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**FLORIDA PROFIT/NON PROFIT CORPORATION**  
**JEWISH MESSIANIC CONGREGATION OF JACKSONVILLE, INC.,**

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**ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION  
OF  
JEWISH MESSIANIC CONGREGATION OF JACKSONVILLE. INC.,**

In compliance with Chapter 617, F.S., (Not for Profit)

**ARTICLE I  
CORPORATE NAME**

The name of the corporation is:

**JEWISH MESSIANIC CONGREGATION OF JACKSONVILLE. INC.,**

**ARTICLE II  
CORPORATE ADDRESS**

The principal place of business and street address of the Corporation is:

4568 Princess Labeth Court  
Jacksonville, Florida 32258

**ARTICLE III  
DURATION**

The term of existence of the corporation is perpetual.

**ARTICLE IV  
GENERAL AND SPECIFIC PURPOSES**

**Section I – General Purpose**

JEWISH MESSIANIC CONGREGATION OF JACKSONVILLE. INC., is a Messianic ministry, founded under biblical principles. Its primary purpose is to reach the Jewish and Non-Jewish communities with the Good News of Messiah Yeshua. See people come into the Kingdom of God.

**Our Mission:** Our mission is to become a worshipping community that seeks to embody the holistic ministry of Yeshua Messiah (Jesus Christ) in reaching the

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soul, spirit, and body of every person with the transforming power of God's word, ministering locally and globally (Matthew 4:23).

**Preaching the Gospel:** We believe in expanding the Kingdom at a local, national, and international level, through every means available to us (Matthew 24:14).

Besides being engaged in this ministry directly we will also provide teaching material for rabbis, pastors, messianic congregations, churches, missions, fellowship, and other groups and conduct seminars to help in this endeavor both here and around the world.

Said corporation will govern itself and conduct its own affairs according to the Holy Scriptures (the bible). This right shall include such matters as the hiring of employees, election or appointment of the Board of Directors and Officers, the conduct of its own services, performance of weddings and funerals, if it chooses to do so, usage of facilities, program(s), and all business and spiritual matters.

As such, this corporation may also seek relationships with the public, private, social welfare, and governmental organizations. We may conduct fundraising to accomplish our purpose which could include, person to person, mailings, conferences, community events, website, and internet social media. We may desire to partner with other (public and private) organizations along with local, state, and federal agencies in this regard. This may include a network of business and community leaders to partner with us to fulfill our vision and develop programs giving assistance to those in our community. Donations received will be used to accomplish these goals.

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**Section II – Internal Revenue Service**

Said corporation is organized exclusively for charitable, religious, educational purposes, including, for such purposes, the making of distributions to organizations that qualify as exempt 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 organization shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to its directors, trustees, 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 IV hereof.

No 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 publishing or distribution of statements) any political campaign on behalf of or in opposition to any candidate for public office.

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Notwithstanding any other provision of these Articles, the corporation shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on.

- (a) by an organization exempt from Federal income tax under section 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future Federal tax code, or
- (b) by an 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.

**ARTICLE V  
AFFILIATION**

While maintaining its inherent rights to sovereignty in the conduct of its own affairs as herein set forth, the Corporation voluntarily commits to enter partnership with like-minded messianic, church and community organizations as it sees fit or is necessary to accomplish its mission.

**ARTICLE VI  
PASTORAL CARE AND LEADERSHIP**

The Rabbi/Pastor shall be the spiritual leader of the congregation. The qualifications, process and vote required to approve or remove a Senior Rabbi/Pastor shall be contained in the Bylaws.

**ARTICLE VII  
MEMBERS**

Membership in the congregation shall be available to those persons who qualify per the Holy Scripture and the Bylaws.

**ARTICLE VIII  
CORPORATE BOARD OF DIRECTORS AND OFFICERS**

The Board of Directors are the legal governing authority of the congregation. The directors and officers of the corporation shall be persons of mature experience and knowledge. The way the directors and officers are elected or appointed shall be set forth in the Bylaws.

The Board of Directors are authorized to lease, purchase, mortgage, encumber, and sell part or all the Corporations real property and personal assets. The Board of Directors are also authorized to apply for all Federal, State, and local grants and financial assistance and aid to supplement our community outreaches.

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The Directors named herein as the first Board of Directors shall hold office until their successors are elected or appointed and qualified. The names and addresses of the first members of the Board of Directors are as follows:

**Rev. Yuri Korshun**  
4568 Princess Labeth Court  
Jacksonville, Florida 32258

**Derek B. Bammer**  
2479 Ambrosia Drive  
Middleburg, FL 32068

**Ulrike A. Lyon**  
3934 Alcazar Avenue  
Jacksonville, FL 32207

The Board of Directors shall elect or appoint the following officers: President, Secretary and Treasurer, and such other officers as the Bylaws of the corporation may authorize the directors to elect or appoint from time to time. Said initial Officers are empowered to open and close bank accounts, request an EIN, hire a CPA and other associated matters.

The names and addresses of the initial Officers are as follows:

**President:**  
**Rev. Yuri Korshun**  
4568 Princess Labeth Court  
Jacksonville, Florida 32258

**Secretary:**  
**Derek B. Bammer**  
2479 Ambrosia Drive  
Middleburg, FL 32068

**Treasurer:**  
**Ulrike A. Lyon**  
3934 Alcazar Avenue  
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**ARTICLE IX  
DISSOLUTION**

Upon the dissolution of the organization, none of its funds or assets shall be distributed to any director, officer, employee, trustee, or any other individual. The board shall, after paying or making provision for the payment of all the liabilities of the Corporation, distribute funds and assets for one or more exempt purposes

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within the meaning of section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or corresponding section of any future federal tax code. Any such funds or assets not so disposed of shall be disposed of by the Circuit Court of the county in which the principal office of the corporation is then located, exclusively for such purposes or to such organization or organizations, as said Court shall determine, which are organized and operated exclusively for such religious outreach purposes.

**ARTICLE X  
REGISTERED AGENT AND OFFICE**

The corporation's registered agent and office is:

Rev. Yuri Korshun  
4568 Princess Labeth Court  
Jacksonville, Florida 32258

**ARTICLE XI  
INCORPORATOR**

The name and address of the incorporator of the corporation:

Rev. Yuri Korshun  
4568 Princess Labeth Court  
Jacksonville, Florida 32258

**ARTICLE XII: INDEMNIFICATION**

This Corporation shall indemnify any Director or Officer, or former Director and Officer, against expenses and necessarily incurred by him/her (legal fees or otherwise) or any amount paid in satisfaction of judgments about any suit or proceeding, whether civil or criminal in nature, in which he/she is named a party because of being or having been such Director or Officer. No Director, Officer, or former Director and Officer is eligible for indemnification if he/she pleads guilty or is convicted of a crime associated with the Corporation or its affiliates.

**ARTICLE XIII: AMENDMENT**

This corporation reserves the right to amend, alter, change, or repeal any provision contained in the Articles of Incorporation, or any amendments hereto, and to enact a Constitution and By-Laws, in manner now or hereafter prescribed by law and all rights conferred on Directors and Officers herein are granted subject to this reservation. These Articles of Incorporation may be amended at any time by a 2/3rds vote of the Directors of the corporation at any regular meeting or at a special meeting called for that purpose.

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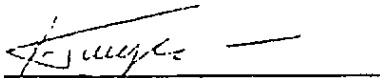
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*Having been named as registered agent to accept service of process for the above stated corporation at the place designated in this certificate, I am familiar with and accept the appointment as registered agent and agree to act in this capacity.*

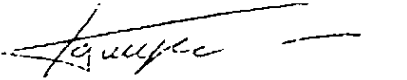
**Required Signature of Registered Agent:**



Rev. Yuri Korshun  
4568 Princess Labeth Court  
Jacksonville, Florida 32258  
**REGISTERED AGENT**  
Date: August 12, 2022

*I submit this document and affirm that the facts stated herein are true. I am aware that any false information submitted in a document to the Department of State constitutes a third-degree felony as provided for in s.817.155, F.S.*

**Required Signature of Incorporator:**



Rev. Yuri Korshun  
4568 Princess Labeth Court  
Jacksonville, Florida 32258  
**Incorporator**  
DATE: August 12, 2022

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