

# State of Idaho

## Department of State

### CERTIFICATE OF INCORPORATION OF

FIRST BIBLE BAPTIST CHURCH, INC.

I, PETE T. CENARRUSA, Secretary of State of the State of Idaho, hereby certify that duplicate originals of Articles of Incorporation for the incorporation of FIRST BIBLE BAPTIST CHURCH, INC.

duly signed pursuant to the provisions of the Idaho Nonprofit Corporation Act, have been received in this office and are found to conform to law.

ACCORDINGLY and by virtue of the authority vested in me by law, I issue this Certificate of Incorporation and attach hereto a duplicate original of the Articles of Incorporation.

Dated January 28, 1988.



*Pete T. Cenarrusa*  
SECRETARY OF STATE

*Jedra Maurer*  
Corporation Clerk

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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

OF

FIRST BIBLE BAPTIST CHURCH, INC.

The undersigned, acting as incorporators under the Idaho Non-profit Corporation Act, hereby adopt the following Articles of Incorporation.

ARTICLE ONE

NAME

The name of the corporation is First Bible Baptist Church, Inc.

ARTICLE TWO

NONPROFIT CORPORATION

The corporation is a nonprofit corporation.

ARTICLE THREE

DURATION

The duration of the corporation shall be perpetual.

ARTICLE FOUR

PURPOSES AND POWERS

The purposes for which this corporation is formed are:

1. To have specifically, and exclusively, a religious, educational and charitable purpose for all its activities, and to have no purpose nor engage in any activity which would not be religious, educational or charitable within the meaning of Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986;
2. To preach and teach the Word of God and to administer the ordinances of the New Testament;
3. To foster spiritual growth of its members;
4. To minister to the community and to spread the Gospel through supporting local and foreign missions;

5. To have, exercise, and enjoy all powers now or hereafter granted to corporations organized under the laws of the State of Idaho, and particularly all the powers and privileges granted to corporations under Title 30, Chapter 3, Idaho Code, the Idaho Nonprofit Corporation Act, and in present and future amendments thereto, and to engage in any other activity and to do any act or other thing necessary to carry into effect the aforementioned purposes; and

6. To exercise and perform all of the above described powers both within and without the State of Idaho.

#### ARTICLE FIVE

##### MEMBERSHIP

This corporation is organized without capital stock and the rights and interests of all members shall be equal and no member shall acquire a greater interest therein than any other member; membership in the corporation may be acquired in such manner and upon such terms and conditions as shall be prescribed by the by-laws.

#### ARTICLE SIX

##### LOCATION

The location and address of the initial registered office of the corporation is 1159 Blaine Ave., Idaho Falls, Idaho, 83402, and the name of its initial registered agent at such address is Pastor Shurldin P. Mackes.

#### ARTICLE SEVEN

##### INCORPORATORS

The name and address of each incorporator is:

<u>NAME</u>	<u>ADDRESS</u>
Shurldin P. Mackes	1159 Blaine Ave. Idaho Falls, Idaho 83402

#### ARTICLE EIGHT

##### BOARD OF DIRECTORS

The number of directors constituting the initial Board

of Directors shall be three (3) and the names and addresses of the persons who are to serve as Directors or until their successors are elected and shall qualify are:

1. Shurldin P. Mackes      1159 Blaine Ave., Idaho Falls,  
Idaho 83402
2. Vern Johnson            10 Honeybee Lane, Idaho Falls,  
Idaho 83402
3. Thomas Glon             Rt. 1, Box 113W, Rigby, Idaho  
83442

#### ARTICLE NINE

##### LIMITATIONS ON ACTIVITIES AND EXPENDITURES

No part of the earnings of the corporation shall 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 IV hereof. No substantial part of the activities of the organization 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 any candidate for public office. Notwithstanding any other provisions of these articles, the organization shall not carry on any other activities not permitted by an organization exempt from Federal Income Tax under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law) or by an organization, contributions to which are deductible under Section 170(c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (or the corresponding provisions of any future United States Internal Revenue Law).

#### ARTICLE TEN

##### DISSOLUTION

Upon the dissolution of the corporation, the Board of Directors shall, after paying or making provision for the payment of all of the liabilities of the corporation, dispose of all the assets of the corporation used exclusively for the purposes of the corporation in such manner, or to such organization or organizations organized and operated exclusively for religious,

charitable, educational, literary, or scientific purposes and which shall at the time qualify as an exempt organization or organizations under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law), as the Board of Directors shall determine; provided however, and subject to the above limitations, if any of such assets have been acquired under a Federal grant or contract, their disposition shall be made in accordance with the appropriate instructions of the governmental official responsible under the law for the providing of such instructions under such circumstances. All such assets not so disposed of shall be disposed of by the District 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 charitable, educational or scientific purposes.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hand and seal this 27 day of January, 1988.

  
Shurldin P. Mackes

STATE OF IDAHO )  
County of Bonneville ) ss.

On this 27 day of January, 1988, before me, a Notary Public in and for said State, personally appeared Shurldin P. Mackes, known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the within and foregoing instrument, and acknowledged to me that he executed the same.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal, the day and year in this certificate first above written.

(SEAL)

  
Notary Public for Idaho  
Residing at Blackfoot, Idaho  
My Commission Expires: 9/3/93