

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

NONPROFIT CORPORATION

Pursuant to law in the State of Kentucky as set out in KRS §14A and § 273, the undersigned majority of whom are citizens of the United States, do hereby submit these Articles of Incorporation for the purpose of forming a nonprofit corporation.

ARTICLE 1- *Name*

The name of the corporation is: Friendship International of Lexington, Inc.

ARTICLE 2 - *Existence*

The corporation shall have perpetual existence.

ARTICLE 3 - *Effective Date*

The effective date of incorporation shall be upon filing by the Secretary of State.

ARTICLE 4 - *Members*

The corporation will not have members.

ARTICLE 5 - *Type of non profit corporation*

The corporation is not for profit and a Religious Charitable Organization.

ARTICLE 6 - *Principal Office*

The principal office and mailing address of the corporation is:
c/o Immanuel Baptist Church, 3100 Tates Creek Road, Lexington, Kentucky 40502

ARTICLE 7 - *Registered Agent*

The registered agent is Barnard Law Office, PLLC and the street address of the corporations initial registered office is 304 East Main Street, Suite 6, Wilmore, Kentucky 40390.

ARTICLE 8 - *Directors*

The corporation's initial directors are as follows:

Judy Metcalf at 20 Veterans Drive, Wilmore, Kentucky 40390
Anne Brock at 3337 Braemer Drive, Lexington, Kentucky 40502
Regina Dongell at 2145 Handy's Bend Road, Wilmore, Kentucky 40390
Ron Edmondson at 3100 Tates Creek Road, Lexington, Kentucky 40502
Kim Okkeson at 109 Callis Circle, Wilmore, Kentucky 40390
Debbie Hallock at 315 Garden Road, Lexington, Kentucky 40502

ARTICLE 10 - *Indemnification*

The corporation does indemnify any directors, officers, employees, incorporators, and members of the corporation from any liability regarding the corporation and the affairs of the corporation, unless the

person fraudulently and intentionally violated the law and/or maliciously conducted acts to damage and/or defraud the corporation, or as otherwise provided under applicable statute.

ARTICLE 11 - Purpose

The purpose of the corporation is exclusively for charitable, religious, and 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 and herein stated as follows:

It is the mission of Friendship International of Lexington, Inc. to offer Christian friendship, express Christian love, and convey the gospel (in deed and word) to international persons (primarily women) living in the USA (particularly the Lexington Kentucky area).

Friendship International of Lexington, Inc. will offer programs and classes of information, interest, education, and entertainment to international persons living in the Lexington Kentucky area. Through these avenues the volunteers and staff of Friendship International of Lexington, Inc. will work to develop genuine friendships and relationships with the international persons. In our relationships we will express the love of Christ and the message of the gospel (under the direction of the Holy Spirit).

The character and essence of the corporation is the same as the purpose.

ARTICLE 12 - Prohibited Activities

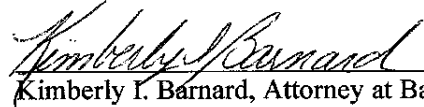
No part of the net earnings of the corporation shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to its members, trustees, officers, or other private persons, except that the corporation shall be authorized and empowered to pay reasonable compensation for services rendered and to make payments and distributions in furtherance of the purposes set forth in Article 11. No substantial 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. Notwithstanding any other provision of these articles, this corporation shall not, except to an insubstantial degree, engage in any activities or exercise any powers that are not in furtherance of the purposes of this corporation.

ARTICLE 13 - Distributions Upon Dissolution

Upon the dissolution of the corporation, after paying or making provisions for the payment of all the legal liabilities of the corporation, assets shall be distributed for one or more exempt purposes within the meaning of section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the 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. Any such assets not so disposed of shall be disposed of by a court of competent jurisdiction 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 purposes.

ARTICLE 14 - Incorporator

The name and address of the Incorporator is:
Barnard Law Office, PLLC, 304 East Main Street, Suite 6, Wilmore, Kentucky 40390



Kimberly I. Barnard, Attorney at Barnard Law Office, PLLC

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