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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Department of State Division of Corporations P. O. Box 6327 Tallahassee, FL 32314

TIST Church IN. SUBJECT:

Enclosed is an original and one(1) copy of the articles of incorporation and a check for :

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ADDITIONAL COPY REQUIRED

FROM: Voltaire FIERRE-<u>15</u>91 301 ANE AVE S LE Florida 32210 ACKSONVIL 0 Daytime Telephone number

NOTE: Please provide the original and one copy of the articles.

We, the undersigned, being desirous of forming a corporation, not for profit, for religious and charitable purposes, under the provisions of chapter 617, <u>Florida Statutes</u>, do hereby propose and subscribe the following Charter:

ARTICLE I

The name of this corporation is EL SHADDAI CORNERSTONE UNITED CHRISTIANS BAPTIST CHURCH OF JACKSONVILLE, INC. $\overrightarrow{>}_{40}$

The principal place of business of this corporation shall be 4017 Saint Augustines Rd, Jacksonville, Florida 32207.

ATICLE II

The corporation shall exist perpetually.

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ARTICLE III

The general nature and purpose of the corporation shall be religious, charitable, and such other as are generally carried on by Baptist churches of the United States; to organize, maintain, operate and conduct such churches, departments or agencies, so as to carry out the above –mentioned purposes; to own, control, lease, purchase or take by gift, devise, bequest or otherwise, and to convey, dispose, encumber, lease and to do all things and exercise.

The affairs of the corporation are to be managed by the following officers: The President, the Vice President, the secretary, who may also be known as the church Clerk, the church treasurer, and a Board of Trustees of not less than three (3) members of the church, the number of Trustees to be fixed by the By-Laws.

ARTICLE IV

The Pastor of the Church shall be the President of the corporation and by virtue of this office as Pastor and for so long a time he shall hold the said office, he shall be ex officio the President or Moderator of the corporation.

A majority vote of all of the members of the church who are present and voting shall be necessary to the election of the President, the Vice President, the Secretary, the treasurer, the Trustees and each of them. No person other than a member of the corporation shall be eligible to hold office in the corporation.

ARTICLE V

The Trustees shall elect from among themselves a Chairman and a secretary who shall perform the duties usually pertaining to such offices.

There shall also be Deacons and such other Boards, Bodies and Committees as may be provided for in the By-Laws and the tenure of office powers and duties of such Boards, Bodies and Committees shall be prescribed by the By-Laws.

ARTICLE VI

In the absence of the Pastor or in the event of a vacancy in the office of Pastor, the Chairman of the Deacons shall act as President or Moderator of the corporation and when so acting shall have the same powers, duties and responsibilities as the President. The officers of the corporation and all other Boards, Bodies and Committees shall have such powers and such authority as may be vested in them by the By-Laws of the corporation and by the law of the State of Florida. The corporation may have such other officers, boards, bodies, committees and sub-committees as may be prescribed by the By-Laws.

Any vacancy in any office specifically provided for in this Charter may be filled at any regular or special meeting of the membership of the corporation, notice of said meeting having been previously given in the manner provided for in the By-Laws, or in this Charter.

ARTICLE VII

No real property belonging to the corporation shall be conveyed, alienated or encumbered unless such conveyance, alienation or encumbrance shall have been theretofore authorized by the affirmative vote of a majority of the members of the corporation present and voting, at a regular or special meeting, notice of which meeting shall have been given in accordance with the provisions of the By-Laws.

ARTICLE VIII

In the event of dissolution, the residual assets of the organization will be turned over to the Jacksonville Baptist Association, a corporation not for profit, which is an exempt organization as described in Section $501\mathbb{O}$ (3) and $170\mathbb{O}$ (2) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 or corresponding sections of any prior or future law, or to the Federal, State, or Local Government for exclusive public purpose.

ARTICLE IX

The names of the officers who are to manage the affairs of the corporation until the first election or appointment under the Charter and By-Laws shall be:

Vice President	Voltaire Pierre-Val 1591 Lane Ave S Apt 30T Jacksonville, FL 32210
President	Prinvil Pierre-Clauter 4017 St Augustine Rd Jacksonville, FL 32207
Treasurer	Joel Parvilus 7823 Elvia Dr Jacksonville, FL 32211

Bernadette Lronard 6616 Lamirada Dr #1 Bldg 18 Jacksonville, FL 32217

Trustees

1591 Lane Ave S Apt 30T Jacksonville, FL 32210

Maniella Charleus

Voltaire Pierre-Val

3209 Stand Rd Jacksonville, Fl 32217

Joel Parvilus

Secretary

7823 Elvia Dr Jacksonville, Fl 32211

ARTICLE X

The By-Laws and Articles of Incorporation shall be made, altered, amended, or rescinded by a two-thirds (2/3) vote of the members of the corporation present and voting at any regular, annual or special meeting called for that purpose; the same having been made available to the membership thirty (30) days prior to such meeting and having been announced for two (2) consecutive Sunday from the pulpit or published two (2) consecutive weeks in the church bulletin or other church announcement or newspaper; further provided that quorum of 25% of the total membership shall be present at such meeting.

ARTICLE XI

Notwithstanding any other provisions of these Articles, the purposes for which the corporation is organized are exclusively religious, charitable, scientific, literary, and educational within the meaning of section 501 \bigcirc (3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue law.

ARTICLE XII

Amendments to these Articles of Incorporation may be proposed by the Board of Trustees who shall have all the duties and powers usually exercised by Boards of Trustees. The number of numbers of such Board shall not be less than three (3) nor more than seven (7). The manner of election or appointment and the terms of office of members of the Board of Trustees shall be determined by the By-Laws.

ARTICLE XIII

Any member of the Board of Trustees shall be removed in accordance with the removal provisions legislated by the By-Laws.

ARTICLE XIV

The street address of the initial Registered office of this corporation is:

4017 St Augustine Rd Jacksonville, FL 32207

And the name and street address of the initial Registered Agent of this corporation

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Voltaire Pierre-Val 1591 Lane Ave S # 30 T Jacksonville, FL 32210

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the subscribers have executed this proposed Charter this <u>12</u> day of <u>April</u>, 2003

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1 Joel Parvilus

STATE OF FLORIDA COUNTY OF DUVAL

I hereby certify that on this day before me, an officer duly qualified to take acknowledgements, personally appeared:

Voltaire Pierre-Val, driver's license number P(4|4-8|4) - 70 - 0|0-,0Maniella Charleus, driver's license number C442 - 54| - 74-625 and Joel Parvilus, driver's license number P(4|4-420-62-34-7-0) to me known to be the individuals in the foregoing Articles of Incorporation, and they acknowledged executing the same.

WITNESS my hand and official seal in the State and County aforesaid, this <u>12</u> day of <u>Apri</u> (<u>2003</u>.

Notary Public, State of Florida at Large

My Commission Expires:



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 EL SHADDAI CORNERSTONE UNITED CHRISTIANS CHURCH OF JACKSONVILLE INC., desiring to organize under the laws of the State of Florida with its principal office at 4017 St Augustine Rd, Jacksonville, Florida 32207, has named VOLTAIRE PIERRE-VAL, 1591 Lane Ave S # 30 T, Jacksonville, Florida 32210, as its agent to accept service of process within this state.

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

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VOLTAIRE PIERRE-VAL Bv//ra

VOLTAIRE PIERRE-VA Registered Agent

