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1825 North Central
Ceres, California
JUNE 14, 15, 16, 1979

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Carl K. Young	3 years
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Gordon Bradshaw	2 years
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Robert Riddle	2 years
3933 Merced Ave., Baldwin Park, CA. 91706	(213) 338-9762
John Young	1 year
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2217 Geer Rd., Turlock, CA. 95380	(209) 632-0404
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PROCEEDINGS

THURSDAY EVENING SERVICE

THEME: "The Ultimate Life Style" Philippians 2:1-8

The Thirty-Fifth Annual Session of the California State Association of Free Will Baptists met at the Memorial Free Will Baptist Church, 4141 North Millbrook, Fresno, California, June 15-17, 1978. The convention hymn, "Brethren We Have Met to Worship" was directed by the Rev. Bob Thomas, Concord. Debe Taylor served as convention pianist and Brenda York organist. After prayer by the Rev. Dan Cronk, Nashville, Tennessee, the congregation sang "My Anchor Holds."

The association was called to order by the clerk, June Rolen, who introduced the Moderator, the Rev. Edward Johns. Then Rev. Johns introduced the Assistant Moderator, Paul Kennedy, who brought the opening remarks from Philippians 2:1-8.

The Rev. Johns introduced the following visitors: the Rev. and Mrs. Gombei Uchikoshi, Japan; the Rev. and Mrs. Jerry Webb, France; the Rev. Mark Vandivort, Flagstaff, Arizona and Dan Cronk, Nashville, Tennessee.

Special music by the Memorial Choir was "It Is Well With My Soul" and "Some Day My Lord Will Come" followed with prayer by Charles Arnwine, Spring Church, Salinas.

The Rev. Francis Boyle, Santa Paula, brought the message "The Ultimate Lifestyle—Locating Ourselves."

The Committee on Committees was appointed as follows: Vernon Jones, chairman, Larry Condit, J. L. McAlister, Ken Sluder and Ron Young.

Benediction by the Rev. Vern Gunnels, Jr., Pleasant Hill.

FRIDAY MORNING SESSION

The opening hymn was "Brethren We Have Met to Worship." Devotional thoughts were delivered by Vernon Jones, El Sobrante, using Hebrews 1:1-4; 2:1-3.

The Rev. Lonnie Rolen, host pastor, welcomed ministers, delegates and visitors to the thirty-fifth State Association of Free Will Baptists.

Letters from the Northern, Golden Gate, San Joaquin, Center, Southern and West Coast District associations were read, accepted and delegates seated.

Report of Committee on Committees was read and accepted. (See Reports.)

June Rolen, Clerk-Treasurer, gave the report of the State Office. Motion carried to accept the report. (See Departmental Reports.)

The Rev. Milburn Wilson, El Sobrante, gave the report of the National Foreign Missions Department and the Rev. Claudie Hames, Bakersfield, gave the report of the National Home Missions Department.

Motion carried to adjourn until 1:30 P.M.

ELEVEN O'CLOCK SERVICE

The service opened with the hymn "Brethren We Have Met to Worship" followed with the hymn "How Firm a Foundation." Prayer by the Rev. Gerald Myer, South Union Church, Bakersfield. The Womens Trio, Harmony Church, Fresno, sang "A Song Was Born" and "On a Rugged Hill."

The Rev. Charles Marshall, Ontario, brought the message "The Ultimate Life Style—Living with One Another" using Philipians 2:2.

Benediction by Dr. Wade T. Jernigan, Memorial Church, Fresno.

FRIDAY AFTERNOON SESSION

The session began with the hymn "All Hail the Power" followed with prayer by the Rev. Claudie Hames, Bakersfield.

The Rev. Dan Cronk, Professor at Free Will Baptist Bible College, Nashville, Tennessee, brought greetings and a report from the college.

Report of the General Board was given by June Rolen, Clerk. Motion carried to accept the report. (See Reports.)

Dr. Daniel W. Parker gave a report of California Christian College. Motion carried to accept the report. (See Departmental Reports.)

The 1978-79 proposed budget of California Christian College was presented and accepted. (See Reports.)

Motion carried that the following recommendations from California Christian College Board of Trustees be reworded as Constitutional changes and the same be laid on the table:

1. That the Board be increased to twelve members with one member each from Arizona and Idaho and one member from the Northwest Association.

2. That the Board members from California rotate on a five year basis with two members elected each year for four years and one member elected the fifth year.

Report of the State Mission Board was given by the chairman, the Rev. Doice McAlister. Motion carried to accept the report. (See Departmental Reports.)

Motion carried to adjourn until 9:00 A.M. Saturday.

Benediction by Charles Van Horn, Salinas.

FRIDAY EVENING SERVICE

The service opened with singing "Victory in Jesus." Special music was by Gombei and Tieko Uchikoshi "Everybody Ought to Know" and "I Believe." Their son, Teoshi sang "I've Got the Joy, Joy" and "I'm a Christian Cowboy." Prayer by the Rev. Bob Thomas. Memorial Church Women's Trio sang "He Was Wounded for Our Transgressions." The Rev. Ted Wilbanks, Harmony Church, Fresno, sang "The Love of God."

Assistant Moderator, Paul Kennedy, read John 1:10-17 followed with prayer.

The Rev. Mark Vandivort, Home Missionary of Sunset Mission, Flagstaff, Arizona, brought the message "The Ultimate Life Style—Looking Beyond Ourselves."

A convention offering of \$180.86 was received with offertory prayer by the Rev. Clinton Wood, Fresno.

The California Christian College Board of Trustees presented Dr. Wade T. Jernigan a watch as a gift of appreciation for his 8½ years of service as President of California Christian College.

Benediction by Vernon Jones, El Sobrante.

SATURDAY MORNING SESSION

The opening hymn was "Bread of Heaven" followed with prayer by the Rev. Cecil Spurlock, Santa Paula.

Neal Bowser, Bell Gardens, brought the devotion using Ephesians 4:1-6, 13-16.

The Rev. Milburn Wilson was elected 5 year member of the State Mission Board.

Motion carried to remove from the table the recommendation of California Christian College Board of Trustees. Motion carried to accept the following constitutional changes: Article 5. Officers and Board. Board Members 4. Add—This provision also applies to the three out-of-state members of California Christian College Board of Trustees.

Article 5. Description of Duties. H. California Christian College Board of Trustees.

The California Christian College Board of Trustees shall be composed of twelve members, nine members from California and one member from Arizona, one member from Idaho and one member from the Northwest Association. All of these are to be elected by popular vote of their respective bodies. Their terms of office shall be so arranged that California Board members rotate on a five year basis with two members elected each year for four years and one member elected the fifth year.

The Rev. John Smith was elected 5 year member of the College Board of Trustees.

Report of the General Board as a special committee was read and accepted. (See Reports.)

Motion carried that the newly elected Executive Secretary meet with the General Board.

Dr. Wade T. Jernigan was elected as State Executive Secretary.

Motion carried that the Moderator of the Golden Gate Association appoint a proxy member for the General Board.

Report of the Finance Committee was read and accepted. (See Reports.)

Report of Placement Committee was read and accepted. (See Reports.)

Report of Publication Committee was read and accepted. (See Reports.)

Report of Temperance Committee was read and accepted. (See Reports.)

Report of the Obituary Committee was read and accepted. (See Reports.)
The Rev. Orbin Doss, Hughson led in prayer.

Report of the Resolution Committee was read and accepted. (See Reports.)

The Program Committee was elected as follows: Adrian Condit, Chairman, Charles Marshall, Milburn Wilson, Wade T. Jernigan and Gerald Myer.

Delegates appointed to the National Association, Kansas City, Missouri, July 16-20, 1978 were Helen Hames, Vonya Jackson, E. T. Hyatt, Winnie McLain, and alternates were Juanita Parker, Jean Condit, June Rolen and Barbara Myer.

Sandi Jones gave the report of the State Woman's Auxiliary Convention which convened April 1, 1978 at the Sherwood Forest Free Will Baptist Church, El Sobrante.

Tim McLain Rolen gave a report of the State Youth Conference which met at the Memorial Church, Fresno, April 21-22, 1978.

Officers were elected as follows:

Moderator.....	Paul Kennedy
Assistant Moderator.....	Tim McLain Rolen
Clerk-Treasurer.....	June Rolen
Assistant Clerk-Treasurer.....	Sandi Jones

SATURDAY ELEVEN O'CLOCK SERVICE

The service opened with the congregation singing "Close to Thee" followed with scripture reading John 4:19-24 by Paul Kennedy. Prayer by the Rev. Claudie Hames. El Sobrante quartet sang "After All," "Touring That City" and "Jesus Will Outshine Them All."

The Rev. Gordon Bradshaw, Selma, brought the message "The Ultimate Life Style—Leaning in the Same Direction" using Hebrews 12:1-2.

Benediction by the Rev. Robert Leeds, Taft.

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GENERAL BOARD REPORT

The Board met Thursday, June 15, 1978 at 3:00 P.M. with Edward F. Johns, June Rolen, Milburn Wilson, Lonnie Rolen, Claudie Hames, Doice McAlister, Carl K. Young, Charles Marshall, Ronn Jackson, Sherman Wren and 17 visitors present.

Devotional thoughts about serving one another and loving one another taken from Galations 5:11-17 and Philippians 1:15-17 were given by Moderator, Edward F. Johns. Prayer by Assistant Moderator, Paul Kennedy.

Report of State Office was given by June Rolen, Clerk.

Report of State Mission Board was given by Doice McAlister, Chairman.

Report of California Christian College with proposed budget was given by Dr. Daniel Parker, President.

Motion carried that the Moderator and Assistant Moderator appoint a committee from the General Board to discuss re-establishing the office of executive secretary and to interview men for the office. The committee was appointed as follows: Ronn Jackson, Doice McAlister, Milburn Wilson, Carl Young and Charles Marshall. This committee is to report to the General Board meeting Friday 8:00 A.M.

Rex Shipman, agent for Preferred Risk Insurance Company, spoke briefly regarding total insurance program for churches and ministers. Motion carried that he pursue a mass marketing coverage rate for California churches.

Benediction by Ronn Jackson.

FRIDAY, JUNE 16, 1978

The Board met at 8:00 A.M. with Edward F. Johns, June Rolen, Sherman Wren, Milburn Wilson, Ronn Jackson, Lonnie Rolen, Claudie Hames, Charles Marshall, Cecil Spurlock, Carl Young, Doice McAlister and 8 visitors present.

The General Board Special Committee Report was read and accepted to present to the State Association. The report was as follows:

1. The state needs a full time executive-secretary.
 2. It will take a few months to set up the office and an account should be set up at this state meeting for the office.
 3. The cost of this office operation would be at least \$25,000 per year.
 4. Francis Boyle is willing to consider the job if wanted by the state.
- Dismissed by Lonnie Rolen.

FRIDAY, JUNE 16, 1978

The General Board serving as a special committee met at 9:30 P.M. with all members present. The committee interviewed Wade T. Jernigan and John Smith, Jr. for the position of Executive-Secretary.

SATURDAY, JUNE 17, 1978

The Board serving as a Special Committee met at 7:30 A.M. with all members present and interviewed Francis Boyle for the position of Executive-Secretary.

After prayer by Sherman Wren, the Board made the following recommendations:

1. That an Executive-Secretary be elected today and that Francis Boyle's name be placed in nomination.

2. That the office of Executive-Secretary be activated January 1, 1979 and at such time the total accumulated income should be approximately \$6,500.00.

3. That the Executive-Secretary attend all quarterly meetings in August or November and each church be encouraged to receive an offering for the state office prior to January 1, 1979.

SATURDAY, JUNE 17, 1978

The Board met at 12:30 P.M. with the Moderator, Paul Kennedy, Clerk, June Rolen, Jay Constant, Milburn Wilson, Ron Jackson, Lonnie Rolen, Claudie Hames, Robert Riddle, Carl Young and Doice McAlister present.

Motion carried that the Executive-Secretary buy or rent a residence in Fresno with space for state office.

Motion carried that all monies received by the Executive-Secretary be channeled through the present state treasury and necessary expenses of the Executive-Secretary be paid from same.

Motion carried that Executive-Secretary be paid 15 cent per mile for auto expense.

Motion carried that Milburn Wilson be recommended on state letter to the National Association as a member of Foreign Missions Board.

The next General Board meeting will be Monday, Dec. 4, 1978 at Bakersfield.

REPORTS

COMMITTEE ON COMMITTEES

Ken Sluder, Chairman

Larry Condit

J. L. McAlister

Ronald Palmer

Ron Young

RESOLUTION

John Smith, Jr., Chairman

Sherman Wren

Jay Wilson

Charles Arnwine

Rodney Kemp

FINANCE

Robert Riddle, Chairman

Nuel Brown

Jim Isaak

Milburn Wilson

Ron Young

PUBLICATION

Tom Hunt, Chairman
 Jerry Webb
 Vernon Jones
 Charles Van Horn
 John Hibbard

OBITUARY

Donna Smith, Chairman
 Leona Leeds
 June Kennedy
 Jean Condit
 Elsie Kemp

PLACEMENT

Lonnie Rolen, Chairman
 Tom Hampton
 Merle Guess
 Ken Sluder
 Blaine Bishop

TEMPERANCE

Claudie Hames, Chairman
 Orbin Doss
 Robert Leeds
 Ron Jackson
 Ralph Clark

RESOLUTION COMMITTEE

1. Recommend that a letter of appreciation be sent to Dr. Wade T. Jernigan for his years of service to California Christian College.
2. Believing in the power of prayer, we recommend that a few moments be spent in prayer and reflection upon unity among the brethren of the California State Association of Free Will Baptists.
3. Recommend that a nursery attendant be provided at the next state association.
4. Recommend that a standing vote of thanks be given to the host church.

FINANCE COMMITTEE

1. We recommend that \$50.00 be paid to the Moderator, \$35.00 to the Assistant Moderator, \$65.00 to the Clerk-Treasurer and \$45.00 to the Assistant Clerk-Treasurer.
2. We recommend that \$125.00 be sent to the National Association for representation fees.
3. We recommend that each district association represent with \$1.00 per capita member for the 1979 session, 35 cents for state expenses, 65 cents for entertaining the National Association in 1980.
4. We recommend that the 15 cents that was received at this session and the 65 cents to be received next year be put into a savings account for National Association expenses for 1980.
5. We recommend that the support through the Cooperative Plan be allocated as follows:

National Cooperative	20 percent
California Christian College	35 percent
State Mission Board	15 percent
State Office	30 percent

6. We recommend that the 20 percent National Cooperative Allocation be disbursed as follows:

Executive Department	24 percent
National Foreign Missions	24 percent
National Home Missions	24 percent
CTS Department	10 percent
Free Will Baptist Bible College	10 percent
Department of Retirement and Insurance	5 percent
Layman's Board	2 percent
Commission on Theological Liberalism	1 percent

7. We recommend that 12 cents per mile be paid to the General Board and the Program Committee for transportation expenses.

8. We recommend that the state clerk-treasurer be responsible for the printing of "The Voice," the bookkeeping of the state office, and all secretarial duties relative to the office, and that he or she be paid \$175.00 per month until the office of the executive secretary be activated.

9. We recommend that the Friday evening offering of \$180.86 be given to the account of Missionary Jerry Webb.

10. We recommend that \$150.00 be given as an honorarium to the guest speaker Home Missionary Mark Vandivort.

11. We recommend that 12 cents per mile be paid to the college board of trustees out of the state treasury if funds are not available at the college.

PUBLICATION COMMITTEE

Recommendations: 1. That 650 copies of the state minutes be printed for distribution.

2. That "The Voice" continue to be published quarterly; August, November, February and May, with the understanding that if an executive secretary is elected he may use his own discretion in more frequent editions.

a. That there be no subscription rate and that it be mailed by bundle to each church and mission in the state.

b. That all local congregations be encouraged to submit articles and also put the state office on their mailing list for bulletins and news items.

PLACEMENT COMMITTEE

We recommend that the State Association convene with the Village Chapel Church, 1025 North Central, Ceres, California June 14-16, 1979.

OBITUARY COMMITTEE

We report that God in his infinite wisdom has called fifteen of our brothers and sisters from our midst. The names of the deceased are as follows:

Center Association—Maudie Epperson, Selma

San Joaquin Valley Association—Virginia Bush, Modesto; Gus Cook, Chowchilla; Geney Murphy and Ronnie Jones, Ceres

West Coast Association—Betty Gregory, Santa Paula

Golden Gate—Francis Busch, Sherwood Forest

Southern Association—Odette Doiser, Arvin; Paul Grissom, Tulare; Ira Barrett, Elton Fink, Clarence Whatley, all of Porterville; Harold King, Corcoran; Doyle Daugherty, Bakersfield; Effie Pryer, South Union.

TEMPERANCE COMMITTEE

We recommend the adoption of the 1977 report which is as follows:

1 Corinthians 9:25—"And every man that striveth for the mastery is temperate in all things. Now they do it to obtain a corruptible crown; but we an incorruptible."

3 John 11—"Beloved, follow not that which is evil, but that which is good. He that doeth good is of God: but he that doeth evil hath not seen God."

Whereas the Word of God teaches that we should preach, teach, and practice the whole counsel of God, and whereas those who strive for the mastery are to be temperate in all things; whereas all things may be lawful but not necessarily expedient; be it resolved that each minister, deacon, teacher, and layman be actively involved, taking a Biblical stand against the following subjects:

1. HOMOSEXUALITY—1 Corinthians 6:9—"Know ye not that the unrighteous shall not inherit the kingdom of God? Be not deceived; neither fornicators, nor idolaters, nor adulterers, nor effeminate, nor abusers of themselves with mankind."

The consequences are clear to those who participate in these acts. We encourage our people to speak to the issue and to take corrective action through church, civic, or political movements.

2. VULGARITY—Ephesians 4:29—"Let no corrupt communication proceed out of your mouth, but that which is good to the use of edifying, that it may minister grace unto the hearers."

It discourages all profanity. We encourage our people to guard their tongues, and to guard their sensitivity lest they become conditioned to the usage of such language.

3. IMMORALITY—Ephesians 5:1-5—"Be ye therefore followers of God, as dear children; And walk in love, as Christ also hath loved us, and hath given himself for us an offering and a sacrifice to God for a sweetsmelling savour. But fornication, and all uncleanness, or covetousness, let it not be once named among you as becometh saints; Neither filthiness, nor foolish talking, nor jesting, which are not convenient: but

rather giving of thanks. For this ye know, that no whoremonger, nor unclean person, nor covetous man, who is an idolater, hath any inheritance in the kingdom of Christ and of God."

Since the Bible condemns all premarital and extramarital sexual activity, we encourage our people to protect their purity and to promote healthy marriages as outlined in 1 Corinthians 7:2-5,

"Nevertheless, to avoid fornication, let every man have his own wife, and let every woman have her own husband. Let the husband render unto the wife due benevolence: and likewise also the wife unto the husband. The wife hath not power of her own body, but the husband: and likewise also the husband hath not power of his own body, but the wife. Defraud ye not one the other, except it be with consent for a time, that ye may give yourselves to fasting and prayer; and come together again, that Satan tempt you not for your incontinency."

4. NUDITY—Matthew 5:28—"But I say unto you, That whosoever looketh on a woman to lust after her hath committed adultery with her already in his heart."

Christ warns man about the lust of the eye, so we encourage our people to exercise much discretion in their choice of attire.

5. CONFORMITY—Romans 12:1-2—"I beseech you therefore, brethren, by the mercies of God, that ye present your bodies a living sacrifice, holy, acceptable unto God, which is your reasonable service. And be not conformed to this world: but be ye transformed by the renewing of your mind, that ye may prove what is that good, and acceptable, and perfect, will of God."

Since the above instructs believers in the area of worldliness, we encourage our people to exercise restraint in worldly fashions and in all their activities.

1 Corinthians 11:14—"Doth not even nature itself teach you, that, if a man have long hair, it is a shame unto him?"

1 Timothy 2:9—"In like manner also, that women adorn themselves in modest apparel, with shamefacedness and sobriety; not with braided hair, or gold, or pearls, or costly array; . . . "

We further recommend that pastors, church officers, Sunday school officers and teachers emphasize the above items of this report to all our church people.

STATE OFFICE – RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS – June 1, 1977 – May 31, 1978

CHURCH	COOP	VOICE	CCC	MISSIONS		STATE	OTHER	TOTAL
				NFM	NHM			
Arvin	\$ 1,510.79	\$	\$ 925.00	\$ 125.00	\$ 315.00	\$	\$ 45.00	\$ 2,920.79
Bakersfield, First				2,575.00	3,328.13	589.31	19.00	6,511.44
Bakersfield, South Union			1,389.76	1,488.22	26.00			2,903.98
Baldwin Park	1,647.21		10.00	15.00	198.00			1,870.21
Bell Gardens	1,270.03		346.12	626.20	798.18			3,040.53
Bellflower, Downey Avenue	944.14		50.00	96.05	71.00			1,161.19
Campbell	1,000.00		319.00	192.00	121.00	5.00		1,637.00
Ceres, Village Chapel			1,318.93	4,709.17	938.40	728.78	265.19	7,960.47
Chowchilla	573.36			50.00	50.00			673.36
Clovis	2,388.22		300.00	33.00	158.67	6.00		2,885.89
Concord			945.44	945.55	54.00			1,944.99
Concord, Gethsemane Church					40.00	5.00		45.00
Corcoran			95.72	72.00	411.00			578.72
Dorris	504.72							504.72
El Sobrante	6,382.28		1,438.00	2,368.39	6,974.48			17,163.15
Exeter			425.59	222.75	145.51	150.51		944.36
Farmersville			1,000.23	192.86	381.20	31.28		1,605.57
Fresno, Calwa	419.34			11.16	20.00			450.50
Fresno, Memorial	4,131.34		5,582.46	1,060.00	778.00			11,552.80
Goshen, Neighborhood	60.26		246.87		39.50		1.00	346.63
Greenfield					101.92		9.00	110.92
Hanford	1,927.04		610.00	775.95	568.00		9.00	3,889.99
Hughson							113.96	113.96
Huntington Park	686.20		686.20					1,372.40
Kerman			185.00	184.90	207.32	50.00		627.22
Modesto, First	1,607.93		150.00	389.86	374.50			2,522.29
Modesto, North	2,088.05		675.46	635.76	602.60		1.25	4,003.12
Mountain View				85.50	53.02	36.76		175.28
Newark	120.00		113.00	823.89	370.10	9.00		1,435.99
Norwalk					167.65	1.00		168.65
Olivonhurst	131.52							131.52
Ontario, First	706.78		353.55		30.00			1,090.33
Ontario, Ruthitos				120.00				120.00
Ontario, Princeton			300.16	531.11	163.02			994.29

CHURCH	COOP	VOICE	CCC	MISSIONS			OTHER	TOTAL
				NFM	NHM	STATE		
Orange Cove	\$ 679.00	\$	\$ 339.50	\$ 416.24	\$	\$	\$	\$ 1,434.74
Oxnard	2,731.10		96.00	294.00	354.50		300.00	3,775.60
Parlier				30.00				30.00
Petaluma			410.00	1,061.00	462.75	87.00		2,020.75
Pleasant Hill			780.54		434.94			1,215.48
Porterville			802.62	1,072.25	402.23	360.89		2,637.99
Rodeo, Faith Chapel	300.16		261.02			39.13		600.31
Sacramento, Capitol			27.00	494.43	680.25		1.00	1,202.68
Salinas, First				25.00				25.00
Santa Clara	253.10				105.10	18.00		376.20
Santa Paula	3,222.50		385.00	343.77	535.50	20.00	5.00	4,511.77
Selma, American					239.15			239.15
Selma, First			2,085.50	2,100.72	1,255.00			5,441.22
Shafter	237.23		1,370.26	206.75	612.01	170.10		2,596.35
Stockton, Elmwood			175.00		103.07	135.00		413.07
Taft	240.00			208.83	669.75	53.00		1,171.58
Tracy	447.38				103.14			550.52
Tulare	968.72		1,039.75	174.81	185.00			2,368.28
Turlock	2,268.68		45.86	134.56	53.38			2,502.48
Visalia, Domaree	3,210.41			166.25				3,376.66
Visalia, First	47.49		593.42	264.98		19.35	880.90	1,806.14
Winters	45.00							45.00
Eastside, Houston, TX						195.34		195.34
Highland Hills, Grooley, CO			134.94					134.94
Individual Gifts		6.00				38.00		44.00
State W.A. Convention						319.74		319.74
Association Duos							1,600.90	1,600.90
Convention Offering						226.36		226.36
Southern Association				163.04	50.00	100.00	62.50	375.54
West Coast Association			35.80		25.00		2.90	63.70
Salv of Ord. & Ex. Forms							5.00	5.00
	<u>\$42,749.98</u>	<u>\$ 6.00</u>	<u>\$26,048.70</u>	<u>\$25,485.95</u>	<u>\$23,756.97</u>	<u>\$3,394.55</u>	<u>\$3,321.60</u>	<u>\$124,763.75</u>

Disbursements		Coop	Designated	Total
Calif. Christian College	40%	\$17,100.01	\$26,048.70	\$43,148.71
Nat'l. Exec. Department	25%	10,687.50		10,687.50
State Mission Board	20%	8,549.98	3,394.55	11,944.53
State Office	15%	6,412.49	1,616.05	8,028.54
Foreign Missions Department			25,485.95	25,485.95
National Home Missions Department			23,756.97	23,756.97
Free Will Baptist Bible College			45.00	45.00
Department of Retirement			383.50	383.50
South Carolina FWB Children's Home			640.90	640.90
World Vision International			599.15	599.15
Gene Grimes			9.00	9.00
Doyle Terry			9.00	9.00
Salem Bible College - Florida			5.00	5.00
Bible Literature International			20.00	20.00
	100%	\$42,749.98	\$82,013.77	\$124,763.75

FOREIGN MISSIONS DEPARTMENT

\$25,485.95

General Operation	\$ 2,046.42
New Missionary Account	340.57
Aldridge	494.39
Caton	181.00
Combs	25.00
Coscia	61.00
Crawson	132.00
Deeds	312.00
Eagleton	80.00
Fulcher	298.01
Haas	79.00
Hanna	5.00
Hersey	969.62
Lee	5.00
McLain	858.95
Mayhew	7,548.67
Miley	25.00
Moser	916.62
Palmer	103.00
Poole	92.00
Richards	750.24
Sparks	5.00
Sturgil	64.79
Teague	255.26
Webb	9,140.91
Wiley	480.95
Africa Hospital	9.06
Brazil	35.00
Japan	39.00
Underground Evangelism	132.49

NATIONAL HOME MISSIONS DEPARTMENT

\$23,756.97

General Operation	\$ 1,154.22
Barron	9,179.43
Cousineau	52.00
Dunn	7,622.69
Harris	752.37
Johns	4,324.26
Bobby Lee Thomas	10.00
Thomas	547.00
Vandivort	115.00

CALIFORNIA STATE MISSION BOARD

\$11,944.53

General	1,443.44
E. B. Condit	236.85
Larry Condit	114.51
Grimes	7.00
Hunt	1,446.71
Isaak	114.76
Metcalf	31.28
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	3,394.55
20% of Cooperative	8,549.98
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	11,944.53

OTHER

\$ 3,321.60

Association Dues	1,600.90
Free Will Baptist Bible College	45.00
Department of Retirement	383.50
South Carolina FWB Children's Home	640.90
World Vision International	599.15
Gene Grimes	9.00
Doyle Terry	9.00
Salem Bible College - Florida	5.00
Bible Literature International	20.00
Sale of Ordination and Examination Forms	9.15

STATE OFFICE
SCHEDULE OF INCOME, EXPENSES AND BALANCE
JUNE 1, 1977 - MAY 31, 1978

INCOME

15% Cooperative Allocation	\$ 6,412.49
VOICE Subscriptions	6.00
Association Dues	
Northern	96.95
Golden Gate	335.30
Center	239.05
San Joaquin	183.05
Southern	441.35
West Coast	305.20
State Association Offering	226.36
Sale of Ordination Examination Forms	9.15

TOTAL INCOME

\$ 8,254.90

EXPENSES

Printing and Mailing VOICE	1,719.81
Bookkeeping	2,100.00
Telephone	408.05
Office Supplies and Postage	89.54
Anchor Ad	90.00
Edward Johns - Phone and Mileage (1977)	208.20
Roger C. Reeds - Speaker	100.00
Tom Hampton - Program Committee Mileage	54.00
Ben Bush - Program Committee Mileage	21.60
Dale Vanderburg-Program Committee Mileage	9.60
Edward Johns (Moderator)	50.00
Robert Riddle (Assistant Moderator)	35.00
June Rolen (Clerk	65.00
Nettie Lou Jernigan (Assistant Clerk)	45.00
Tom Hunt - Convention Offering	226.36
National Association-1977 Representation Fee	140.00
Minutes - 1977 Association	623.04
Program and Digest of Reports - 1978	150.72
Wade T. Jernigan - Promotional Meeting	318.00

TOTAL EXPENSES

\$ 6,453.92

Balance Forward, June 1, 1977	\$ 643.76
Income	<u>8,254.90</u>
	\$8,898.66
Less Expenses	<u>6,453.92</u>
BALANCE May 31, 1978	<u><u>\$2,444.74</u></u>

STATE MISSION BOARD REPORT

This past year has been a very busy one for the State Mission Board—a year which has been filled with prayer, provision and praise. We have witnessed a lot of good things which God has done, yet our hearts have been saddened because we could not help everyone that came to the Board for help. We have had to prayerfully choose those churches which were helped.

After almost two years of help from the State Mission Board, the Mountain View Church is back on its own and is growing. Brother Tom Hunt is doing a good job there.

The Garden Grove Church received help from the Mission Board for about eight months to see them through a very critical time. Today they are back on their own and growing. Brother Ken Sluder is pastor and leading the church to victory.

The Winton-Cressey Church voted to disband and the property was turned over to the State Mission Board for disposal. The property was sold, but not before a fire destroyed one of the buildings. The fire insurance paid a claim of \$2,900, out of which we paid \$1,320.81, balance owing on the property. We also made \$480 in property payments. The property was sold after the fire for \$8,000. Someday, we hope to use this money for a work in the city of Merced.

We also met with the Northern Association Board to consider a joint project concerning the Lincoln Church. The State Board moved Brother C. H. Metcalf to pastor the church, but things didn't work out. Therefore, the Lincoln Church is still open.

The Mission Board also met with the Rodeo Church this past year, but did not feel it was God's will at the time to become involved in the work.

In January we were petitioned for help by the Vallejo Free Will Baptist Church. The Board met with the church and agreed to help. Brother Jim Isaak moved to Vallejo in March to serve as pastor of this work. We praise the Lord for the good job he is doing and for the growth of the church.

Other requests were made and each was given our prayerful consideration. One of our greatest needs is men. There are many other places in the state into which we could go if we had the men—not just any men—God's men. They must be sold out for Jesus, ready to follow, and obedient to the words of the Great Commission, to "Go!"

As a State Mission Board, we earnestly desire your prayers; we want them, we need them, as we seek God's will in each and every decision. We humbly submit this report to the praise of God for all He has done for the work of Free Will Baptists in the state of California, and to you, our people, who have helped to make it possible.

In loving service to His call,
Rev. Ronn Jackson
Rev. Doice McAlister (Chairman)
Rev. Adrian Condit
Rev. Nuel Brown
Rev. Tom Hampton

CALIFORNIA STATE MISSION BOARD RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS

April 1, 1977 - March 31, 1978

Beginning Balance	\$ 1,761.33
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RECEIPTS

Cooperative Allocation	\$ 8,433.93	
Designated Gifts:		
General Fund	4,789.57	
E. B. Condit	1,007.95	
Larry Condit	424.73	
Tom Hunt	868.39	
Metcalf - Lincoln Church	31.28	
Insurance Claim-Winton-Cressey Property		
Fire	1,579.19	
Sale of Winton-Cressey Property	7,368.81	
		24,503.85
		\$26,265.18

DISBURSEMENTS

Salaries:		
E. B. Condit	\$ 1,900.00	
Tom Hunt	7,680.00	
Ken Sluder	6,560.00	
Rent:		
Tom Hunt	650.00	
Bob Clemons	425.00	
Taxes and Insurance:		
Tom Hunt - S.S. Tax	439.45	
Minister's Life Insurance	480.60	
Winton-Cressey Property:		
Property Payments	480.00	
Mutual Insurance	35.00	
Attorney Fees	97.50	
P. G. & E.	18.56	
Mileage and Travel	1,135.14	
Telephone	1,122.85	
Office Supplies	84.68	
Auditing	35.00	
Missionaries Adult Retreat	80.00	
Ben Bush - Love Gift	25.00	
David Dupuis - Vallejo Preaching	100.00	
		\$21,348.78

BALANCE IN BANK, March 31, 1978	\$ 4,916.40
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TIME CERTIFICATE OF DEPOSIT:	\$10,000.00
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CALIFORNIA CHRISTIAN COLLEGE

Office of the President

CHANGE might be the best word to presently describe California Christian College. In June, 1977, Jack Williams became editor of CONTACT magazine after having served as Dean of CCC for eight years. On February 18, 1978, the resignation of Wade T. Jernigan brought to an end a tenure of over eight and one-half years as president of the college. I began to serve as the new president at that time.

Although the recent administrative changes have been major, smooth transition has made it possible to continue to progress with a minimum amount of difficulty. James Cox will join the administration in August as the new academic dean. He is currently completing the course requirements for the Ph.D. degree at Ohio State University with a major emphasis in the Administration of Higher Education.

The physical features of the campus will be changed this summer as we move an entire elementary school, consisting of five large buildings, to our present location. These buildings will add more than 16,000 square feet of educational space to our present plant. There will be space to house our library books adequately as well as provide a space for study and research. Large rooms will be available for academic classes. A multi-purpose building will serve for physical education, recreation and various other activities and will be used to host large group services. PROJECT BOLD VENTURE has been launched with a goal of \$125,000 to be raised during the next twelve months to pay for the project.

Changes in academics include an on-site visit from AABC in August for the purpose of reapplying for applicant status for eventual accreditation. A primary function of the president and academic dean during the next year will be the progress toward full recognition by this accrediting agency. Several courses have been included in the curriculum which are necessary when we begin to offer the A.A. degree in the future.

Several new part-time faculty and staff members will assist the full-time personnel. Several vacancies remain to be filled.

Your faithfulness in prayer and financial support are appreciated. The encouragement that you have given has enabled us to continue to minister here at your college.

We trust that you will continue to give to the general fund so that the normal operating costs of the college can be met. Your special sacrificial gifts will help us to reach our goals during this next year.

Respectfully Submitted,
Daniel W. Parker

June 13, 1978
California Christian College
4881 East University Avenue
Fresno, California

Attached are the following reports for your organization.

EXHIBIT A — Balance Sheet as of March 31, 1978

SCHEDULE A-1 — Footnotes to the Balance Sheet

EXHIBIT B — Statement of Income and Expenses

For Fiscal Year Ended March 31, 1978

SCHEDULE B-1 — Schedule of Expenses

For Fiscal Year Ended March 31, 1978

The accompanying balance sheet of California Christian College as of March 31, 1978 and related statements of income and expense for the year then ended were not audited by me and accordingly, I do not express an opinion on them. A statement of changes in financial position has not been presented, as required by generally accepted accounting principles.

Oran McNeil
Certified Public Accountant
3002 North Fresno Street
Fresno, California 93703
(209) 222-4481

CALIFORNIA CHRISTIAN COLLEGE
BALANCE SHEET (Unaudited)
As of March 31, 1978

Exhibit A

ASSETS

Current Assets

Petty Cash	\$ 100.00
Cash in Bank - General	458.71
Cash in Bank - Sinking Fund	807.91
Accounts Receivable - Students	5,208.97
Mortgage Impounds	873.25
Prepaid Interest	343.16
Inventory Book Store - At Cost	1,474.95
Deposits	<u>268.75</u>

TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS

\$ 9,535.70

Non-Current Assets

Land	47,420.99
Buildings	95,859.66
Dormitory - New Girls	65,263.46
Chapel Extension	32,409.96
Furniture - Dormitories	<u>6,732.71</u>

Furniture & Fixtures - Office	10,046.03	
Library Books	24,432.57	
Furniture & Fixtures - Library	332.48	
Athletic Equipment	294.39	
Automotive Equipment	6,487.70	
Kitchen Equipment	5,220.01	
Yard & Maintenance	1,562.67	
Music Department Equipments	2,309.75	
Furniture & Fixtures - Classrooms	<u>1,389.57</u>	
SUB-TOTAL	299,761.95	
Less: Accumulated Depreciation	<u>105,383.85</u>	
TOTAL NON-CURRENT ASSETS		<u>\$194,378.10</u>
TOTAL ASSETS		<u><u>\$203,913.80</u></u>

LIABILITIES

Current Liabilities

Payroll Taxes	\$ 713.21	
Notes & Contracts Payable (1)	17,762.13	
Mortgage Payable - Current (2)	<u>4,716.60</u>	
TOTAL CURRENT LIABILITIES		\$ 23,191.94

Non-Current Liabilities

Notes & Contracts Payable (1)	-0-	
Mortgages Payable (2)	45,807.86	
Bonds Payable (3)	<u>17,900.00</u>	
TOTAL NON-CURRENT LIABILITIES		<u>\$ 63,707.86</u>
TOTAL LIABILITIES		86,899.80
Fund Balance (4)		<u>117,014.00</u>
TOTAL LIABILITIES & FUND BALANCE		<u><u>\$203,913.80</u></u>

FOOTNOTES TO THE BALANCE SHEET

As of March 31, 1978

Schedule A-1

(Unaudited)

(1) NOTES & CONTRACTS PAYABLE	Current	Non-Current
(a) Contract Payable—Bank of America Payable @ \$95.67 monthly	\$ 1,052.37	-0-
(b) Note Payable - D. W. Parker Due 3-14-79, interest @ 6.25%	2,709.76	-0-
(c) Note Payable - Rev. Gordon Bradshaw Payable on demand with 7% interest	9,000.00	-0-
(d) Note Payable - Mission Board Payable on demand, no interest	<u>5,000.00</u>	<u>-0-</u>
TOTAL	<u><u>\$17,762.13</u></u>	<u><u>-0-</u></u>

(2) MORTGAGES PAYABLE

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|-------|--|-------------|--------------|
| (a) | Note Payable - Secured by Trust Deed
on 4864 E. Normal, Payable @ 94.20
monthly, 6% interest. | \$ 1,106.40 | \$ 11,847.10 |
| (b) | Note Payable - Secured by Trust Deed
on 4863 E. Normal, Payable @ \$96.00
monthly, 6% interest. | \$ 1,152.00 | 12,078.83 |
| (c) | Note Payable - Secured by Trust Deed
on 4863 E. Floradora, Payable @
\$204.85 monthly, 9.2% interest | \$ 2,458.20 | 21,881.93 |
| TOTAL | | \$ 4,716.60 | \$45,807.86 |

(3) BOND PAYABLE

6% Bonds Issued, Secured by Real Property - Crocker National Bank acts as Trustee and makes payments. \$135.00 weekly is placed in sinking fund for interest and retirement of Bonds.

\$ 17,900.00

(4) FUND BALANCE

Fund Balance - March 31, 1977	\$117,220.06
Deduct: Net (Loss)	
Fiscal Year Ended March 31, 1978	(2,401.33)
Add: Contributions of Fixed Assets	<u>2,195.27</u>
FUND BALANCE - March 31, 1978	\$117,014.00

CALIFORNIA CHRISTIAN COLLEGE STATEMENT OF INCOME & EXPENSES

Fiscal Year Ended March 31, 1978

Exhibit B

(Unaudited)

INCOME

Activity Charge	\$ 532.50
Registration Fees	1,585.00
Tuition	17,821.25
Music Fees	919.87
Cooperative Receipts	42,734.24
Gifts	47,010.15
Graduation Fees	125.03
Miscellaneous	1,530.35
Rent	4,341.00
Bookstore — Text Books	1,408.37
Year Book	25.00
Miscellaneous	369.17
Dining Hall — Semester Board	8,552.00
Cash Meals	71.77
Vending Machines	353.37
Special Occasions	155.70

TOTAL INCOME

\$127,534.77

EXPENSES

Schedule B-1 Attached

129,936.10

NET (LOSS)

\$ (2,401.33)

SCHEDULE OF EXPENSES

Fiscal Year Ended March 31, 1978

Schedule B-1

(Unaudited)

GENERAL AND EDUCATIONAL

Payroll — Administrative	\$12,460.75
Office	7,412.25
Payroll Taxes	3,679.10
Office Expenses	2,887.90
Telephone	3,086.93
Promotion	3,395.62
Legal and Accounting	466.00
Honorarium	950.00
Miscellaneous	188.94
Dues, Subscriptions and Licenses	755.50
Depreciation	11,681.13
Auto Expenses	2,673.26
Hospitalization Insurance	1,937.31
Employee Retirement	551.55
Graduation Expense	285.55
Housing Allowance	<u>1,610.00</u>

TOTAL GENERAL AND EDUCATIONAL

\$ 54,021.79

DORMITORY

Repairs and Maintenance	3.37
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BOOKSTORE

Purchases	2,045.29
Miscellaneous	404.49
Sales Taxes	<u>127.69</u>

TOTAL BOOKSTORE

\$ 2,577.47

DINING HALL

Food	4,625.29
Salaries	4,420.00
Supplies	364.84
Vending Machines	496.87
Special Occasions	<u>1,219.67</u>

TOTAL DINING HALL

\$ 11,126.67

INSTRUCTIONAL

Payroll	\$33,803.97
Music Department	139.09

Visual Aid and Film	93.00	
TOTAL INSTRUCTIONAL		\$ 34,036.06
OPERATIONS AND MAINTENANCE		
Payroll	\$ 2,505.00	
Utilities	9,117.02	
Insurance	2,433.75	
Building Repairs	922.45	
Equipment Repairs	222.10	
Janitorial Service and Supplies	370.33	
Property Taxes	2,125.49	
Interest	7,021.37	
Miscellaneous	224.00	
Supplies and Small Tools	99.89	
TOTAL OPERATIONS AND MAINTENANCE		\$ 25,041.40
LIBRARY		
Payroll	\$ 2,885.58	
Supplies	111.10	
Subscriptions	132.66	
TOTAL LIBRARY		\$ 3,129.34
TOTAL EXPENSES		\$129,936.10

Accountant's letter is an integral part of this statement.

**CALIFORNIA CHRISTIAN COLLEGE
PROPOSED BUDGET 1978-79
ANTICIPATED INCOME**

Registration Fees	\$ 4,500
Tuition	37,500
Music Fees	1,500
Cooperative Receipts	45,000
Gifts —	
General	60,000
Designated — Bold Venture	125,000
Banquets	20,000
Graduation Fees	200
Misc. Income	2,000
Rent — Dormitory	10,000
Bookstore — Textbooks	2,500
Misc. Income	1,000
Dining Hall — Board	15,000
Cash Meals	300
Vending Machines	500
TOTAL	\$325,000

ANTICIPATED EXPENSES

General and Educational

Payroll — Administrative	30,000
Office	6,500
Other — Work Study Matching	3,000
Payroll Taxes	5,000
Office Expenses and Supplies	5,000
Telephone	3,000
Promotion and Publicity	5,000
Legal and Accounting	500
Honorarium	1,000
Dues, Subscriptions, Licenses	1,000
Auto Expenses	3,000
Hospital Insurance	5,000
Employee Retirement & Allowances	3,600

Dormitory

Repairs and Maintenance	2,000
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<u>Bookstore</u>	3,000
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Dining Hall

Food	9,000
Salaries	5,000
Supplies	1,000
Vending	500
Special Occasions	2,000

Instructional

Salaries (Payroll)	50,000
Music Department	3,000
Education Dept. Equipment	2,000
Visual Aids & Films	200

Operation and Maintenance

Salaries	3,000
Utilities	12,000
Insurance — Auto, Buildings, Other	3,000
Building Repairs	2,000
Equipment Repairs	500
Janitorial Supplies	500
Property Taxes	500
Interest	10,000
Supplies and Small Tools	500
Recreational Supplies	500

Library

Salaries	1,200
Supplies	2,000
Subscriptions	300

Mortgages Payable (Houses)	7,700
Notes & Bonds Payable	<u>135,000</u>
TOTAL	<u><u>\$325,000</u></u>

CALIFORNIA CHRISTIAN COLLEGE
STUDENT FINANCIAL AID REPORT
Academic Year 1977-78

	Authorized Amt.	Aid Granted
Basic Educational Opportunity Grants	10,049.00	10,049.00
Supplemental Educational Opportunity Grants	4,524.00	3,952.00
College Work-Study Program	13,762.00	12,396.45
National Direct Student Loans	16,384.00	6,065.00
Scholarships	<u> </u>	<u>475.00</u>
	44,719.00	32,937.45

AUTHORIZATIONS FOR 1978-79

Supplemental Educational Opportunity Grants	3,735.00
College Work-Study Program	6,604.00
National Direct Student Loan Program	<u>3,008.00</u>
	13,347.00

STATISTICAL REPORT OF AFFILIATED ASSOCIATIONS

<i>Association</i>	<i>Center</i>	<i>Golden Gate</i>	<i>Northern California</i>	<i>San Joaquin Valley</i>	<i>Southern</i>	<i>West Coast</i>	<i>Total</i>
Churches	11	16	8	10	16	16	77
Membership	701	822	188	675	1283	644	4313
Members Gained	68	131	15	159	209	156	738
Members Lost	58	190	10	98	120	127	603
Ordained Ministers	24	21	12	19	28	26	130
Licensed Ministers	5	7	6	8	2	9	37
Deacons	33	53	14	28	44	20	192
Sunday School Enrollment	768	2,013	239	899	809	1,202	5,930
Average Attendance	647	921	235	—	—	—	1,803
CTS Enrollment	133	329	0	30	257	136	885
Average Attendance	95	288	0	—	169	—	552
Woman's Auxiliary Enrollment	88	104	0	38	124	118	472
Master's Men Enrollment	25	44	0	12	6	7	99
Prayer Meetings	11	16	6	9	16	16	74
Parsonages	4	6	2	5	13	9	39
Value of Churches and Parsonages	\$1,126,000	\$2,496,580	\$266,300	\$2,163,000	\$1,469,460	\$2,000,000	\$9,521,340

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Association	Center	Golden Gate	Northern California	San Joaquin Valley	Southern	West Coast	Total
Total Income	\$313,235		\$41,729	\$225,730	\$351,813	\$344,000	\$1,276,507
Total Local Expenditures	239,468	\$206,378	34,487	182,387	418,188	325,000	1,405,908
Outside Giving							
Cooperative Plan	9,397	7,238	899	5,762	7,144	10,980	41,420
National Executive Office	—	371	—	—	—	—	371
Foreign Missions	6,338	24,566	—	12,967	8,286	2,928	55,085
Home Missions and Church Extension	3,455	3,768	488	4,852	8,183	4,085	24,831
Retirement and Insurance Board	1	—	—	—	492	—	493
Other National Ministries	520	—	75	335	210	—	1,140
District or State Ministries	14,168	8,135	355	6,025	3,136	3,585	35,404
Other Causes	2,120	—	747	3,576	—	—	6,443
Total Outside Giving	35,999	44,078	2,564	33,517	27,451	21,578	165,187

This Statistical Report is designed to reflect a plenary picture, however, it is only partially complete due to fragmented information from some district associations.

Names and Addresses of Ordained Ministers Attending Association

Blaine Bishop	292 Ely Blvd. So., Petaluma, CA. 94952	707-763-6023
Gordon Bradshaw	9559 S. McCall, Selma, CA. 93662	209-896-7495
Nuel Brown	15401 W. "E" St., Kerman, CA. 93630	209-846-8228
Francis W. Boyle	569 W. Santa Barbara St., Santa Paula, CA. 93060	805-525-9619
Ben Bush	807 Acacia St., Modesto, CA. 95351	209-524-9613
Ralph W. Clark	515 Allyn, Ontario, CA. 91764	714-983-7868
Adrian Condit	1816 Gail Ct., Ceres, CA. 95307	209-537-6932
E. B. Condit	104 Anendal Circle, Greenville, N.C.	
Larry Condit	5524 Wilson Way, Carmichael, CA. 95608	916-966-1750
Dan Cronk	5209 Vine Ridge Dr., Nashville, TN. 37203	
O. H. Doss	P. O. Box 66, Hughson, CA. 95326	209-883-2960
Kenneth R. Eilts	3061 E. El Monte, Fresno, CA. 93721	209-485-5187
Merel E. Guess	782 Orange Ave., Arvin, CA. 93203	805-854-5909
L. R. Haggard	496 Sunny Lane, El Sobrante, CA.	415-223-8622
Vern Gunnels, Jr.	17 Belinda Dr., Pleasant Hill, CA. 94523	415-798-8554
Claudie Hames	930 Exchange, Bakersfield, CA. 93307	805-325-6532
Tom Hampton	7231 Granger, Bell Gardens, CA. 90201	213-928-3092
Sanuel O. Hensley	401 Curtis Ave., Shafter, CA. 93263	805-746-2866
Truman Huddleston	535 S. 4th St., Chowchilla, CA. 93637	209-665-3911
Lyle E. Huntley	669 4th St., Orange Cove, CA. 93646	209-626-4250
Jim Isaak	111 Tanglewood Ct., Vallejo, CA. 94950	707-644-2336
Ronn Jackson	232 W. Dawn Dr., Modesto, CA. 95350	209-523-8572
Wade T. Jernigan	4412 N. Maple, Fresno, CA. 93726	209-292-7449
Edward F. Johns	3664 Gatty St., Chula Vista, CA. 92154	714-429-7862
Robert Leeds	106 Van Buren St., Taft, CA. 93268	805-765-6468
Jack Littlejohn	6792 N. Peach, Clovis, CA. 93612	209-299-3203
Charles Marshall	1317 E. 7th St., Ontario, CA. 91764	714-982-6897
Doice McAlister	2217 Geer Rd., Turlock, CA. 95380	209-632-0404
J. L. McAlister	P. O. Box 155, Farmersville, CA. 93223	209-747-0021
Larry D. Messer	1140 Green, Salinas, CA. 93905	408-757-2423
Gerald Myer	8875 S. Union, Bakersfield, CA. 93307	805-831-3639
Ron Palmer	17040 Downey Ave., Bellflower, CA. 90706	213-634-2988
Daniel W. Parker	4864 E. Normal, Fresno, CA. 93703	209-252-2544
Bob Pierce	27242 Ave. 13, Madera, CA. 93637	209-673-1038
J. P. Pierce	908 Humboldt, Chowchilla, CA. 93610	209-665-4263
Robert Riddle	3933 N. Merced, Baldwin Park, CA. 91706	213-338-9762
Lonnie L. Rolan	2913 E. Northdale, Fresno, CA. 93726	209-229-2203
Tim McLain Rolan	2913 E. Northdale, Fresno, CA. 93726	209-229-2203
Rex Shipman	1254 San Moritz Dr., San Jose, CA. 95732	408-259-5698
Kenneth R. Sluder	8802 Lampson, Garden Grove, CA. 92641	714-636-9320
John B. Smith, Jr.	1400 N. "M" St., Oxnard, CA. 93030	805-486-0176
Richard Smith	660 E. Clay, Earlimart, CA. 93219	
Cecil Spurlock	406 Acacia Rd., Santa Paula, CA. 93060	805-525-5001
Bob L. Thomas	1869 Elderwood Dr., Concord, CA. 94519	415-687-4863
Dale Vanderburg	1000 W. Davis, Hanford, CA. 93230	209-584-6758
J. Mark Vandivort	3365 N. Loma Vista, Flagstaff, Ariz. 86001	602-526-3817
Jerry Watson	4415 Damsen Lane, Visalia, CA. 93277	209-732-7856
Gerald R. Webb	24606 Ave. 200, Strathmore, CA. 93267	205-568-2401
Ted Wilbanks	160 S. Bush, Fresno, CA. 93727	
Jay Wilson	230 W. Palm, Exeter, CA. 93221	209-592-4705
Milburn Wilson	5570 Olinda Dr., El Sobrante, CA. 94803	415-223-8782
J. Clinton Wood	1381 E. San Bruno, Fresno, CA. 93710	209-298-4850
Ron Wood	2707 Edward Ave., Concord, CA. 94520	415-689-2011
Sherman Wren	1889 10th St., Olivehurst, CA. 95961	916-743-8388
Larkin Yandell	3011 N. Demaree, Visalia, CA. 93277	209-732-9945
Carl K. Young	288 Ely Blvd. So., Petaluma, CA. 94952	707-763-1865
Ron Young	2205 Lake St., Bakersfield, CA. 93306	805-325-3404

**MINUTES OF THE THIRTIETH SESSION
OF
CALIFORNIA STATE WOMAN'S AUXILIARY CONVENTION**

March 31—April 1, 1978

**Sherwood Forest Free Will Baptist Church
El Sobrante, California**

Theme: "Teach Me, Lord"

FRIDAY EVENING

The Thirtieth Session of California State Woman's Auxiliary Convention met with the Sherwood Forest Free Will Baptist Church, El Sobrante, California March 31—April 1, 1978, with President June Rolen presiding.

Registration began Friday evening at 7:00 P.M. with Vice-President Mary Alice Bridgman in charge of registration.

The Convention was called to order by President June Rolen, who read the theme verses Psalm 25:4-5, "Teach Me to Pray" was the opening hymn. Mary Alice Bridgman, Campbell, directed the singing with Donna Van Horn, Memorial, pianist and Debe Taylor, Memorial, organist. Frances Van Horn, Golden Gate District President, led in prayer. The convention then sang the chorus "Lord Speak to Me" to the tune of "Amazing Grace."

Devotional thoughts were given by Mary Moore, Richmond.

Executive committee minutes were read by Secretary Sandi Jones.

President June Rolen read letters from Bentrina Johnson and Joyce Horner who had to resign their offices of President and Vice-President, respectively, due to moving out of state.

Mrs. Rolen introduced the state officers. Verla Fletcher, Bell Gardens and Betty Watson, Visalia, were seated as proxies for Nora Hampton, Treasurer and Lola Williams, Member-at-Large.

The following committees were appointed by the president:

REGISTRATION

Mary Alice Bridgman
Debe Taylor
Oretha Hamlin
Kathy McClelland

FINANCE

Verla Fletcher
Sue Hoppie
Carol Bichere
Doris Wilson
Melba Hibbard

CREDENTIALS

Sandi Jones
Shirley Vanderburg
Leota Wilson
Debbie Busby

RESOLUTION

Betty Watson
Juanita Parker
Francis Van Horn
Naomi Armstrong

PLACEMENT

Barbara Myer
Zella Ramsey
Emma Puett

APPRECIATION

Cheryl Rogers
Naomi Purser
Mildred Eagle

Mary Alice Bridgman led the convention in singing "Oh, How I Love Jesus." Winnie McLain, Memorial, dismissed in prayer.

"Teach Me" seminars were taught by the following women:

- "Teach Me Lord to Lead"—June Rolen
- "Teach Me Lord to Enlist"—Mary Alice Bridgman
- "Teach Me Lord to Record"—Sandi Jones
- "Teach Me Lord to Account"—Verla Fletcher
- "Teach Me Lord to Pray"—Evelyn Smith
- "Teach Me Lord to Study"—Betty Watson
- "Teach Me Missions, Lord"—Phyllis Shipman
- "Teach Me to Be a Friend, Lord"—Roena Kelton

A light evening supper was served by the Sherwood Forest Auxiliary. The Executive Committee and the appointed committees met at this time.

Bay Area women opened their homes to Convention guests for overnight accommodations.

SATURDAY MORNING

The Saturday morning session was opened by singing the chorus, "The Thrill That I Feel" and "Teach Me to Pray" followed with prayer by June Kennedy, Sherwood Forest Auxiliary president.

A dramatic reading taken from Joyce Landorf's book *I Came to Love You Late*, was given by Debe Taylor, Memorial. She entitled the small excerpt, "Teach Me Patience."

President June Rolen again introduced the officers.

Combined statistical reports for Center, Golden Gate, Southern and West Coast District were read and accepted.

The treasurer's report was read and accepted.

The report of the fifth annual women's retreat, "Her Name Is Woman", held October 13-15, 1977 at Emerald Cove, Bass Lake, California was received as information.

The field worker's report was received as information. Center and Southern Districts each reported one new auxiliary.

Chairman Juanita Parker gave the report of the Student Loan Fund. The report was accepted and each auxiliary was encouraged to send \$15.00 annually for the Student Loan Fund.

Dates and places of District Meetings were given as follows:

- Center—October 7, 1978 — Selma
- March 3, 1979 — Memorial
- Golden Gate — June 3, 1978 — Salinas First
- October 7, 1978 — Sacramento
- February 3, 1979 — Concord

Southern — July 8, 1978 — Goshen
October 14, 1978 — South Union
January 13, 1979 — Tulare
West Coast — May 6, 1978 — Downey Avenue
November 4, 1978 — Hawaiian Gardens
February 3, 1979 — Bell Gardens

The following report of the registration committee was read and accepted:
Total registered 132.

Center 26, Golden Gate 69, Southern 23, West Coast 2 and ministers and visitors 12.

The Credential Committee report was read and accepted. Center, Golden Gate, Southern and West Coast Districts properly reported.

The following report of the Finance Committee was read and accepted: We recommend —

1. That dues be \$1.50 per member (\$1.00 for WNAC and 50 cents for State).
2. That each local auxiliary send \$100 in the next two years (\$50 a year, or all at once, however convenient) to help defray the expenses of the 1980 Woman's National Auxiliary Convention when it convenes in California. The money should be sent directly to the state treasurer, who will deposit said monies in a special savings account.

The following report of the Resolution Committee was read and accepted: We recommend that the District Auxiliaries encourage all local auxiliaries to participate in the Co-Laborer Offering Plan of Support.

The following report of the Placement Committee was read and accepted: The Thirty-First Session of the California State Woman's Auxiliary Convention will convene at the South Union Free Will Baptist Church, 110 McKee Road, Bakersfield, April 7, 1979.

The following report of the Appreciation Committee was read and accepted: We would like to express our appreciation to the Executive Committee for their work in making the convention a success, a special thank you is in order for our President-elect, June Rolan, for stepping in at such a late date to take charge of our program. We sincerely appreciate the generous hospitality of the women of the host church; their warmth in welcoming us into their homes has been a lovely gesture. Please join us in giving the women of the Sherwood Forest Woman's Auxiliary a standing vote of thanks.

Shirley Vanderburg, Hanford, was elected to serve as five-year member of the Student Loan Committee.

The following women were appointed delegates to the Forty-Third Annual Session of WNAC, July 17—18, 1978 in Kansas City, Missouri: Mary Alice Bridgman, Mildred Eagle, Phyllis Fite, Pauline Guess, Elsie Kemp, Rose McGibbens, Winnie McLain, Vivian Mullins, Barbara Myer, Juanita Parker, Virginia Taylor, Shirley Vanderburg, Frances Van Horn, Leota Wilson and Winnie Yandell. The president was given power to appoint others at the convention. Mary Alice Bridgman was elected to serve on the WNAC Nominating Committee and Phyllis Shipman the alternate.

Motion carried to elect a nominating committee for the 1979 convention. Those elected were Frances Van Horn, Barbara Myer, Melba Hibbard, Emma Puett and Sandi Jones.

A recommendation from the executive board was read and accepted. Motion carried that June Rolen and Mary Alice Bridgman serve as president and vice-president, respectively, until new officers are elected at the 1979 convention.

June and Mary Alice each expressed their appreciation to each person who assisted in the planning and preparation for the convention.

Mrs. Cleo Pursell, WNAC Executive Secretary sent personal greetings.

Mrs. Zella Ramsey was recognized for the work she did in the early history of Woman's Auxiliary in California. She dismissed in prayer.

The host church served coffee during an intermission.

The convention reconvened with singing "Open My Eyes, That I May See" and the choruses "Lord, Speak to Me" and "Speak to My Heart." Prayer by Ruth Walker, Modesto First Church.

A convention offering was received.

Nancy Warwick, El Sobrante, sang "Praise the Lord, He Never Changes" accompanied by Vicki Wilson, El Sobrante.

Mrs. Cherie Noel, Principal of Liberty Baptist Church Christian School, San Jose, spoke on the theme—"Teach Me Lord."

Benediction by the Rev. Larkin Yandell, Demaree.

The convention met at VP's Restaurant in San Pablo for a luncheon. Prayer by the Rev. Doice McAlister, Turlock.

The president gave christian books to the convention guests.

Mary Alice Bridgman sang "I Never Knew Love" accompanying herself on the autoharp.

Missionary Julie Barron, Guadalajara, Mexico, spoke following the luncheon on "Show Me, Teach Me, Lead Me, Lord."

June Rolen, President

Sandi Jones, Secretary

CALIFORNIA STATE YOUTH CONFERENCE

April 21-22, 1978

THEME: "YOU'RE SOMEBODY SPECIAL"

The 1978 session of the California State Youth Conference convened at the Memorial Free Will Baptist Church, 4141 N. Millbrook, Fresno on April 21, 1978. The session was opened with the congregation singing "Child of the King" led by Roger Flannery, Modesto, accompanied by Debe Taylor, pianist and Brenda York, organist. Prayer by the Rev. Carl Young, Petaluma. A devotional on the theme "You're Somebody Special" was given by Debe Taylor, Memorial.

Vice President Phil Taylor called the 1978 session to order and introduced President Tim Rolen. President Rolen gave his presidential remarks.

A mind teaser was presented by the Covenant Players, a drama group from Southern California.

Competitive activities were directed by Vilnis Freimanis, Yorbe Linda. Those participating were as follows:

Tic-Tac-Toe — Hanford and Petaluma

Music and Arts — Teresa Mullins, Adventurer Solo, Southern
— Mitzi Harrison, Herald Solo, West Coast
— Lance Hawkins, Crusader Solo, West Coast
— Russ Hamrick, Ambassador Solo, Center

Benediction by the Rev. Dale Vanderburg, Hanford.

The evening worship began with the congregation singing "Child of the King" and "When We All Get to Heaven" led by Phil Wood, Tulare, accompanied by Debe Taylor and Brenda York. An offering was received. Prayer by the Rev. Lonnie Rolen, Fresno.

The congregation sang "Saved by the Blood." Worship in praise and testimony was presented by Colleen Kincaid, former television personality. The Covenant Players presented "Worship in Performance." Benediction by Tim Rolen.

Workshops were conducted at the conclusion of the Friday evening session. Colleen Kincaid directed a workshop on "More Beautiful You" and "Drama in the Church" was directed by the Covenant Players.

A fellowship time at the Royals Restaurant followed the workshops.

SATURDAY MORNING SESSION

Service opened by congregational singing led by Phil Wood accompanied by Sandy Taylor, Fresno, Prayer by the Rev. Ronn Jackson, North Modesto. A mind teaser was presented by the Covenant Players.

The 1978 session was declared in business by President Rolen. Treasurer's report was read and accepted. Committees were appointed as follows:

RESOLUTION

George Rogers, Chairman, Center
Ken Barnes, Golden Gate
Jim McClelland, Southern
Lance Hawkins, West Coast

FINANCE

Leah Ann Smith, Chairman, West Coast
Brenda York, Center
Kathy McClelland, Southern
Kathy Ball, Golden Gate

Nominations were opened for recording secretary. Kathy McClelland was elected by acclamation. Prayer by Jerry Fite, Memorial.

Vilnis Freimanis, Competitive Activities Director, directed the following activities

Sword Drill: David Fite, Center; Ronda Hunt, Golden Gate
Tic-Tac-Toe: Petaluma (Golden Gate) and Hanford (Center)
Prayer by John Hibbard, Bell Gardens.

SATURDAY MORNING WORSHIP SERVICE

Service was opened by Phil Wood leading the congregation in singing "Child of the King." Prayer by the Rev. Jerry Watson, Visalia. Congregation sang "Victory in Jesus." Offeratory prayer was led by J. R. Overman, Nevada. Congregation sang "My Wonderful Lord." Prayer by Gordon Moore, Monterey. Special music was presented by Colleen Kincaid. "Worship in Performance" was presented by the Covenant Players. Their dramatizations were entitled "Reverse the Perverse" and "I Had the Feeling You Were Coming." Concluding remarks and prayer were offered by President Rolen.

BUSINESS SESSION

Final business session was called to order by President Rolen. Report of Finance Committee was read and accepted. (See Reports.)

Report of Resolution Committee was read and accepted. (See Reports.)

Nominations were opened for the 1979 conference site. California Christian College Memorial Church, Fresno and Village Chapel, Ceres were nominated. The 1979 conference will be held at California Christian College, Fresno.

The 1978 conference was dismissed in prayer by Dave Taylor, Memorial.

REPORTS

FINANCE COMMITTEE:

1. We recommend that the Covenant Players be given \$165.00 for their time and ministry at this conference.
2. We recommend that Colleen Kincaid be given \$65.00 for her ministry in song.

RESOLUTION COMMITTEE:

1. Lost
2. Lost
3. We recommend that a standing vote of thanks be given the host church.

Debe Taylor, Acting Secretary
Tim McLain Rolen, President

CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS
CALIFORNIA STATE ASSOCIATION
of
FREE WILL BAPTISTS

From long experience, we the members of the Free Will Baptist denomination, being regularly baptized upon the profession of our faith in Christ, and realizing the necessity of a bond of union and fellowship among us as an association of churches, and to preserve and maintain correspondence and coordination with us, do therefore, ordain this constitution for our better denominational government.

ARTICLE I-NAME

The name of this organization shall be the California State Association of Free Will Baptists.

ARTICLE II-PURPOSE

The purpose of this organization shall be to coordinate efforts and policy for the primary cause of the evangelization and unifying the efforts of its constituency in denominational work in the State of California and to aid in spreading the gospel of Jesus Christ unto the "uttermost parts of the earth."

ARTICLE III-DELEGATION

Delegates to this association shall consist of two types. One shall be those defined as elected delegates representing the affiliated associations and the other shall be defined as standing delegates.

1. **STANDING DELEGATES.** Standing delegates shall be all ordained members of any district association being a constituent part of this association, and in good standing with the association of which they are members, their wives, all officers and members of standing boards of this association and the unmarried widows of deceased ordained members.

2. **ELECTED DELEGATES.** Elected delegates shall be those delegates duly appointed or elected by the affiliate association which they represent. They shall in all cases be members in good standing in the affiliated association from which they come.

Representation in this association shall be by affiliated district associations. Each affiliated association shall be entitled to one (1) delegate per each fifty (50) members. Each affiliated association shall represent by a letter giving all of the statistical information called for by this body and listing all delegates by name. Representation fees as set by this association shall accompany the letter of information.

ARTICLE IV-MEETINGS

This association shall meet annually. The date and place shall be chosen by the association. In the event of an emergency, the General Board shall set the date and place of the annual meeting.

ARTICLE V-OFFICERS and BOARDS

The officers of this association shall be:

1. Moderator
2. Assistant Moderator
3. Clerk/Treasurer
4. Assistant Clerk/Treasurer
5. Executive Secretary

Each of these except the Executive Secretary shall be elected at the closing session of this association.

Committees, as necessary, shall be appointed or elected as this association shall provide, and shall hold office until their work is completed or their successors are appointed. Each board, committee or officers' meeting shall keep accurate minutes of their meetings and shall make these minutes available for reading at the request of this association.

The standing boards of this association shall be:

1. Mission Board
2. California Christian College Board of Trustees
3. General Board

The General Board will be elected annually and shall be governed by the following:

1. It shall meet at the request of the chairman or on a pre-arranged date.
2. It shall have an annual meeting prior to the opening session of this association.
3. It shall serve in the capacity of the association when the association is not in session but shall answer to this association for all actions.

Each board shall be composed of members serving terms, the number and length of term to be designated by this association, so arranged that members shall be elected in staggered terms as defined in the section of these by-laws entitled "Description of Duties." Vacancies occurring on any board shall come by reason of:

1. Resignation. Any member of any board shall be allowed to resign at his pleasure except in cases where resignation would be to avoid discipline or an accounting of the stewardship of his office.
2. Death.
3. Dismissal. Members of boards may be dismissed by this association for unchristian conduct or conduct detrimental to the general welfare of this association. Any member who is declared out of fellowship or against whom charges of heresy or unchristian conduct are being pressed shall be suspended from active service on the board of which he is a member until the consummation of the charges made in the affiliated association by which he is disciplined. If found guilty of charges as described

above, he shall be dismissed from this board and his position shall be declared vacant.

4. Removal from the territorial bounds. Any member who unites with a church outside the territorial bounds of this association shall be considered automatically dismissed from membership on the board on which he serves. This provision also applies to the three out-of-state members of California Christian College Board of Trustees.

5. Failure to serve. Members of boards who fail to serve in the capacity allotted them shall upon the approval of this association be dismissed from the board.

No member of this association shall be allowed to serve on more than one standing board or committee at any one time nor shall any member serve as an officer and on any board or standing committee except the General Board.

DESCRIPTION OF DUTIES

A. The Moderator. The moderator shall be chosen by majority vote of the delegates present and voting at the closing session of the association to serve one year.

1. He shall be the presiding officer at all business sessions of this association and shall be an ex-officio member of all committees and auxiliaries and board of this association.

2. He shall maintain order in all business sessions and allow full and free debate on all issues, but recognize no one or allow debate by any demonstrating an unchristian spirit.

3. He shall serve as chairman of the General Board and Executive Committee.

B. The Assistant Moderator. The assistant moderator shall be chosen by the majority vote of the delegates present and voting at the closing session of this association to serve a term of one year.

1. He shall assist the moderator in all business sessions of this association.

2. In the absence of the moderator, the assistant moderator shall become the moderator and be governed by the duties allotted to the moderator.

3. The assistant moderator shall serve as parliamentarian at all sessions of this association.

C. The Clerk/Treasurer. The clerk/treasurer shall be elected by the majority vote of the delegates present and voting at the closing session of this association to serve a term of one year.

1. The clerk shall keep a true and accurate record of the proceedings of the association and have same printed in book form for distribution to all affiliated associations. The clerk shall also keep an accurate record of all officers' and committee meetings. The clerk shall keep all papers and documents of this association unless otherwise ordered and shall conduct all correspondence for the association.

2. The clerk shall also serve as clerk of the General Board and the Executive Committee.

3. The treasurer shall receive and receipt all monies from whatever source contributions may be made and deposit same in a bank.
 4. All bills and accounts owed by this association shall be paid by check drawn against the association account signed by the treasurer.
 5. The treasurer shall give a report of all funds received and expended. The report shall be accompanied by an accurate balance sheet of approved standards of accounting.
- D. The Assistant Clerk/Treasurer. The assistant clerk/treasurer shall be elected by the majority vote of the delegates present and voting at the closing session of the association to serve a term of one year.
1. The assistant clerk shall assist the clerk in recording the minutes of the proceedings and shall make himself available to assist in any of the labors of the clerk.
 2. In the absence of the clerk, the assistant shall become the clerk and the duties of the clerk shall then be applied to him.
- E. The Executive Secretary. The executive secretary shall be elected after his report is given, to serve a term of two years. Be it understood that upon acceptance of this position the executive secretary shall serve a minimum of six months, the sole exception being for reasons of health. In the event of his resignation, he shall give a minimum of sixty days notice. In the event of resignation or disciplinary action, it shall become the duty of the General Board to effect the dismissal and/or replace the executive secretary.
- The executive secretary shall be responsible for the general promotion of all branches and departments of this association. It shall be his duty to promote the general welfare of this association with regular reports of the work made to the general membership of this body. It shall be his duty to work closely with the moderator in coordinating denominational efforts and making known by publication these efforts and their successes.
- The executive secretary shall serve as treasurer of the cooperative plan of support and shall disburse the receipts as directed by this association. He shall make every effort to enlist all churches within the general framework of this association to support the cooperative plan of support with a tithe, and shall promote each department or agency of the association where designated offerings are needed or sought. All offerings received shall be forwarded to the agency to which they are directed.
- He shall serve as managing editor of the *Voice* or other publication. He shall make periodic visits to each affiliated association and there inform them of the progress of the overall work of this association. Even though some other agencies may have executive secretaries, it shall be his duty to promote these agencies in the coordinated denominational effort.
- F. The General Board. The personnel of the general board shall be composed of the moderator, the clerk/treasurer and the executive secretary of this association and the chairmen of all standing boards. There shall also be selected by each affiliated district association one

member to serve on this board.

The general board shall have power to act in behalf of, and for, this association from one regular session to another. It shall be the duty of this board to make written reports of all its work to each annual session of this association. This board shall stand liable to this body for discipline or dismissal for actions contrary to the general policy and intent of this association and these Articles and By-Laws. No decision shall be rendered by this board that will affect this association which could normally be detained and decided by this body in session.

An executive committee consisting of nine members shall be selected from the general board. This committee shall be composed of the moderator, clerk/treasurer, executive secretary, and the six members representing the affiliated associations.

The duty of this committee shall be to act on all matters coming within the scope of the work of the board when said general board is not in session.

In cases of disputes from, or within, an affiliated association, this committee shall serve as a mediatorial committee. This committee shall have no dictatorial powers whatever, but shall mediate attempts to settle such disputes as may be referred to it. If a satisfactory settlement cannot be executed by mediation, the matter shall be referred to this body in session. In no case shall either the general board or the executive committee issue a verdict or edict that could or would supercede this association in its decision.

This committee shall hear all disputes or question of discipline, doctrine, or practice that may properly come before it from any of the bodies composing this association, or any appeal that may be made by any association, church or individual person which is a component part of this body. Said appeal shall have been made in writing and properly signed by the constituent body or bodies or person making such appeal from the lower to the higher body. This committee shall be limited to making recommendations to these affected parties and if not accepted by all concerned, shall refer the signed allegation to the general board, and if mediation proves unsuccessful shall in turn refer the signed allegation to this association for final action.

G. The Mission Board. The mission board shall be composed of five members elected by popular vote of this body. Their terms of office shall be staggered from one to five years so arranged that one member shall be elected each year. In the event a member moves from the state, his membership shall terminate and the remaining members shall elect his successor until this body meets in session and fills the vacancy.

The duties of the mission board shall be to labor to further the gospel of Jesus Christ "unto the uttermost parts of the earth." In accomplishing this, they are to endeavor to establish missions and churches in communities within the bounds of this association with whatever assistance deemed necessary. Also, in cases of small churches failing to function, every assistance possible shall be rendered to maintain the effective witness of that church.

The promotion of missionary endeavors from a local, state and national level of both home and foreign nature shall be the obligation of this

board. The board shall assist in maintaining prayer and financial support to the entire missionary program of the denomination.

This board shall orient itself and elect its own officers.

This board, being an agency of this association, shall be empowered to have its own constitution and by-laws, which shall not be repugnant to this constitution or the general policy of this association.

The treasurer of this board shall receive and receipt all monies coming to it from all sources. The money shall be deposited in a bank or banks and all debts and accounts of this board shall be paid by check drawn against this treasury and signed by the treasurer.

Accurate minutes shall be kept of all meetings of this board and shall be available for reading at the request of this association. A complete report of all activities of this board shall be made in writing to this association while in session and an accurate balance sheet of approved standards of accounting of all funds received and disbursed shall accompany these reports and shall be signed by the officers of this board.

H. California Christian College Board of Trustees. The California Christian College Board of Trustees shall be composed of twelve members, nine members from California and one member from Arizona, one member from Idaho and one member from the Northwest Association. All of these are to be elected by popular vote of their respective bodies. Their terms of office shall be so arranged that California members rotate on a five year basis with two members elected each year for four years and one member elected the fifth year. In the event a member moves from the state, his membership shall terminate and the remaining members shall select his successor until this body meets in session and fills the vacancy. The Board of Trustees shall establish and promote a high standard of Christian education within the framework of this association. In the consummation of its duties this board shall promote a high level academic institution wherein fundamental, orthodox, evangelical training may be obtained by those availing themselves to higher education. The highest academic standard possible shall be attained and maintained. The doctrines of Free Will Baptists as defined in the "Treatise of Faith and Practice of Original Free Will Baptists" published by the National Association of Free Will Baptists shall be the guiding theological position of the institution.

This board shall orient itself and elect its own officers. It shall meet upon call of its chairman at any time.

This board, being an agency of this association, shall be empowered to have its own constitution and by-laws which shall not be repugnant to this constitution or the general policy of this association.

An accurate record shall be kept of all meetings of this board and shall be available for reading at the request of this association. A complete report of the activities of this board shall be made in writing to the annual session of this association with an accurate account of all receipts and disbursements made. An accurate balance sheet of approved standards of accounting shall accompany the reports and shall be signed by the officers of this board.

This board shall seek to work harmoniously with the other denominational academic institutions.

ARTICLE VI-CHURCH GOVERNMENT

The government of this association shall be congregational in form and democratic in its practice. Congregational church government shall be defined as: "The local church is an independent body, as far as it relates to its own government, the transaction of its business, the choice of its officers, and the disciplining of its members. The local church holds the deed of its own property and is responsible for its own financial obligations and there is no authority by any ecclesiastical power that can revert or change the decision of the local church. When a majority of a congregation in regular conference votes for or against, their decision cannot be reversed by any other authority." However, an appeal may be made by common consent by an aggrieved minority to the quarterly meeting for mediation. If the quarterly meeting or other associations are dissatisfied with the ruling of the majority of a local church, they may withdraw the hand of fellowship from the local church but it still leaves the local congregation in full charge of the church property and cannot interfere with its decisions any further.

ARTICLE VII-DISCIPLINE

This association shall have the right and authority to discipline its members and shall be recognized as the final ecclesiastical, tribunal within the state of California for Free Will Baptists.

ARTICLE VIII-AMENDMENTS

These By-Laws may be amended by a two-thirds majority vote of the delegates present and voting at any session of this association provided that all proposed amendments are presented in writing to the association one day in advance of action upon the proposed amendments.

ORDER OF BUSINESS

1. Introductory sermon.
2. House called to order by moderator.
3. Letters called for, or read, and received.
4. Right hand of fellowship and seating of delegates.
5. Petitionary letters called for.
6. Reading of rules of order.
7. Invite visiting brethren to seats in council.
8. Appointment of committees.
9. Unfinished business.
10. New business.
11. Report of Committees.
12. Miscellaneous business.
13. Election of officers.

CHURCH COVENANT

Having given ourselves to God, by faith in Christ, and adopted the Word of God as our rule of faith and practice, we now give ourselves to one another by the will of God in this solemn covenant.

We promise, by His grace, to love and obey Him in all things, to avoid all appearance of evil, to abstain from all sinful amusements and unholy conformity to the world, from all sanction of the use and sale of intoxicating beverages, and to "provide things honest in the sight of all men."

We agree faithfully to discharge our obligations in reference to the study of the Scriptures, secret prayer, family devotions, and social worship; and by self-denial, faith, and good works endeavor to "grow in grace and the knowledge of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ."

We will not forsake the assembling of ourselves together for church conferences, public worship, and the observance of the ordinances of the Gospel; nor fail to pay according to our ability for the support of the church, of its poor, and all its benevolent work.

We agree to accept Christian admonition and reproof with meekness, and to watch over one another in love, endeavoring to "keep the unity of the Spirit" in the bonds of peace, to be careful of one another's happiness and reputation, and seek to strengthen the weak, encourage the afflicted, admonish the erring, and as far as we are able, promote the success of the church and of the Gospel.

We will everywhere hold Christian principles sacred and Christian obligations and enterprises supreme; counting it our chief business in life to extend the influence of Christ in society, constantly praying and toiling that the kingdom of God may come, and His will be done on earth as it is in heaven.

To this end we agree to labor for the promotion of educational and denominational enterprises, the support of missions, the success of Sunday Schools, and evangelistic efforts for the salvation of the world. And may the God of peace sanctify us wholly, and preserve us blameless unto the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ.

ARTICLES OF FAITH

1. THE BIBLE. The Scriptures of the Old and New Testaments were given by inspiration of God, and are our infallible rule of faith and practice.

2. GOD. There is one living and true God, revealed in nature as the Creator, Preserver, and Righteous Governor of the universe; and in the Scriptures as Father, Son, and Holy Ghost; yet as one God, infinitely wise and good, whom all intelligent creatures are supremely to love, adore, and obey.

3. CHRIST. Christ is God manifest in the flesh; in His divine nature

truly God, in His human nature truly man. The mediator between God and man, once crucified, He is now risen and glorified, and is our ever present Saviour and Lord.

4. THE HOLY SPIRIT. The Scriptures assign to the Holy Spirit all the attributes of God.

5. THE GOVERNMENT OF GOD. God exercises a wise and benevolent providence over all beings and all things by maintaining the constitution and laws of nature. He also performs special acts, not otherwise provided for, as the highest welfare of men requires.

6. THE SINFULNESS OF MAN. Man was created innocent, but by disobedience fell into a state of sin and condemnation. His posterity, therefore, inherit a fallen nature of such tendencies that all who come to years of accountability, sin and become guilty before God.

7. THE WORK OF CHRIST. The Son of God by His incarnation, life, sufferings, death, and resurrection effected for all a redemption from sin that is full and free, and is the ground of salvation by faith.

8. THE TERMS OF SALVATION. The conditions of salvation are: 1. Repentance or sincere sorrow for sin and hearty renunciation of it. 2. Faith or the unreserved committal of one's self to Christ as Saviour and Lord with purpose to love and obey Him in all things. In the exercise of saving faith, the soul is renewed by the Holy Spirit, freed from the dominion of sin, and becomes a child of God. 3. Continuance in faith and obedience until death.

9. ELECTION. God determined from the beginning to save all who should comply with the conditions of Salvation. Hence by faith in Christ men become His elect.

10. FREEDOM OF THE WILL. The human will is free and self-controlled, having power to yield to the influence of the truth and the Spirit, or to resist them and perish.

11. SALVATION FREE. God desires the salvation of all, the Gospel invites all, the Holy Spirit strives with all, and whosoever will may come and take of the water of life freely.

12. PERSEVERANCE. All believers in Christ, who through grace persevere in holiness to the end of life, have promise of eternal salvation.

13. GOSPEL ORDINANCES. BAPTISM, or the immersion of believers in water, and the LORD'S SUPPER, are ordinances to be perpetuated under the Gospel. FEET WASHING, an ordinance teaching humility, is of universal obligation, and is to be ministered to all true believers.

14. TITHING. God commanded tithes and offerings in the Old Testament; Jesus Christ endorsed it in the Gospel (Matt. 23:23), and the apostle Paul said, "Upon the first day of the week let every one of you lay by him in store, as God hath prospered him" (I Cor. 26:2a).

15. THE CHRISTIAN SABBATH. The divine law requires that one day in seven be set apart from secular employments and amusements, for rest, worship, holy works, and activities, and for personal communion with God.

16. RESURRECTION, JUDGMENT, AND FINAL RETRIBUTION. The Scriptures teach the resurrection of all men at the last day. They that have done good will come forth to the resurrection of life, and they that have done evil unto the resurrection of damnation; then the wicked will "go away into eternal punishment, but the righteous into eternal life."