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**ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION  
OF  
JOSHUACORD, INC.**

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The undersigned, acting as the incorporator of JoshuaCord, Inc. under the Florida Not For Profit Corporation Act, adopts the following Articles of Incorporation:

**ARTICLE I. NAME**

The name of the corporation is: JoshuaCord, Inc.

**ARTICLE II. PRINCIPAL OFFICE**

The mailing address and street address of the principal business office of the corporation are 2707 Fairway View Drive, Valrico, Florida 33596.

**ARTICLE III. PURPOSES**

The corporation is organized to establish a non-profit, non-political, non-partisan organization for the following general purposes:

- (a) To enhance and educate the Christian community's awareness in the United States regarding the persecution of Christians who are in prison, tortured or killed for the Christian faith;
- (b) To serve as a center for advocacy and education that will mobilize and connect Christians in the United States to threatened, persecuted, imprisoned, and harassed Christian believers, churches and families in countries that seek to punish, harass and intimidate individuals that choose to follow and act upon their Christian faith;
- (c) To facilitate, support and foster a network of local coordinators that will provide support, assistance and act as a conduit in channeling information and assistance to persecuted Christians in these impacted communities;
- (d) To provide local churches and believers in the United States with tangible opportunities to provide support, assistance, advocacy and encouragement for Christians who are being persecuted for their faith in other countries;
- (e) To solicit and obtain grants and charitable contributions from individuals, corporations, governmental boards and agencies, and other public and private sources to fund the activities of the corporation;

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- (f) To oversee, monitor and coordinate the corporation's humanitarian efforts to children, families and pastors affected by efforts to harass, persecute, imprison or harm Christians who exercise their faith;
- (g) To assist and support through donations and other means other charitable organizations that promote the same or similar purposes as the corporation and to which contributions are deductible under Section 170(c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986;
- (h) To partner with organizations and ministries that advocate for, educate, support, minister to and encourage Christians around the world who are persecuted for their faith; and
- (i) To transact any and all other lawful activities that are incidental to the foregoing general purposes and for which a corporation can be organized under the Florida Not For Profit Corporation Act, except as restricted by other provisions of these Articles of Incorporation.

The corporation is organized exclusively for charitable, educational, and scientific purposes within the meaning of Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended. The corporation has and may exercise all powers conferred on a corporation not for profit under the laws of the State of Florida. However, the corporation shall not engage in any activity that would cause either (a) the corporation to cease to be exempt from income taxation under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, or the corresponding provision of any superseding United States income tax law, or (b) contributions to the corporation to cease to be deductible under Section 170(c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, or the corresponding provision of any superseding United States income tax law. In addition, the corporation shall not engage in any activity attempting to influence legislation by propaganda or otherwise and shall not participate or intervene in any political campaign on behalf of a candidate for public office. The corporation shall not permit any of its assets or income to inure to the benefit of any director, officer, or other private individual. Upon its dissolution, the corporation shall adopt a plan that provides for (i) the return, transfer, or conveyance of all its remaining assets that are held on the condition that they be returned, transferred, or conveyed upon the dissolution of the corporation and (ii) the distribution of all its other remaining assets, after the payment of all liabilities of the corporation and all costs and expenses of dissolution, for a public purpose to either the Federal government, a state or local government, or one or more organizations that then qualify for exemption from income taxation under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended (or the corresponding provision of any superseding United States income tax law).

#### **ARTICLE IV. MEMBERS**

The corporation shall not have any members.

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**ARTICLE V. DIRECTORS**

The directors of the corporation will be elected as provided in the Bylaws of the corporation. The number of directors can be increased or decreased from time to time as provided in the bylaws of the corporation, but the corporation shall never have fewer than three nor more than 15 directors. The name and street address of the initial directors are:

Name	Address
Patrick R. Carberry	2707 Fairway View Drive Valrico, FL 33596
Kimberly Carberry Gilchrist	2707 Fairway View Drive Valrico, FL 33596
Mark Zajac	5013 West Azeele Street Tampa, FL 33609

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**ARTICLE VI. INITIAL REGISTERED AGENT AND OFFICE**

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

Bush Ross Registered Agent Services, LLC  
1801 N. Highland Avenue  
Tampa, FL 33602

**ARTICLE VII. INCORPORATOR**


The name and street address of the incorporator of the corporation are:

Randy K. Sterns  
1801 N. Highland Avenue  
Tampa, FL 33602

**ARTICLE VIII. BYLAWS AND AMENDMENTS**

The power to adopt, amend, and repeal bylaws of the corporation is vested in its Board of Directors. The corporation reserves the right to amend any provision of these Articles of Incorporation in the manner prescribed by law pursuant to a resolution adopted by the affirmative vote of a majority of all the directors of the corporation.

EXECUTED: January 9, 2013

  
Randy K. Sterns  
Incorporator

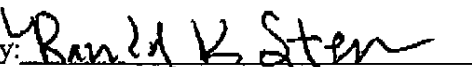
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Having been named as registered agent and to accept service of process for the above stated corporation at the place designated in these Articles of Incorporation, I hereby accept the appointment as registered agent and agree to act in this capacity. 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.

**BUSH ROSS REGISTERED AGENT SERVICES, LLC**

By:

  
Randy K. Stern, Vice-PresidentJanuary 29, 2013  
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