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First Haitian Church of the Nazarene of Bradenton, Inc.  
115 30th Avenue East  
Bradenton, FL 34208

December 31, 2001

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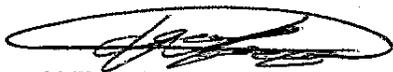
Thank you for your kind attention to our document. We apologize for the typographical error. We have corrected and initialed the error. The document is returned herewith as requested.

Please note for future mailing:

Rev. Wilner Jean-Pierre  
420 53rd Avenue East  
Bradenton FL 34203

Telephone #941-727-9584 (home)  
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Sincerely,

  
WILNER JEAN-PIERRE

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FIRST HAITIAN CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE  
115 30TH AVENUE E  
BRADENTON, FL 34208

SUBJECT: FIRST HAITIAN CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE OF BRADENTON,  
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We have received your document for FIRST HAITIAN CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE OF BRADENTON, INC. and your check(s) totaling \$70.00. However, the enclosed document has not been filed and is being returned for the following correction(s):

The registered agent and street address must be consistent wherever it appears in your document.

VERIFY THE SPELLING OF REV. WLNER JEAN-PIERRE'S NAME. THROUGH OUT THE ARTICLE IT APPEARS WLNER THEN IN SOME PLACES IT APPEARS WILNER.

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.

- An effective date **may** be added to the Articles of Incorporation **if a 2002 date is needed**, otherwise the date of receipt will be the file date. **A separate article must be added to the Articles of Incorporation for the effective date.**

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.

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**ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION**

**OF First Haitian Church of The Nazarene of Bradenton, Inc.**

Federal ID # = **65-1142347**

**KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:** That we, the undersigned, citizens of the United States, and residents of the State of Florida, being natural persons of the age of twenty one (21) years or more, for the purpose of forming a Corporation under ("The General-Not-For-Profit Corporation Act" - if above state has such an act) do hereby adopt the following Articles of Incorporation.

**ARTICLE I**

The name of the Corporation is: **First Haitian Church of The Nazarene of Bradenton, Inc.**, and the address of its initial Principal and Registered Office in the State of Florida is **115 30<sup>th</sup> Ave., E., Bradenton, FL. 34208**, and the name of its initial Registered Agent at such address is Rev. <sup>WSP</sup> ~~Wilner~~ **Jean-Pierre**.

**ARTICLE II**

The duration of the Corporation is perpetual.

**ARTICLE III**

The terms of admission to membership in this Corporation shall consist of membership in good standing in the ecclesiastical body known as **First Haitian Church of The Nazarene of Bradenton, Inc.**, and each member in good standing in such ecclesiastical body shall by virtue thereof be a member of this Corporation.

**ARTICLE IV**

The names and addresses of the incorporators are as follows:

<u>NAME</u>	<u>ADDRESS</u>
<sup>WSP</sup> Rev. <del>Wilner</del> <b>Jean-Pierre</b>	<b>420 53 Ave. East, Bradenton, FL. 34203</b>
<b>Ninotte Delva</b>	<b>422 58 Terrace East, Bradenton, FL. 34203</b>
<b>Jacques Richemond</b>	<b>1818 9<sup>th</sup> Avenue East Apt. 64, Bradenton, FL. 34208</b>

## **ARTICLE V**

**This corporation is formed for the following purposes:**

**(a) To spread the Gospel of Jesus Christ, promote holiness and the worship of God among its members and attendants, and practice the Christian virtues inculcated in the Holy Scriptures, and in aid thereof to acquire, own and hold by purchase, lease, gift, legacy, bequest, devise or otherwise, both real and personal property of every kind and nature, and dispose of same in any and every lawful way, and use the proceeds thereof for the purposes hereinbefore stated, or reinvest in other property, and to borrow money if need be, and hypothecate its securities, issue bonds, execute promissory notes, mortgages and all manner of conveyances, and the property of this Corporation shall at all times be held, arranged and disposed of in accordance with the MANUAL of the Church of the Nazarene, (Paragraph 102).**

**(b) To employ and discharge ordained ministers of the Gospel, and others, to conduct and carry on divine services at the place of worship of the members of the Corporation, and elsewhere, and to collect and disburse any and all necessary funds for the maintenance of said Corporation and the aforesaid ecclesiastical body known as First Haitian Church of The Nazarene of Bradenton, Inc., and the accomplishment of its purposes, and further to comply with and conform to the principles and usages set forth in the MANUAL of the Church of the Nazarene.**

**(c) To do all and everything necessary, suitable and proper for the accomplishment of any of the purposes, or the attainment of any one or more of the purposes herein enumerated, or which shall at anytime appear conducive or expedient for the promotion of its welfare, and the accomplishment of the purposes herein enumerated.**

**(d) To conduct, accomplish and carry on its objectives, functions and purposes or any part thereof, within or without the State of Florida.**

**(e) The specific purposes hereinbefore enumerated shall not be held to limit or restrict in any manner the powers of this Corporation, but in general the Corporation shall have the power to do all things necessary,**

convenient or incidental to the carrying out of any or all of the foregoing purposes, and to have and exercise all of the rights, powers and privileges conferred or permitted by the laws of Florida upon Corporations formed under ("The General Not-For-Profit Corporation Act"), including all Amendments thereto.

(f) Manual Church of The Nazarene (Paragraph 102.4 [4]) "Upon dissolution, the assets of the corporation shall be distributed to the District Advisory Board", known as the District Advisory Board of The Southern Florida District Church of The Nazarene, Inc., incorporated in the State of Florida in 1973.

#### ARTICLE VI

(a) The Church Board, (Board of Directors), shall consist of not less than three (3) members of the Corporation duly elected by the members of the Corporation, and shall constitute the said Church Board in accordance with the MANUAL of the Church of the Nazarene, (Paragraph 113.9).

(b) The officers of the Church Board and of the Corporation shall consist of the Pastor of the First Haitian Church of The Nazarene of Bradenton, Inc. who shall be ex-officio Chairman of the Church Board, a Secretary and a Treasurer, both of whom shall be elected by the Church Board as provided for in the MANUAL of the Church of the Nazarene, (Paragraphs 129.19 & 129.19)

(c) The first Church Board of this Corporation shall manage the affairs of the Corporation from the date of incorporation until the first day of the previous month in which the District Assembly is held, as provided for in the MANUAL of the Church of the Nazarene, shall consist of the following named persons, to-wit:

<u>NAME</u>	<u>ADDRESS</u>
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Rev. <sup>WJP</sup> Wilner Jean-Pierre

420 53 Ave. East, Bradenton, FL. 34203

Ninotte Delva

422 58 Terrace East, Bradenton, FL. 34203

Jacques Richemond

1818 9<sup>th</sup> Avenue East Apt. 64, Bradenton, FL. 34208

ARTICLE VII

The By-laws for the guidance and control of this Corporation shall be the MANUAL of the ecclesiastical body of the Church of the Nazarene, and said MANUAL is hereby adopted by the incorporation hereof as the By-laws of this Corporation.

INCORPORATORS:

Wilner Jean-Pierre

Rev. Wilner Jean-Pierre

Ninotte Delva

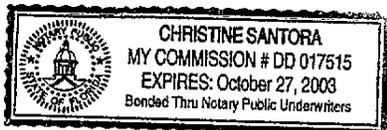
Ninotte Delva

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VERIFICATION STATE OF Florida COUNTY OF Manatee

I, Christine Santora a Notary Public, do hereby certify that on the 3 day of Oct, 2001, Rev Wilner Jean-Pierre, and Ninotte Delva, and Jacques Richemond personally appeared before me, and, first having solemnly stated and affirmed to me, severally acknowledged that they signed as their free act and deed the foregoing document in the perspective capacities therein set forth and declared that the statements therein contained are true, to their best knowledge and belief.



**CERTIFICATE DESIGNATING PLACE OF BUSINESS, OR DOMICILE FOR THE SERVICE OF PROCESS WITHIN THIS STATE, NAMING AGENT UPON WHOM PROCESS MAY BE SERVED.**

**In pursuance of Chapter 48.091, Florida Statutes, the following is submitted in compliance with said Act:**

**FIRST--That the First Haitian Church of The Nazarene of Bradenton, Inc., desiring to organize under the laws of the State of Florida its principle office, as indicated in the Articles of Incorporation at City of Bradenton, County of Manatee, State of Florida, has named Rev <sup>WJP</sup> Wilner Jean-Pierre, at 115 30<sup>th</sup> Ave. E, Bradenton, FL 34208, as its agent to accept service of process within this State.**

**ACKNOWLEDGMENT:**

**Having been named to accept service of process for the above stated corporation, at place designated in this certificate, I hereby accept to act in this capacity, and agree to comply with the provision of said Act relative to keeping open said office.**

*Wilner Jean Pierre*

**By: Rev Wilner Jean-Pierre**

**Mailing address: 420 53<sup>rd</sup> Ave. E. Bradenton, FL. 34203**

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