) director(s), whereas 3 (THREE) is/are listed.

The name of the entity must be identical throughout the document.

Please return the original and one copy of your document, along with a copy of this letter, within 60 days or your filing will be considered abandoned.

If you have any questions concerning the filing of your document, please call (850) 487-6924.

Sharon Tala  
Document Specialist Supervisor

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**ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION**

The undersigned incorporator, for the purpose of forming a corporation under the Florida Not for Profit Corporation Act, hereby adopt(s) the following Articles of Incorporation:

**ARTICLE I NAME**

The name of the corporation shall be:

The Greater Mount Moriah Missionary Baptist Church of Melbourne, Florida, Inc.

**ARTICLE II PRINCIPAL OFFICE**

The principal place of business and mailing address of this corporation shall be:

3125 South Main Street, Melbourne, Florida 32901 (407) 725-8246

**ARTICLE III PURPOSE(S)**

The specific purpose(s) for which the corporation is organized is(are):

Exclusively for charitable, religious, educational, and scientific purposes for such purpose, the making of distributions to organizations that qualify as exempt organizations under section 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 (or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal revenue Law)

**ARTICLE IV MANNER OF ELECTION OF DIRECTORS**

The manner in which the directors are elected or appointed is:

Unanimously by majority vote of members present.

**ARTICLE V INITIAL REGISTERED AGENT AND STREET ADDRESS**

The name and Florida street address of the initial registered agent are:

Rev. Dr. Jesse E. Buggs  
805 east Davis Street, Melbourne, Florida 32901 (407) 952-1233

**ARTICLE VI INCORPORATOR**

The name and address of the Incorporator to these Articles of Incorporation are:

Rev. Jesse e. Buggs, 805 E. davis Street., Melbourne, Florida 32901  
Dea. Alexander Palmer, 737 Henry St. NE, Palm Bay, Florida 32905  
Ms. Bettye J. Key, 3319 Henry St., Melbourne, Florida 32901  
Mrs. Hazel Buggs, 805 E. Davis St., Melbourne, Florida 32901  
Deaconess Shirley Maye, 909 Cedar dr., Melbourne, Florida 32901

Signature/Incorporator: Ms. Bettye J. Key Date: 4/8/98  
(An additional article must be added if an effective date is requested.)

**SEE ATTACHED FOR ADDITIONAL ARTICLES**

Having been named as registered agent and to accept service of process for the above stated corporation at the place designated in this certificate, I hereby accept the appointment as registered agent and agree to act in this capacity. I further agree to comply with the provisions of all statutes relating to the proper and complete performance of my duties, and I am familiar with and accept the obligations of my position as registered agent.

Rev. Jesse E. Buggs  
Signature/Registered Agent

4-8-98  
Date

## ARTICLE VII

BOARD OF DIRECTORS: The business of this corporation shall be managed and its corporate powers exercised by a Board of not less than three nor more than ten members which shall be termed the Board of Directors which number may be set from time to time by the corporate By-laws and the initial Board of Directors shall be 3 in number who shall serve until their successors are elected. The terms of office of the members of said Board shall be less than one nor more than three years as may be provided from time to time in the By-laws. The Board of Directors shall elect from among the corporate membership each year a President, Vice President, Secretary and such additional officers as may be created in the By-laws. The President shall be Chairman of the and the other duties and obligations of each office shall be as set forth in the By-laws, except as set forth hereafter. The Corporate membership of the corporation shall elect each member of said Board of Director from the corporate members by a majority vote of the members present at a meeting called for such purpose and such meeting shall be held not less than yearly and in such manner as to be more specifically set forth in the corporate By-laws. The presence of a majority of the Board shall be necessary to constitute a quorum to transact business and the act of a majority of the Board members present at a properly called meeting where a quorum is present shall be the Board of Directors Meeting of the Board may be held within or without the State of Florida.

**FIRST BOARD OF DIRECTOR:**

The names and addresses of the

members of the first Board of Directors of the corporation who shall serve until their successors are duly and installed are as follows:

<b>Names</b>	<b>Address</b>	<b>Terms of Office</b>
Rev. Jesse E. Buggs	805 E. Davis St. Melbourne, Florida	1 year
Dea. Alexander Palmer	737 Henry St. NE Palm Bay, Florida	1 year
Ms. Bettye J. Key	3319 Henry St. melbourne, Florida	1 year

Members of the Board of Directors shall be removed in the following manners:

(1) **FOR CAUSE:** Any corporate member may make motion to remove one or more Directors at any regular meeting of the corporate membership or special meeting called for such purpose. If the motion passes by a majority of the voting members present, then the meeting shall set a place, date, and time, for a meeting of the corporate membership to consider such action and the corporate secretary shall issue a notice of the meeting to be sent each voting member giving the general reason for such meeting. Provided however, that no meeting of the membership to consider the expulsion of one or more board members shall be held on less than (7) seven days notice to the members entitled to vote. If at the meeting called for such purpose, two-thirds of the members present vote to remove a Deacon, then such deacon shall be deemed removed from office and his term of office shall immediately cease.

(2) **AUTOMATIC REMOVAL** Any Director who shall miss three consecutive meeting of the board shall be removed and his office deemed vacant at the end of the third such meeting unless his absence is excused by the board, however such meeting must be regular meetings of the board or a special meeting where notice was sent to each Director and the re-convening of a meeting shall not be considered a separate meeting for purpose of this paragraph.

ARTICLE VIII

**OFFICERS:** The officers of the corporation shall be elected annually by the corporate membership and the officers shall be Pastor, President, Vice-President, Secretary.

The Pastor, however, need not to be a corporate member. The names of the initial officers of the corporation who are to serve until their successors have been elected and are duly qualified are as follow:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Office</u>
Rev. Jesse E. Buggs	President - Pastor
Dea. Alexander Palmer	Vice-President
Ms. Bettye J. Key	Secretary/Tresaurer

The Pastor shall also be ex-officio chairman of the Corporation.

ARTICLE IX

**AMENDMENTS:** Amendments to these Articles of Incorporation shall be approved by the majority vote of the Board of Directors proposed by them to the membership, and approved by the members present at any regular or special meeting by majority vote of the corporate members present at any meeting of the membership. Notwithstanding the foregoing, no Amendment to these Article of Incorporation shall be made or vote upon unless prior to the meeting of the membership when vote is to be taken not less then seven days, written notice shall have been given to all corporate members that these Articles are to be amended and accompanying each notice shall be a written copy of the proposed amendment. In addition th the foregoing method of amendment, these Articles may also be amend without notice on unanimous approval of such amendment by the Board of Director together with approval of not less then two-thirds of thr entire voting membership of the corporation.

ARTICLE X - DISSOLUTION

(1) No part of the net earnings of the corporation shall insure to the benefit of, or be distributable to its members, directors, 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 purpose set forth in Article 3 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 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 Revenue Code of 1954 (or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law) or (b) a corporation, contributions to which are deductible under section 170 (c) (2) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 (or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law).



(2) Upon the dissolution of the corporation, the Board of Directors, shall, after paying or making provision for the payment of all of the liabilities of the corporation, dispose of all of assets of the corporation exclusively for the purpose of the corporation in such manner, or to such organization or organizations organized and operated exclusively for charitable, educational, religious, or scientific purposes as shall at the time qualify as an exempt organization or organizations under section 501 (c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 (or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law), as the Board of Directors shall determine. Any such assets not so disposed of shall be disposed of by the Circuit Court of the County of which the principal office of the corporation is then located, exclusively for such purposes or to such organization or organizations, as said Court shall determine, which are organized and operated exclusively for such purposes.

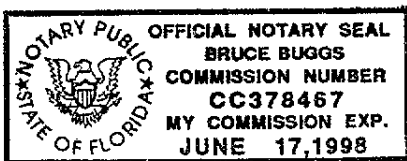
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Before, me a Notary Public duly authorized in the State and County named above, to take acknowledgements, personally appeared Rev. Jesse E. Buggs, Sr., Ms. Bettye J. Key, Dea. Alexander Palmer, Deaconess Shirley Maye, Mrs. Hazel Buggs to me well known by me to be persons described as Subscriber in and who executed the foregoing Article of Corporation, and he acknowledge before me that he executed and subscribed to these Article of Incorporation for the uses and purposes therein expressed.

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF,** I have hereunto set my hand and official seal this 8<sup>TH</sup> day of APRIL, 1998



Bruce Buggs  
Notary Public

Having been named to accept service of process for the above stated Corporation, at the place designed in this certificate I hereby agree to act in this capacity, and I further agree to comply with the provisions of all statutes relative to the proper and complete performance of my duties.

4-8-98  
Date

Rev. Jesse E. Buggs  
Rev. Jesse E. Buggs  
Registered Agent