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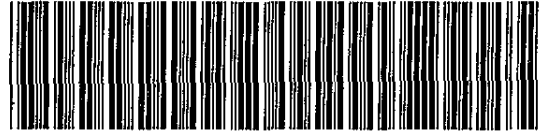
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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Department of State
Division of Corporations
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SUBJECT: Bailey Memorial Church of God in Christ
(PROPOSED CORPORATE NAME - MUST INCLUDE SUFFIX)

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

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Filing Fee
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☒ \$87.50
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& Certificate

ADDITIONAL COPY REQUIRED

FROM: Arthur Hayes
Name (Printed or typed)

750 NE 3rd Street
Address

Crystal River FL 34429
City, State & Zip

352-634-3987
Daytime Telephone number

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



FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE
Division of Corporations

April 3, 2006

ARTHUR HAYES
750 NE 3RD STREET
CRYSTAL RIVER, FL 4429

SUBJECT: BAILEY MEMORIAL CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST
Ref. Number: W06000015735

We have received your document for BAILEY MEMORIAL CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST and your check(s) totaling \$87.50. However, the enclosed document has not been filed and is being returned for the following correction(s):

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 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 RELIGIOUS CORPORATION**

Bailey Memorial Church of God In Christ, Inc.
(Florida Non-Profit Corporation)

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THE UNDERSIGNED, each with the capacity to contract, hereby executes and acknowledges these Articles of Incorporation for the purpose of forming a corporation not for profit under and by virtue of the State of Florida.

THE UNDERSIGNED HEREBY ADOPTS THE FOLLOWING ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION.

ARTICLE 1. NAME AND ADDRESS

The name of this corporation shall be **Bailey Memorial Church of God In Christ, Inc.**

The physical address of this corporation is **654 NORTHEAST 2ND STREET, CRYSTAL RIVER, FLORIDA 34429.**

ARTICLE 2. PURPOSE.

The specific purpose for which the corporation is initially organized is to support and maintain public worship of Almighty God in accordance with the doctrines and usages of the Holy Scriptures. Matthew 28:19-20, Mark 16:15-20. To consecrate Bishop, Elders, and ordain ministers who are divinely called and send them out according to their gifts and calling; who shall be required to teach and preach the gospel set forth in the Bible. II Timothy 4:2, 1 Timothy 3:1-15, 1 Timothy 5:17-21, Ephesians 4:11-14. To carry out the ordinances enacted by Christ and practiced by Apostles and fathers of the primitive church, namely, baptism (Matthew 28:19-20, Acts 8:12, 38, 39) and administration of the Lord's Supper followed by washing the Saints' feet as instituted by the Lord (St. John 15:4-17) and to also engage in activities which are necessary, suitable or convenient for the accomplishment of that purpose, or which are incidental thereto or connected therewith which are consistent with Section 501c(3) of the Internal Revenue Code. This corporation is organized and operated exclusively for religious purposes within the meaning of Section 501c(3), Internal Revenue Code.

Notwithstanding any other provision of these Articles, this corporation will not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on by (I) a corporation exempt from federal income tax under Section 501c(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 2004 or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue law. The purposes for which this corporation is organized are exclusively charitable, scientific, literary and educational within the meaning of Section 501c(3) of the Internal Code of 2004 or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue law.

ARTICLE 3. QUALIFICATION OF MEMBERS AND MANNER OF ADMISSION

The members of the corporation shall consist of any adult accepted by the Board of Directors expressing a desire to help further the purposes for which the corporation was organized, and who displays a willingness to regularly contribute time and service in this regard. A mature person who, of noble character and good reputation within the community, is willing to contribute time and money for this purpose may, upon request, be admitted to membership by vote of the majority of the Board of Directors.

Each member shall be entitled to at least one vote as a member of the corporation. The exact number of votes to be cast by the members and the manner of exercising voting rights shall be determined by the Bylaws of the corporation

ARTICLE 4. TERM

The date of commencement of corporate existence shall be when these Articles have been filed with the Department of State and approved by it and the respective filing fee has been paid; the term for which the corporation is to exist shall be perpetual. This corporation is organized and operated exclusively for religious purposes within the meaning of Section 501c(3), Internal Revenue Code. In the event of dissolution of the corporation, no part of the corporation's earnings or assets shall inure to the benefit of any of its members; the residual assets of the corporation shall be distributed to one or more organizations which themselves are exempt as organizations described in Section 501c(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 2004, or corresponding sections of any prior or future law, or to the federal, state or local government for exclusive public purposes.

ARTICLE 5. NON PROFIT ORGANIZATION

No part of the net earnings of the corporation shall ever inure 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 purposes set forth in Article 2. 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 (including the publishing or Notwithstanding any other provision to 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 501c(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 2006 or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue law or: (b) by a corporation, contributions to which are deductible of any future United States Internal Revenue laws.

ARTICLE 6. INITIAL REGISTERED OFFICE AND AGENT

The name of the Initial agent of the corporation is **ARTHUR HAYES** and the street address of the Initial Registered Office of this corporation is **750 NORTH EAST 3RD STREET, CRYSTAL RIVER, FLORIDA 34429.**

ARTICLE 7. INCORPORATORS

The names and residence addresses of the subscribers to these Articles are as follows:

<u>NAME</u>	<u>ADDRESS</u>
ARTHUR HAYES	750 NE 3 RD STREET CRYSTAL RIVER, FLORIDA 34429
OSIE MIZELL	1234 NE 2 ND STREET CRYSTAL RIVER, FLORIDA 34429
HOWARD BUCKINGHAM	5075 N. PERRY DRIVE BEVERLY HILLS, FLORIDA 34465

ARTICLE 8. OFFICERS

The officers whose positions and duties are set forth in the Bylaws will manage the affairs of this corporation. The Board of Directors shall elect the officers at its first meeting. If a vacancy occurs in any office it shall be filled by the Board of Directors. The names of the officers who are to serve until the first such election are as follows:

<u>NAME</u>	<u>OFFICE</u>
ARTHUR HAYES	PRESIDENT
HOWARD BUCKINGHAM	EXECUTIVE VICE-PRESIDENT
OSIE MIZELL	SECRETARY/TREASURER

ARTICLE 9. DIRECTORS

The Board of Directors of the corporation shall consist of no less than (3) directors as determined by the Bylaws. Directors shall be elected at the annual meeting of the members in the manner set forth in the Bylaws. Directors may be removed and the vacancies shall be filled in the manner provided by the Bylaws.

The Directors named in these Articles shall serve as Directors for the ensuing year, or until the first annual meeting of the corporation, and any vacancies before then shall be filled in the manner set forth in the Bylaws.

The Board of Directors shall have the authority to make provision for reasonable compensation to its members for their services as Directors and to fix the basis and conditions upon which this compensation shall be paid. Any Director may also serve the corporation in any other capacity and receive compensation there from in any form.

The names and addresses of the first Board of Directors are as follows:

NAME

ADDRESS

ARTHUR HAYES

750 NE 3RD STREET
CRYSTAL RIVER, FLORIDA 34429

OSIE MIZELL

1234 NE 2ND STREET
CRYSTAL RIVER, FLORIDA 34429

HOWARD BUCKINGHAM

5075 N PERRY DRIVE
BEVERLY HILLS, FLORIDA 34465

ARTICLE 10. BYLAWS

The first Bylaws of the corporation shall be adopted by the Board of Directors and may be amended, altered or rescinded by the Board of Directors in the manner provided by such Bylaws.

ARTICLE 11. AMENDMENTS TO ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

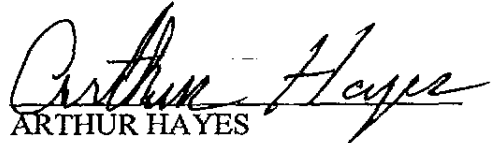
These Articles of Incorporation may be amended in the manner provided by statute or in the following manner:

Every amendment shall be approved by the Board of Directors, proposed by them to the members and approved at a membership meeting for which due notice of the proposed amendment was given, by affirmative vote of a quorum of the members present.

Provided however, that no amendment shall make any changes in the qualifications for membership nor voting rights of members without approval in writing by all members.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, for the purposes of becoming a corporation not for profit under the provisions of the laws of Florida, do make and affix our signatures to acknowledge and file in the office of the Secretary of State these Articles of Incorporation.

WITNESS our respective hands and seals on the dates and places indicated below.


ARTHUR HAYES


OSIE MIZELL


HOWARD BUCKINGHAM

Having been named as Registered Agent to accept service of process for the above stated corporation at the place designated in this certificate, I am familiar with and accept the appointment as Registered Agent and agree to act in this capacity.


ARTHUR HAYES
REGISTERED AGENT

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