

EVERY WEEK something is happening—amazing escapes, often with the element of tragedy, boats apprehended by Castro's coast guards.

I urge you to read the story in May's *Readers Digest* of the Cuban captain who defected with an 85-foot boat. Since I first heard the story I have had a great burden to know this valiant man.

A few weeks ago I baptized the woman who sewed together an American flag from pieces of clothing taken from women on the boat. She became a faithful member of our Spanish Free Will Baptist church here in Miami, but is now relocated in New York. Others from the boat were converted and became concerned for the captain.

Last week I finally met him. I went to his home, and my heart was moved by the dire need of his family of nine children with very little clothing and no food. I saw five potatoes and asked the Mother if she had meat. She would not answer me. I looked TO PAGE TWO

#### THE DOORWAY OF HOPE / BREAD CAST UPON THE WATERS

in my pocket-book—broke again.

I went out to the car to pray then thought to look into my papers. There I found ten dollars someone had given me for just such an urgent need. I placed the money in her hands and saw the value of the gospel rise in her eyes.

Emboldened by the confidence that we meant business, she said, "El Captitan cannot read the little book you gave him. would you help us to get some glasses for him from somewhere?" My brother-in-law passed away a few months ago and left two pairs of glasses. Sunday afternoon I took them over and found one pair a perfect fit. Our Lord never fails us in the time of need.

Captain Rafael went to a gospel service for the first time in his life last Sunday night. We request your prayers that God will do a great work of grace in his heart and life.

From his boat, "The Nelson," a handsome Cuban television writer and actor has been coming to our services. He speaks English very well. His wife barely got off the boat in time to give birth to a baby. She is expecting another one now. so some dear ones of our Woman's Auxiliary could do us a great favor to prepare some kind of layette for the baby.

Just a week ago on Sunday two boats were picked up in the gulf with more than 40 people aboard—men, women and children. Three boats stole out into the night. One was intercepted by the communists and its fate is unknown. The two boats that made it safely through were three days and two nights on the high seas without food.

A mother from one of these boats called me at the Center pleading for help. I found her a lovely woman with two sons. One was very ill from exposure in the boat. We immediately secured medicine for him. They have become other sheep that make up our fold here in Miami.

Ahead of us still a multitude of challenges—dear Cuban people who urgently need the gospel. There are the old, dying in a strange land, and the newborn. And we have so little to meet this great need.

During these past two months we have clothed 102 people of all ages, more than 500 garments given out. Each one was given a New Testament. Only five of these had previously had contact with the gospel. Ninety-seven had never heard!

We stand daily with hands of welcome outstretched as we are indeed a doorway of hope to this suffering people who shall never forget the bread cast upon the waters. We cannot stand alone. We must have your continued faithful prayers and regular financial and material assistance. And when we get to glory we'll rejoice in the fruit of the promise—"Inasmuch as ve have done it unto one of the least of these my brethren, ye have done it unto me" (Matthew 25:40).



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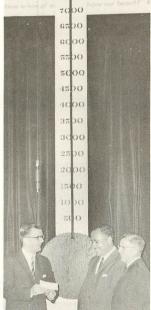
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FAITH PROMISES for misreached a record sions \$8,121 during the annual missionary conference at the First Church of Savannah, Ga., as this thermometer indicates. goal was \$7,500. Last year's pledges totaled \$6,400, and more than this was received. Shown with Pastor Henry Van Kluyve (L) are Bill Arban (C), deacon chairman, and Inman Bevill.

#### TO PUT IT BRIEFLY . . .

Bill Phipps downed his plane on a mercy flight in Costa Rica. No injuries were incurred. Damage to plane undetermined. Details to follow . . . Bill Fulcher continues to report conversions in Rivera, Uruguay. A record attendance of 87 was recorded in services June 7.

#### MISSIONS in ACTION

AROUND THE WORLD



#### EQUADOR DECLARED NEW FIELD

NASHVILLE — Equador has become the newest field for penetration by Free Will Baptists. The field was officially adopted by the Board of Foreign Missions in June.

The Rev. and Mrs. John Moehlman are being transferred from Panama to direct opening denominational work in this strategic Spanish-speaking country. The Moehlmans arrived in the states June 21 on furlough prior to moving to Equador. The Rev. and Mrs. Tom Willey, Jr., and the Rev. and Mrs. Bill Phipps will man the Panamanian field.

Ella Rae Jones and Patsy Tyson, both R.N.s, have been appointed to medical missionary work in Equador. In May they received the first B.S. degrees conferred by Free Will Baptist College.

The denomination's ministry in Equador will be in cooperation with World Radio Missionary Fellowship, operators of radio stations HCJB and a veteran missionary service organization in Equador. Details of the cooperative ministry are being worked out by General Director Reford Wilson and officials of WRMF.

In other action, the board appointed Molly



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Barker, R.N., for service in Uruguay. Miss Barker has previously been associated with the Board of Home Missions.

#### NEW FILMS NOW AVAILABLE

TWO NEW audio-visual productions have been added to the Missions Film Library.

A 97-frame 35mm filmstrip with recorded sound on Free Will Baptist missions in Brazil is available for booking. Titled "The Awakening Giant," it runs 19½ minutes.

Also available for booking is "The Harvester," a 16mm sound motion picture in full color. It dramatically portrays the necessity for total church involvement in missions.

Both may be booked on a freewill offering basis through Audio-Visual Division, Board of Foreign Missions.





# THE MISSIO



THE PLANE glides over the runway to anticipation . . . children jostle for a bet the missionaries left . . . others don't remem clouds, the missionaries wondered what Mot she be old? . . . how about Dad . . . will thi . . . my, how things must have changed at perhaps a few . . . but now no more time to ramp is down . . . there's Mother . . . how had all these people . . . look at those signs . didn't expect this . . . our hearts are filled.

# Hi!

## NARIES ARE WELCOMED ...



a cushioned stop . . . eyes peer forward in ver look . . . some were not born even when ber . . . moments before, flying through the her would look like after five years . . . will ngs be alright on the field until we return? home . . . will people remember us? . . . o think . . . the plane has stopped . . . the peautiful she looks! . . and our pastor . . . . . . . . . . . . . . we



### FINANCIAL STATEMENT

#### FOREIGN MISSION BOARD / MAY '64

CASH IN BANK MAY 1, 1964\$48,835.18	Mr. and Mrs. Paul Robinson. 759.09
RECEIPTS	Rev. and Mrs. Don Robirds. 202.00 Mrs. Josephine Stevens. 366.57
	Rev. and Mrs. Herbert Waid
State Quotas\$29,674.17	Rev. and Mrs. Sammy Wilkinson 2.352.22
Other Income	Rev. and Mrs. Thomas H. Willey, Ir. 549 50
\$78.926.78	Rev. and Mrs. Thomas H. Willey, Sr 441.84
DISBURSEMENTS	Miss Volena Wilson
	Furlough Car
Foreign Fields\$20,609.20 Traveling and Promotion\$3,308.57	Africa—Medical Building. 3,789.41
Traveling and Promotion 3,308.57 Administrative 3,538.42 27,456.19	Africa—Childrens' Division. 4,094.72 North India Building. 6,488.33
Administrative 3,338.42 27,430.19	North India Building
\$51,470.59	Uruguay Vehicle 409.83
UNEXPENDED FUNDS	Waids' Vehicle
	Repatriation 3.190.59
Rev. and Mrs. Jimmy Aldridge \$4,887.64 Rev. and Mrs. Bobby Aycock 142.20	Hannas' Jeep
Rev. and Mrs. Wesley Calvery 782.18	Land for Uruguay
Rev. and Mrs. James Combs. 134.64	South India Vehicle
Rev. and Mrs. Louis Coscia 3.916.75	(F F26 F0
Rev. and Mrs. Daniel R. Cronk 1.415.17	67,736.70
Rev. and Mrs. Earnie Deeds	DEFICIT ACCOUNTS
Rev. and Mrs. Ken Eagleton	General Fund\$ 2,449.18
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Rev. and Mrs. Eddie Payne	Palmers' House 1,647.72
Rev. and Mrs. William Phipps 4.332.97	Brazil Bible Institute 5,121.37 16,266.11
Rev. and Mrs. Bobby Poole 477.50	10,200.11
Miss Mary Ellen Rice	\$51,470.59

#### STATE QUOTAS 1964

STATE	MAY RECEIPTS	QUOTA	PAID	UNDER	OVER OUOTA
Alabama	\$ 734.92	\$ 9,250,00	\$ 4.309.49	\$ 4,940.51	\$
Alaska	15.40	400.00	58.37	341.63	Ф
Arizona	3.75	1.000.00	110.36	889.64	
Arkansas	1.176.41	9,250.00	3,630,12	5.619.88	
California	2,682.38	13,000.00	9,275.59	3,724.41	
Colorado	24.67	500.00	212.89	287.11	
Florida	506.90	7,500.00	3.464.33	4,035.67	
Georgia	1,302,60	10.750.00	7.382.15	3,367.85	
Hawaii	1,302.00	150.00	50.00		
Idaho		250.00	50.00	100.00	
Illinois	1,268.02	11.750.00	2 457 04	250.00	
Indiana			3,457.01	8,292.99	
Iowa	118.53	3,500.00	1,208.80	2,291.20	
	271.94	300.00	281.53	18.47	
Kansas		2,000.00	839.53	1,160.47	
Kentucky	194.94	5,500.00	1,571.41	3,928.59	
Lou.siana		250.00	400.00	250.00	
Maine	2 000 25	400.00	100.00	300.00	
Michigan	3,089.35	28,500.00	10,822.96	17,677.04	
Mississippi	356.10	6,000.00	2,326.73	3,673.27	
Missouri	1,544.38	23,500.00	9,444.19	14,055.81	
New Hampshire	12.44	360.00	144.54	215.46	
New Mexico	38.11	1,350.00	270.03	1,079.97	
North Carolina	5,810.47	50,000.00	18,917.13	31,082.87	
Ohio	934.18	11,000.00	4,525.57	6,474.43	
Oklahoma	3,123.67	25,000.00	12,296.10	12,703.90	
Oregon	1.00	150.00	18.00	132.00	
South Carolina	1,822.77	18,000.00	7,345.63	10,654.37	
Tennessee	2,395.87	27,500.00	12,300.32	15,199,68	
Texas	757.87	13,000.00	3.868.70	9,131,30	
Virginia	929.32	18,000.00	5,682,97	12,317.03	
Washington	30.00	360.00	37.83	322.17	
West Virginia	528.18	5.000.00	3,293.73	1.706.27	
Miscellaneous	171.57	3,103.10	777.54	2,325,56	
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	29,045.74	\$306,573.10	\$128,023.55	\$178,549.55	\$



IN CONSIDERING DESIGNATIONS . . . you will find it helpful to note accounts appearing above under the heading "DEFICIT ACCOUNTS." These are the accounts in most need. We suggest that prayerful consideration be given designations to these accounts of funds not already committed by faith promises to other accounts. You will note that the General Fund along with others needs special designations at this time.



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. . . the ministry of prayer

#### ARE YOU A DISCIPLE?

ARE YOU a disciple? Is your flag flying at the top of the mast? Are you openly and without shame identified with the Person of the Son of God? When the opportunity comes, are you always willing by the grace of God to stand up and be counted, to go forth unto Him without the camp bearing His reproach? To be a disciple is to be identified with the Person of the Son of God. It is to be a follower, to be under the discipline and control of Jesus Christ. Are you a disciple? To be a disciple of Jesus is to be involved in the program of furthering the gospel to the ends of the earth. Are you a disciple?

-by Lawrence Love in Commission, Conflict, Commitment

#### as you pray...

**BRAZIL:** Bobby Aycock writes, "The Pirassununga work is in need of much prayer. We are needing a pastor there to work closely with the people."

**CUBA-MIAMI:** Many have been given the gospel through the Refugee Center in Miami. Most heard for the first time. Pray for the Holy Spirit to draw them to the Lord Jesus.

**INDIA:** National workers in North India have been given added responsibility. Remember these before the Lord by name—John Mukal, Bennie, Anukal. **IVORY COAST:** The Jimmy Aldridges and the Eddie Paynes will be completing language study and moving to their permanent assignments in a few weeks. Undergird them in prayer as they begin their vital ministries.

**JAPAN:** Japanese studying for the ministry need the special ministry of the Holy Spirit in keeping their hearts warm and burdened for souls. Pray for them in this regard.

**PANAMA:** The John Moehlmans are in the states for rest and to visit churches across the country. Pray that God will use them mightily to stimulate the cause of Christ around the world.

**URUGUAY:** Blessing is continuing to be seen in Rivera. Other areas need to be entered. Pray for God's provision in this regard.

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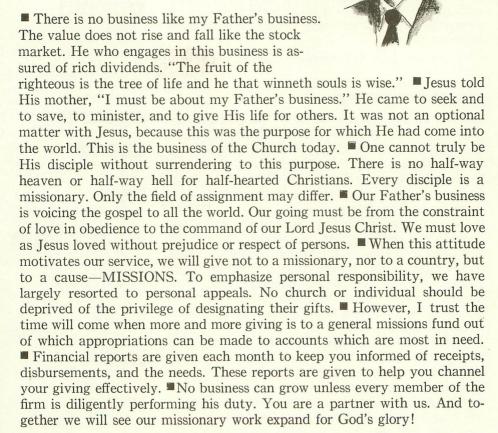
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# 'out of my heart'

a word from the general director



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