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

**SUBJECT:** SonLife Church, Inc.  
(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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**FROM:** Law Offices of John F. Tolson, Jr.  
Name (Printed or typed)

462 Kingsley Avenue, Suite 101  
Address

Orange Park, Florida 32073  
City, State & Zip

904-269-0050  
Daytime Telephone number

E-mail address: (to be used for future annual report notification)

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

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**ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION  
OF  
SONLIFE CHURCH, INC.  
(a not for profit corporation)**

We, the undersigned, with other persons being desirous of being incorporated under the laws of the State of Florida applicable to corporations, not for profit, in order to form a religious society, respectfully petition the Secretary of State for approval of such corporation under the following proposed Articles of Incorporation.

**ARTICLE I  
NAME AND ADDRESS**

The name of this corporation is SONLIFE CHURCH, INC. and the street address is 12932 Indigo River Court, Jacksonville, Florida 32224.

**ARTICLE II  
PURPOSE**

The purpose of this corporation shall be to establish and maintain a place of worship in Duval County, Florida, which is Presbyterian in polity and reformed in doctrine as a particular church within the Florida Presbytery of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church; to establish, maintain, and conduct schools for the religious instruction of the youth; to further other religious and benevolent work, and to that end, adopt and establish by-laws; to make all necessary rules and regulations for the management of its affairs, in accordance with law and not inconsistent with these Articles of Incorporation. The purposes for which the Corporation is formed are more fully set forth in the Standards of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church:

Confession of Faith  
Larger Catechism  
Shorter Catechism  
Form of Government  
Book of Discipline  
Book of Worship

In furtherance of the Standards of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church, the Corporation shall exercise powers as set out herein, and permissible for not for profit corporation under the laws of the State of Florida and to organize, conduct and carry on various plans, efforts and undertakings for the general, spiritual, moral and social well-being and improvement of its members and of the community in which they live.

**ARTICLE III  
QUALIFICATION OF MEMBERS**

Persons admitted as communicant members and whose names are carried on the Active Roll of Members maintained by the Session of the SonLife Church shall be members of the Corporation.

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## **ARTICLE VII DIRECTORS**

The Directors shall be those persons who are elected, installed and serving as active elders (both teaching and ruling) of the session of SonLife Church. They must also be eligible under civil law.

The names and addresses of the initial directors of the Corporation are as follows:

<u>NAME</u>	<u>ADDRESS</u>
Wesley G. Spring, Jr.	4413 Shad Drive Sebring, Florida 33870
Anatol A. Lazanowski	3235 Lark Lane Mulberry, Florida 33860
John G. Brandies	404 Sunshine Drive Lake Wales, Florida 33859

## **ARTICLE VIII BY-LAWS**

The Directors may provide such by-laws for the conduct of its business and carrying out of its purposes as may be necessary from time to time. Upon proper notice, the by-laws may be amended, altered or rescinded by a majority vote of those members of the Board of Directors present at any regular meeting or any special meeting called for that purpose. The Members may also amend the By Laws by special meeting called for that purpose and a majority vote of members present at any such special meeting shall be required to approve By Law Amendments. The bylaws of the Corporation shall be in conformity with the form of government as set forth in the Standards of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church, as it is now or shall be, from time to time amended, established, made, and declared by the authority of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church.

## **ARTICLE IX AMENDMENTS**

These Articles of Incorporation may be amended at any called members meeting, upon notice given, for the purpose of considering amendments to the Articles of Incorporation, and such amendments shall become effective upon a favorable vote of a majority of those present, and voting who constitute a quorum provided that the articles of incorporation must at all times and in all respects remain in conformity with the Standards of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church.

## **ARTICLE X RESTRICTIONS ON CORPORATIONS EXEMPT FROM FEDERAL TAXATION**

No part of the assets of the Corporation shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to its members, trustees, officers, or other private persons, except that the Corporation shall be

**ARTICLE IV  
TERM OF EXISTENCE**

This corporation is to exist perpetually.

**ARTICLE V  
SUBSCRIBERS**

The names and residences of the subscribers to these Articles are:

<u>NAME</u>	<u>ADDRESS</u>
Robert C. Hovey, Sr.	12932 Indigo River Court Jacksonville, Florida 32223
Wesley G. Spring, Jr.	4413 Shad Drive Sebring, Florida 33870
Anatol A. Lazanowski	3235 Lark Lane Mulberry, Florida 33860
John G. Brandies	404 Sunshine Drive Lake Wales, Florida 33859

**ARTICLE VI  
OFFICERS**

Section 1. The officers of the corporation shall be a congregational chairman, congregational treasurer, and such other officers as may be provided in the by-laws or approved by the Session.

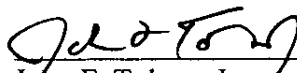
Section 2. The names and addresses of the persons who are to serve as officers of the corporation until the first meeting of the Board of Directors are:

<u>OFFICE</u>	<u>NAME</u>	<u>ADDRESS</u>
Congregational Chairman:	Wesley Spring	4413 Shad Drive Sebring, Florida 33870
Secretary:	Dail Hovey	12932 Indigo River Court Jacksonville, Florida 32224
Congregational Treasurer:	Amanda McKenzie	6669 Marblow Drive Jacksonville, Florida 32277

Section 3. The name and address of the initial registered agent shall be:

John F. Tolson, Jr.  
462 Kingsley Avenue, Suite 101  
Orange Park, FL 32073

Section 4. The undersigned hereby accepts the appointment as Registered Agent of SonLife Church, Inc., and is familiar with and accepts the duties and responsibilities of Registered Agent.

  
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John F. Tolson, Jr.  
Registered Agent

authorized and empowered to pay reasonable compensation for services rendered and to make payments and distributions in furtherance of the purposes of the Corporation. Notwithstanding any other provision of 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 501 (c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or corresponding section of any future federal tax code, or (b) by a corporation, contributions to which are deductible under Section 170(c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code, or corresponding section of any future federal tax code.

## ARTICLE XI DISSOLUTION

Corporation may be dissolved in accordance with procedures set forth in the applicable guidelines as found in Form of Government manual of The Standards of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church.

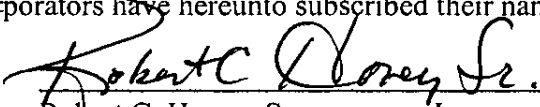
## ARTICLE XII CHURCH PROPERTY

Title to church property on which the sanctuary and educational buildings are situated, together with adjacent parking lot, shall be acquired, mortgaged, held and transferred by the congregation under the jurisdiction and control of the Presbytery, with the congregation paying all expenses incident or appurtenant thereto.

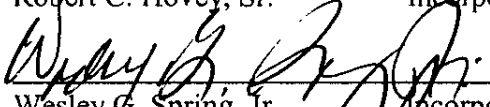
Title to all other church property shall be acquired, mortgaged, held and transferred by the congregations and shall not be subject to the control or jurisdiction of the Presbytery, subject only to the right of appeal of any member of the congregation.

The disposition of corporate property upon the withdrawal of the church from the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church shall be governed by Chapter III of the Form of Government of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church at the time of any withdrawal.

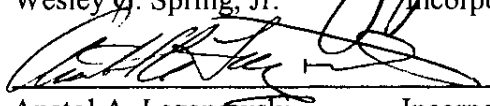
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned incorporators have hereunto subscribed their names on this 18 day of May, 2009.

  
Robert C. Hovey, Sr.

Incorporator

  
Wesley G. Spring, Jr.

Incorporator

  
Anatol A. Lazanowski

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