MINUTES

OF THE

104TH

CAVE SPRINGS YEARLY MEETING

OF FREEWILL BAPTISTS

HELD WITH

KOSHKONONG

FREE WILL BAPTIST CHURCH

MAY 17 and 18, 1991

OFFICERS: 1991 SESSION

Moderator	3-10 Com 17-18		Darrell Strain-
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Treasurer			Ben Pohnert
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The next session of the Cave Springs Yearly Meeting of Free Will Baptist Churches will be held with the Thayer FWB Church, Thayer Missouri.

Services will begin at 9:00 o'clock a.m.; Friday before the third Sunday in May, 1992.

Bro, George Naumann and Bro, Jeff Duncan will bring the Introductory Message in the 1992 Meeting.

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COMMITTEES

EXECUTIVE BOARD TERM EXI	PIRES
Larry Cockman	1992
Bill Burkhead	1993
Nolan Johnson	
J. W. King	
Ronnie Blanks	1996
MISSION BOARD	
Virgil Blankenship	1992
Doyle E. Williams	1993
Robert Wilson	1994
Garland Barton	1995
Darrell Strain	
ORDAINING COUNCIL	
Grover Pingleton	1992
Wayne Cloven	1993
Walter Simpson	1994
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EVANGELISTIC COMMITTEE	
Allen Sanders	1992
Darrell Strain	1993
Howard Bell	1994
Glenn Murray	
Cody Freeman	
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FINANCE COMMITTEE	
Leo Warren	
Curtis Buehler	
J. W. King	
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OBITUARY COMMITTEE	
Ruth Thompson	
Ester Strain	
Leona Blankenship	
TEMPERANCE COMMITTEE	
Marvin Cockman	
Tom Powell	
David Honeycutt	7
PRINTING COMMITTEE	
Ben Pohnert Trea	
Sherman Baker	
Reva Baker Assistant	Clerk

ORDER OF BUSINESS

FRIDAY MORNING SESSION

- 1. Singing, Scripture Reading and Prayer
- 2. Reading of Constitution and By-Laws
- 3. Visiting Brothers and Sisters Invited as Advisory Members
- 4. Letters From the Churches Called For
- 5. Quarterly Meeting Letters Called For
- 6. Youth Association Letters Called For
- 7. Appointment of Special Committees As Needed
- 8. Petitionary Letters
- 9. Letters From Corresponding Messengers
- 10. Appointment of Divine Service Committee
- 11. Report of Delegates That Have Attended Other Associations
- 12. Adjournment With Prayer
- 13. Eleven O'Clock Service

FRIDAY AFTERNOON SESSION

- 14. Opening With Singing, Scripture Reading and Prayer
- 15. Miscellaneous Business
- 16. Enrollment of Ministers, Deacons and Clerks
- 17. Election of Introductory Preachers
- 18. The Treasurer's Report
- 19. The Report of the Obituary Committee
- 20. Report of Divine Service Committee
- 21. Report of Other Committees
- 22. Set a Place For the Next Yearly Meeting
- 23. Adjournment With Prayer
- 24. Evening Service

SATURDAY MORNING SESSION

- 25. Singing, Scripture Reading and Prayer
- 26. Reading of Constitution and By-Laws
- 27. Reading of Minutes of Previous Day's Work
- 28. Call For Letters From Churches
- 29. Vacancies in Committees Filled
- 30. Election of Officers
- 31. Appointment of All Standing Committees
- 32. Reports of Other Committees That Have Not Reported, Including Divine Committee Report
- 33. Releasing of All Temporary Committees
- 34. Adjournment With Prayer
- 35. Eleven O'Clock Service

SATURDAY AFTERNOON SESSION

- 36. Open With Singing, Scripture Reading and Prayer
- 37. Election of All Standing Committees
- 38. Election of Nominee to Missouri State General Board (even years)
- 39. Election of Delegates to Other Associations
- 40. Business Suggested by Letters
- 41. Ordaining Council Proceeds With Their Work
- 42. A Vote of Heartfelt Thanks to the Church and Community
 For Their Kindness to the Associational Meeting
- 43. Other Things That Come Before the Body
- 44. Adjournment With Prayer

1991 YEARLY MEETING MINUTES 104th Yearly Meeting of The Cave Springs Association of Freewill Baptists

The 104th annual meeting of the Cave Springs Association of Freewill Baptists met with the Koshkonong Freewill Baptist Church of Koshkonong on Friday, the 17th day of May, 1991.

The meeting was called to order by the clerk and the congregation sang "Standing on the Promises" led by Brother Bob Barnett with Sister Frances Simpson at the piano. The clerk read Ephesians 2:3-10, followed with prayer by Brother Ronnie Blanks.

The clerk turned the service to the Moderator, Brother Darrell Strain and he welcomed everyone to the 104th Cave Springs Yearly Meeting. The moderator asked the clerk to read the constitution and by-laws and they were read.

Invitation was given to visiting brothers and sisters. Seats of council were extended to Brother Mike Parrot as a visitor. The moderator called for the reading of the church letters. The clerk read the letters with the following delegates.

DELEGATES AT THE 104TH YEARLY MEETING

CHURCH	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
ALTON		
Betsy Cartee Bertha Williams Bea Frey	Present	Absent Absent Absent
BAILEY		
Ruth Holman Ruth Thompson Carolyn Campbell	Present	Present Absent Present
BYRD		. /
Alpha Garrison Jessie Garrison	Present Present	Absent Absent
CLIFTON		
Tom Powell Curtis Buehler Jessa Powell	Present	Present Present Present

COTT	ON CREEK		
	Shelia Mitchner	Present	Absent
	Geraldine Melton		Absent
	Deborah Melton	Present	Absent
FAIT	H CHAPEL		
	Doyce Silva	Present	Absent
1	Hattie Sims		Absent
	Pat Mofield	Present	Absent
GARE	FIELD		
	Vickie McGhee	Absent	Present
	Frances Sanders		Present
	Fern Cloven	Present	Present
KOSI	HKONONG		
	Lucille Forester	Present	Present
	Elma Wilson		Present
	Marie Howell	Absent	Absent
LIBE	RTY		
	Delsia Crawford	Absent	Absent
	Louise Patterson	Absent	Absent
	Bonnie Gazaway	Absent	Absent
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	Jim Bowers	Absent	Present
	Janet Bowers		Present
	Micheal Bowers		Present
	Ruth Jewell (alternate)		Absent
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14111	Blanche Wisehart	Present	Present
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NOR	Owen Ray Collins	Drocont	Absent
	Nadine Collins	Present	Absent
	Paul Roberts	Present	Absent
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PINE	Y Bill Combs	Abaant	Absont
	Linda Combs		Absent Absent
	Dianne Lawrence		Absent
	Beverly Bagley (alternate)		Absent
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	Nora Hollis		Absent
	Francis Simpson		Present
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PLEA	SANT RIDGE	A1	A 1
	Glen Booker		Absent
	Henry Williams	riesent	Absent
ROY	AL OAK		
*	Frances Bell		Present
	Ester Strain		Present
	Alma Orr David & Geri Elliot (alternate)	Present	Absent
	David & Gen Elliot (alternate)	Absent	Absent

SHIL	OH.		
	Darlene Johnson	Absent	Absent
	Margie Parrott	Present	Absent
	Jerry Johnson		Absent
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	Mary Campbell	Present Present	Present Absent
	Buryl Wright		
	Lucille Wright	Present	Absent
THAY			
	Everet Johnson	Present	Absent
	Ruby Johnson	Present	Absent
	Lorene Pohnert	Present	Present
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01111	Maxine Jordon	Present	Absent
	Rachel Murray	Present	Absent
	Jeff Duncan	Present	Absent
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VICT			
	Carol Henson	Absent	Present
	Donna Caruthers	Absent	Present
	Nathan Sanders		Absent
	Jean Kelsey (alternate)	Absent	Present
WALI	NUT GROVE	~,	
	Dean Bennett	Present	Present
	Audry Ehrhardt	Present	Absent
	La Rue Bennett	Present	Present
WES	T PLAINS FIRST		
1120	Marvin Lewis	Absent	Present
	Eula Payne		Present
	Louise Lewis		Present
MAI P	DERNESS		•
WILL		Present	Absent
	Marvin Brawley	Present	Absent
	Pat Brawley		
	Dinah Miller	Present	Absent
CAVE	E SPRINGS QUARTERLY MEETING		
	Mary Campbell	Present	Present
	Ranette Ray		Absent
	Pat Holesapple	Present	Absent

MSC to receive the church letters and seat the delegates. The delegates were seated with a handshake as the congregation sang "Camping in Canaan's Land."

The Moderator called for the Youth Association Letter. None was forthcoming.

MSC for the two members present be allowed to meet and have authority for all three members of the Finance Committee.

The Moderator appointed the temporary committees for the yearly meeting and charged them to meet and bring back a report for the conference. The following were appointed.

DENOMINATION: Bro. Larry Cockman, Bro. Ulus Caldwell, and Bro. Henry Williams.

LORDS DAY: Bro. Glenn Murray, Bro. Jeff Duncan, Sis. Maxine Jordan, and Sis. Rachel Murray.

STATE OF RELIGION: Sis. Dinah Miller, Sis. Pat Brawley, and Bro. Marvin Brawley.

LITERATURE: Bro. Cody Freeman, Bro. Everet Johnson, Sis. Ruby Johnson, and Sis. Lorene Pohnert.

Petitionary Letters were called for and none were forthcoming.

Letters from Corresponding Messengers were called for and none were forthcoming.

MSC to cancel the night services due to the number of graduation exercises in the area.

The Moderator appointed Sister Betsy Cartee, Sister Carolyn Campbell, and Sister Ruth Holman as the Divine Service Committee.

MSC to suspend the rules and continue with Friday afternoon's order of business.

The Moderator asked for a motion for a fifteen minute recess to allow time for the committees to meet. Motion seconded and carried.

The Moderator called the meeting back to order and the congregation sang "Just a Little Talk With Jesus."

The Moderator opened the floor for nominations for next year's introductory speaker. Bro. George Naumann and Bro. Jeff Duncan were nominated. MSC that nominations cease and that we proceed to elect. Motion carried and Bro. George and Bro. Jeff were Elected.

The Treasurer's Report was given as follows:

TREASURER'S REPORT 1991

BALANCE 5-18-90 \$ DONATIONS & INCOME TOTAL	770.00	\$ 965.60
EXPENSES		
Mo. State Minutes	120.00	
National Minutes	240.00	
Williams Printing	28.95	
Williams Printing	338.25	
TOTAL EXPENSES		727.20
BALANCE ON HAND 517-91 \$	198.20	
Contributions Received	740.00	
TOTAL ON HAND BEGINNING APRIL 1, 1991	l ,,,,,,,,	,,938.20

MSC to receive the report as read.

OBITUARY COMMITTEE REPORT

We, the Obituary Committee find that God has called several of our brothers and sisters to their eternal rest. There is an empty place in our homes and churches but submit them to our Father to fill the mansions He has prepared.

Lois Forest	Alton
Lola Manes	Mt. Zion
Pauline Fry	Thayer
Ralph Underwood Sr.,	Thayer
Tom Adkinson	United
Lela Muse	United
Dezale Scott	Walnut Grove
Ruble Crase	1st W.Plains
Sarah Tyler	Cotton Creek
Amos Howell	
Leon Price	Pleasant Hill
Jesse Garrison	Byrd
Vestia Bureoues	Byrd
Ward Brewer	Mt. Zion
Leonard Davis	United

Ann Seay	Liberty
Russell Fry	Thayer
Clora Harper	Thayer
Hanford Case	Thayer
Lucille Beatty	United
Albert Sanders	United
Charlie Vance	1st W. Plains
Norma Morris	1st W.Plains
Elsie Linson	Koshkonong
Carrol Madden	Koshkonong
Charlie Breeden	
Norman Hicks (deace	
Imogene Hanely	
Lily Barton	
Lois Butler	

MSC to receive the report and to have prayer in remembrance of the ones who have passed away. Prayer was led by Bro. David Honeycutt.

The Moderator called for the committee reports and the following were given:

The DIVINE SERVICE COMMITTEE selected Bro. Cody Freeman and Bro. Walter Simpson to be the speakers for Saturday's service. MSC that we receive the report and release the committee.

The EXECUTIVE BOARD

The Executive Board conducted no business for the year ending March 31, 1991. Signed, Bro. Cody Freeman, Bro. Larry Cockman, Bro. Bill Burkhead, Bro. Nolan Johnson, Bro. J.W. King.

MSC to receive the report and release the committee.

The FINANCE COMMITTEE

We, the Finance Committee, have checked the Treasurer's books and found the total of \$938.20 to be correct for the yearly meeting. We, the committee, commend Bro. Ben Pohnert for the fine job he has done. Signed, Finance Committee, Bro. Curtis Buehler and Bro. Allen Sanders.

MSC to receive the report and release the committee.

The DENOMINATION COMMITTEE

We the Denomination Committee recommend that we stand for the principles which are taught in the word of God and we take a stand against and condemn the sin which the word of God calls sin, and that we grow in faith and strengthen the weak Brother and help those in need and promote the success of the church and the Gospel. Signed, Bro. Larry Cockman, Bro. Ulus Caldwell, and Bro. Henry Williams.

MSC to receive the report and release the committee.

The LORD'S DAY COMMITTEE

We, the Lord's Day Committee believe the early church met on the first day of the week for worship and fellowship. Each Christian was instructed upon the first day of the week to lay by him in store as God has prospered him. We would encourage each Church and individual Christian to observe and continue the teachings of the Scriptures on this matter. Signed, Bro. Glenn Murray, Bro. Jeff Duncan, Sis. Maxine Jordan, and Sis. Rachel Murray.

MSC to receive the report and release the committee.

The STATE OF RELIGION COMMITTEE

We, the State of Religion Committee, believe that we, as God's children, should all strive to live our lives according to God's word. We should devote ourselves to being a light for Christ. Signed, Sis. Dinah Miller, Sis. Pat Brawley, and Bro. Marvin Brawley.

MSC to receive the report and release the committee.

The LITERATURE COMMITTEE

We, the Literature Commitee, affirm the stand of the Bible as our only rule of faith and practice and encourage our churches to use the Free Will Baptist Sunday School literature and other Free Will Baptist publications. Signed, Bro. Cody Freeman, Bro. Everet Johnson, Sis. Ruby Johnson, and Sis. Lorene Pohnert.

MSC to receive the report and release the committee.

ORDAINING COUNCIL REPORT

April 1, 1990 thru March 31, 1991

April 24, 1990

Met with Bro. Dean Bennett at Victory Free Will Baptist Church at Alton, to examine him for the office of deacon at the Walnut Grove Free Will Baptist Church. Bro. Wayne Cloven opened in prayer. After examining Bro. Dean we found him sound in doctrine and recommended him to be ordained. He asked for his ordination to be at Walnut Grove at 2:00 P.M., May 6, 1990.

April 24, 1990

Met with Bro. Alan Wilson at Victory Free Will Baptist to examine him for the office of deacon of the Victory Free Will Baptist Church. After examining Bro. Alan we found him to be sound in doctrine. He asked to be ordained at Victory Free Will Baptist Church on May 20 at 2:00 P.M. Bro. Grover Pingleton dismissed in prayer.

May 6, 1990 2:00 P.M.

Met at Walnut Grove Free Will Baptist Church for ordination of Bro. Dean Bennett as a deacon. Service opened with singing "I Feel Like Traveling On" and "Where the Soul Never Dies." Prayer was led by Bro. Richard Todd. Special singing by a trio, "How Great Thou Art." Bro. Dean Bennett also sang a solo. Bro. Allen Sanders brought the charge from I Kings 2:1-3. The closing song was "Power in the Blood." Bro. Dean Bennett dismissed in prayer.

May 20, 1990 2:00 P.M.

Met at Victory Free Will Baptist Church for ordination of Bro. Alan Wilson as a deacon. Bro. Walter Simpson, chairman of the Ordaining Council took charge of the service. Bro. David Honeycutt led in opening

prayer. The congregation sang "My Lord Keeps a Record" and "Just a Little Talk With Jesus." Bro. Darrell Strain brought the message and charge from I Timothy 3:8-13 and Acts 6:1-7. Bro. Walter called Bro. Wilson and his wife to the altar for the laying on of hands of Bro. Alan. Bro. Grover Pingleton led ordination prayer as hands were laid on Bro. Alan Wilson. Congregation sang a song as we had a handshake with Bro. Alan Wilson. Service was closed in prayer by Bro. Alan Wilson.

Yearly Ordaining Council. Signed, Rev. Wayne Cloven, Rev. Walter Simpson, and Rev. Grover Pingleton.

MSC to receive the report.

MSC to accept the invitation by the Thayer Free Will Baptist Church for the next yearly meeting.

The Moderator asked for announcements and several were received.

 $\operatorname{\mathsf{MSC}}$ to recess for ten minutes. Dismissal prayer was led by Bro. Walter Simpson.

11 O'CLOCK SERVICES

The Moderator called the meeting to order and the congregation sang "Where the Soul Never Dies" followed with prayer by Bro. Wayne Cloven. Bro. Ronnie Blanks came forward with his message, "Weapons on our Warfare" from 2 Corinthians 10:3-5 and Ephesians 6:17-18. Bro. Grover Pingleton followed and brought the message, "Keeping God's Commandments" from Exodus 20. The Moderator came forward and he opened the invitation as the congregation sang "Power in the Blood." Bro. Jeff Duncan dismissed in prayer.

SATURDAY MORNING SESSION

The Conference was called to order by the clerk, followed with prayer by Bro. Grover Pingleton. The clerk read Romans 14:7-13. The congregation sang "At Calvary" led by Bro. Dean Bennett with Sis. Ester Strain at the piano.

The Moderator, Bro. Darrell Strain, took charge of the service.

MSC to omit the reading of the Constitution and By-laws at the Saturday Morning session.

The Moderator asked for the reading of the minutes of Friday's meeting and they were read. They were approved.

Church delegates were called for and those who were not seated in Friday's session were seated with a handshake while the congregation sang "I Feel Like Traveling On."

ELECTION OF OFFICERS

MODERATOR

The moderator opened the floor for nominations for the office of moderator. MSC to retain Bro. Darrell Strain.

ASSISTANT MODERATOR

MSC for elected moderator to choose his assistant. Bro. Darrell chose Bro. Cody Freeman.

CLERK

The moderator opened the floor for nominations for clerk. MSC to retain Bro. Sherman Baker. MSC to allow Bro. Sherman to choose his assistant. He chose Sis. Reva Baker as his assistant clerk.

TREASURER

The floor was opened for nominations for treasurer. MSC to retain Bro. Ben Pohnert.

ASSISTANT TREASURER

Bro. Ben Pohnert chose Leo Warren per Article 3 of the Constitution.

EXECUTIVE BOARD

Nominations were opened and Bro. Ronnie Blanks was nominated for a term expiring 1996. MSC to close nominations and proceed to elect. Bro. Blanks was elected to this office.

MISSION BOARD

MSC to retain Bro. Darrell Strain.

ORDAINING COUNCIL

MSC to retain Bro. Walter Simpson.

EVANGELISTIC COMMITTEE

MSC to retain Bro. Cody Freeman.

FINANCE COMMITTEE

Bro. Leo Warren, Bro. Curtis Buehler, and Bro. J.W. King were nominated. MSC to close nominations and proceed to elect. Motion carried.

OBITUARY COMMITTEE

MSC to retain the committee we have. Motion carried.

TEMPERANCE COMMITTEE

Bro. Marvin Cockman, Bro. Tom Powell, and Bro. David Honeycutt were nominated. MSC to close nominations and elect. Motion carried.

DELEGATES TO STATE CONVENTION

Nominations opened with Sister Blanche Wisehart, Sister Eula Payne, Sister Ester Strain and Sister Vona Freeman nominated. MSC to approve these and allow these delegates the authority to add anyone's name that attends the convention.

At this time the moderator called for committee reports that had not been given and the following were read:

EVANGELISM COMMITTEE REPORT

The Cave Springs Evangelism Conference had no work to report for 1990-1991. Signed, Cody Freeman, Howard Bell, Darrell Strain.

MSC to receive the report.

MISSIONS BOARD REPORT

The Mission Board had no work to report in 1990-1991. Signed, Darrell Strain, Robert Wilson.

MSC to accept the report.

WOMAN'S AUXILIARY REPORT CAVE SPRINGS ASSOCIATION

W.N.A.C.	IN :	
Mem. Student Loan Fund	\$ 73 48	
FWBBC General Fund	. 50.00	
Co-Labor		1
Membership Dues		
Emphasis (Gen. Fund)	. 157.83	
E. Edwards Fund	. 28.75	
Foreign Scholarship Fund	. 25.00	
Childrens Home - Tn	. 23.58	
		\$ 630.23
Mo. State Woman's Auxiliary		
Tithes - State Off	. 96.75	
Membership Dues	. 39.00	
-		135.75
State Home Missions		
General Fund	. 55.00	
Mertz - Wentzville		
Williams - Carthage	. 120.00	
Bigelow Account	. 118.57	
Richmann Account	. 118.58	
Mertz - Building Fund	. 61.00	
		598.15
National Home Missions		
Russell Johnson (Wy)	. 120.00	
Maness Account		
General Fund	. 100.00	450.50
Parales Mantaus		459.58
Foreign Missions	. 25.00	
Reeves (Spain)	. 136.43	
Pre Easter		
The Baster	. 378.00	539.43
Mo. State Youth Camp		30.00
Oklahoma St. Home Missions - Mike Fields		240.00
Total Reported to State Auxiliary		2633.14
Total Auxiliaries Reporting 4		
Total Membership 52		
Myrtle 7		
Thayer 16		
United 15		
West Plains 1st 14		

MSC to accept the report.

A letter from the Social Band Association was read by the clerk requesting a recommendation from our association for Rev. Stan Gray who presently is pastor of the Pioneer Free Will Baptist, Ash Flat, Arkansas. MSC to recommend Bro. Stan to that Association.

MSC to express heart felt thanks for the Koshkonong Church for hosting the yearly meeting.

MSC to have the Executive Committee review the order of business of the yearly meeting and bring back to the conference their recommendation.

The Moderator called for announcements and several were made. MSC for a ten minute recess. Bro. Ronnie Blanks dismissed in prayer.

11 O'CLOCK SERVICE

The Moderator called the service to order and Bro. Leo Warren led the congregation in "I Want to Know More" and "I Can Tell You the Time," followed with prayer by Bro. Robert Wilson. Bro. Walter Simpson was called forward with his message, "God Will Have His Way - He Will Acquit the Wicked" from Nahum 1:2-3. Bro. Cody Freeman followed with his message from I Corinthians 1:18 and Galatians 6:14, "Christ on the Cross."

The invitation was given by Bro. Darrell Strain as the congregation sang "Crown of Thorns." Bro. Darrell then read a poem of his thoughts, "Obedience to God." Bro. Howard Bell dismissed in prayer, followed with a handshake of Bro. Cody and Bro. Walter.

ENROLLMENT OF STANDING DELEGATES AT THE 104th CONFERENCE

MINISTERS DEACONS CLERKS FRIDAY'S SESSION Wavne Cloven Dinah Miller Howard Bell Darrell Strain Henry Williams Margie Parrott Ronnie Blanks Bill Burkhead La Rue Bennett Glenn E. Murray Ben Pohnert Mary Campbell Walter Simpson Dean Bennett Violet B. Johnson Cody Freeman Nolan Johnson D. Edward Williams Trov Sims Jeff Duncan Sherman Baker Grover Pingleton Ulus Caldwell J. W. King Terry Miller Roscoe Mills David Honeycutt Larry Cockman Allen Sanders

SATURDAY'S SESSION

Wayne Cloven
Ronnie Blanks
Robert Wilson
J. W. King
Cody Freeman
Darrell Strain
Walter Simpson
G. J. Pingleton

Dean Bennett Howard Bell Ben Pohnert Sherman Baker Leo Warren Nolan Johnson

Mary Campbell Violet B. Johnson La Rue Bennett Naomi Bunch Sharon Bowers

RECOMMENDATIONS BY CHURCH LETTER 1991

RECOMMEND	ations by church le	TIER 1991
CHURCH	MINISTERS	DEACONS
Alton	Garland Barton Millard Erhardt	Larry Wallace Leroy Chronister Dwight Chronister Paris Wheeler
Bailey Chapel	C. R. Thompson	David Holman Dean Campbell Carl Sisco
Byrd		Tom Garrison Carrol Garrison
Cave Springs	No Letter	
Clifton	Grover Pingleton James Lee Reed	Emery Coble John Clark Jerry Strain
Cotton Creek	Virgil Blankenship Jesse Dunkin Darrell Mitchell	Ralph Payne Leamon Combs Charles Melton Mike Crawford
Faith Chapel	Johnny Holesapple	Stanley Taylor Norman Carte (Inactive status) Troy Sims
Garfield	Wayne Cloven	Howard Dethrow Gary McGhee
Koshkonong	Robert Wilson Charles Gower	Norman Howell
Liberty		
Lingo	No Letter	
Mt. Zion	James Ray, Jr.	Orville Bowers
Myrtle	George Naumann	
Norman		Roger Williams
Piney	Larry Cockman	Jim Lawrence
Pleasant Hill	Walter Simpson	Royce Hollis Bill Burkhead Leo Warren
Pleasant Ridge	David Honeycutt E. E. Simpson	Nolan Johnson Henry Williams
Royal Oak	J. Darrell Strain	Howard Bell
Shiloh		Truman Parrott Jerry Johnson

Wayne Adrian Cecil Campbell Smyrna Harold Ogden Leoid Case Mack Warren Kenneth Stogsdill Thayer Cody Freeman Doil Hickenbotham Ben Pohnert Bill Underwood Lester Ellison Sherman Baker Roscoe Mills (inactive status) Richard Sandridge United Glenn Murray Richard King Ulus Caldwell Harry Beatty Jeff Duncan Ernest Adkisson Dave Uhlmann Charles Blair Jim Lunyou Doyle E. Williams John Barton Victory Allen Sanders Alan Wilson Walnut Grove Richard Todd Clifton Lee King J. W. King Glen Wisehart Paul Clark Dean Bennett Ronnie Blanks Don Cline West Plains First Donnie Morris Dale Smith Bob Dotson J. O. Moss **Eugene James** Jim Walker James Dodson Wilderness Wayne Lunyou

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ARTICLES OF FAITH

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

GOD: There is one living and true God revealed in nature as the Creator, preserver and Righteous Governor of the Universe, and in Scripture as Father, Son and Holy Ghost, as one God infinitely wise and good whom all intelligent creatures are supremely to love, adore and obey.

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 Savior and Lord.

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

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 of grace, not otherwise provided for, as the highest welfare of man requires.

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

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.

THE TERMS OF SALVATION; The conditions of salvation are:

- Repentance or sincere sorrow for sin and hearty renunciation of it.
- Faith, or the unreserved committal of one's self to Christ as Savior 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.

ELECTION: God determined from the beginning to save all who would comply with the conditions of salvation. Hence, by faith in Christ men become His elect.

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

SALVATION FREE: God desires the salvation of all, the Gospel invites all, the Holy Spirit strives with all, and whomsoever will may come and take of the water of Life freely.

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

GOSPEL ORDINANCE

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, or universal obligation and to be administered to all true believers.

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

RESURRECTION, JUDGMENT AND FINAL RETRIBUTION: The Scriptures teach the resurrection of all men at the final 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 shall "go away into eternal punishment, but the righteous to eternal life."

FREEWILL BAPTIST 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 live and obey Him in all things; to avoid the 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 Savior, Jesus Christ."

We will not forsake the assembling of ourselves together for church conference, public worship and the observances of the Gospel, nor fail to pay according to our ability for the support of the church, of its poor, its ill, and 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 bond of peace, to be careful of one another's happiness and reputation, and seek to strengthen the weak, encourage the afflicted, admonish the erring, as far as we are able, promote the success of the Church and of the Gospel.

We will everywhere hold Christian principle 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.

CONSTITUTION

This organization shall be known as the Cave Springs Yearly Meeting of Free Will Baptists and shall be composed of such well regulated quarterly meetings and churches as may embody themselves under this constitution.

ARTICLE 1. It shall be the purpose of this organization to cooperate with the state and national associations in their efforts to combine and direct the energies of the Free Will Baptist Church for the promotion of Home and Foreign missions, Christian education, Sunday Schools, Church Training Service, and Women's Auxiliary and for the extension of the Kingdom of God in general.

ARTICLE 2. The acting members of this yearly meeting shall be three (3) delegates from each church chosen by the church, three (3) delegates from each quarterly meeting together with all ministers, deacons, church clerks, quarterly meeting clerks, and associational clerks belonging to this body.

ARTICLE 3. The officers of this yearly meeting shall consist of a moderator and assistant moderator, a clerk and assistant clerk, and a treasurer and assistant treasurer. The clerk and treasurer shall have authority to choose their assistants. Each shall hold office until their successor is elected. The Clerk shall receive an honorarium of twenty-five dollars (\$25.00) for his service each year.

ARTICLE 4. An executive board composed of five members shall be elected. It shall be the duty of this board to transact the business of this body between the regular session. The members of the board shall be elected in the following manner: one for one year, one for two years, one for three years, one for four years and one for five years, hereafter, one board member shall be elected each year, whose term of office shall be five years. If any vacancies occur between sessions of the Yearly Meeting, the board shall have power to fill such vacancy until the next session of the yearly meeting.

ARTICLE 5. An Ordaining Council composed of three members shall be elected in the following manner: one for three years, one for two years, one for one year and thereafter one member shall be elected each year, whose term of office shall be for three years. If any vacancy shall occur between sessions of the Yearly Meeting, the Executive Board shall have power to fill such vacancy until the next session of the Yearly Meeting. Two regular members must be present at any ordination service.

ARTICLE 6. Any regular organized Free Will Baptist Church maintaining Gospel order, agreeing with the denomination in doctrine, in favor of benevolent enterprises such as Sunday School, missions, temperance, and education may be received into this yearly meeting by presenting a petition asking for membership, by a majority vote of all members voting.

ARTICLE 7. This yearly meeting shall have power to discipline its churches and exclude them for disorderly conduct if labor proves unsuccessful, to ordain deacons, to license and ordain ministers such as give evidence of being qualified and called of God, by request of the church of which he belongs, to settle questions of discipline and doctrine as the church or quarterly meeting may refer to it. To make rules and by-laws necessary and not inconsistent with its constitution, but in no case shall the body have power to reverse a decision of one of its churches or quarterly meetings, nor in any way interfere with its internal regulations nor hold any ecclesiastical authority over the churches or quarterly meetings composing this yearly meeting.

ARTICLE 8. Each session of this yearly meeting shall convene annually beginning on Friday at nine in the morning before the third Sunday in May and shall adjourn at the close of the Saturday afternoon session.

ARTICLE 9. This yearly meeting shall decide at each session where the next session shall convene. It shall consider each invitation from its churches and shall decide by a majority vote of all members voting.

ARTICLE 10. This constitution may be amended at any regular session of this body by a two-thirds vote providing notice of the contemplated change has been read and placed on the table one day previous to the time of voting.

ARTICLE 11. The Ordaining Council may license a minister but only while this body is in session.

ARTICLE 12. This yearly meeting shall have power to grant a yearly certificate at the same time a license is granted, both to expire at the same time.

ARTICLE 13. Each minister recommended by the church of which he is a member is to receive a yearly certificate.

ARTICLE 14. All ministers coming into the Association whose credentials have not been examined and approved by the Quarterly Meeting must go before the Yearly Associational Ordaining Council for approval before being accepted by this Association.

BY-LAWS

- ARTICLE 1. Each session of this conference shall be called to order by the standing clerk when present, and in his absence by the member having seniority in years.
- ARTICLE 2. Each session and adjourned session of the conference shall be opened and closed with prayer.
- ARTICLE 3. Ten members shall be required to constitute a quorum to transact any business of this conference. But any less number may adjourn from time to time.
- ARTICLE 4. This conference shall elect (or cause to be appointed) a standing committee composed of three (3) members, which is the Ordaining Council. Their duty shall be to examine, pass upon, or recommend suitable action to the Conference, on all Credentials referred to them by the Conference or by the Business Committee of the conference.
- ARTICLE 5. At each session of this conference, standing committees shall be appointed on such subjects as the following: Missions, Obituary, Executive Board, Ordaining and Finance. All petitions and committees on particular subjects shall be referred to appropriate committees. Special committees may be appointed at the pleasure of the conference.
- ARTICLE 6. This conference may hold correspondence by messenger or otherwise with religious bodies as it may deem advisable.
- ARTICLE 7. This conference may sit with open doors except when it may go into committee of the whole.

ARTICLE 8. Any person not a member of this conference may be allowed to take part in its discussion by obtaining permission of the conference.

ARTICLE 9. It shall be the duty of the members of this conference to be present at the time appointed for each daily session and anyone wishing to retire shall first obtain leave of the moderator.

ARTICLE 10. No member shall absent himself from conference during the sessions without first obtaining permission from the conference.

ARTICLE 11. Every member wishing to speak in conference shall address the moderator.

ARTICLE 12. No person shall be allowed to speak more than ten (10) minutes at any one time nor more than twice on any subject without leave of the conference.

ARTICLE 13. There shall be no discussion of any issue unless first their be a motion and second made from the floor.

ARTICLE 14. No person shall be allowed to nominate more than one member of any committee provided the brother nominated be elected.

ARTICLE 15. The yeas and nays may be taken on any question before the conference by request of one-fifth of the members present.

ARTICLE 16. The constitution and by-laws of this conference shall be read at each session near its commencement.

ARTICLE 17. The Clerk, Assistant Clerk and Treasurer as elected each year are to serve as the printing committee.

ARTICLE 18. The Moderator shall have authority to appoint the Divine Committee.

ARTICLE 19. The Moderator shall have authority to appoint temporary committees prior to yearly meeting. (Whole committees can be appointed from any church delegation.)

ARTICLE 20. Any committee doing business for the Yearly Meeting must be a committee formed by the Yearly Meeting.

STANDING RULES

- ARTICLE 1. The Constitution, By-Laws, Standing Rules and Order of Business are to be printed in the minutes.
- ARTICLE 2. Our fiscal year shall be from April 1 to March 31 and all reports are to be made using the same dates.
- ARTICLE 3. That we adhere quite strictly to the principles of our Church Covenant as Pastors, Deacons and Lay Members.
- ARTICLE 4. All church letters, requesting the next yearly meeting, are to be turned in prior to the Eleven O'clock Service on Friday and all other letters are to be accepted no later than the opening session on the second day.
- ARTICLE 5. All Standing Committees appointed or elected by the Yearly Meeting shall hold office until released or replaced.
- ARTICLE 6. No person shall serve in the same office more than five consecutive years.
- ARTICLE 7. The Ordaining Council is to assume the duties performed by a Credential Committee.
- ARTICLE 8. The Ordaining Council is to use the drafted set of questions in aid to their Committee work.
- ARTICLE 9. Each minister coming from another body, shall present a letter of recommendation from the body of which he is a member.
- ARTICLE 10. If a minister is not recommended by his church, the church and the minister is to be investigated to length by the Executive Board and if the minister be worthy of a certificate, the Executive Board has power to grant a yearly certificate.
- ARTICLE 11. Each Church is to recommend its worthy Deacons to the Yearly Meeting and also to list their non-recommended Deacons.
- ARTICLE 12. Any Church having Deacons or Ministers who do not do the work of a Deacon or Minister or does not walk uprightly as they are members of this association; that such Church report to the Executive Board their grievance.
- ARTICLE 13. All business referred to the Executive Board shall be in written form.

ARTICLE 14. Any minister or Deacon who has two living wives or any Minister or Deacon's wife who has two living companions shall not be Ordained or recommended worthy to the Association.

ARTICLE 15. Any licensed Minister must preach for one year before being eligible to be ordained.

ARTICLE 16. Any person who would give false answers to obtain licenses or Ordination papers, after investigation and proven guilty, their papers be annulled immediately.

ARTICLE 17. To be elected to an office or a standing committee, a person must have been a member in good standing in the association for one year.

ARTICLE 18. Before a deacon can be ordained in our yearly meeting, a church must place him on trial, proving him worthy as a deacon in the church, for one year.

CHURCHES

- ALTON CHURCH: Organized September 16, 1955, by Revs. C. A. Dodson, Harry Beatty, Davie Combs, H. C. Crase, Billie Rogers, Keith Johnson, Ernest Harding and Meril Shaw; and Deacons Lee Clark, W. B. Combs, Luke Boze, Andrew Moore, Lee Lynch, Roy Martin, Wallace Strain, Raymond Williams, Mack Warren and Dale Archer; with 43 members. Clifton Wright, Jim Harding and Elgin Williams were selected as deacons.
- BAILEY CHAPEL CHURCH: Organized August 28, 1938 by Rev. E.E. Simpson, Rev. C. A. Dodson and Rev. Elmer Hodges with 55 members and John Nicholas, W. M. Huddleston and Elgin Williams as deacons.
- BYRD CHURCH: Organized November 18. 1968 by Rev. Meril Shaw, Carroll and Ross Tharp. Clerk, Mary Tharp.
- CAVE SPRINGS CHURCH: Organized July 12, 1879 with 24 members by Rev. David Johnson, Rev. A. J. Jones and Rev. S. J. Thornberg.
- CLIFTON CHURCH: Organzed July 23, 1949 by Billie Rogers, F. D. Johnson and E. E. Simpson with 15 members. Billie Rogers was elected pastor. Nova Coble elected clerk. Billie Joe Lovelace elected treasurer. John Clark, Paul Caldwell and Emery Coble were selected as deacons.

- COTTON CREEK CHURCH: Organized August 6, 1893 by Rev. J. H. Herlson and Rev. N. Combs with 13 members. T. J. Dunkin and G. W. Robertson were elected as deacons.
- FAITH CHAPEL CHURCH: Organized on September 9, 1973 by Rev. Clark Stephens, Howard Bowers, Davie Combs, Charles Hollis, Noah Miller, Darrell Strain, Donnie Morris, Meril Shaw and deacons Bro. Bob Dotson, Troy Sims, Cecil Cambess, Dave Uhlmann and N. H. Rhoads. Rev. Clark Stephens was selected as pastor and Troy Sims selected as deacon with 15 members.
- GARFIELD CHURCH: Organized August 17, 1942 by Rev. Harry H. Beatty, Billie Rogers and Fred Dodson. Organized with 22 members. Edd Rogers and Noah Hollis as deacons.
- LIBERTY CHURCH: Organized September 25, 1921 with members by Rev. J. R. W. Harbison, Rev. John Combs, Rev. James McGhee and Rev. G. H. Miller.
- LINGO CHURCH: The church was officially organized on November 18, 1977 with 27 members. Rev. Dale Skiles and Rev. James Lee Reed assisted in the service. Rev. Bill McClintock was the pastor.
- KOSHKONONG CHURCH: Organized October 31, 1965 by Rev. Davie Combs, E. E. Simpson, Dale Skiles, C. R. Bryan, James Lee Reed, S. D. Johnson, F. D. Johnson, J. W. King, Glenn Murray, Jesse Dunkin, Noah Miller, O. T. Allred, Ezra Butts, Clyde Montgomery, W. S. Turner, A. L. McGhee, Ode Hackworth, Howard Bowers, Charles W. Gower, Louis Stephens, Meril Shaw, G. L. Pingleton, Barnard Roberts and deacons Elza Webb, C. L. Robinson, Lee Clark, Paris Wheeler, Mack Warren, Homer Harper, Roy Underwood, T. J. Adkisson, David Uhlmann, Leamon Combs, Ben Pohnert, Ulus Caldwell, Luke Boze, Hubert Bowers and Jim Kentner. Rev. Davie Combs selected pastor and Jim Kenter as deacon with 21 members.
- MT. ZION CHURCH: Organized July 30, 1939 by Bro. J. E. Rolen, B. H. Woodring and Rev. J. E. S. Pentecost. Organized with 14 members. Daye Bowers and C. A. Harrison as deacons.
- MYRTLE CHURCH: Organized in October, 1903. Levi Taylor and Henry Wisehart as deacons.
- NORMAN CHURCH: Organized October 3, 1914 by Rev. W. P. Stogsdill and Rev. W. C. Norman with 18 members. D. M. Crews and G. W. Moore as deacons.

- PINEY CHURCH: Organized in 1885 by Rev. G. A. Jones. Members unknown.
- PLEASANT HILL CHURCH: Organized October 6, 1918 by Rev. E. J. Vaughn and Rev. H. C. Crase with 17 members.
- PLEASANT RIDGE CHURCH: Organized May 28, 1933 by Rev. E. E. Simpson, Nathan Combs, W. M. Johnson and Elmer Hodges with 13 members.
- ROYAL OAK CHURCH: Organized on the first Sunday in October, 1930 by Rev. H. C. Crase and Elmer Hodges assisted by Deacon J. P. McCullough with 23 members.
- SHILOH CHURCH: Organized October 19, 1930 by Rev. W. P. Stogsdill and Rev. Billie Rogers. It was organized with 14 members. C. H. Crews and Lee Clark as deacons. Elizabeth Holmes as church clerk.
- SMYRNA CHURCH: Organized November 1882 by Rev. David Johnson and Rev. A. J. Jones with 13 members.
- THAYER CHURCH: Organized July 31, 1954 with 33 charter members by Rev. Davie Combs, Joe Sisk, J. E. Rolen and Harry Beatty. Ordained deacons elected as deacons, J. W. Jewell, Otto Harrison and Fred King.
- UNITED CHURCH: Organized March 28, 1979 by Rev. Finis Johnson, James Lee Reed, Clark Stephens, Jesse Dunkin, Harry Beatty and Manuel Dunkin. Rev. Finis Johnson was chosen as Interim Pastor. Catherine Judd chosen as clerk, Geneva Easter chosen as treasurer. Bros. Tommie Adkisson, Ulus Caldwell and David Uhlmann were chosen as deacons. Bros. Jim Walker, Carroll Hickman, Jack Judd, Hubert Holman and Randall Tate elected as trustees.
- VICTORY CHURCH: Organized May 17, 1978 with 36 charter members by Deacons Wallace Strain and John Barton, Rev. J. Darrell Strain and Keith Combs. Pastor elected: J. Darrell Strain, clerk, Helena Barton.
- WALNUT GROVE CHURCH: Organized in 1889 by Rev. H. C. Crase and Rev. E. R. Evans with seven members.
- WEST PLAINS CHURCH: Organized on December 20, 1955 under the leadership of the State Home Mission team, Rev. and Mrs. Lester Jones and members of the State Home Mission Board, N. S. Miller,

T. J. Adkisson and Eugene James were elected trustees and Howard Campbell, James Dotson, Ralph Fletchall, J. R. Walker and Eugene James were elected as advisory committee.

WILDERNESS CHURCH: Organized August 2, 1940 by Rev. Clarence Dodson, S. W. Bell and Deacon Elgin Williams. Organized with 22 members and Mack Simpson, Hosea Simpson and Othel Neal as deacons.

PETITIONARY LETTER FORM

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None

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IN MEMORY

of the Ministers of the Cave Springs Association of Free Will Baptists, who have given their lives for His Cause and gone on to their reward.

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Rev. J. A. Jones Rev. James McChee
Rev. E. R. Whitman Rev. C. H. Williams

Rev. W. W. Pierce Rev. Billie Rogers

Rev. Daniel R. Johnson Rev. Elmer Hodges

Rev. G. W. Putman Rev. Eddie Vaughan Rev. S. O. Buckley Rev. Arthur T. Warren

Rev. Thomas Bennett Rev. A. R. Campbell

Rev. David Johnson Rev. H. C. Crase

Rev. W. C. Norman Rev. Joe Sisk

Rev. John Combs Rev. Clarence Dodson

Rev. W. M. Johnson Rev. S. D. Johnson

Rev. Milo Standley Rev. Bill Combs

Rev. J. E. Pentecost. Rev. L. R. Wheeler
Rev. T. J. Dunkin Rev. Allie McChee

Rev. J. R. W. Harbison Rev. John Cline

Rev. Ode Hackworth Rev. Manuel Dunkin

Rev. F. D. Johnson Rev. Claude Bryan

Rev. Nathan Combs Rev. Jesse Rolan

Rev. Oren Barton Rev. Charles Hollis

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