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Minutes & Annual Reports
of the
144th Session
of the
Cumberland Association
of
Free Will Baptists

October 13 & 14, 1987
Good Springs FWB Church
Pleasant View, TN
Rev. R. Randall Riggs, Host Pastor

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GOVERNMENT AND CONSTITUTION

CUMBERLAND ASSOCIATION OF FREE WILL BAPTISTS

ARTICLE 1. Each Quarterly holding membership in this District Association shall be entitled to five (5) delegates elected from the laity, with additional delegates from each member Church as follows: one delegate for the first 50 members or fraction thereof, and an additional delegate for each additional 50 members or fraction thereof. Furthermore, all ordained ministers and deacons holding membership in the Presbytery of this District Association shall be standing delegates.

ARTICLE 2. Each member Quarterly of this Association shall send a letter to each annual meeting giving information and statistics according to the form provided by the clerk of the Association.

ARTICLE 3. This Association, when convened, shall be governed by *Roberts Rules of Order*.

ARTICLE 4. They may elect a Moderator, Assistant Moderator, Clerk, Assistant Clerk, and Treasurer from among themselves, and they may hold their offices until their successors are elected.

ARTICLE 5. New churches shall petition the Quarterly meeting for membership. The Quarterly shall have power to receive new churches as members, and in turn shall inform the District Association of their membership.

ARTICLE 6. This Association shall furnish member Quarterlies with sufficient minutes of their proceedings to be distributed to their member churches.

ARTICLE 7. Annual dues for each member Quarterly shall be \$10.00. In addition, each member Quarterly shall be accountable for dues as follows: member Churches whose membership is 0-49, \$20.00; 50-99, \$25.00; 100-199, \$30.00; 200 and above, \$35.00.

ARTICLE 8. For the purpose of ordaining ministers of the gospel and for trying all ordained members of un-Christian conduct, there shall be a Presbytery, which shall convene at the close of the session on the first day of the Association and at any time during the Associational year, if called by the moderator or his assistants or any five members of said Presbytery who deem it necessary to make such a call. The Presbytery shall consist of ordained members present, and they shall elect a moderator and clerk from among themselves for the time being who shall hold their offices until their successors are elected.

The membership of the presbytery of the Cumberland Association shall consist of all ordained ministers and deacons holding cards of good standing in this Presbytery. Each quarterly meeting shall function as a sub-committee, and shall have the right to examine all applications for ordination or ratification of credentials, sent with recommendation from the churches composing the Quarterly Meeting, and if found competent, to ordain and set them apart for the work by prayer and laying on of hands.

The examining committee of each Quarterly Meeting shall make an annual report to the yearly meeting of the Cumberland Association Presbytery. Such report will also in-

clude the names of five elected members to serve as the examining committee of said Quarterly Meeting.

ARTICLE 9. It shall be the duty of each minister who shall organize a church to ordain deacons for the same. It is his duty, also, to ordain deacons where a vacancy occurs within his charge. It shall be the duty of each pastor to encourage the organization and support of the Sunday school in the church or churches where he is pastor as well as other organizations that may prove helpful to the work of the church.

ARTICLE 10. No persons shall be ordained to the ministry nor shall the credentials of any minister be ratified until he is qualified to meet the conditions stated in the third chapter of 1 Timothy. The term "the husband of one wife" means he shall not have more than one living wife (that is, he shall not be married to one wife at the present time and there be a wife still living from a previous marriage). This shall be tested by the Presbytery. The Presbytery shall have full power to propound such spiritual questions as they consider necessary to determine his qualifications. All candidates for ordination shall be required to answer these questions satisfactorily.

ARTICLE 11. This Association may exclude from its body any minister who teaches heresy, or any member Quarterly that countenances him in said teaching or that may be disloyal to the tenets of Faith as held by this Association and expressed in our Articles of Faith.

ARTICLE 12. All questions coming before this Association shall be determined by a majority vote, except exclusion of member Quarterlies which shall require two-thirds majority.

ARTICLE 13. Representatives from two (2) member churches of each member Quarterly shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business, and no business shall be transacted without a quorum.

ARTICLE 14. Amendments to this Constitution may be made at any time by a majority of the members present composing the Association, voting on behalf of the amendment.

ARTICLE 15. This Association may adjourn to meet with any church that is a regular member of it at any time it deems proper.

ARTICLE 16. This Association, having jurisdiction over all member Quarterlies within its bounds, shall discipline any member Quarterly which allows a member church to call a minister for a pastor who has been excluded by the Presbytery.

BOARDS

ARTICLE 1. All standing boards shall be composed of three (3) members, except the Home Mission Board and Superannuation Board which shall be composed of five (5) members. The Executive Board shall be composed of eight (8) members, and the Youth Camp Board shall be composed of nine (9) members.

The personnel of each of the foregoing boards, exclusive of the Executive, Home Mission, Superannuation and Youth Camp Boards shall be elected as follows: the first named for a period of one (1) year, the second named for a period of two (2) years, and the third named for a period of three (3) years. Succession of office thereafter shall be determined as order requires. The Home Mission Board and Superannuation Board members shall be elected each year for a five (5) year term. The Youth Camp Board shall be elected on a rotation basis with three (3) members being elected each year for a three (3) year term.

The moderator of the Cumberland Association is to meet quarterly with the chairmen of the standing boards to assure their operation throughout the year.

The standing boards are to be represented at the Quarterly Meetings to promote their work.

The standing boards are to meet quarterly among themselves.

ARTICLE 2. The personnel of the Executive Board shall be composed of the Moderator, Assistant Moderator, Clerk, Assistant Clerk, Treasurer, and the moderators of each quarterly meeting.

ARTICLE 3. The Executive Board shall have the power to act in behalf of and for the Cumberland Association from one regular session to another, and shall have power to elect such officers as may be necessary for its own government, and to carry out the plans and undertakings of the Association. It shall be the duty of the Executive Board to make written reports of all its work to each annual session of the Association.

ARTICLE 4. The duties of the various standing boards shall be to plan a program and supervise its operations in their respective fields. They shall organize themselves and regulate their work as may become necessary and as may be found in harmony with the principles and tenets of the Association.

The Duties of the Foreign Mission Board

To promote foreign missions in each of the quarterly meetings of the Cumberland Association by encouraging them to have foreign missions conferences and encouraging them to support foreign missions with their prayers and finances.

The Duties of the Children's Home Board

The duties of the board fall into two areas; these are promotion and information. The promotional work of the board is to challenge each church to either include the Children's Home in its budget or to have a special day for the Children's Home. The informational work of the board is to inform the churches of the progress and needs of the Children's Home. These duties will be performed at the quarterly meetings.

The Duties of the Home Mission Board

1. The responsibility of educating our association of the need for starting new churches and to the needs of those starting them.
2. The responsibility of enlisting prayer and financial support of home missionaries and church extension workers.
3. The responsibility of starting new churches in the Middle Tennessee areas without a Free Will Baptist Church.

The Duties of the Superannuation Board

1. Soliciting for funds from association churches in order to carry out its ministry;
2. Administering those funds in a responsible and economical manner;
3. Providing regular monthly support for those ministers or their widows who have served the Lord well within the fellowship of the Cumberland Association churches, and
4. Keeping our ministers and laymen informed of benefits available to them in the form of hospital and special purpose insurance and retirement benefits.

The Objectives of the Youth Camp Board

1. To provide a Christian camping experience for the youth of the churches that make up the Cumberland Association of Free Will Baptists.
2. To evangelize and seek to win each camper to the Lord Jesus Christ.
3. To stimulate Christian growth and maturity through Bible classes, missionary and Christian service classes, Christian counseling, and through the preaching of God's Word.
4. To provide healthful physical activities and recreation for each camper.
5. To provide for various social activities for enjoyment and relaxation.
6. To uphold standards of modesty in behavior and in dress for boys and girls.
7. To serve as trustees of camp ground.

RULES AND DECORUM

This Association shall be opened by singing and prayer. Only one person may speak at a time. All addresses made by the members shall be made to the moderator, and the person thus speaking shall strictly confine himself to the subject in debate. No speaker shall cast any personal reflection toward any member of this body who has spoken previously.

No person shall be allowed to speak more than three times on any one subject without the permission of a majority of the Association.

The speaker shall not be interrupted during his speech by anyone except the moderator unless he violates the rules of order.

No member shall absent himself without permission from the Association. Members shall use the word "Brother" or "Brethren" in all debates.

No member shall speak longer than fifteen minutes at any time without permission from the moderator.

Any member who shall willfully and knowingly violate any of these rules shall be reported by the moderator and shall be subject to the censure of the Association.

Adopted in Council this Saturday before the first Lord's Day in October, 1867, as a

standing decorum, though subject to revision by a majority of members voting for revision.

Constitution and Government revised October 17, 1957,
October 15, 1964, October 14, 1965,
October 16, 1968, October 16, 1969,
October 16, 1975, October 14, 1976,
February 11, 1978, October 12, 1983,
October 17, 1984, October 16, 1985,
October 15, 1986, October 14, 1987

DIRECTORY OF THE ASSOCIATION

Moderator	Rev. Robert Crawford
Assistant Moderator	Rev. Wayne Bess
Clerk	Rev. Randall Riggs
Assistant Clerk	Rev. Eugene Workman
Treasurer	Mr. Sam McVay
Moderator, Northern Quarterly	Rev. Terry Boyd
Moderator, Southern Quarterly	Rev. William Preston
Moderator, Western Quarterly	Rev. Johnny Sexton

TREASURERS TO WHOM FUNDS ARE SENT

Children's Home:	Rev. A.J. Looper Route 10, Box 327 Greeneville, TN 37743
Foreign Missions:	Mr. Earl Larson % FWB Foreign Missions P.O. Box 1088 Nashville, TN 37202
FWBBC:	Mr. Tom Sass 3606 West End Ave. Nashville, TN 37205
National Association of Free Will Baptists:	Dr. Melvin Worthington P.O. Box 1088 Nashville, TN 37202
National Home Missions:	Rev. Roy Thomas P.O. Box 1088 Nashville, TN 37202
State Home Missions:	Rev. Wayne Wagner Rt. 2, Box 183 Cedar Hill, TN 37032
Tennessee State Promotional Work:	Rev. Wallace Hayes 305 Santa Rosa Dr. Old Hickory, TN 37138
Superannuation:	Mr. Henry Morgan 515 American Rd. Nashville, TN 37209

Cumberland
Association:

Mr. Sam McVay
4300 Clarksville Hwy.
Nashville, TN 37218

CUMBERLAND ASSOCIATION UNIFIED GIVING PLAN

The Unified Giving Plan. It is suggested that each church within the Cumberland give 10% of their undesignated offerings to their Quarterly or to the Cumberland Association for the support of the Cumberland programs. The giving is as follows:

Cumberland Home Missions	15%
Cumberland Youth Camp	30%
Superannuation	15%
Cumberland Association	10%
TN State Association	30%
TOTAL PERCENT GIVING	100%

PROCEEDINGS

The 144th session of the Cumberland Association of Free Will Baptists met October 13 & 14, 1987, with the Good Springs FWB Church in Pleasant View, Tennessee. The Rev. R. Randall Riggs served as the host pastor.

The theme for the meeting was "Giving Ourselves to Prayer" taken from Acts 6:4, "We will give ourselves continually to prayer..."

TUESDAY MORNING WORSHIP

9:00 A.M.

Our meeting was opened with the Rev. Marion Pettus leading us in singing "I Am Thine, O Lord." Brother Richard Bazzell accompanied on the piano.

Brother Henry Read, a deacon in the host church, gave a warm welcome and the Rev. Victor Neuenschwander, pastor of the Oak Grove FWB Church gave the response and led in prayer.

The morning message, "Prayer and the Holy Spirit," was delivered by the Rev. Robert Morgan, pastor of the Donelson FWB Church in Nashville. His text was Romans 8:26-29. His timely message pointed out three truths of the Holy Spirit; 1) His prayers for us, 2) His providence over us and 3) His purpose in us. He concluded by reminding us we should pray submissively, unhurriedly and earnestly.

TUESDAY MORNING BUSINESS

9:45 A.M.

The 144th session was called to order by the clerk, and the moderator, the Rev. Robert Crawford recognized the pastors and deacons in good standing as standing delegates.

The delegates from the local churches and Quarterlies were recognized. A motion was made, seconded and carried to accept the lay delegates as part of the voting body.

The Committee on Committees was appointed with Rev. Wayne Wagner, Rev. E. B. McDonald and Rev. Wayne Bess serving. Brother Wagner served as the chairman.

The Executive Committee Report was given by the clerk. A motion was made, second-

ed and carried to receive the report and adopt the recommendations.

Brother Crawford recognized those who were visiting with us. They were Brother A. J. Looper from the Children's Home and Brother Raymond Riggs, the Promotional Director for the State of Tennessee.

The reports from the Quarterlies were heard. Brother Willard McCarroll gave the Northern Quarterly Report and asked that we pray for Brother Terry Boyd. Brother Boyd came to the meeting, but had to leave due to having chest pains. (We later learned that Brother Boyd suffered a light heart attack and was not able to attend the meeting.) The Southern Quarterly Report was given by Brother William Preston, and the Western Quarterly Report was given by Brother Johnny Sexton. The reports were received.

Brother Raymond Riggs, the Tennessee Promotional Director, gave greeting from the State work. He reminded us that our 50th State Meeting would be held November 9-11 in Dickson, Tennessee, and encouraged all to attend. He expressed thanks to the Cumberland and made special mention of the Northern Quarterly and their support through the Unified Giving Plan.

Brother Bill Foster represented the Sunday School Department. He encouraged us to use the materials from them and to visit the offices. A motion was made, seconded and carried to accept these reports as information.

The Children's Home Superintendent, Brother A. J. Looper, gave greetings. He expressed thanks for the Cumberland's faithfulness. He also gave praise to God for His goodness during the past year. They have cared for 60 children during the past year, with 31 being cared for now. His report was accepted as information.

There was a motion to be dismissed for the morning break. The motion carried and the clerk led us in prayer.

TUESDAY MORNING WORSHIP

11:00 A.M.

Our worship service was opened by singing "At The Cross" and "What A Friend We Have In Jesus." Brother Marion Pettus directed us, and Brother Richard Bazzell played the piano. Brother Gene Workman led us in prayer.

An offering of \$74.65 was received, after which Brother Roy Lee, a member of the Emmanuel FWB Church in Clarksville and an employee of the Pleasant View Christian School, sang "The Old Rugged Cross Made The Difference." He was accompanied by Mrs. Peggy Messer.

Rev. Raymond Riggs introduced his son, Steve Riggs, missionary to France, to deliver the morning message. Rev. Riggs' message was "Prayer and Witnessing" from Ephesians 6:10-20. He pointed out the importance of prayer and witnessing because of 1) The Nature of our Battle, 2) The Source of our Strength and 3) Our depending upon the Spirit for success in evangelism. He closed by reminding us that what offensive linemen are to running backs, so are prayers to missionaries, and apart from prayer, all our witnessing is void. He closed in prayer.

The moderator, Brother Crawford, recognized the Committee on Committees to give their report. A motion to accept the report carried.

We were adjourned in prayer by Brother William Preston and enjoyed a meal provided by the host church and the Northern Quarterly.

TUESDAY AFTERNOON BUSINESS

1:00 P.M.

The Business session was opened by Brother Marion Pettus directing us in "Count Your Blessings." Mrs. Winona Riggs played the piano. Brother Bob Shockey took us to the throne of grace.

Brother Robert Crawford brought his moderator's message from Ephesians 1:15-23. He emphasized how all our work as an Association must be done in accordance with the will of God. Rev. Fred Hall prayed and asked God's help during the Business Session.

The Superannuation Report was given by Brother E. B. McDonald. He reported an increase in giving to the retired ministers and their widows. He encouraged all the churches to support the Board. A motion was made, seconded and carried to receive the report.

Brother Wayne Wagner gave the Cumberland Home Mission Board Report. He asked the Association for some advice on starting a new work. After some discussion a motion was made for the Board to have the authority to do what the Constitution calls for. The motion carried. The report was also received.

The Youth Camp Report was given by Brother Wallace Hayes. He reported on a good number of campers and some exciting weeks. He expressed concern about the pressure from some to enforce their own personal standards upon the Camp. He stated that the Camp holds to high standards based on Scripture.

His report was received. He called for Brother Marion Pettus to give the treasurer's report. The report was received.

The Cumberland Historical Commission Report was given by Dr. Robert Picirilli. He encouraged all to learn more about our history and to store up information for the future generations of FWB. A motion was made, seconded and carried to receive the report.

Dr. Charles Thigpen extended greetings from the Bible College. He also expressed thanks to the Cumberland for their generous support. This was received as information.

Brother Eddie Hodges closed in prayer and we were dismissed until the evening worship service.

TUESDAY EVENING WORSHIP

7:00 P.M.

The service began with the Good Springs Singers singing "Can He? Could He? Would He? Did He?". Pastor Randall Riggs welcomed us to the service, and Brother Tom Scott, pastor of the Bethlehem Church led in prayer.

Brother Marion Pettus led us in singing "Rescue The Pershing." Dick and JoAnn Bazzell accompanied on the organ and piano. The evening offering was received. Brother Kit Carson led in prayer. Offertory music was provided by Dick & JoAnn Bazzell.

Brother Pettus led us in singing "To God Be The Glory". Moderator Robert Crawford had asked Brother Riggs to preside over the evening service. Rev. Riggs commended our elder ministers as well as several of the members of the Good Springs Church for their help during the Cumberland. The Good Springs Singers blessed our hearts as they sang "When I See His Face" and "We Shall See Jesus."

The Rev. Wayne Wagner, Pastor of the Heads FWB Church, delivered the evening message. "Practical Praying" was his sermon with James 5:13-20 being his text. He reminded us that praying must be our top priority. Without practical praying the ministry of the Word would be without power. He challenged us that we sin because we fail to pray. He pointed out that practical praying would 1) praise God, 2) worship God, 3) defeat the enemy,

4) help us obey God and 5) causes God to move. He concluded his stirring message with prayer.

Rev. Randall Riggs reminded everyone to register at each session. He made a few announcements and Brother Ellis Nichols dismissed us in prayer.

WEDNESDAY MORNING WORSHIP

9:00 A.M.

Rev. Marion Pettus opened the service by leading the congregation in singing "Trust and Obey." Brother Richard Bazzell accompanied on the piano and Brother Gene Parton led in prayer. Brother Pettus sang "It Is Finished."

Moderator Crawford welcomed us to the morning service. He introduced a group from the Woodbine Christian Academy, The Now Generation. They sang "Seek The Victory" and "Lean On Me."

The pastor of the Gorman FWB Church, Rev. Johnny Sexton, brought the message, "Jesus' Pattern On Prayer," from Matthew 6:5-13. He exhorted us to refrain from "false" praying - praying to draw attention to ourself. We were challenged to pray, realizing we were approaching the throne of grace. After these introductory statements, Rev. Sexton preached an expositional message on this model prayer.

WEDNESDAY MORNING BUSINESS

9:45 A.M.

Brother Crawford recognized the delegates unable to attend the Tuesday Business Session. A motion was made, seconded and carried to accept them as a part of the voting body.

Brother Crawford made mention that Brother Boyd was resting well after his heart attack, but was still needful of our prayers.

The Tennessee State Home Mission Board was represented by Wayne Wagner. He asked for the Cumberland to pray for wisdom for the Board Members as they elect a new Chairman.

Brother Tom Scott gave the Petitions and Request Report. A motion to accept the report was seconded and carried.

The Presbytery Report was given by Wallace Hayes. The report was accepted.

Brother Henry Read gave the Obituary Report. He noted that this was one of the longer lists in recent years. Brother Crawford asked Rev. J.B. Parsons to lead in prayer in memory of those who died during the past year. After prayer, the body voted to accept the report.

Brother Crawford asked for nominations for Delegates to the State Meeting, November 9 - 11 in Dickson, Tennessee. Those elected were: Rebecca Stewart, Sam McVay, Mary Darnell, Thelma Cannon and Bell Perry.

The Resolutions Committee Report was given by Brother Don Walker. After a few questions and amendments all the resolutions passed.

Brother H.C. Beasley gave the Temperance Committee Report which was accepted by the body.

The Nominations Committee Report was given by William Preston. A motion was made to elect the Board Members as they were presented. The motion carried. A motion was made to vote on the whole Executive Committee if there were no other nominations. There were none and the motion carried. The Executive Committee Members are: Moderator, Rev. Robert Crawford; Assistant Moderator, Rev. Wayne Bess; Clerk, Rev. Randall

Riggs; Assistant Clerk, Rev. Gene Workman; and Treasurer, Mr. Sam McVay.
Sam McVay gave the Treasurer's Report and it was accepted.

WEDNESDAY MORNING BUSINESS

11:00 A.M.

Our service was opened with the Pleasant View Christian School Choir singing "Come Holy Spirit" and "Majesty." Mrs. Debbie Burkepile directed and Mrs. Peggy Messer played.

The congregation was led in singing "My Saviour's Love". Mrs. Messer accompanied on the piano.

The Pastor of the Woodbine FWB Church reported on Woodbine Christian Academy, and then led us in prayer. An offering of \$52.30 was received. During the offering a girls ensemble from the Gorman Christian School sang "Take My Life and Let It Be," "The Story of His Love" and "Looking Through Your Eyes (Let Me See This World, Dear Lord)."

Rev. Gwyn Pugh, Home Missionary to Millington, Tennessee delivered the final message from Ephesians 1:15-28 "Praying For Others". He gave us three truths to "sink our teeth into" concerning praying for others. That they may: 1) know Jesus better, 2) know what they have and 3) know His power. He closed his message in prayer.

Brother Sam McVay gave the Registration and Finance Committee Report. The report was accepted.

After a few announcements, a motion was made to adjourn and the 144th session of the Cumberland came to a close. The host church provided lunch for us.

Respectfully Submitted,

R. Randall Riggs,
Clerk

REPORTS

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE REPORT TO THE CUMBERLAND ASSOCIATION OF FWB

The Executive Committee met three times during the 1986-87 year.

Our first meeting was held on December 1, 1986 at the Ashland City FWB Church. We heard reports from the other boards and their plans for the year.

On Tuesday, March 10, 1987, we met on the campus of our Bible College. We again heard reports from the boards. During this meeting, we recommended that the Cumberland Home Mission Board send a gift of \$500 to the Millington work.

We met June 1, 1987 at the Good Springs Church for our final meeting. The theme, program and speakers for the 144th session of the Cumberland was the topic of discussion.

From the meetings this past year, the Executive Committee recommends the following changes in wording concerning our Constitution:

1. We recommend that under the heading BOARDS (p. 3, Minutes & Reports of the 143rd Session), Article 1, the Executive Committee be composed of 8 members.

2. We recommend that the Board of Retirement and Insurance be changed to read the Superannuation Board.

Respectfully submitted,
R. Randall Riggs, Executive Committee Clerk

NORTHERN QUARTERLY REPORT

The Northern Quarterly met four times this past year. We continue to enjoy a blessed fellowship and a good spirit of cooperation prevails.

Activities jointly sponsored include a monthly breakfast for pastors and laymen. A mission walk-a-thon that raises about \$5,000 each year. An annual Bible College day in which about \$15,000 was raised last year.

We thank God for His blessings upon our school. We celebrate our 10th year with the school this year. Mrs. Ann Hyde received "Teacher of the Year" award from T.A.C.S.

Our Quarterly meeting is in its second year of its Unified Giving Plan. To date the Cumberland Association has received over \$12,000 in undesignated funds. We believe the Northern Quarterly has provided an excellent example in giving and urge the other Quarterlies to adopt a similar program.

Officers for the coming year are:

Terry Boyd, Moderator

Wayne Wagner, Assistant Moderator

Mary Crutcher, Clerk

Barry Simpson, Treasurer

David Simpson, Music Director

Respectfully Submitted,
Rev. Terry Boyd,
Moderator

SOUTHERN QUARTERLY REPORT

The Southern Quarterly meeting consists of 28 churches with a total membership of 2,822. We met four times during the '86 - '87 year with emphases on ministering to Senior Adults; Youth; Laity; and the final meeting emphasized the responsibility of stewardship.

Our officers for 1987 - 1988 are:

Moderator - William Preston

Ass't - Jesse Meade

Clerk/Treasurer - Daryl Ellis

Ass't - Sam McVay

Respectfully Submitted,
William Preston,
Moderator

WESTERN QUARTERLY REPORT

The Western Quarterly consists of 18 churches, with mostly rural churches spread over a five county area. Attendance was good for all of our quarterly meetings. Most of our churches were represented at each meeting. Our churches gave to the support of Home Missions, Foreign Missions, Bible Colleges, Home for Children, and Happy Hill Acres

Camp. We had an exciting conference of Revival and Church Growth with our Home Missions staff. We also have two Christian schools, United Christian Academy in Dickson and Gorman Christian School in Waverly.

Officers for coming year are: Moderator, Johnny Sexton; Assistant Moderator, Wayne Bess; Clerk, Dottie Bryant; Treasurer, Milton Heath.

Respectfully Submitted,
Johnny Sexton
Moderator

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON COMMITTEES

REGISTRATION COMMITTEE

Sam McVay (c)
Randall Riggs
Eugene Workman

PETITION & REQUEST COMMITTEE

Tom Scott (c)
Maxie Milliken
Ken Dodson

TEMPERANCE COMMITTEE

H.C. Beasley (c)
Lonnie Skiles
Charles Powell

RESOLUTION COMMITTEE

Don Walker (c)
Johnny Sexton
Dan Cronk

OBITUARY COMMITTEE

Carlos Craft (c)
Herschel Hagewood
Henry Read

NOMINATING COMMITTEE

William Preston (c)
Willard McCarroll
Wayne Bess

Respectfully Submitted,
Wayne Wagner, Chairman
E.B. McDonald
Wayne Bess

SUPERANNUATION REPORT

Balance from September 30, 1986

\$5,042.44

RECEIPTS:

Bethlehem	183.37
Cofers Chapel	50.00
Cumberland Assoc. Co-Op	1,494.90
Dunbar Chapel	75.00
East Nashville	30.00
Friendship	120.00
Good Springs	317.00
Gorman	130.00
Grace	220.00
Pleasant Ridge	120.00
Rock Springs	309.08
Shady Grove	120.00
Southern Quarterly	28.20
Stoney Point	160.00
Sylvan Park	300.00
Trinity	316.00
West Nashville	106.00
Total Receipts for Year	<u>4,079.55</u>
Total Funds Available	\$9,121.99

DISBURSEMENTS:

Rev. Shelvie Henry	600.00
Rev. Darnell Williams	1,200.00
Mrs. E. A. Craft	850.00
Mrs. Luther Reed	850.00
Mrs. D. A. Hatcher	<u>850.00</u>
	4,350.00

Deposit from Funds Available to:

Savings Account, National Board Retirement and Ins.
for Savings Fund \$3,000.00

Total Disbursements for Year	<u>7,350.00</u>
Funds on hand less Disbursements	\$1,771.99

Savings Account with Natl. Board of Retirements and
Insurance - Savings Fund \$3,000.00 plus Earnings
on Trust Account of \$159.83 - Total

3,159.83

Total Funds Forwarded to October 1, 1987

\$4,931.82

Submitted by Superannuation Board

Henry L. Morgan
Treasurer

CUMBERLAND HOME MISSION BOARD REPORT

The Cumberland Home Mission Board meets twice during the year, once in connection with the Cumberland Association, then again on December 1, 1986 in Ashland City.

While prayerfully considering a work that we could support, the National Home Missions Board and the Tennessee Home Missions Board jointly hired Brother Gwyn Pugh for the Liberty Free Will Baptist Church in Millington. Since that time we have supported the Pughs.

We ask that they be held up in your prayers,

Respectfully submitted,
Bro. Wayne Wagner

CUMBERLAND ASSOCIATION HOME MISSION BOARD TREASURER REPORT

Balance Forwarded 10/1/86	61.63
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RECEIPTS

Cumberland Association Co-op	1,546.28	
Balance Forwarded plus Receipts		1,607.91

DISBURSEMENTS

Rev. Carlos Kelsey	100.00	
Tennessee Home Missions (Gwyn Pugh)	1,000.00	
Total Disbursements		1,100.00
Balance as of 9/30/87		507.91

Respectfully Submitted,

Wayne Wagner
Maxie Milliken
Wendell Walley
Charles Powell

CUMBERLAND YOUTH CAMP REPORT

We praise the Lord for the wonderful year He gave us this camping season. During four weeks of camp we had a total of 194 campers. Of those campers 33 made decisions for Christ. 13 were saved and 20 rededicated their lives. There were about 60 workers who helped out as director, kitchen help and counselors. To them we say 'Thank you!'

The youth retreats are becoming a wonderful time for our churches and young people. During the Fall and Spring retreats we had a total of 102 attend. The coming Fall retreat will be directed by Jonathan Thigpen and Frank Breeden. We are expecting the Lord to give us a great time.

The Board met 10 times during the year. There were some difficult decisions to make. We have a good Board. They are men who love the Lord. We thank God for them and the time they spend seeking to make our camp a place for the honor and glory of God.

The new building is complete. We borrowed \$8,000.00 to finish the task. If your church is not supporting the camp, please pray and consider placing us in your budget or receiving a love offering. We have expenses to meet. They can only be met by you, our churches, and God's people.

Continue to pray for the camp, the Board and Brother Pettus. Come and visit us when you can.

Respectfully Submitted,
Wallace Hayes,
Chairman, Camp Board

CAMP DATES FOR 1988:

April 15 & 16 = Spring Youth Retreat

June 12-17 = ages 14 and up

June 19-24 = ages 8-10

June 26-July 1 = ages 10-12

July 24-29 = ages 8-12

July 31 - August 5 = ages 12-14

October 14 & 15 = Fall Youth Retreat

FINANCIAL STATEMENT CUMBERLAND YOUTH CAMP HAPPY HILL ACRES

October 1, 1986 - October 2, 1987

BALANCE BROUGHT FORWARD

\$1,031.04

Offerings	\$19,618.30
Co-op	3,174.84
Checkbooks	1,113.00
Transfer Timber Acct.	22,897.95
Fall Retreat (1986)	439.30
Fall Retreat (1987)	23.00
Spring Retreat	1,027.00
Christian Workers Retreat	810.00
Green River Retreat	494.00
Youth Camp Fees	9,637.41
Loan	4,000.00
Interest Earned	587.33

Total Income **\$73,822.13**

74,853.17

Expenses

Postmaster (postage & newsletter)	487.67
Deposit error and returned checks	470.96
Hospital insurance	3,020.54
Pension Fund	1,560.00
Salary	13,000.00

Social Security	900.00
Honorariums	1,271.40
Board expense	81.15
Camper insurance	570.64
Texgas	1,545.71
Office supplies	321.00
Retreat refund	16.00
CCI membership & health permits	400.00
Truck and tractor expense	2,674.44
Farmers Co-op (supplies)	70.58
Camp cook (N.P.)	1,585.00
U-Haul (move Mrs. Hill)	184.39
Maintenance	305.75
Phone	1,261.77
CEMC	4,755.16
Groceries	6,747.39
Building	29,331.95
Misc. expense	362.52
Christmas gift	250.00
Birthday gift	150.00
National Association expense	500.00
Helen Bain (purchase lots 3 & 4)	450.00
Film (retreat)	82.50
Tee shirts	1,230.34
Woodlawn fire service	100.00
Edwards plaque	100.00
Total Expenses	73,813.37

Balance October 2, 1987 1,039.80

Balance in Timber Account after \$4,000 loan 4,104.33

CUMBERLAND ASSOCIATION HISTORICAL COMMITTEE REPORT, OCTOBER 18, 1987

Did you know that the Cumberland Association was founded as the "Cumberland Association of Separate Baptists"? In 1842 or 1843? Under the leadership of Robert Heaton and W. L. Gower? Or that, at a later date, the name was the "Cumberland Association of Free Will Christian Baptists"?

The truth is, there's a lot about the history of our association we don't know. Perhaps that's why, last year, you brought into existence a historical committee.

Or was it a "commission"? We who were elected weren't here, so we weren't sure. Neither were we sure whether there was some specific project you had in mind when you made these decisions. If there is, you will need to let us know.

Meanwhile, we went ahead and had our first meeting. Only three of us could be present: Mary Wischart, Bobby Lawrence, and I. Mr. Henry Oliver was not well enough to attend, and Mrs. Agnes Frazier was away. The three of us decided we could get things started, with this our first report, by emphasizing a few things that are needed.

I. Various things are needed for the history of the association itself. While we have many of the old minutes of the Cumberland, there are also many gaps in what we have

available. Anyone who has, or knows someone who has, old printed (or handwritten) minutes of the Cumberland should get in touch with me or another member of the committee. Likewise for any old issues of Free Will Baptist papers of any kind. There are many of these that we do not have and are needed for our history: the Free Will Baptist, published in Ayden, North Carolina; the Free Will Baptist Messenger, published in Baxter, Tennessee; and others. Please let us know if you have any of these or know where any might be.

I should add, at this point, that we do not anticipate beginning a separate historical collection. Since the national collection is right here in our area in the library of the college, that would seem to be unnecessary. But we do want to help ensure that a good collection of historical matter for the Cumberland can be found in that collection.

II. Each local church needs to be encouraged to collect and preserve its own history. Bobby Lawrence submits the following suggestions for this purpose:

1. Collect all available minutes of church business meetings.
2. Collect all available photographs of:
 - a. the church
 - b. church activities
 - c. former pastors
 - d. former members.
3. Collect old (and current) newspaper articles, and other published materials, dealing with the church.
4. Interview former pastors and older members of the church on tape. Compile a cassette library of these interviews.
5. Compile a cassette library of messages of pastors and evangelists who have preached in the church.
6. Collect artifacts, like Bibles of former pastors and anything else deemed significant in the history of the church.
7. Collect old church bulletins and maintain a file that is kept current. This is an important record of the church's activities.
8. Compile a video-cassette library of interviews of former pastors and older members or of important current events in the church's life.

III. Mary Wisheart, who is especially active with the Woman's Auxiliary, reminds us that there is need for materials related to the history of the Cumberland District Woman's Auxiliary. It was begun in 1921 as the Tennessee State Ladies Aid Society, and a complete set of minutes exists. Even so, some more copies of the earlier years would be helpful for the purposes of maintaining duplicate files in case of damage to those existing.

Furthermore, in the early years of this century there was a paper published for the women's work entitled The Record, first edited by Mrs. Polston and then by Mrs. Welch. Very few of these are in the collection, and we need to fill in the gaps if at all possible.

In conclusion, we need any materials we can obtain that relate to the history of our association, to any of its work, or to our local Cumberland Association churches (past and present). Please contact us. Help us. Give us your suggestions for historical research and projects.

Mary Wisheart Agnes Frazier
Bobby Lawrence Henry Oliver
Robert E. Picirilli, chairman

PETITION AND REQUESTS REPORT

We recommend that the Cumberland Association accept the invitation of the Rock Springs Free Will Baptist Church, a member of the Western Quarterly, to host the 1988 annual session.

We further recommend that one half of the offerings be given to the account of Rev. Steve Riggs, Foreign Missions and one half to Rev. Gwyn Pugh, Home Missions.

Respectfully Submitted,

Ken Dodson
Maxie Milliken
Tom Scott (c)

CUMBERLAND PRESBYTERY REPORT

The Cumberland Presbytery met on Tuesday, October 13, 1987 at the Good Springs FWB Church in Pleasant View, TN. Brother Marion Pettus led us in singing "The Old Account Was Settled Long Ago." Dr. Stanley Outlaw led in prayer.

Rev. Wallace Hayes, the assistant moderator, read 1 Timothy 3:15. Because Terry Boyd, the moderator, was having chest pains, Brother Hayes moderated the meeting.

The reports from the Northern, Southern and Western Quarterlies were heard and approved.

The minutes from the previous meeting, and the treasurer's report was given by the clerk. A motion to accept the report and reading of the minutes carried.

A motion was made, seconded and carried that the officers plan a seminar for the Cumberland Presbytery during the next year.

There was a question concerning the United Church and the pastor, Jeff Lankford. The Western Examining Committee had met with Brother Lankford and expressed concern about his views of eternal security. Jim Dudley, chairman of the Deacon Board at United, informed us the Board would be meeting with Brother Lankford on Tuesday, October 13, to discuss the matter. He asked us to pray for the meeting, and the decisions they would make concerning him.

A motion to elect by acclamation the present officers carried. They are: Moderator, Terry Boyd; Assistant Moderator, Wallace Hayes; Clerk, Randall Riggs.

We were dismissed in prayer by Brother Vernon Barker and extended the right hand of fellowship to the new pastors of the Cumberland.

Respectfully submitted,
R. Randall Riggs, Clerk

PRESBYTERY TREASURER'S REPORT

CHECKING ACCOUNT

Balance Forwarded, October 11, 1986 \$ 257.45

Deposits:

February 1987	\$ 65.00
March 1987	10.00
May 1987	50.00
October 1987	160.00
TOTAL	\$285.00

Balance Forwarded plus Deposits \$ 542.45

Disbursements:

Gideons International	\$ 30.00
Postmaster	66.00
Ideal Printing	26.50
Clerks Fee	75.00
Minutes	75.00
Misc.	<u>7.08</u>
TOTAL	\$279.58

Balance Less Disbursements \$ 262.87

Balance On Hand, October 13, 1987 \$ 262.87

SAVINGS ACCOUNT

Balance Forwarded, October 11, 1986 \$ 686.40

Deposits:

Interest	\$ 32.42
Dues:	
October 1986	301.00
May 1987	63.55
September 1987	235.00
October 1987	270.00
TOTAL	\$901.97

Balance Forwarded plus Deposits \$1,588.37

Balance On Hand, October 13, 1987 \$1,588.37

Respectfully submitted,
R. Randall Riggs, Clerk/Treasurer

NORTHERN QUARTERLY PRESBYTERY REPORT

The Presbytery of the Northern Quarterly met five times during the '86-'87 year.

In the course of those meetings we ratified the credentials of: Brother Thurman Page, (West End) Brother Bob Shockey (FWBBC), Brother Billy Barlow (Shady Grove), Brother Gene Parton (Harper Road), Brother Kenneth Wilson (Olivet), Brother Ronnie Helms (Oaklawn), and Brother Eddie Hodges (Hendersonville).

A letter of recommendation was sent to Muscle Shoals, Alabama on behalf of Brother Duane Taylor.

We met with three men for examination of ordination. They were Brother Alvin Kenner, Brother Bob Burkepile and Brother Jon Justice. We recommended that all three be ordained at the time of their choice.

The Examining Committee for the coming year is:

Brother Vernon Barker, Chairman

Brother Willard McCarroll, Clerk

Brother Robert Crawford

Brother John Lindsley

Brother Don Walker

Respectfully Submitted,

Willard McCarroll, Clerk

SOUTHERN QUARTERLY PRESBYTERY REPORT

The Examining Committee of the Southern Quarterly Meeting met three times during the past year.

Credentials were ratified for Rev. Ken Dodson, pastor of Woodbine Church; Rev. Larry Powell, pastor of Cofer's Chapel; Rev. Bill Gardner, pastor of Fellowship Church; and Rev. Randy Bishop, who comes from Monett, Mo. to join the Woodbine Church.

The ordination papers of Rev. Joe Berry were ordered to be revoked. He is former pastor of the Goodlettsville Church.

The Examining Committee for the 1987-88 year are Rev. Wallace Hayes, Rev. Ralph Hampton, Rev. Ray Cathey, Rev. Ken Dodson, and Rev. E. B. McDonald.

Respectfully submitted,

E. B. McDonald, Chairman

WESTERN QUARTERLY PRESBYTERY REPORT

The examining committee met three times this past year. We sent a letter of good standing for Rev. Tommy Street.

We examined Bro. Thomas Hornburger and plan to meet with him again at the next quarterly meeting.

We also ordained Rev. Gregory Tyson into the ministry.

The examining committee for this year:

Rev Johnny Sexton (C)

Rev. Wayne Bess

Rev. Frank Slaughter

Rev. Paul Sitton

Rev. Maxie Milliken

Respectfully Submitted,

Johnny Sexton

OBITUARY COMMITTEE REPORT

ASHLAND CITY

Mr. Elias Harris
Mrs. Maggie Bell Patton McWherter
(Charter Member)

BETHEL

Mr. William Christy
Mr. Tom Williams

BETHLEHEM

Joyce Bajrna
Kent Brinkley

BRANDON'S CHAPEL

Mrs. Susie Clark
Mrs. Nannie Feltner
Mrs. Helen Ford
Mrs. Mavis Lewis
Mrs. Murtie Wallace

COFER'S CHAPEL

Mrs. Lula Hunter
Mr. Victor Link
Mrs. Jeane Morgan
Mrs. Mabel Russell
Mrs. Alta Settle

DUNBAR'S CHAPEL

Mr. Fulton Edwards
Mrs. Ella Elliott
Mrs. Margaret Norfleet

EAST NASHVILLE

Mrs. Mary Lou Ennis
Mrs. Agnes Smith

FIRST, DICKSON

Mr. Christopher Cannon

GOOD SPRINGS

Mrs. Pearly Hunt
Mrs. Opal Nicholson

GORMAN

Mrs. Annie Clements

HEADS

Mrs. Pearl Boyd
Mrs. Mary Lipscomb
Mrs. Lucille McHoffey
Mr. Howard Watts

HORTON HEIGHTS

Rev. Paul J. Kettelman

MILLER'S CHAPEL

Mr. Woodrow Cunningham
Mr. Herbert Selph

NEW HOPE

Mr. W. T. Bracey
Mr. M. H. 'Ham' Felts
Mrs. Ruby Newman
Mr. Henry Thompson

OAKLAND

Mrs. Arthila Balthrope
Mr. Herschal Harris
Mr. Robert Knox

OAKWOOD

Mr. Jesse Hucheson
Mrs. Kathey Mulcahy

RICHLAND

Mrs. Berdie Morris

ROCK SPRINGS

Mrs. Idell Paterson
Mr. Milton Proctor

STONEY POINT

Mr. Ambrose Norris

TRINITY

Mrs. Emma Matthews

RESOLUTIONS COMMITTEE REPORT

1. WHEREAS the Good Springs Church of the Northern Quarterly has graciously hosted the 144th session of the Cumberland Association;

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED that we give the church a rising vote of thanks.

2. WHEREAS the Free Will Baptist Foreign Missions Department has been used of God to see souls saved across the world;

AND WHEREAS the Free Will Baptist Foreign Missions Board has good, dedicated men serving our Denomination;

AND WHEREAS our missionaries in the Ivory Coast have come under attack by a few within our ranks and have been examined by our Foreign Missions Board and have found the attacks untrue and without merit;

AND WHEREAS the judgement and the integrity of our Foreign Missions Board has been questioned by those wanting to re-examine the missionaries in the Ivory Coast:

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED that we give a rising vote of confidence to our Foreign Missions Board and the missionaries in the Ivory Coast for their labor and service to the Lord and our Denomination.

BE IT ALSO RESOLVED that the clerk send a copy of this resolution to the Foreign Missions Director, Brother Gene Waddell and the Ivory Coast Field Council and that we send this resolution to the State meeting of Free Will Baptists in Tennessee for the States adoption.

3. WHEREAS, the idea of establishing a Christian School was first introduced ten-years ago, by the Rev. Jim Turnbough at the October, 1977 meeting of the Cumberland Association, and

WHEREAS, Pleasant View Christian School was organized and opened its doors on August 14, 1978 with 32 students and 4 teachers, and

WHEREAS, Pleasant View Christian School is the Northern Quarterly's only elementary and secondary educational facility whose expressed purpose is to provide academic excellence within an enduring, Christian moral and spiritual life experience;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that as Pleasant View Christian School celebrates its 10th Anniversary, the the Cumberland Association recognize the outstanding moral and spiritual influence the school has on the community, as well as its students.

BE IT RESOLVED this the 14th day of October, 1987

Don Walker, Chairman
Dan Cronk
Johnny Sexton

TEMPERANCE COMMITTEE REPORT

The Temperance Committee last year recommended to dissolve this committee - but the recommendation was rejected, therefore.

We the Temperance Committee recommend that we dedicate, and re-dedicate our lives, as never before, to the Lord Jesus, and put forth greater efforts to love one another, pray for each other, be temperate in all things, being motivated by the Holy Spirit.

H.C. Beasley
Lonnie Skiles
Charles Powell

NOMINATING COMMITTEE REPORT

Moderator - Rev. Robert Crawford
Ass't Moderator - Rev. Wayne Bess
Clerk - Rev. Randall Riggs
Ass't Clerk - Rev. Eugene Workman
Treasurer - Mr. Sam McVay

FOREIGN MISSIONS BOARD

Johnny Sexton (90)
Ronnie Smith (89)

HOME MISSIONS BOARD

Charles Powell (92)
Larry Powell (90)
Eddie Hodges (89)

SUPERANNUATION BOARD

Jay Ellis (92)

YOUTH CAMP BOARD

Ron Helms (90)
Wayne Bess (90)
Walter Gragg (90)
Barry Simpson (88)
Clayton Hampton (89)

HISTORICAL COMMISSION

Robert Morgan (92)

Respectfully Submitted,

William Preston, Chairman
Wayne Bess
Willard McCarroll

**TREASURER'S REPORT
CUMBERLAND ASSOCIATION OF FWB**

Balance forwarded, September 30, 1986 \$ 289.28

RECEIPTS:

Northern Quarterly Dues	710.00	
Southern Quarterly Dues	565.00	
Western Quarterly Dues	465.00	
Tuesday Morning Offering	70.07	
Tuesday Evening Offering	18.00	
Wednesday Morning Offering	78.41	
Designated Gift	25.00	
Northern Quarterly Co-Op	7,987.88	
Fellowship Co-Op	3,045.88	
Smyrna Co-Op	131.11	
TOTAL Receipts	\$13,096.35	
Total to be accounted for		\$13,385.63

DISBURSEMENTS:

Postage	\$13.60	
Rev. Randall Riggs, Clerk's fees	150.00	
Ideal Printing (Minutes)	983.12	
TN State Association (Dues)	1,075.00	
Cumberland Youth Camp		
(Offerings from Cumberland Meeting)	86.74	
Rev. Glenn Poston		
(\$50 Honorarium, \$25 designated gift)	75.00	
Rev. Steve Lytle		
(\$50 Honorarium, #86.71 offering)	136.74	
Board Expense	6.00	
Miscellaneous Supplies	66.15	
Cumberland Superannuation (Co-Op)	1,529.52	
Cumberland Home Missions (Co-Op)	1,529.52	
Cumberland Youth Camp (Co-Op)	3,059.10	
TN State Association (Co-Op)	3,927.17	
TOTAL Disbursements	\$12,637.66	
Balance as of September 30, 1987		\$ 747.97

Respectfully submitted,
Samuel McVay, Treasurer

REGISTRATION & FINANCE REPORT

TUESDAY MORNING: TOTAL 116

Deacons - 8	Delegates - 33	Ministers - 39	Visitors - 36
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TUESDAY EVENING: TOTAL 31

Deacons - 4	Delegates - 3	Ministers - 12	Visitors - 12
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WEDNESDAY MORNING: TOTAL 114

Deacons - 3	Delegates - 17	Ministers - 34	Visitors - 60
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OFFERING:

Tuesday Morning:	\$ 74.65
Tuesday Evening:	24.00
Wednesday Morning:	52.30
Total:	\$150.95

Respectfully Submitted,

Sam McVay, Chairman
Randall Riggs
Eugene Workman

	# of Churches	# of Churches Reporting	City Churches	Rural Churches	# of Pastors Full-Time	# of Pastors Part-Time	Ordained Ministers	Licensed Ministers	Ordained Deacons	Membership	# of Baptisms	Members Added	Members Lost
Northern Quarterly	24	20	6	14	18	2	28	7	68	3330	62	146	93
Southern Quarterly	28	21	15	2	14	2	63	13	68	2822	96	190	89
Western Quarterly	18	15	2	16	13	2	18	5	39	1367	41	66	26
Total	70	56	23	32	45	6	109	25	175	7519	199	402	208

QUARTERLY CLERKS:

Northern Quarterly

Miss Mary Crutcher
 Rt. 1, Box 136
 Springfield, TN 37212
 (615) 384-4061

Southern Quarterly

Rev. Daryl Ellis
 364 Belle Valley Dr.
 Nashville, TN 37209
 (615) 356-6189

# of Churches with Budget	Value of Churches and Parsonages	Churches Income	# of Parsonages	Day Cares	Kindergartens	Christian Schools	S.S. Enrollment	Bible Institutes	C.T.S. Enrollment	W.N.A.C. Enrollment	M.M. Enrollment
15	\$4,015,000	928,877	15	1	1	1	1889	0	433	269	57
9	4,287,300	818,520	4	3	2	1	1890	0	562	205	60
3	1,003,500	150,967	6	0	1	2	616	1	105	43	15
27	9,305,800	\$1,898,364	25	4	4	4	4395	1	1100	517	432

Western Quarterly

Miss Dottie Bryant

Rt. 1

Indian Mound, TN 37079

(615) 827-2507

NORTHERN QUARTERLY

CHURCH

Ashland City
Elm and Main St.
Ashland City, TN 37015

Bethel

R# 5
Ashland City, TN 37015
PH# 362-9389

Bethlehem

R# 6 Box 92
Ashland City, TN 37015
PH# 792-4428

Covenant

R# 1 Box 71A
Southside, TN 37171

Emanuel

838 Greenwood Ave.
Clarksville, TN 37040

First in Springfield

R# 1 Box 136
Springfield, TN 37172

Friendship

R# 2 Box 858
Ashland City, TN 37015
PH# 792-7953

Goodsprings

2330 Good Springs Road
Pleasant View, TN 37146

Harper Road

7130 Harper Road
Joelton, TN 37080

Heads

R# 2 Box 183
Cedar Hill, TN 37032

Hendersonville

P.O. Box 879
Hendersonville, TN 37075

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R# 1 Bx 164 A
Ashland City, TN 37015
PH# 746-8552

Charles Powell

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Ashland City, TN 37015
PH# 362-9237

Tom Scott

R# 6 Box 62
Ashland City, TN 37015
PH# 792 4428

Jon Justice

R# 2 Box 164 A
Clarksville, TN 37043
PH# 358-9335

Eddie Griffin

R# 7 Bx 262 B Hazel Dr.
Clarksville, TN 37043
PH# 362-3001

Paul Hopson

305 Grace St.
Springfield, TN 37172
PH# 384-9604

Robert Burkepile

R# 2 Box 858
Ashland City, TN 37015
PH# 792-3815

R. Randall Riggs

2330 Good Springs Road
Pleasant View, TN 37146
PH# 746-3734

Gene Parton

7130 Harper Road
Joelton, TN 37080
PH# 876-4993

Wayne Wagner

R#2 Box 183
Cedar Hill, TN 37032
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Edward Hodges

105 Lynhurst Circle
Hendersonville, TN 37075
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CLERK

Miss Emma Sanders
107 Lenox St.
Ashland City, TN 37015
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PH# 876-2268

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Chapmansboro, TN 37035

Mrs. Daris Abshire

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5431 Ridge Rd R#1
Joelton, TN 37080

Mt. Zion
R# 1
Ashland City, TN 37015

New Hope
R# 2
Joelton, TN 37080

Oakland
6325 Alessio Rd
Whites Creek, TN 37189

Oaklawn
R#1 Box 256
Chapmansboro, TN 37035

Oakwood
R#1 Box 85A
Woodlawn, TN 37191

Olivet
R# 3 Box 262
Clarksville, TN 37040

Pardue Memorial
1895 Memorial Dr.
Clarksville, TN 37043
PH# 648-0459

Portland
R# 2 Box 120
Portland, TN 37148

Shady Grove
R# 7 Box 199
Clarksville, TN 37043

Trinity
4550 Smallhouse RD
Bowling Green, KY 42101
PH# [502] 781-5254

West End
R# 6 Box 277
Springfield, TN 37172

Charley Carmack
521 Glenpark Drive
Nashville, TN 37217
PH# 360-6774

Willard McCarroll
R# 2 Box 160
Joelton, TN 37080
PH# 746-5152

Vernon Barker
R# 2 Bx 2582
Joelton, TN 37080
PH# 746-5336

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5706 Vine Ridge Road
Nashville, TN 37205
PH# 352-9425

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R#1 Box 256
Chapmansboro, TN 37035
PH# 746-5424

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R#1 Box 85 A
Woodlawn, TN 37191
PH# 648-4328

Kenneth Wilson
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Clarksville, TN 37040
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2176 Post Road
Clarksville, TN 37043
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Portland, TN 37148
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PH# 746-5762

Mrs. Delone Anderson
R# 4 Box 4585
Joelton, TN 37080

Mrs. Jeanette Carrington
3813 Cantarutti Rd.
Joelton, TN 37080
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Beth Taylor
Oakland Rd
Chapmansboro, TN 37035
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Audrey Burhart
York Landing Rd Box 207
Woodlawn, TN 37191
Ph# 647-8400

Daniel T. McGregor
R# 2 Box 135
Adams, TN 37010
PH# 485-2417

Ida Belle Farmer
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Clarksville, TN 37043
PH# 648-9102

Kathy Goosetree
102 Austin Drive
Portland, TN 37148
PH# 325-4725

Peggy Roberts
R# 2 Box 228
Clarksville, TN 37043
PH# 358-2813

Mrs. Joanne Creek
801 Ironwood
Bowling Green, KY 42101

Mrs. Karen Walker
R# 2 Box 160
Cedar Hill, TN 37032
PH# 746-8384

SOUTHERN QUARTERLY

CHURCH

Blue Springs FWB Church
Rt. 6 Blue Springs Rd.
Columbia, TN 38401

Calvary FWB Church
4988 Edmondson Pike
Nashville, TN 37211
PH # (615) 833-1575

Cofer's Chapel
FWB Church
4300 Clarksville Hwy
Nashville, TN 37218
PH # (615) 876-3010

Craigfield FWB Church
Rt. 1
Primm Springs, TN 38476

Cross Timbers
FWB Church
201 Cross Timbers Dr.
Nashville, TN 37221
PH # (615) 646-0515

Donelson FWB Church
McGavock Pike
Knobdale Rd.
Nashville, TN 37214
PH # (615) 883-4692

East Nashville
FWB Church
210 S. 10th St.
Nashville, TN 37206
PH # (615) 262-9507

Faith FWB Church
North Nashville Hwy
Columbia, TN 38401
PH # (615) 381-4812

Fellowship FWB Church
2518 Una Antioch Pike
Antioch, TN 37013
PH # (615) 833-5170

First FWB Church
P.O. Box 655
Lebanon, TN 37087
PH # (615) 444-1256

PASTOR

Rev. Percy Cunningham
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unknown

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GUIDELINES FOR LICENSED MINISTERS IN THE CUMBERLAND ASSOCIATION

I. RULES PERTAINING TO THE LICENSED MINISTER

A. Qualifications for the Licensee

1. He must be a member of a church which belongs to the Cumberland Association.
2. He must give evidence to his church that he is divinely called to preach, whereupon the local church is authorized to examine him for license. This examination should include the areas of the candidate's life, doctrine, reputation, and his convictions and abilities regarding the work of the ministry. His present and prospective educational and professional qualifications should also be considered. Upon completion of such an examination, the local church shall determine whether or not to grant license. Their ministerial license shall be valid for a period of one year but is renewable annually.
3. He must have his license renewed annually by said church and kept in force until ordination.

B. The Activities of the Licensee

1. According to the general practices of Free Will Baptists, a licensed minister is urged to afford himself of every opportunity to preach the word. He is free to exercise all the privileges and responsibilities of an ordained minister with the exception of pastoring a church and officiating at the observances of the ordinances and weddings.
2. The licensee should consider the years between his receiving license and being ordained as years of study and training in preparation for his calling.

C. His Relationship to the Presbytery

1. The clerk of the church should report the names of licensed ministers to the clerk of the Presbytery who will forward a copy of these guidelines to each licensee.
2. Licensed ministers will be eligible to hold associate membership in the Presbytery.

II. SUGGESTIONS FOR PREPARATION FOR ORDINATION

- A. Attend Free Will Baptist Bible College if possible.
- B. Seek counsel of an experienced pastor or pastors.
- C. Make as thorough a study as possible of the following:
 1. The Holy Bible
 2. Systematic Theology
 3. Homiletics
 4. Pastoral Theology and Church Administration
 5. Evangelism
 6. Church History (especially F.W.B. history)

III. A SUGGESTED SCHEDULE OF WORK LEADING TO ORDINATION

- A. As soon as licensee feels that he is qualified to become a candidate for ordination, he should request a list of study questions from the Examining Committee of the Presbytery. We would strongly encourage him to proceed with his examination before entertaining a call to a church.
- B. At least two months before the Examining Committee meets, he should secure the examination. He should make five copies of the completed examination (one for each member of the Committee), and send them to the Examining Committee no later than two weeks before its meeting.

Alternate: The Candidate will be given a written examination based on some of the study questions in the presence of one or more of the Committee members.

- C. The Candidate is required to pass an oral examination administered by the Committee.
- D. The Committee will report to the candidate on whether he passed or what areas he may need additional study in.
- E. When the approved candidate has passed the examination and has received a call to a church or is engaged in some other form of Christian service that would justify his being ordained, the Committee will recommend his ordination to the Presbytery. This recommendation will usually be made only after the candidate has been licensed for one full year.

CONSTITUTION Of The Presbytery Of The Cumberland Association of Free Will Baptists

ARTICLE I

Name

This organization shall be known as the Presbytery of the Cumberland Association of Free Will Baptists of Tennessee.

ARTICLE II

Purpose

The purpose of this Presbytery shall be to promote fellowship, issue cards of good standing, provide opportunities for continuing education (such as seminars and retreats), and discipline its members.

ARTICLE III

Membership

The membership of this Presbytery shall consist of all ordained ministers and deacons holding cards of good standing in the Presbytery. This Presbytery may invite visiting ministers and deacons to sit in council with it in any assembly thereof. Licensed ministers in good standing with a member church of this Association are associate members of the Presbytery with no voting privileges.

ARTICLE IV

Officers

The officers of this Presbytery shall be a moderator, assistant moderator, clerk and treasurer, who shall be elected annually and shall serve until their successors are elected.

ARTICLE V

Meetings

This Presbytery shall hold annual sessions at the close of the first day's session of the Cumberland Association. Called sessions may be held at the call of the moderator, his assistant, or any five members of said Presbytery who deem it necessary, upon written notice to the membership. Eleven members shall constitute a quorum.

ARTICLE VI

Committees

- A. The discipline committee shall consist of the moderator, clerk, chairman or his representative from each of the Quarterly examination committees.
- B. Other committees, as they are needed, may be appointed by the moderator.

ARTICLE VII

Amendments

This constitution may be amended at any regular meeting of the Presbytery by a two-thirds majority vote of the members present.

BY-LAWS

ARTICLE I

Ordination And Ratification

This Presbytery shall have the responsibility to establish guidelines relating to the ordination of applicants to the Gospel Ministry and ratification of the credentials of ordained ministers transferring to the Cumberland Presbytery.

ARTICLE II

Cards Of Standing

This Presbytery shall issue annually cards of good standing to ministers upon the presentation of a report in person (in case of sickness or some other legitimate reason letters may be accepted). Cards of good standing shall be issued annually to deacons upon the presentation of a letter of recommendation from their local churches. A donation of \$5 per deacon is requested.

Any minister or deacon failing to hold a card of good standing shall not have a voice in this Presbytery. Any minister having lost his card of good standing may be reinstated in this Presbytery upon the presentation of his report and who manifests a sincere interest in the work of the Lord.

Ministers who have retired or who have reached the age of retirement and have continued to manifest a sincere interest in the work of the Lord may be issued a lifetime card of good standing which they may hold as long as they hold membership in this Presbytery or as long as their conduct is unquestionable.

Ministers who are members of churches in the Cumberland Association who do not have cards of good standing do not have the approval of this body to present themselves in other Free Will Baptist meetings as a Free Will Baptist minister in good standing.

ARTICLE III

Discipline

The Presbytery shall have the power to try and withdraw fellowship from any member upon evidence of guilt of unchristian conduct, or who is teaching or preaching heresy or who has proven to be disloyal to the tenets of faith as expressed in the Treatise of the National Association of Free Will Baptists, as held by the Cumberland Association of Free Will Baptists of Tennessee.

ARTICLE IV

Donations

Each member of this Presbytery shall be asked to donate \$5 annually upon the presentation of his report. This fund is to be used for acquiring necessary equipment, the print-

ing of such materials as cards of good standing, constitution and by-laws, stationery, minutes of meetings and for defraying of necessary traveling and mailing expenses, and other expenses as authorized by the Presbytery.

ARTICLE V

Amendments

These by-laws may be amended at any regular meeting of this Presbytery by a two-thirds majority vote of members present.

Amended October 15, 1969

Amended October 14, 1980

Amended October 15, 1985

NOT FOR PROFIT CHARTER

OF

CUMBERLAND YOUTH CAMP, INC.

The undersigned natural person, having capacity to contract and acting as the incorporator of the corporation under Tennessee Corporation Act, adopts the following charter for such not for profit corporation:

1. The name of the corporation is Cumberland Youth Camp, Inc.
2. The duration of the corporation is perpetual.
3. The corporation is not for profit.
4. The principal office of the corporation in the State of Tennessee shall be Route 1, Box 305-A, Woodlawn, Tennessee.
5. The purposes for which the corporation is organized are:
 - (a.) to provide a Christian camping experience for the youth of the churches that make up the Cumberland Association of Free Will Baptists;
 - (b.) to evangelize and seek to win each camper to the Lord Jesus Christ;
 - (c.) to stimulate growth and maturity through Bible classes, missionary and Christian service classes, Christian counseling, and through the preaching of God's Word;
 - (d.) to provide healthful physical activities and recreation for each camper;
 - (e.) to provide for various social activities for enjoyment and relaxation; and
 - (f.) to uphold standards in modesty and dress for boys and girls.
6. Wallace Hayes, 305 Santa Rosa Drive, Old Hickory, Tennessee 37138, will serve as President of the corporation. Sam McVay, 4300 Clarksville Highway, Nashville, Tennessee 37218, will serve as Secretary-Treasurer of the corporation.
7. Marion Pettus, Route 1, Box 305-A, Woodlawn, Tennessee 37191 will serve as Registered Agent in accordance with Tennessee Code Annotated Section 48-1-1201.
8. The number of Directors constituting the initial Board is nine (9), and the names and addresses of the persons who are to serve as initial Directors are: Wallace Hayes, 305 Santa Rosa Drive, Old Hickory, Tennessee 37138; Willard McCarroll, Route 2, Box 160, Joelton, Tennessee 37080; Ed Gragg, 294 Clovernook Drive, Nashville, Tennessee 37210; Julian King, 1621A Russell Street, Nashville, Tennessee 37206; Tom Minniehan, Route 1, Box 180A, Southside, Tennessee 37171; Tom Scott, Route 6, Box 92, Ashland City, Tennessee 37015; Wayne Bess, Route 5, Box 97,

Dickson, Tennessee 37218; Terry Boyd, Route 1, Box 164A, Ashland City, Tennessee 37015. These directors shall each serve for a period of three (3) years.

9. No part of the activities of the corporation shall consist of attempting to influence legislation by propaganda or otherwise, or directly or indirectly participating in, or intervening in, including the publishing or distributing of, the statements of any political campaign on behalf of or in opposition to any candidate for public office.
10. The corporation is authorized and empowered to make provisions for implementing, conducting, and/or administering such programs as it may consider desirable in order to accomplish its purposes as defined herein. The corporation is authorized and empowered to otherwise delegate authority to or contract with, or make provisions whereby such programs, services, and activities may be conducted, administered, or supervised by other local governmental or public agencies, private non-profit organizations and others as it deems advisable, making such financial arrangements for allocation of funds for this purpose to same as it considers desirable.
11. The corporation is empowered and authorized to receive, expend, or otherwise dispense of funds, both real and personal property as may be available from federal, state, county, municipal or other governmental authorities, including also such funds and properties which might be contributed or made available by foundations, business concerns, individuals, or others; provided, however, that the expenditures and/or disposal of such funds or properties are for the purposes which the corporation is established to perform and that adequate financial records are maintained as necessary to assure fiscal responsibility and accountability.
12. The corporation is empowered and authorized to employ and/or discharge, under such terms and conditions as they consider desirable, such personnel as required for its proper operation; and is empowered and authorized to contract with such other organizations, business concerns, or governmental agencies to perform such functions as services as may be required.
13. No part of the net earning of the corporation shall insure to the benefit of any individual, except for reasonable allowances for compensation of services actually rendered. In the event of the dissolution or the liquidation of this corporation, all of its remaining assets and property of every nature and description, if any, shall be paid over and transferred to a corporation, fund, or foundation which is qualified for exemption from taxation as an exclusively charitable or educational corporation, fund or foundation.
14. The general powers of this corporation will be:
 - (a.) To sue or be sued by the corporate name;
 - (b.) To promote the objects for which the corporation was created, and to this end, to receive any gift, devise or bequest; to hold any personal or real property, or to sell same and apply the proceeds toward the promotion of the objects of the corporation.
 - (c.) To borrow money to be used in payment of property bought by it, and for erecting buildings, making improvements, and for other purposes germane to the objects of its creation, and secure the repayment of the money thus borrowed by mortgage, pledge, or deed of trust, upon such property, real, personal or mixed, as may be owned by it; and it may, in like manner, secure by mortgage, pledge, or deed of trust, any existing indebtedness which it may lawfully have contracted;

(d.) To do any and all things in furtherance of the purposes of the corporation not prohibited by law.

15. This corporation is not to have members.

16. The general welfare of society, not individual profit, is the object for which this charter is granted.

I, the undersigned, hereby apply to the State of Tennessee for a charter of incorporation for the purposes declared in the foregoing instrument.

Witness my hand this _____ day of _____, 1986.

STATE OF TENNESSEE

COUNTY OF CHEATHAM

Sworn to and subscribed before me
this ____ day of ____, 1986

Notary Public

My Commission Expires: _____

BY-LAWS OF CUMBERLAND YOUTH CAMP, INC.

ARTICLE I Purposes and Powers

The purpose for which this corporation, hereinafter called the "Camp," is formed, and the powers it may exercise are those set forth in the Charter of Incorporation of the Camp.

ARTICLE II Directors and Officers

Section 1. Number and qualifications of the directors. The business of the Camp shall be controlled by a board of nine directors. No person shall be eligible for the office of direction unless such person is a member in good standing of a church within the Cumberland Association of Free Will Baptists.

Section 2. Election of directors. At the first annual meeting of the directors of the Camp, directors shall be elected to succeed the incorporating directors. Three directors shall be elected for one year, three directors for two years, and three directors for three years, and thereafter, each director shall be elected for three years.

Section 3. Election of officers. The Board of Directors shall meet within 10 days after the first election and within 10 days after each annual election and shall elect by ballot a president, vice-president, secretary, and treasurer (or secretary/treasurer), each of whom shall hold office until the election and qualification of his successor unless earlier removed by death, resignation, or for cause.

Section 4. Vacancies. Whenever a vacancy occurs in the Board of Directors, other than from the expiration of a term of office, the remaining directors shall appoint a member to fill the vacancy until the next regular meeting of the members.

Section 5. Special meetings. A special meeting of the Board of Directors shall be held whenever called by the President or by a majority of the directors. Any and all business may be transacted at a special meeting. Each call for a special meeting shall be in writing, signed by the person or persons making the same, addressed and delivered to the Secretary, and shall state the time and place of such meeting, and the matters to be acted upon.

Section 6. Notices of Board meetings. Notice of the regular or special meetings of the directors shall be mailed to each director at least three (3) days prior to the time of such meeting, or notice may be telephoned to each director at least twenty-four (24) hours prior to the time of such meeting.

Section 7. Quorum. A majority of the Board of Directors shall constitute a quorum at any meeting of the Board.

ARTICLE III

Duties of Directors

Section 1. Management of business. The Board of Directors shall have general supervision and control of the business and the affairs of the Camp and shall make all rules and regulations not inconsistent with law or with these by-laws for the management of the business and the guidance of the members, officers, employees and agents of the Camp.

Section 2. Depository. The Board of Directors shall have the power to select one or more banks to act as depositories of the funds of the Camp and to determine the manner of receiving, depositing, and disbursing the funds of the Camp and the form of checks and the person or persons by whom same shall be signed, with the power to change, such banks and the person or persons signing such checks and the form thereof at will.

ARTICLE IV

Executive Committee

Section 1. Powers and duties. The Board of Directors may in its discretion appoint from its own membership an Executive Committee consisting of the President and two other members, determine their tenure of office and their powers and duties. The Executive Committee shall have such powers as may, from time to time, be prescribed by the Board of Directors and these duties and powers may be all of the duties and powers of the said Board of Directors, subject to the general direction, approval, and control of the Board of Directors. Copies of the minutes of any meeting of the Executive Committee shall be mailed to all directors within seven (7) days following such meeting.

ARTICLE V

Duties of Officers

Section 1. Duties of President. The President shall (1) preside over all meetings of the Camp and of the Board of Directors, (2) call special meetings of the Board of Directors, (3) perform all acts and duties usually performed by an executive and presiding officer, and (4) sign such papers of the Camp as he may be authorized or directed to sign by the Board of Directors; provided, however, that the Board of Directors may authorize any person to sign any or all checks, contracts, and other instruments in writing on behalf of the Camp. The

President shall perform such other duties as may be prescribed by the Board of Directors. Subject to the approval of the Board of Directors, the President shall employ, supervise, and dismiss all agents and employees of the Camp.

Section 2. Duties of the Vice-President. In the absence or disability of the President, the Vice-President shall perform the duties of the President; provided, however, that in case of death, resignation, or disability of the President, the Board of Directors may declare the office vacant and elect his successor.

Section 3. Duties of Secretary. The Secretary shall keep a complete record of all meetings of the Camp and of the Board of Directors and shall have general charge and supervision of the books and records of the Camp. He shall sign all contracts with the President and such other papers pertaining to the Camp as he may be authorized or directed to sign by the Board of Directors. He shall act as Secretary of the Executive Committee. He shall make all reports required by law and shall perform such other duties as may be required of him by the Camp or the Board of Directors. Upon the election of his successor, the Secretary shall turn over to him all books and other property belonging to the Camp that he may have in his possession. In general, under the direction of the Board of Directors, the Secretary shall have general charge of the ordinary and usual business operations of the Camp, including the purchasing and handling of all supplies needed by the Camp. The Secretary shall be required to maintain his records and accounts in such a manner that the true and correct condition of the business may be ascertained therefrom at any time. He shall carefully preserve all books, documents, correspondence and records of whatever kind pertaining to the business which may come into his possession.

Section 4. Treasurer. The Treasurer shall perform such duties with respect to the finances of the Camp as may be prescribed by the Board of Directors.

ARTICLE VI

Operating Funds

Section 1. Expense allocation. From the receipts of the Camp there shall be deducted the actual costs and expenses of operations, including wages, salaries, equipment, materials, or supplies, taxes, bonds and insurance, interest, repairs, depreciation, and any other costs or expenses of the Camp, and any balance shall be retained in a reserve for contingencies.

ARTICLE VII

Amendments

These By-Laws may be altered or amended at any regular meeting of the Board of Directors, or at any special meeting of the members if notice of the character of the amendment(s) proposed has been given in the notice of the meeting, by the affirmative vote of a majority or more of the members present or voting by mail.

FOREIGN MISSIONARIES OF THE CUMBERLAND ASSOCIATION

The Robert Bryans	Ivory Coast
The Allan Crowsons	France
The Jerry Gibbs	France
The Tom Hughes'	Brazil
The Donnie McDonalds.	Japan
The Jim McLains	Japan
The Clint Morgans	Ivory Coast
The Bobby Pooles	Brazil
The Steve Riggs'	France
The Jim Sturgills	Brazil
The Jeff Turnboughs	Spain

DELEGATES TO THE TENNESSEE STATE MEETING

Mrs. Thelma Cannon - Bethlehem
Mrs. Mary Darnell - Richland
Mr. Sam McVay - Cofer's Chapel
Mrs. Bell Perry - Ashland City
Mrs. Rebecca Stewart- Ashland City

BOARDS OF THE CUMBERLAND ASSOCIATION

FOREIGN MISSIONS

Rolla Smith	(88) _____ (91)
Ronnie Smith	(89)
Johnny Sexton	(90)

HOME MISSIONS

Wayne Wagner	(88) _____ (93)
Eddie Hodges	(89)
Larry Powell	(90)
Maxie Milliken	(91)
Charles Powell	(92)

SUPERANNUATION

Herschel Hagwood	(88) _____ (93)
Henry Morgan	(89)
E.B. McDonald	(90)
William Preston	(91)
Jay Ellis	(92)

YOUTH CAMP

Tom Minnehan	(88) _____ (91)
Tom Scott	(88) _____ (91)
Barry Simpson	(88) _____ (91)

Clayton Hampton	(89)
Wallace Hayes	(89)
Sam McVay	(89)

Wayne Bess	(90)
Walter Gragg	(90)
Ron Helms	(90)

HISTORICAL COMMISSION

Mary Ruth Wisehart	(88)	-----	(93)
Bobby Lawrance	(89)		
Agnes Frazier	(90)		
Robert Picirilli	(91)		
Robert Morgan	(92)		

RETIRED MINISTERS OF THE CUMBERLAND ASSOCIATION

Rev. Shelvie Henry
 Rev. J.B. Parsons
 Rev. Darnell Williams

RETIRED MINISTERS' WIDOWS OF THE CUMBERLAND ASSOCIATION

Mrs. E.A. Craft
 Mrs. D.A. Hatcher
 Mrs. Luther Reed

