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Florida Department of State Division of Corporation P.O. Box 6327 Tallahassee, Fl. 32314

Dear Sir/Madam:

Enclosed please find the Articles of Incorporation for the Mount Zion Missionary Baptist Church accompanied with the filing fee in the amount of \$122.00. The church has applied for and received a federal employer identification number 85-8012833812C-7.

If you need any additional information, please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,

Registered Agent

Enclosure



#### FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE Glenda E. Hood Secretary of State

July 28, 2003

LOIS HINES 9605 COUNTY RPAD 44 LEESBURG, FL 34788

SUBJECT: MOUNT ZION MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH

Ref. Number: W03000021275

We have received your document for MOUNT ZION MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH. However, the document has not been filed and is being returned for the following:

The name of the corporation must contain a corporate suffix. This suffix may be: CORPORATION, CORP., INCORPORATED, or INC. Sections 617.0401(1)(a) and 617.1506(1), Florida Statutes, prohibits the use of the word COMPANY or CO. in the name of a non-profit corporation.

Please correct Article V.

The name designated in your document is unavailable since it is the same as, or it is not distinguishable from the name of an existing entity.

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Adding "of Florida" or "Florida" to the end of a name is not acceptable.

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The undersigned, acting as incorporator of a corporation pursuant to Chapter 617,

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Florida Statutes, adopts the following Articles of Incorporation for such corporation:

SECRETARY OF STATE

TALLAMASSEE FLORIDA

## ARTICLE I-NAME

The name of this corporation is Mount Zion Full Gospel Baptist Church Inc. a Florida corporation, not for profit. The principal address of this corporation is: 9605 County Road 44 Leesburg, Fl 34788

#### **ARTICLE II-DURATION**

The period of duration of this corporation is perpetual, unless dissolved according to law.

### **ARTICLE III-PURPOSE**

- 1. The general purposes for which the corporation is organized are the following:
  - A. Operate the church and related activities exclusively for such religious purpose As will qualify it as an exempt organization under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954.
  - B. To receive by gift, grant, devise, bequests or otherwise, and from any private or public sources, personal or real property, to have and to hold, administer, sell, invest, reinvest, manage, use, disburse and distribute and apply the income and /or principal of the same in accordance with the directions and intent of the donor or donors of such property, or, in the absence of such directions, as the corporation may deem best from time to time, for the promotion of any and all of the foregoing purposes.
  - C. Generally, to have and exercise all rights and powers conferred on nonprofit shall determine, which are organized and operated exclusively for such purposes.

corporations under the laws of Florida, or which may be hereafter be conferred. including the power to contract, rent, buy, sell personal or real property; provided, however, that this corporation shall not, accept to an insubstantial degree, engage in any activities or exercise any powers that are not in furtherance of the primary purpose of this corporation.

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- D. Nothing herein shall authorize this corporation directly or indirectly, to engage in or include among its purposes, any activity not authorized by Chapter 617, Florida Statutes or which in any way would jeopardize or inhibit this corporation's recognition as a nonprofit corporation with tax exempt status under applicable state and federal statues.
- 2. In addition to the general purposes the following specific purposes shall apply:
  - A. The purposes for which the corporation is organized are to receive and maintain real or personal property, or both, and, subject to the restrictions and limitations hereinafter set there from and the principal thereof exclusively for charitable, religious, scientific, literary, or educational purposes either directly or by contributions to organizations that qualify as exempt organizations under Section 501(c) (3) of Internal Revenue Code and Regulations issued pursuant thereto as they now exist or as they may hereafter be amended.
  - B. No part of the net earnings of the corporation shall inure to the benefit Of, or be distributed to, any Director or Officer of the Corporation or any other private individual (except that reasonable compensation may be paid for services rendered to or for the corporatin affecting one or

more of its purposes), and no Director or Officer of the corporation, or any private individual shall be entitled to share in the distribution of any of the corporate assets on the dissolution of the corporation. 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 publication or distribution of statements) any political campaign on behalf of any candidate for public office.

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- C. The corporation shall distribute its income for each taxable year at such time and in such manners as not to become subject to tax on undistributed income imposed by Section 4942 of the Internal Revenue Code, or corresponding provisions of any subsequent federal laws.
- D. The corporation shall not engage in any act of self dealing as defined in Section 4941 (d) of Internal Revenue Code, or corresponding provision of any subsequent federal tax laws.
- E. The corporation shall not retain excess business holdings as defined in Section 4943 (c) of the Internal Revenue Code, or corresponding provisions of any subsequent federal tax laws.
- F. The corporation shall not make any investments in such manner subject.

  It to tax under Section 4944 of the Internal Revenue Code, or corresponding provisions of any subsequent federal tax laws.
- G. The corporation shall not make any taxable expenditures as

Defined in Section 4945 (d) of the Internal Revenue Code, or Corresponding provisions of any subsequent federal tax laws.

- H. Not withstanding any other provision of these Articles of Incorporation, the corporation shall not conduct or carry on any activities not permitted to be conducted or carried on by an organization exempt from taxation under Section 501 (c) (3) of Internal Revenue Code and Regulations issued pursuant thereto as they now exist of as they may hereafter be amended, or by an organization, contributions to which are deductible under Section 170 (c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code and the Regulations as they now exist or as they may hereafter be amended.
- (1) Upon the dissolution of the corporation, the Board of Directors shall, after paying or making provisions for the payment of all of the liabilities for the corporation, dispose of all of the 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 a scientific purpose as shall at the time qualify as an exempt organization or organizations under Section 501 (c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code (or the corresponding provisions of any future United States Internal Revenue Law), as the Board of Directors shall be disposed of by the Circuit Court of the county in which the principal office of the corporation is then located, exclusively for the purpose or to such organization or organizations, as the Court shall determine, which are organized and operated exclusively for such purposes.

# **ARTICLE IV-QUALIFICATIONS**

The qualifications for members and the manner of their admission are:

Every contributor of cash donations or cash equivalent, shall thereby become a member of the corporation and shall be entitled to voice opinions and votes at the annual meeting of the members during the annual year of the corporation following the contribution. Failure to make an annual cash donation(s), or cash equivalent contribution(s) shall automatically terminate the membership of the contributor for the following year of the corporation. Further qualifications and specifics as of the corporation provided they are not inconsistent with these articles.

# ARTICLE V-INITIAL REGISTERED OFFICE AND AGENT

The street address of the initial registered office of this corporation:

Mount Zion Full Gospel Baptist Church Inc. is 9605 County Road 44 Leesburg,

Fl 34788. The name of the initial registered agent of this corporation is Lois

Hines at 9605 County Road 44, Leesburg, Fl 34788.

### ARTICLE VI-INITIAL BOARD OF DIRECTORS AND OFFICERS

This corporation shall have five (5) directors constituting the initial Board of Directors and the names and addresses of the persons who are to serve as the initial directors are:

# **DIRECTORS & OFFICERS**

**Broad of Director** 

Minister Charlotte Hines

#### NAMES:

Trustee Mattie Mae Bisbee, 3600 Radio Road, Leesburg, Fl 34788 Trustee Deacon Timothy Hines, 9825 County Rd 44, Leesburg, Fl 34788 Trustee Deacon Alphonso Blunt, 10835 Took St, Leesburg, Fl 34788 Trustee Pearl Miller, 9735 Variety Tree Road, Leesburg, Fl 34788 Trustee Janice Sistrunk, 9835 Variety Tree Road, Leesburg, Fl 34788

# **ARTICLE VII-STOCKS**

The name of the Incorporator is

**NAME** 

**ADDRESS** 

Minister Charlotte Hines

9726 Hickory Hollow Road Leesburg, Fl 34788

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Dated this day of Aug. 29, 2003

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned being the incorporator of this corporation has executed theses Articles of Incorporation.

Signature of Incorporator

# ACCEPTANCE BY REGISTERED AGENT

Having been named to accept service of the above stated corporation, at the place designated in this certificate, I hereby agree to act in the capacity, and I further agree to comply with the provisions of all statutes relative to the proper and complete performance of my duties, and I accept the duties and obligation of Section 607.325 Florida State Statutes.

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BEFORE ME, a Notary Public authorized to take acknowledgements in the State and County set forth above, personally

known to me and known by me to be the person who executed the foregoing Articles of Incorporation. IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal in the State and County aforesaid, this 2nd day of September, 2003. Lois

Hines is personally known to me.

Notary Public

State of Florida at Large My Commission expires:

