

Division of Corporations  
**NO7000002643**

Page 1 of 1

Florida Department of State  
Division of Corporations  
Public Access System

Electronic Filing Cover Sheet

**Note: Please print this page and use it as a cover sheet. Type the fax audit number (shown below) on the top and bottom of all pages of the document.**

(((H07000065954 3)))



H070000659543ABC3

**Note: DO NOT hit the REFRESH/RELOAD button on your browser from this page. Doing so will generate another cover sheet.**

To:

Division of Corporations  
Fax Number : (850) 205-0381

From:

Account Name : A.B.S. OF JACKSONVILLE, INC.  
Account Number : I20010000215  
Phone : (904) 777-1533  
Fax Number : (904) 777-1717

**FLORIDA PROFIT/NON PROFIT CORPORATION**

**Gethsemane Baptist Church, Inc.**

Certificate of Status	1
Certified Copy	0
Page Count	01
Estimated Charge	\$78.75

SECRET  
STATE  
TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA

07 MAR 13 PM 12:20

APPROVED  
AND  
FILED

Electronic Filing Menu

Corporate Filing Menu

Help

B. McKnight MAR 14 2007

<https://efile.sunbiz.org/scripts/efilcovr.exe>

03/13/2007

H070000065954 3

**ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION**  
In Compliance with Chapter 617, F.S., (Not For Profit)

**ARTICLE I. NAME**

The name of the Corporation shall be: Gethsemane Baptist Church, Inc.

**ARTICLE II. PRINCIPAL OFFICE**

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

7798 Ortega Bluff Parkway  
Jacksonville, FL 32244

**ARTICLE III. PURPOSE:**

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

To provide missionary work, Christian Counseling, and to teach the word of God.

Said corporation is organized exclusively for charitable, religious, educational and scientific purposes, including for such purposes, the making of distributions to organizations under Section 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code (or the corresponding section of any future Federal tax code.)

No part of the net earnings of the corporation or organization shall inure to the benefit of or be distributable to its members, trustees, directors, officers, or other private persons, except that the corporation or organization shall be authorized and empowered To pay reasonable compensation for services rendered and to make payments and distributions in furtherance of Section 501 (c)(3) purposes.

Notwithstanding any other provision of these articles, the corporation or organization shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on (a) by a corporation or organization exempt from Federal income tax under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code (or corresponding section of any future Federal tax code) or (b) by a corporation or organization, contributions to which are deductible under Section 170 (c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code (or corresponding section of any future Federal tax code.)

Upon the dissolution of the corporation or organization, assets shall be distributed for one or more exempt purposes within the meaning of Section 501 (c)(3) of the Internal Revenue code, or corresponding section of any future Federal tax code, or shall be distributed to the Federal government, or to a state or local government, for a public purpose

APPROVED  
AND  
FILED

07 MAR 13 PM 12:20

SECRETARY OF STATE  
TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA

H070000065954 3

HD70000065454 3

However, if the named recipient is not then in existence or no longer a qualified distributee, or unwilling or unable to accept the distribution, then the assets of this corporation or organization shall be distributed to a fund, foundation, or corporation organized and operated exclusively for the purposes specified in section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code (or corresponding section of any future Federal tax code.)

**ARTICLE IV. MANNER OF ELECTION OF DIRECTORS**

The manner in which the directors are elected or appointed is initially by the authority of the President of the corporation: The initial officers will hold their office for four years. In subsequent years the officers will be elected by the members of the organization and will serve four year terms.

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

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

Herman Lewis,  
7798 Ortega Bluff Parkway  
Jacksonville, FL 32244

**ARTICLE VI. INITIAL OFFICERS**

The name and address of the officers and specific titles of the corporation are:

President  
Herman Lewis  
7798 Ortega Bluff Parkway  
Jacksonville, FL 32244

Vice-President  
Lawanda Lewis  
7798 Ortega Bluff Parkway  
Jacksonville, FL 32244

Secretary  
Latoya Lewis  
7798 Ortega Bluff Parkway  
Jacksonville, FL 32244

Treasurer  
Bernadette Lewis  
7798 Ortega Bluff Parkway  
Jacksonville, FL 32244

HD70000065454 2  
PAGE 03

09011

78131713187

03/13/2007 12:56

H07000005154 3

**ARTICLE VII. INCORPORATOR(S)**

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

Herman Lewis  
7798 Ortega Bluff Parkway  
Jacksonville, FL 32244

Lawanda Lewis  
7798 Ortega Bluff Parkway  
Jacksonville, FL 32244

Latoya Lewis  
7798 Ortega Bluff Parkway  
Jacksonville, FL 32244

Bernadette Lewis  
7798 Ortega Bluff Parkway  
Jacksonville, FL 32244

Herman Lewis  
Herman Lewis, Incorporator

Lawanda Lewis  
Lawanda Lewis, Incorporator

Bernadette Lewis  
Bernadette Lewis, Incorporator

Latoya Lewis  
Latoya Lewis, Incorporator

Having been named as registered agent and to accept service of process for the above stated corporation at the place of 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.

Herman Lewis  
Signature/ Registered Agent

3/13/07  
Date

SECRETARY OF STATE  
TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA

07 MAR 13 PM 12:20

APPROVED  
AND  
FILED

H07000005954 3