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The 167th Session of the Cumberland Association of Free Will Baptists
October 16, 2010
Rejoice Free Will Baptist Church
2518 Una Antioch Pike
Antioch, Tennessee 37013
Pastor Cliff Donoho
Phone: 615-513-5623

8:30 A.M. - Registration (Open till noon, please register)

9:00 A.M. - Sessions Begin

Opening Song

Welcome by host pastor - Rev. Cliff Donoho

Scripture Reading and Prayer - Jon Justice, Assistant Moderator

9:15 A.M. - Business Session

1. Seating of Delegates

2. Committee on Committees Report

3. Executive Board Report

4. Local Quarterly Association Reports

Northern Quarterly - Rev. Roy Jensen

Southern Central Quarterly - Rev. Billy Brown

South Quarterly - Rev. Frank Owens

Western Quarterly - Rev. Tim McDonald

5. Treasurer's Report - Roy Harris

6. Christian Education Board Report - Rev. Eddie Hodges

7. Ministerial Benevolence Board Report - Rev. Jon Justice

8. International Missions Board Report - Rev. Billy Walker

9. Cumberland Youth Camp - Rev. Stan Coker

10. Cumberland District WNAC Report - Mrs. Elizabeth Hodges

11. State Ministries

TN Promotional Office - Rev. Glenn Poston

Free Will Baptist Family Ministries

12. Election of Delegates for the Tennessee State Meeting (Nov. 8-10)

10:45 A.M. - Break

11:00 A.M. - Worship - Rev. Randy Riggs (Good Springs Free Will Baptist Church)

12:00 P.M. - Lunch and Committee Meetings

1:00 P.M. - Message - Rev. Frank Owens (Sylvan Park Free Will Baptist Church)

1:30 P.M. - Business Session

1. Greetings from National Ministries

2. Registration and Finance Report

3. Resolutions Committee Report

4. Obituary Committee Report

5. Old Business

6. New Business

7. Nominating Committee Report

DISMISSAL and ANNOUNCEMENTS

*The 168th session will be hosted by the Southern Central Quarterly, October 15, 2011 at the Unity Free Will Baptist Church in Murfreesboro, TN.

*PRESBYTERY MEETING: Immediately following the adjournment of the Cumberland Association Meeting.

DIRECTORY OF THE CUMBERLAND ASSOCIATION OFFICERS

Moderator: Rev. Roy Harris

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Northern Quarterly Moderator: Rev. Roy Jensen

3150 Old New Cut Road Springfield, TN 37172 (615) 812-8156

Southern Quarterly Moderator: Rev. Cliff Donoho

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South Central Quarterly Moderator: Rev. Billy Brown

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Western Quarterly Moderator: Rev. Tim McDonald

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BOARDS OF THE CUMBERLAND ASSOCIATION

INTERNATIONAL MISSIONS

Billy Walker (2011)
 Ronald Mashburn (2012)
 James Carrington (2013)
 Ronnie Smith (2014)

MINISTERIAL BENEVOLENCE

Bud Hill (2011)
 Vernon Barker (2012)
 Herbert Hassell (2013)
 Ed Gragg (2014)
 Unfilled Western (2015)

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

Pete Bunch (2011)	Terry Towe (2011)
Max Perry (2012)	Aaron Harris (2012)
Eddie Hodges (2013)	Brandon Stutts (2013)
	Terry Welsh (2013)

YOUTH CAMP

Patrick Layton (2011)	Brandon Stutts (2011)	Wallace Hayes (2011)
David Brown (2012)	Stanley Cochran (2012)	Steve Phillips (2012)
Jack Kettelman (2013)	Corey Minter (2013)	Dwayne James (2013)

TREASURERS TO WHOM FUNDS ARE SENT

Family Ministries: 90 Stanley Lane	Greeneville, TN 37743	Dr. James Kilgore 423-639-9449
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FWBBC: 3606 West End Ave.	Nashville, TN 37205	Mr. Tom Sass 615-844-5000
National Association Of Free Will Baptists P.O. Box 5002	Antioch, TN 37011-5002	Rev. Keith Burden 615-731-6812
State Home Missions: 11017 Hughlan Drive	Knoxville, TN 37934	Darvin Oakes
Cumberland Youth Camp 2193 Happy Hill Acres Rd.	Woodlawn, TN 37191	Rev. Stan Coker 931-647-5111
Tennessee State Association 4132 Highlander Ct.	Antioch, TN. 37015	Rev. Ray Lewis 615-731-5407
Ministerial Benevolence: 3397 Marrast Dr.	Clarksville, TN. 37043	Rev. Jon Justice 931-358-9335
Cumberland Association: P.O. Box 5002	Antioch, TN. 37011	Rev. Richard Davis

CUMBERLAND ASSOCIATION 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 International Missions Board	7 1/2%
Tennessee Home Missions Board	7 1/2%
Cumberland Association	10%
Cumberland Ministerial Benevolence	15%
Cumberland Youth Camp	30%
TN State Association	<u>30%</u>
TOTAL	100%

PROCEEDINGS

MORNING SESSION-9:00 A.M.

The Cumberland Association met at the Rejoice FWB Church in Antioch, TN on October 16, 2010. Song leader, Brother Dwayne James, led the gathering in singing "To God Be The Glory". Brother James announced that the Cumberland Christian Education Workshops were taking place in the back at this time. Host pastor, Cliff Donoho, extended a cordial welcome from the host church. He also informed us as to where the bathrooms and fellowship hall were located. Brother Jon Justice, Assistant Moderator, read from Psalm 24. He then led the body in prayer.

MORNING BUSINESS - 9:15 A.M.

The clerk called the meeting to order. Harris, Moderator, reviewed the rules of decorum for the meeting. All the ministers, deacons, and delegates were seated by a motion and a second and the motion carried. Brother Jon Justice gave the report of the Committee on Committees. (See page 11 for the full report) There was a motion and second to receive the report and elect the committees. The motion carried. The executive board report was read and approved. (See page 10) Brother Harris gave more detail on some items in the report.

Moderator Roy Jensen gave the report of the Northern Quarterly. Moderator Billy Brown gave the report of the South Central Quarterly. Reverend Frank Owens gave the report of the Southern Quarterly. Moderator Tim McDonald gave the report of the Western Quarterly. The reports were received and approved as information. (See pages 12-15 for full reports)

Brother Roy Harris gave the Treasurer's Report and presented the Proposed Budget for 2009-2010 in the absence of Treasurer Richard Davis. Harris explained that the State Association has cut the percentage that we receive from the United Giving Ministries Plan from 5% to 3%. This change will affect the amount that we distribute to various ministries. We have proposed an increase for the Christian Education Board funding from \$750 to \$1250, taking the \$500 budgeted for the Youth Board since this board does not been operational. There was a motion and second to receive the report and adopt the proposed budget. There was discussion about the "Cumberland Meal" item and the change to the percentages. Poston and Hampton believe that the percentages from the United Giving Ministry Plan will remain at 3%. The motion carried. (See page 18-19)

Brother Eddie Hodges gave the Cumberland Christian Education Board Report and presented a proposed budget. (See pages 23-24) There was a motion to receive the report and adopt the proposed budget; the motion carried.

The Ministerial Benevolence Board Report was given by Brother Jon Justice. He gave the Financial Report for 2009-2010. He explained that the board keeps money in the Foundation and that the monthly checks are written out of it. He said that more money is earned by having the money in the Foundation. He then shared the Proposed Budget for 2010-2011. There was a motion and a second to accept the report and approve the proposed budget; the motion carried. Harris reminded the body that the Guidelines for this Board were reviewed and modified last year. (See page 16 for the full report)

Brother Billy Walker spoke on the Tennessee International Missions. Brother Walker spoke on behalf of the state's work. More than \$81,000 was given to the Tennessee International Missions Project in 2009. This year the Tennessee International Missions Board partnered with the GO10 Walk and somewhere around \$100,000 was raised by people in Tennessee. Motion and second to receive the report; the motion carried.

Brother Stan Coker, Camp Director, gave the Cumberland Youth Camp Report. Copies of the Pastor's Wife's Retreat Application and a survey for a Minister's Retreat were attached to the report. A motion and second was made to accept the report and adopt the proposed budget as given; the motion was approved. (See pages 20-22 for the full report)

Sister Elizabeth Hodges gave the Cumberland District and National Women Nationally Active for Christ Reports. There was a motion and second to receive the report and the greetings from this national ministry; the motion carried. (See pages 25-26 for the full report).

Brother Glenn Poston presented the Tennessee Promotional Director's Report. He appreciates the Cumberland Association's activity. He thanked the body for their support of the state work. The State Office is making good progress in moving toward solid footing. A letter was sent out concerning the financial situation of the State Office. Tennessee is the leading giver to almost every department in the denomination. The state meeting will take place in Pigeon Forge on November 8-10. The Spring Retreat for seniors will include Scott Bullman, Music, and Bill and Brenda Evans as the speakers. He encouraged the churches to give to the Unified Giving Ministry Plan. He thanked the Free Will Baptist Bible College for housing the State Office. (See pages 27-28 for the full report)

Brother Glenn Poston gave the Free Will Baptist Family Ministries Report in Brother Larry Hampton's absence. He said that the Laurels is full, that the Ministry is owned by the State Association, and that stimulus money has been approved for Governor's Bend. It was reported that 112 young people accepted Christ as their Savior. Both reports were received as information.

Delegates for the State Convention were chosen. Elizabeth Hodges and Ollie Baggett were chosen as delegates. A motion was made and approved to accept the volunteers as delegates and to give the Moderator approval to appoint delegates at the meeting for the three spots not filled by volunteers. (See page 41)

Harris encouraged the committees to see the clerk during the break and for everyone to register. The body was dismissed for a break.

MORNING WORSHIP-11:00 A. M.

The Cumberland Association reconvened for the morning worship service. A special presentation was given by the Cumberland Youth Camp concerning the "Light the Way" capital campaign. Coker explained that this Conference and Retreat Center will double our capacity. The size and the purpose of the building was explained. Roy Harris is serving as a coordinator for this effort. Coker is looking for three people to commit to \$25,000 over three years. Coker thanked the Cumberland for the opportunity to serve the camp and association.

Brother James began the worship hour by leading the congregation in "Love Lifted Me". Brother Justice called for the offering and Brother Donoho led the body in prayer. Brother James sang the song "Amazing Grace/My Chains Are Gone" for special music. Brother Justice introduced Brother Randy Riggs, pastor of Goodsprings Free Will Baptist Church.

Riggs thanked the body for the opportunity to speak. Every vocation has occupational hazards, even the ministry. The Christian's chief occupational hazards are depression and discouragement. Psalm 3 was written in a hard time in David's life. He was fleeing from Absalom, his son. In II Samuel 15, we see that Absalom was planning to overthrow his father. David and his men were weary and worn down. Some labored to the point of exhaustion.

Chapter 3 begins in despair and ends in hope. There are safeguards that we can set up to help during these occupational hazards.

David found encouragement in prayer. In verses 4 and 7, David is giving a sense of encouragement to the people. David is surprised by the conspiracy. In II Samuel 14, David has brought Absalom back (25-33) and David reconciles with Absalom. David kisses Absalom indicating that everything is restored. David is grieved that it is his son leading the conspiracy. David verbalized his prayer.

David found encouragement in friends. David had many friends that came to his aid when he was weary. Make time to encourage one another. Ministry can be a very lonely place.

David found encouragement in rest. David was re-energized after his rest. In II Samuel 15, David and his men came to the Jordan River and refreshed

themselves; this verse is saying they got their second wind. We need to set aside time to rest and get away.

David found encouragement in God. In verse 3, it could be that God is actually lifting his head or it could be that David is looking back at the promises of God. David is looking to God for encouragement.

David found encouragement in reflection. David reminds himself of what God has done for him in the past. Riggs encouraged us not to quit; to catch our second wind and to find our encouragement in prayer, friends, rest, reflection, and especially in God. Riggs closed in prayer.

Brother Harris thanked Brother Riggs for bringing this great message. He announced that we would start back as soon as people finish their lunch. Committees should meet during lunch if they have not. Brother Donoho led in prayer over the meal and gave directions.

AFTERNOON DEVOTIONAL - 1:00 P.M.

Brother James led the congregation in singing "Family of God." Brother Cliff Donoho introduced Brother Frank Owens, pastor of Sylvan Park Free Will Baptist Church.

There are two great needs our people have; one is the risk of discouragement and the second is staying focused. There are a lot of distractions out in life that keep us from our focus. Many believers are just thankful that they are going to heaven and never open the door of sharing the Gospel.

John 4 answers the question of "Why should God lift us up?". God wants us to see what He sees. Timothy 1:15 shows us that Jesus came to save sinners. Jesus is interested in the individual. In John 4, Jesus meets the woman at the well. Jesus shares the water of life with her. The first point: we have the reality that would not release Him. Those without the grace of God live under the wrath of God. The second point: we have the baggage that would not burden Him. He did not allow the issues of the culture become barriers. The third point: we have the harvest that would not haunt Him. The woman went back to the people in the village and told them about Jesus. The fields are white with the harvest. Do not try to time the harvest. Do not transfer the harvest. Do not miss the teamwork of the harvest. Do not waste your time on things that were never meant to fill us. We need to be focused on the harvest..

Owens closed in prayer.

AFTERNOON BUSINESS -1:30 P.M.

Moderator Roy Harris thanked Owens for the message and led us back to the business session. He asked if we had any representatives from the National Offices present.

Brother Matt Pinson brought greetings from Free Will Baptist Bible College. The Cumberland Association gives more support to the college than any other association in the national association. Handouts for Forum 11 and Welcome Days/Senior Days were passed out and explained. The best way to help the college is to come to the campus and bring potential students with you. These are tough times economically for the college. Pray for the students and possible changes at the college. The college is still moving forward with the relocation and changing of the name of the college to Welch College.

The moderator asked for any other reports from National Offices. He then called for the reports of the committees. Brother Jason Bell gave the Registration and Finance report. (See page 30 for the full report) A motion was made to receive the report and designate the offering toward the capital campaign of Cumberland Camp toward their Conference and Retreat Center.

Brother Randy Corn brought the Resolutions Report (See page 30 for the full report). There was one resolution. It was read and approved. Brother Clayton Hampton gave the Obituary Report and asked that it be accepted as a partial report and that if anyone had names to add to the report, that they turn them in to the clerk. A prayer was offered by Brother Wallace Hayes for the families of those that had passed away. (See page 29 for the full report). The motion to receive the report was seconded and approved.

There was no old business. There was no new business.

Brother Cecil Boswell gave the nominating committee report. (See page 31 for the full report) A motion and second to receive the report and take the nominations item by item. The motion carried. All items were approved as presented.

Appreciation was expressed to Brother Baggett for his years of faithful service on the International Missions Board.

Thanks was extended to the Executive Board, the Clerk, and Rejoice Free Will Baptist Church for hosting the meeting. Hayes expressed thanks to the Cumberland for allowing the camp to make their presentation today. The announcements included that the Presbytery would convene immediately after the meeting, that the Cumberland Association would be at Unity in 2011, and the Tennessee State Meeting is November 8-10 at Pigeon Forge. A motion and second to adjourn was made and approved. Brother Matt Pinson closed the meeting in prayer.

Executive Board Report

The meeting held on April 27, 2010 took place at the Sylvan Park Free Will Baptist Church. The members present were Dave Thomas (NQ), Steve Swango (proxy for Ronald Mashburn-SCQ), Frank Owens (SQ), Roy Harris (Moderator), Jon Justice (Assistant Moderator), Patrick Layton (Clerk), and Richard Davis (Treasurer). The agenda for the meeting was accepted and the meeting commenced. The Cumberland Association is scheduled for Cane Ridge but we should probably have a backup plan.

The minutes of the last meeting were reviewed and approved. Davis presented the financial report and it was approved. The Cumberland will be losing \$3500 from the money it receives from the Unified Giving Plan. The board will look carefully at the budget at the August meeting to see where we can make up this money.

Rev. Randy Riggs was recommended to speak at the 11:00 A.M. service and Rev. Frank Owens was recommended to speak at the 1:00 P.M. service. The motion carried. The alternate for this year's meeting were chosen as Rev. Ronald Mashburn for the 11:00 A.M. service and Rev. Tim Ferris for the 1:00 P.M. service. A motion was made to approve the alternates and the motion carried.

The theme "Lift Up Your Head" was established. "Encouragement" and "Staying On Task" would be the two directions for the theme. Riggs would speak on "Encouragement" and Owens would speak on "Staying On Task." A motion was made to adopt the theme, the directions, and the speakers for the meeting. The motion carried.

The next meeting of the board was scheduled for August 24th at 5:00 P.M. at Sylvan Park Free Will Baptist Church. The August meeting would include the chairman of the committees and their proposed budgets. The meetings for 2011 were set as April 26th and August 23rd.

A motion to adjourn was made by Thomas and seconded by Swango. The meeting was closed in prayer led by Dave Thomas.

The second meeting of the Executive Board was held on August 25, 2010 at the Sylvan Park Free Will Baptist Church. The members present were Roy Jenson (NQ), Steve Swango (proxy for Billy Brown-SCQ), Cliff Donoho (SQ), Tim McDonald (WQ), Roy Harris (Moderator), Jon Justice (Assistant Moderator), Patrick Layton (Clerk), Richard Davis (Treasurer), and Dwayne James (Assistant Clerk/Music Director). Also present were Eddie Hodges (Christian Education Board Chairman) and Stan Coker (Cumberland Camp Director). Prayer was given over the meeting and Harris introduced the new members of the board.

The minutes of the last meeting were reviewed and approved. Davis reviewed the Financial Report with the board. Justice mentioned that we may want to look at the categories of "Don and Billie Sexton Mission Project" and "Tennessee Home Missions" when we looked at the budget. There had been some checks for the Tennessee Home Missions that had not been cashed. The Ministerial Benevolence Board has an account with the Foundation. A motion was made to receive the report and the motion carried. Davis will be stepping down from the position of Treasurer due to the fact that his church is not in the Cumberland Association.

The Cumberland Youth Camp report was given by Coker. Hi-lights of the previous year were mentioned and future endeavors were presented. The report was accepted and approved. Appreciation for Pam and Stan Coker and the Camp Board was expressed. Harris will be aiding the camp in its endeavor.

The Christian Education Board report was given by Hodges. Hodges reviewed the mission and accomplishments of the Christian Education Board this far. The focus of the Cumberland meeting workshops is to help in Sunday School Ministry, while the focus of the Spring workshops is for personal spiritual development. A financial report and

proposed budget were presented. Hodges gave an analogy to golf and said that the Christian Education Board wants to be a swing coach to our churches; to help them in their work. The report was accepted and approved. Appreciation for Hodges and the CE Board was expressed.

The Ministerial Benevolence Board report was given by Justice. The report and proposed budget were dispersed. A motion to receive and approve the report and the proposed budget was made and approved. Justice told the board that he tries to keep around \$3000 in the checking account and the rest is in an account at the Foundation. A \$100 Christmas bonus for each of the recipients was recommended.

The board then took on the challenge of working out the Cumberland Budget for 2010-2011. The increase in National Dues for churches was discussed and a drop in the amount of money from the Unified Giving Program for the Cumberland from 5% to 3% was also discussed. The budget was approached one line item at a time. A motion to adopt the proposed budget was made and carried. Appreciation was expressed for the work of the treasurer and clerk.

The dates and times of the 2010 Cumberland Association Meeting and the 2011 Executive Board Meetings were reviewed. The moderators need to be at the meeting at 8:00 A.M. to serve as the committee on committees. Next year's Cumberland Association Meeting would be October 15, 2011 in the South Central Quarterly. Swango will have a church to host this meeting by October 16th. The alternates for the 2010 meeting have been switched as far as the times to fill in due to schedules. James will prepare the music. Davis will email the financial report to Harris. Some prayer requests were mentioned. Jensen closed the meeting in prayer.

Respectfully Submitted,
Patrick Layton, Clerk

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON COMMITTEES

Saturday, October 16, 2010

(* Denotes Committee Chairman)

REGISTRATION AND FINANCE

*NQ Jason Bell
SQ Delbert Wood
WQ Mark Kennedy

NOMINATING

*NQ Cecil Boswell
SCQ Billy Brown
SQ David Weeks
WQ Tim McDonald

OBITUARY

*NQ Clayton Hampton
SQ Wallace Hayes
WQ Bob Baggett

RESOLUTIONS

*NQ Randy Corn
SQ Steve Pate
WQ Herbert Hassell

Respectfully Submitted,

Moderators of the Cumberland Association Quarterlies:

NQ Moderator, Roy Jenson
SQ Moderator, Cliff Donoho

SCQ Moderator, Billy Brown
WQ Moderator, Terry Welsh (Proxy)

NORTHERN QUARTERLY REPORT

In the Northern Quarterly we continue to take pride and great joy in finding ways to fellowship with each other. Our involvement between churches and pastors goes beyond our conference meetings. The first Tuesday of each month the ministers and key laymen meet for a time of breakfast and fellowship. Several pastors meet each Wednesday morning for coffee and time for light fellowship and ecclesiastical banter. We are frequently blessed to have visitors from our national and state offices at these sessions. We have developed quite a bond between each other. We have held golf outings with each other from time to time, and several of our churches are involved in a Northern Quarterly softball league.

Annually, we have a rally for Free Will Baptist Bible College with all of our churches; and a Christmas party for our pastors and their wives. Several of our churches have a joint Good Friday Service each year. This year our Good Friday service was hosted at Heads Free Will Baptist Church. A heart warming music program was lead by Rev. Doug Little followed by a challenging message by Dr. Tom Malone. We encourage the other quarterly associations to plan fellowships, services and get-togethers with your fellow pastors and churches.

Several of our churches participated in the "Go10" fund raising initiative for international missions. In addition, a number of our youth from the various Northern Quarterly churches rallied to the crisis created by the May flood in Middle Tennessee. These young people provided invaluable assistance to the clean-up of flood damage at Randall House Publishing Warehouse and elsewhere.

During the Quarterly Meeting in July, 2010, upon recommendation of the Executive Committee, Greenwood Free Will Baptist Church was accepted into membership in the Northern Quarterly. Reverend Chris Campbell is the pastor of this church. On September 12, members of the Executive Board and the State Promotional Director met with a group in Whitehouse, Tennessee to organize the Unity Free Will Baptist Church. We anticipate their request for admission into our fellowship at our January, 2011 quarterly meeting. Reverend Billy Bowers is the pastor of this church.

The Pleasant View Christian School continues to be a wonderful outreach and ministry for the Northern Quarterly. We are very proud of this marvelous ministry.

During our quarterly meetings we have been blessed with great fellowship, dynamic preaching and spiritual uplifting for all who attended.

Northern Quarterly Officers for 2010-2011:

Moderator: Roy S. Jensen

Assistant Moderator: David Davis

Treasurer: Eddie Hodges

Clerk: Martha Davis

Worship Leader: Corey Minter

Assistant Worship Leader: Dwayne James

Members at Large: Cecil Boswell (2011), Mike Callis (2012), Bud Hill (2013)

Respectfully Submitted,
Roy S. Jensen, NQ Moderator

SOUTHERN QUARTERLY REPORT

Greetings from your FWB brothers and sisters in Christ from the Southern Cumberland Association.

This year was a celebration of our 75th Anniversary of Free Will Baptist International Missions. Our three associational meetings revolved around that theme. In January, we were to hear from Brother Joe Wilson concerning the GO10 Walk, but that meeting was canceled due to weather. In April, we were blessed to hear from the Evangels as they presented the drama of the Life of Mrs. Laura Belle Barnard. In July, we heard from International Missions Director James Forlines. He spoke on the unexplored frontiers. We also elected our new officers at that meeting.

Please remember a number of association churches as they are in leadership transition and are experiencing some decline.

We need three things:

The Encouragement of Fellowship

We Need the Instruction of God's Word

We Need to be Engaged in the Harvest All Around Us

It has been a good year for the Southern Quarterly.

Moderator: Cliff Donoho

Assistant Moderator: David Weeks

Clerk: Anthony Poff

Treasurer: Ed Gragg

Members at Large: Walter Hatfield, Paul Hopson, and Eugene Workman

Respectfully submitted,

Frank Owens

SOUTH CENTRAL QUARTERLY REPORT

Greetings from the six churches of the South Central Quarterly. We met twice this year, as our January meeting was cancelled due to bad weather. At our April meeting we had Stan Coker, director of Cumberland Camp, as our guest speaker. At our July meeting, Ray Lewis, General Director for the Board of Retirement, was our speaker. We have tried to present the various ministries of our denomination to the people of our quarterly.

Our quarterly is one of the meeting places for the Institute of Christian Education (ICE) for those who want to attend the classes to earn ETA certification.

The Jesse Meade scholarship at Free Will Baptist Bible College was awarded this year to Carl Spruill.

Officers for the coming year are:

Moderator, Billy Brown

Assistant Moderator, Steve Swango

Clerk/Treasurer, Kathy Brown

Camp Board Member, Brandon Stutts

Examining Committee Member, Ronald Mashburn.

Respectfully submitted

Billy Brown, SCQ Moderator

WESTERN QUARTERLY REPORT

The Western Quarterly met four times last year (2009/2010). Our meetings went well and remain well attended despite the spread out geography of our quarterly. Efforts for reports and representation at our meetings by our National Offices have not met with the fulfillment we would have preferred but Brother Glen Poston has been extremely supportive and kept us up to date on many activities among our various ministries. This along with Brother Larry Hampton (FWB Family Ministries), Rev. Clayton Hampton (Two Rivers FWB), other ministry representatives, coupled with the involvement, work and reporting of our people has resulted in what we consider good support of the spectrum of Free Will Baptist Ministries which we always labor and pray to improve.

Our policy of scheduling pastors from our quarterly as primary speakers and our emphasis on worship and fellowship at our meeting continues to consistently bless and challenge our hearts.

Currently we have men progressing through the ordination for the ministry process which is a blessing to witness. We bade a fond "till we meet again" to Brother Eddie and Sister Hopkins, who have re-located to be closer to family in Ohio.

We constantly remain in prayer for our missionaries, ministries, service people and those faithful among us laboring under critical health needs.

Respectfully Submitted,
Rev. Tim S. McDonald, WQ Moderator

Ministerial Benevolence Board Report
10/01/09 - 09/30/10

Balance forward	\$20,174.55
Receipts 10/1/09 – 8/22/10	\$ 7,496.15
Total accounted for	\$27,670.70

Disbursements:

Mrs. Azline Daniel	\$3,000.00
Mrs. Jean Hornberger	\$3,000.00
Mrs. Ella Mae Gann	\$3,000.00
Clerks Fee	\$ 200.00
Checking Acct. Svc Charge Jan.	\$ 15.00

Total Disbursements	\$9,215.00
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Total of Funds accounted for:	\$27,670.70
Total Disbursed	\$ 9,215.00
Balance 8/22/2010	\$18,455.70

\$3,000.00 remains in checking account and \$15,455.70 is deposited with FWB Foundation.

Ministerial Benevolence Board
Proposed Budget 10/1/2010 – 9/30/2011

Balance on hand	\$18,455.70
Estimated income 10/01/2010 – 09/30/2011	\$ 6,500.00
Total to be accounted for:	\$24,955.70

Expenses:

Clerks Fee	\$ 200.00
Clerks Office Expense	\$ 50.00

Disbursements:

Mrs. Azline Daniel	\$3,000.00
Mrs. Jean Hornberger	\$3,000.00
Mrs. Ella Mae Gann	\$3,000.00
Christmas Bonus (\$100.00 each)	\$ 300.00

Total expenses and Disbursements	\$ 9,550.00
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Total Accounted For:	\$24,955.70
Total Expense and Disbursement	\$ 9,550.00

Proposed balance 09/30/2011	\$15,455.70
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GUIDELINES FOR MINISTERIAL BENEVOLENCE BOARD

I. Eligible Recipients

- A. Pastors and Evangelists
- B. Widows of Pastors and Evangelists
- C. Any other full-time Church Workers (who meet the prescribed requirements)
- D. Minimum of five (5) years service in the Cumberland Association of FWB
- E. Any minister of retirement age, who has served, and has participated in the presbytery of the Cumberland Association within the previous 10 years, may be considered for monthly assistance.

II. Guidelines for Determining Level of Benefits

The Ministerial Benevolence Board shall determine the amount to be disbursed to individuals in each category, using the Tennessee Department of Human Services Annual Guide for Eligibility for Financial Assistance.

III. Informing the Board

Pastors of local churches within the Cumberland Association should assume the responsibility of petitioning the Board on behalf of anyone eligible to receive funds from the Board.

IV. Responsibilities of the Board

- A. To organize the Board and elect officers
 - 1. Chairman
 - 2. Assistant Chairman
 - 3. Secretary/Treasurer
- B. To establish specific levels of financial assistance to eligible recipients.
- C. To establish and maintain accurate financial records and minutes of each meeting of the Board.
- D. The Board members are to report to their individual Quarterly Meetings each quarter.
- E. Follow the guidelines set forth in our Constitution under THE DUTIES OF THE MINISTERIAL BENEVOLENCE BOARD.

TREASURER'S REPORT
CUMBERLAND ASSOCIATION OF FREE WILL BAPTISTS
10/01/09-9/30/10

Beginning Checking Account Balance	\$3,306.87
Receipts	
Quarterly Association Dues	80.00
Cumberland Association Dues	1,550.00
State Association Dues	620.00
National Association Dues	6,200.00
Other Gifts	372.71
Northern Quarterly COOP	875.17
Interest Income	67.80
TN State Association UGMP	3,968.86
Total Receipts	\$13,734.54

Distributions		
TN State Association Delegates Fees		20.00
TN State Association Dues		620.00
National Association Dues		6,200.00
Treasurers Fee		250.00
Clerks Fee		250.00
Clerk's Office Expense		0.00
Cumberland Association CE Board		1,521.99**
Cumberland Association Youth Board		0.00
Cumberland Association Meal Expense		350.00
Bank Fees		.17
Web Site Development		225.00
TN State Association UGMP*		
State Office	30%	1,190.76
Cumberland Camp	30%	1,190.76
Ministerial Benevolence Board	15%	595.33
Don and Billie Sexton Mission Project	7.5%	297.71
TN. Home Missions	7.5%	297.71
TN Home Missions – check from prior year cleared		97.00
Total Distributions		\$13,106.43
Ending Cash Balance		\$ 3,934.98

*10% of UGDP stays in Cumberland Association

** The additional \$21.99 was paid for a FWB Church directory from Randall House

Respectfully submitted,
Richard Davis, Treasurer

**CUMBERLAND ASSOCIATION OF FREE WILL BAPTIST
PROPOSED BUDGET 10/01/10 – 9/30/11**

Beginning Checking Account Balance **\$3,934.98**

Receipts

Quarterly Association Dues (4 Quarterlies x \$20.00)	\$ 80.00
Cumberland Association Dues (62 churches x \$25.00)	\$ 1,550.00
State Association Dues (62 churches x \$10.00)	\$ 620.00
National Association Dues (62 churches x \$100.00)	\$ 6,200.00
Northern Quarterly Co-Op	\$ 875.00
Other Gifts	\$ 350.00
TN State Association UGMP	\$ 2,100.00

Total Receipts **\$11,775.00**

Distributions

TN State Association Delegates Fees (\$5.00 x 5 delegates)		\$ 25.00
TN State Association Dues (62 churches x \$10.00)		\$ 620.00
National Association Dues (62 churches x \$100.00)*		\$ 6,200.00
Treasurers Fee		\$ 250.00
Clerks Fee		\$ 250.00
Clerk's Office Expense		\$ 100.00
Cumberland Web Site Maintenance		\$ 150.00
Cumberland Association CE Board		\$ 1,250.00
TN State Association UGMP		
State Office	30%	\$ 630.00
Cumberland Camp	30%	\$ 630.00
Ministerial Benevolence Board	15%	\$ 315.00
Don and Billie sexton Missions Project	7.5%	\$ 157.50
TN Home Missions	7.5%	\$ 157.50

Total Distributions **\$10,735.00**

Projected Ending Checking Account Balance **\$ 4,974.98**

*National Association Dues will increase from \$100 to \$150 in October 2011 for 2012.

Cumberland Youth Camp Report 2010

It has been another exciting year at Cumberland Youth Camp. We greatly appreciate the prayers and gifts of God's people that allow us to touch lives with His Good News.

405 campers attended our five weeks of summer camp. Bible classes, chapels, and evening services developed our "BREAKOUT" theme, based on Romans 12:1,2. Many of our youth accepted God's challenge to "breakout" of the world's mold and be fully conformed to, and transformed by, Christ. At least a dozen young people made public professions of faith, with an untold number of rededications and private commitments.

In addition to our weeks of camp, we hosted 29 groups during the last year. This is nearly double our total from the previous year. These rental groups allow the camp property to be a blessing to so many while producing much needed revenue.

Your camp hosted three retreats during the last year. The "In Not Of" retreat last November saw Eric Drake speak to 44 of our teens. Our "Re³" retreat for the wives of our pastors was a success even after being delayed for a week due to snow. Mandi Morgan, missionary to Uruguay, brought encouragement from God's Word via Skype (a video teleconferencing program). Our Father-Son retreat hosted 22 men and boys in February to hear Steve Lindsey challenge us with God's truth.

It is not often in ministry that we get to use the word "done", but several items received that label this year. Our "Flip That Cabin" project was completed, resulting in the complete renovation of the exteriors of the five oldest cabins, and new carpet in all eight cabins. Our "new to us" walk in cooler/freezer was completed, more than doubling our storage space for cold items. This allowed us to do some renovations in our kitchen area, expanding our food preparation possibilities. Our recreation building was upgraded with the addition of four new video games.

Under God's continued blessing, the future is bright for your camp. Our volunteer base continues to grow. The "Light the Way" fundraising campaign to build a new 3200 square foot conference and retreat center is underway. We are experiencing our busiest fall retreat season ever, as people discover the power of retreats to advance their Christian walk.

Thank you for keeping us on your calendars and prayer lists. Consider hosting a camp day at your church in the near future. We are available for camp services, revivals, and pulpit supply. Please let us know how we can best serve you.

Contact us: Rev. Stan Coker
 Cumberland Youth Camp
 2193 Happy Hills Acres Rd
 Woodlawn, TN 37191
 (931) 647-5111

Church Giving 2010
October 1, 2009 - September 30, 2010

Ashland City FWB	960.10	Hendersonville FWB	450.00
Bethel FWB	2,005.40	Loyal Chapel FWB	426.00
Bethlehem FWB	507.50	Madison FWB	100.00
Brandon's Chapel FWB	686.00	Miller's Chapel FWB	339.00
Cane Ridge FWB	50.00	Mt. Zion FWB	300.00
Cofer's Chapel FWB	1340.00	New Hope FWB	1886.25
Cross Timber's FWB	105.16	Oakland FWB	220.00
Donelson FWB	300.00	Oaklawn FWB	1371.67
Dunbar's Chapel FWB	500.00	Oakwood FWB	1800.00
East Nashville FWB	150.00	Olivet FWB	1630.05
First McEwen FWB	225.00	Pardue FWB	1875.65
First Springfield FWB	1045.00	Pleasant Hill FWB	843.00
First Waverly FWB	400.00	Rejoice FWB	1525.00
Friendship FWB	3350.00	Richland FWB	376.67
Good Springs FWB	1919.50	Rock Spring's FWB	821.58
Greenwood FWB	120.00	Shady Grove FWB	750.00
Harper Road FWB	1050.00	Stoney Point FWB	250.00
Heads FWB	989.20	Two Rivers FWB	801.00

2011 Schedule

January 28-30	Pastor's Wife's Retreat
May 29-June 3	Teen Week (Ages 14 and up)
June 5-10	Junior Week (ages 8-11)
June 12-17	Junior High (ages 11-14)
June 19-24	Combo 1 (ages 8-13)
June 26 - July 1	Combo 2 (ages 8-13)

CUMBERLAND CAMP PROPOSED BUDGET for 2011

INCOME

Contributions

Surplus Sales	\$ 1,200.00
General Offerings	\$ 57,800.00
Coop	\$ 500.00
Friends of Camp	\$ 22,000.00
Total Contributions	\$ 81,500.00

Fee Income

Camp Registration	\$ 75,000.00
Retreat Registration	\$ 1,875.00
Rental Income	\$ 61,000.00
Total Fee Income	\$ 137,875.00

Operations

Canteen Income	\$ 6,500.00
Miscellaneous	\$ 100.00
Interest Income	\$ 2,700.00
Total Operation Income	\$ 9,300.00

TOTAL INCOME \$228,675.00

EXPENSES

Building and Grounds	\$ 61,800.00
Office Expenses	\$ 12,950.00

Salaries and Benefits

Director	\$ 54,030.00
Camp Manager	\$ 13,176.36
Maintenance Manager	\$ 500.00
Yard Care	\$ 4,150.00
Christmas Bonus	\$ 600.00
Total Salaries and Benefits	\$ 72,456.36

Development	\$ 1,000.00
Mileage	\$ 7,500.00
Camp Expenses	\$ 50,900.00
Retreat Expenses	\$ 1,000.00
Rental Expenses	\$ 17,000.00
Canteen Expenses	\$ 4,000.00
Total Expenses	\$228,606.36

Net Income \$ 68.64

CUMBERLAND ASSOCIATION CHRISTIAN EDUCATION BOARD
REPORT
October 16, 2010

Dear Brothers and Sister in Christ,

It is with great honor I bring this report to you this evening. On behalf of our board, let me say we are grateful for the opportunity to serve the churches of the Cumberland Association. This board was established at the 2006 Cumberland Association for the purpose of assisting local churches in "equipping laity to fulfill the task given to us by our Lord in Matthew 28:19, 20 "teaching them to observe whatsoever I have commanded you."

I would like to review the work that we have done and are planning.

- 2008 Cumberland Association
 - "How To Develop A Teaching Nursery" – Carol Reid
- 2009 Spring Workshops
 - "Roberts Rules" – Ralph Hampton
 - "Dynamic Teaching" – Steve Lindsey
- 2009 Cumberland Association
 - "Making the Bible Come Alive for Little Eyes" – Martha Carter (ages 2-5)
 - "Dynamic Teaching for Children" – Steve Lindsey (Grades 1-6)
- 2010 Spring Workshops
 - "Recruiting, Equipping Lay People and Implementing Them into the Local Church" – Jeff Nichols
 - "Caring for the Caregiver" – Roy Harris
- 2010 Cumberland Association
 - "Speaking Teen" – Brandon Stutts
 - "18-25 Year Olds Reclaiming the Lost Generation" – Jacob Riggs
- 2011 Spring Workshops
 - "Personal Evangelism" – Terry Forrest
 - "Bible Study Methods" – Robert Woodard

We have focused our efforts at the Cumberland meetings on our churches Sunday School ministry. We have focused our Spring workshops more on personal spiritual development. We have been somewhat pleased with our attendance at the Cumberland meeting but have been disappointed with our attendance at our Spring workshops. Let me assure you that we are praying for our churches to have a desire to improve their efforts and are trying to get the word out about our workshops every way we can.

Again, thank you for the opportunity to serve our churches in their Christian Education ministries. Our 2009-2010 Financial Statement and 2010-2011 Proposed Budget are on the back page. Please note we have two quarter representatives and a member at large to elect this year. We need as well to replace Brother Keith Kenemer who is resigning from the board as well.

Respectfully Submitted,
Eddie Hodges, Chairman

**2009 – 2010 FINANCIAL STATEMENT OF THE CUMBERLAND
ASSOCIATION CHRISTIAN EDUCATION BOARD**

10/1/2009 – 8/24/2010

Beginning Balance (10/1/2009)	\$ 659.81
Income	\$ 0.00
Cumberland Association	\$1,500.00
Total Income	\$1,500.00
Total Balance	\$2,159.81

Expenses

Speaker5s for the workshops (4)	\$ 800.00
Facility Use FWBBC	\$ 100.00
Gift in memory of Yvonne Hampton	\$ 50.00
Printing Workshop Certificates	\$ 107.61
Workshop Refreshments	\$ 54.25
Board Member Expenses (Postage and Mileage)	\$ 259.00
Total Expenses	\$1,370.86

Balance on Hand	\$ 788.95
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**2010 – 2011 PROPOSED BUDGET of the
CUMBERLAND ASSOCIATION CHRISTIAN EDUCATION BOARD**

HONORARIUMS (4 Instructors)	\$ 800.00
Facility Use (FWBBC)	\$ 100.00
Board Member Expense (Postage and Mileage)	\$ 200.00
Workshop Refreshments	\$ 150.00
Advertising and Certificate Printing	\$ 150.00
Secretary Expenses (Office Supplies)	\$ 50.00
Miscellaneous Expenses	<u>\$ 50.00</u>

<u>TOTAL PROPOSED BUDGET</u>	\$1,500.00
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Respectfully Submitted:
Eddie Hodges, Chairman

CUMBERLAND DISTRICT WOMEN ACTIVE FOR CHRIST

Cumberland District Women Active for Christ met for their Annual Convention Saturday, August 28, 2010, at West End FWB Church in Springfield, Tennessee, with outgoing-president Elizabeth Hodges presiding. Fourteen of the eighteen reporting WAC groups were represented at the meeting, with a total of 59 women in attendance. Sharon Hodgins shared the work of The Hope Center (as part of FWB Family Ministries) and challenged our ladies to have a part in this ministry. WAC groups brought to the meeting over \$400 in gift cards to be used by new mothers and appropriated \$450 of the day's offering to the Hope Center. (Subsequent to the meeting, a \$5000 anonymous donation was made to the Hope Center through Bethlehem WAC.)

The Treasurer's Report cataloged \$19,927.94 in disbursements during the August 1, 2009 – July 31, 2010 year, which included \$3,892 to International Missions, \$5212 to Missions North America, and \$5548 to the WNAC office/projects. In addition, over \$6000 in non-cash gifts and outside giving were noted, though these did not go through the CDWAC treasury.

CDWAC made plans for a Spring "Day-Retreat" to be held on the campus of Free Will Baptist Bible College on Saturday, April 2, 2011 and for the Annual Convention to meet at Bethlehem FWB Church, Ashland City, on August 27, 2011.

President Elizabeth Hodges was recognized for her years of service to CDWAC with a Macy's gift card and a journal. She stepped down as president after her election as Executive Director of WNAC in July.

Respectfully submitted,
Joy Corn, Acting President

WOMEN NATIONALY ACTIVE for CHRIST

Congratulations, ladies!! You were SEVENTH in total giving to missions and ministry causes channeled through WNAC. Your total gifts amounted to \$38,830.67 as reported in the Digest of Reports.

Tennessee was FIRST place in giving to the General Fund of WNAC which allows our office to serve the women of the FWB denomination. Your gifts to this ministry totaled \$6,828.45.

You were SIXTH place in membership. You reported a total of 370 of the 4,996 women who paid their WNAC dues. Your members gave a total of \$20,118.70 to missions/missionary causes last year!

Together with women all over the denomination, WNAC members contributed \$560,103.32 to missions/missionary causes. This includes cash and non-cash gifts. In this year of economic downturn, our women have remained faithful in giving to the causes of the Kingdom.

986 women registered for the 75th annual WNAC convention in Oklahoma City July 19-20, 2010. We have shone like diamonds on the landscape of the FWB denomination for these 75 years and will continue to faithfully shine until God calls us home.

Our national project, SHINE 75, adopted at the National Convention totals \$75,000 to be divided equally between our three Hispanic Bible Institutes and Seminary. Two are located in Mexico and one in Inman, South Carolina.

Four women studying at the FWB Bible Institute in Campinas, Brazil were awarded the Cleo Purcell Foreign Student Scholarship. Three of these women, Adriana, Ana, and Daniela are wives of lay pastors. Alessandra is the leader of children's ministry at her church. What a privilege to invest in their lives. \$1,799.50 will be divided equally between them...\$449.88. Their education cost \$25/month ... and we are providing 18 months for each of these ladies.

\$49,740.48 was received for the 20/20/20 project. It will be divided equally between the Panama Seminary property, Villalba, Spain and the Majorie Workman Endowment Fund.

Thanks, ladies, for all you have done to advance the Kingdom through WNAC. You are pacesetters...keep up the good work.

I covet your prayers as I begin this new ministry. I am excited about the possibilities that lie ahead. Thanks so much for your words of encouragement and support. I am deeply grateful.

May God continue to bless you and your ministry among His diamonds, the women of the FWB denomination.

Elizabeth Hodges

TENNESSEE STATE PROMOTIONAL OFFICE
Report to the Cumberland Association
October 16, 2010

It is a privilege to report to you here at the Cumberland Association. By far, the Cumberland Association is the leading supporter of both state and national ministries. I am grateful for all the encouragement I receive in this part of the state.

We are making good progress on getting the promotional office on sound financial footing but we are not there yet. In the past few months, we have had to face that our reserves that had been set aside to help bridge the gap between a part-time office and a full-time office, are running out. Even though we have had an increase in the Unified Plan three out of the last four years, our increase has not been enough to replace what we are using from our reserves. Our prayer is that this will be the turning point for our churches to get behind the state office. The key is for more of our churches across the state to participate. Even in the Cumberland, there is plenty of room to grow. Whether participating by giving undesignated to the Unified Plan or by sending a designated gift to the state office, I hope you will consider helping fund a full-time state office.

I continue to believe a combination of designated gifts to the state along with a healthy growth of the "Unified Ministry Plan" will be a winning formula for a full-time office with a sustainable financial future. Both designated and undesignated gifts from our churches grew this past year. One fly in the ointment was a significant decrease in the dividend from Brotherhood Mutual Insurance. Because of some hefty claims from our churches with Brotherhood Mutual, our state received only \$8,288.00 this year, compared to \$27,401.00 the year before. We are very grateful for Brotherhood Mutual, but as you can see, this income can fluctuate widely. Consistent giving from our churches is the key to financial stability. My goal is to one day have every church in Tennessee giving something to support the promotional office.

Our state continues to lead all other states in our denomination in giving to national ministries. In the last report (2009) sent from our National Executive Office, Tennessee gave \$655,374.55 more than our closest state, a total of \$2,209,262.88. We give God the glory for all that has been accomplished. Leaders in the past deserve much credit for instilling in our churches a global vision and a heart for all of our ministries. Gifts designated to the state office increased over 9% over last year as did gifts to the Unified Ministry Plan. We had the most money ever given to the Unified Plan, \$116,279.33. This represents an increase of over \$10,000 for the year.

All of our state boards are doing a good job coordinating their various ministries. After you hear reports from each board at our state meeting in November, I am sure you will agree that God is still using Tennessee Free Will Baptists. I am very grateful for all who have supported the programs of our state and national ministries. I appreciate all of our denominational leaders who have encouraged me and continue to encourage me. I appreciate Free Will Baptist Bible College who provides office space for the promotional office.

I look forward to the coming year. I believe it is going to be a banner year for our state. Pray that God will direct us and keep His hand upon us. Pray for unity and wisdom that He will help us meet the challenges of living for Him in these days of apostasy and straying from the truth as so many are doing. Let us remember the words of Scripture, "If God be for us, who can stand against us."

In His Service,
Glenn Poston

**Cumberland Association of Free Will Baptists
Obituary Report October 1, 2009 – September 30, 2010**

Northern

Friendship

Donnie Baker
Reba Pauline Morris
Louetta Newman
Lorie Oden
Bobby Perry

Oaklawn

Mable Binkley
Doug Horton
Ed Jinnette

First Springfield

Mary Crutcher
Benjamin Shutt

Heads

Mattie Mae Lewis
R.D. Lewis
Beth Lyons
Houston Shepard
Billie Jean Watts
Robert Watts

South Central

Loyal Chapel

Bud Creel
Mary Agent
Pam Bosher
James Creel

Flatwoods

Clifford Smith

Crossroads

Edna Mae Mashburn

Western

Carlisle

Frances Ny Koden
Edna Anderson
Wilma Miles

Miller's Chapel

Ollie Mae Sesler
Gladys Sesler
John Hinton
Tyree Boss

First Waverly

Myrtle Adair

Rock Spring

Birdie Mary Proctor
Don Duke
Joe Groves

Southern

Cane Ridge

Dorothy Boyd
Jay Murray
Yvonne Hampton
Mary Thompson

Corner Stone

Ray Pierce

Madison

Juanita Cundall
Buford Watson

Donelson Fellowship

Kairissa Mark
Jeremy McLaren
Carol Robirds
Floyd Tyler
Betty Jean West

LaVergne

Bob Montgomery
Thelma Miller
Theresa Moore
Cleo Pursell

Rejoice

Fred Hardeman

Richland

Jeff Spann
Mildred Stacey

Sylvan Park

Debbie Neally
Gertrude Craft
Sylvia Gardner

Respectfully Submitted,
Clayton Hampton (Chair), Wallace Hayes, Bob Baggett

REGISTRATION AND FINANCE REPORT

Ministers: 46

Delegates: 12

Deacons: 5

Visitors: 21

TOTAL 84*

*Total is based on number of people registered before lunch.

The offering received was \$344.00

It is recommended that the offering be given to the Cumberland Camp "Light The Way" Campaign.

Respectfully Submitted,

Jason Bell (Chair), Delbert Wood, Mark Kennedy

RESOLUTION COMMITTEE REPORT

The Resolution Committee submits the following recommendations:

1. Whereas the Rejoice Free Will Baptist Church has extended gracious hospitality in hosting the Cumberland Association be it therefore resolved that we give them a rising vote of thanks.

Respectfully Submitted,

Randy Corn (Chair), Steve Pate, Herbert Hassell

NOMINATING COMMITTEE REPORT

We, the nominating committee, submit the following report.

Executive Committee

Give the Executive Committee permission to fill the vacant Treasurer position, unexpired term of Richard Davis, until term expires in 2011.

International Missions Board:

Northern Quarterly – Ronnie Smith replacing Ronnie Smith (2014)

Western Quarterly – James Carrington completing the unexpired term of Bob Baggett (2013)

Cumberland Camp Board:

Clayton Hampton to replace Clayton Hampton (2013)

Dwayne James to replace Dwayne James (2013)

Jack Kettman to replace Jack Kettman (2013)

Ministerial Benevolence Board:

Western Quarterly to replace Eddie Hopkins at their next Quarterly Business Meeting.

Christian Education Board:

Eddie Hodges to replace Eddie Hodges (2013)

Southern Quarterly Representative – Aaron Harris completing the unexpired term of Keith Kenemer (2012)

South Central Quarterly Representative – Brandon Stutts replacing Brandon Stutts (2013)

Western Quarterly Representative – Terry Welsh replacing Terry Welsh (2013)

If any delegate has a name to place in nomination please do so.

Respectfully submitted,

Cecil Boswell (Chair), David Weeks, Billy Brown, Tim McDonald

QUARTERLY CLERKS

Northern

Martha Davis
4458 Mt. Sharon Rd.
Greenbrier, TN 37073
615-384-9212

South Central

Kathy Brown
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615-760-6135

Southern

Anthony Poff
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Murfreesboro, TN 37130
615-890-6532

Western

Gwen Minniehan
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Southside, TN. 37171
931-387-2493

CUMBERLAND QUARTERLIES YEAR IN REVIEW

	(N)	(SC)	(S)	(W)	Totals
Churches	24	6	15	15	60
Churches reporting	24	6	12	10	52
City Churches	9	4	11	4	28
Rural Churches	15	2	1	11	29
Full-time Ministers	20	3	10	7	40
Bi-Vocational Ministers	4	3	2	6	15
Ordained Ministers	46	8	59	19	132
Licensed Ministers	8	1	6	3	18
Ordained Deacons	61	8	47	35	151
Membership	3757	550	2,590	1391	8,288
Baptisms	121	11	32	22	186
Members Added	118	19	87	25	249
Members lost	49	47	17	17	130
Churches					
W/ Budget	18	3	9	7	37

Value of Churches and Parsonages:

Northern: \$ 16,735,252.00
 South Central: \$ 1,985,000.00

Southern: \$10,592,880.00
 Western: \$ 7,263,000.00
 Total: \$36,576,132.00

Churches Income:

Northern: \$2,376,636.00
 South Central: \$ 152,519.21

Southern: \$ 921,957.00
 Western: \$ 335,782.45
 Total: \$ 3,786,894.66

	(N)	(SC)	(S)	(W)	TOTAL
Parsonages	11	1	2	6	20
Day Cares	1	0	0	0	1
Kindergartens	0	0	0	0	0
Christian Schools	0	0	0	1	1
S.S. Enrollment	1,905	202	2294	434	4,835
Bible Institutes	0	0	0	0	0
C.T.S. Enrollment	45	0	78	15	138
W.N.A.C. Enrollment	176	0	44	14	234
M.M. Enrollment	24	0	14	14	52

NORTHERN QUARTERLY

Moderator
Roy Jensen
3150 Old New Cut Rd.
Springfield, TN. 37172
615-812-8156

Clerk
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CLERK

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Rev. Jon Justice
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Springfield, TN 37172

Rev. David Davis
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Mrs. Martha Davis
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Rev. Cecil Boswell
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Mrs. Pamela B. Hampton
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Good Springs FWB
2330 Good Springs Road
Pleasant View, TN 37146
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Rev. Randall Riggs
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Mrs. Vera Hogue
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Greenwood FWB
East Robertson Rd.
Cross Plains, TN 37049

Rev. Chris Campbell
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Springfield, TN 37172
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Ms. Jo Ann Briley
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Joelton, TN 37080
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Rev. John Browning
2464 Pleasant View Rd.
Pleasant View, TN 37146
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Mrs. Sandra Morgan
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DELEGATES TO THE TENNESSEE STATE MEETING

Ollie Mai Baggett, Elizabeth Hodges

It was approved by the body for the moderator to appoint three other delegates at the State Meeting to represent the Association.

INTERNATIONAL MISSIONARIES FOR THE CUMBERLAND ASSOCIATION

The Verlin Andersons
The Kenneth Eagletons
Shannon Little
The Jerry Gibbs
The Donnie McDonalds
The Sam McVays
The Clint Morgans
The David Outlaws
The Bobby Pooles
The Steve Riggs
The Jeff Turnboughs
The Matthew Turnboughs
The Mick Donahues

RETIRED MINISTERS' WIDOWS OF THE CUMBERLAND ASSOCIATION

Mrs. Azline Daniel
Mrs. Jean Hornberger
Mrs. Ella Mae Gann

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. The Association shall elect a Moderator, Assistant Moderator, Clerk, Assistant Clerk, and Treasurer from its membership to serve two year terms and may succeed themselves..

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. The Association shall post minutes of each year's annual meeting on the Association's website in a form which may be downloaded and printed. A paper copy will also be kept in the archives of Free Will Baptist Bible College, Nashville, TN.

ARTICLE 7. Annual dues for each member Quarterly shall consist of the current Quarterly dues plus the current Cumberland Association, Tennessee State Association, and National Association dues for each member church.

ARTICLE 8. For the purpose of ordaining ministers of the gospel and handling accusations of un-Christian conduct, there shall be a Presbytery, which shall convene at the close of the annual Association session. A meeting may be called at anytime during the year by the Presbytery moderator and clerk or at the written request of five Presbytery members.

The Presbytery shall consist of ordained members present, and they shall elect a moderator, and clerk from among themselves 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 subcommittee, 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, or ordain and set them apart for 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 include 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 I 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 exclusions of member Quarterlies which shall require two-thirds majority.

ARTICLE 13. All member churches present and voting shall be considered a quorum for the transaction of business for each session.

ARTICLE 14. Amendments to this Constitution may be made at any time by a majority vote of the members present.

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 four (4) members, with the exception of: The Ministerial Benevolence Board which shall be composed of five (5) members; the Christian Education Board which shall be composed of seven (7) members; the Youth Camp Board which shall be composed of nine (9) members; and the Executive Board which shall be composed as provided in Article 2 under BOARDS.

The personnel of each of the forgoing boards, exclusive of the Executive, Ministerial Benevolence 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 Ministerial Benevolence 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 communicate with the chairmen of the standing boards during the year 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 at least twice a year to handle board matters and plan future activities.

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 operation 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 International Mission Board

To promote international missions in each of the quarterly meetings by planning events to help undergird International Missions.

The Duties of the Ministerial Benevolence 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 who qualify and have served the Lord well within the fellowship of the Cumberland Association churches;
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; and
7. To serve as trustees of the campground.

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 two 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 speak longer than ten 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 Lord's Day in October 1867 as a standing decorum, though subject to revision by 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 16, 1978, October 12, 1983, October 17, 1984, October 16, 1985, October 15, 1986, October 14, 1987, October 8, 1991, October 12, 1993, October 11, 1994, October 12, 1996, October 17, 2009

CUMBERLAND ASSOCIATION PRESBYTERY

Minutes and Report

October 1, 2009 – September 30, 2010

The Presbytery met following the Cumberland Association at Ashland City, October 17, 2009 at 2:50 P.M.

The meeting was called to order by Roy Harris. The minutes were read and approved. The treasurer's report was given and approved.

The following reports were received from the quarterly examining committees:

The South Central Quarterly issued a letter of good standing for Aaron DeMerchant to Atlantic Canada Association. The report was submitted by Ronald Mashburn, Steve Swango, Billy Brown, Doug Dickey, David Humphreys, and Ed Fox.

The Southern Quarterly submitted the following:

1. Examined and recommended Alan Skiles to Rejoice FWB Church for ordination.
2. Examined and recommended Steve Greenwood to Donelson FWB Church for ordination.
3. Examined and recommended Chris Edwards to Donelson FWB Church for ordination.
4. Recommended the transfer and ratification of credentials for John High from Polk Bayou Association, Arkansas.
5. We reissued Bro. Carlos Rubio ordination papers from the Southern Quarterly of the Cumberland Association.

Submitted by Stanley Outlaw, Tim York, Roy Harris, Mike Gladson, Edward Gragg, and Billy B. Walker.

The Northern Quarterly reported they had received Kevin Woolard into their membership from North Carolina.

No report was given from the Western Quarterly.

The following officers were elected for the coming year:

Moderator – Cliff Donoho

Assistant Moderator – Steve Phillips

Clerk/Treasurer – Billy B. Walker

Motion and carried that we give at least \$100.00 to a ministers widow at their passing.

The Executive Committee will look into the procedure and policies for ordination for all quarterly meetings.

Dismissed in prayer by Tim McDonald.

Submitted by Billy B. Walker

**Cumberland Association Presbytery
Treasurer's Report
October 1, 2009 – September 30, 2010**

Beginning Balance (10/1/09):	\$2,379.63
Receipts: Dues – Ministers and Deacons	\$1,170.00
Total Funds	\$3,549.63

Disbursements

Gift – Mrs. Willard McCarroll	\$ 100.00
Gift – Mrs. Paul Sharp	\$ 100.00
Returned Check	\$ 5.00
Returned Check Fee	\$ 7.00
Paper and Envelopes	\$ 12.59
Stamps	\$ 88.00
Clerks Fee	\$ 250.00
Total Disbursements	\$ 562.59

Balance on Hand (9/30/10)	\$2,987.04
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Billy Brown	1621 Columbia Rock Rd. Columbia, TN 38401	931-334-1980
David Brown	346 Cross Timbers Dr. Nashville, TN 37221	615-673-0916
William Brown	401 S. Russell St. Portland, TN 37148	
John Browning	3407 Poplar Hill Clarksville, TN 37043	615-289-6784
Keith Buchanan	320 Indian Creek Rd. McEwen, TN 37101	931-582-6034
Keith Burden	3441 Shakertown Rd. Antioch, TN 37013	615-361-0560
Mike Callis	221 Westland St. Portland, TN 37148	615-325-4504
Ronald Calloway	925 Marengo Ln. Nashville, TN 37204	615-945-6928
Dean R. Campbell	123 Holly Dr. Hendersonville, TN 37075	615-822-2175
Charley Carmack	2386 Pleasant View Rd. Pleasant View, TN 37146	615-415-0160
Jeff Caudill	312 Jayme Mike Ct. Joelton, TN 37080	615-306-3813
Kennie Clement	116 Natures Trail Ashland City, TN 37015	615-792-5054
Stan Coker	2193 Happy Hills Acres Rd. Woodlawn, TN 37191	931-647-5111
Danny Conn	3509 Thornehill Dr. Antioch, TN. 37013	615-618-9161
Randy Corn	1713 Hwy. 12 N. Ashland City, TN 37015	615-792-1227
David Crowe	1124 Blairfield Dr. Antioch, TN 37013	615-308-2282
Mike Dankson	1582 Rosebury Ln. Clarksville, TN 37043	
Doug Dickey	514 Hayes Ave. Lawrenceburg, TN 38464	931-766-2259

Clifton D. Donoho	4029 Calumet Dr. Antioch, TN 37013	615-365-8000
Eric Drake	3141 Heads Church Road Cedar Hill, TN 37032	615-382-5074
Tim Farris	150 Beth St. McEwen, TN 37101	931-582-7628
Milton Fields	10235 Country Rd. 35 Ethelsville, AL 35461	615-330-3742
James Forlines	5340 Old Village Rd. Nashville, TN 37211	615-837-0347
Jon Forrest	1103 Kimbrough Rd. Ashland City, TN 37015	
Terry Forrest	1101 Kimbrough Rd. Ashland City, TN. 37015	615-792-1202
Edward Fox	7426 Shoals Branch Rd. Primm Springs, TN 38476	615-799-0653
Paul J. Gentuso	417 Wellington Square Nashville, TN. 37214	615-874-3436
Mike Gladson	2317 Bryana Court Franklin, TN. 37067	615-804-2861
Steve Greenwood	3210 McGavock Pike Nashville, TN. 37214	615-260-5328
Kenneth Gregory	520 N. Happy Hollow Rd. Portland, TN. 37148	615-325-9694
Bob Hamm	3084 Sweethome Rd. Chpmansboro, TN. 37035	615-746-9803
Clayton Hampton	1841 Darlington Dr. Clarksville, TN. 37042	931-920-2198
Larry Hampton	3101 Country Way Rd. Antioch, TN 37013	615-360-9434
Roy Harris	906 Castle Heights Ave. Lebanon, TN. 37087	615-530-4918
Paul Harrison	866 Highland Crest Dr. Nashville, TN. 37205	615-506-7913
Eddie Hodges	105 Lynhurst Circle Hendersonville, TN. 37075	615-822-4960
Curt Holland	4929 Darlington Dr. Nashville, TN. 37211	615-871-4769
Michael Hollifield	2427-A Maplecrest Dr. Nashville, TN. 37214	615-394-6453
Paul Hopson	1706 Meadowbrook Dr. Springfield, TN. 37172	615-384-9604
David Humphreys	2861 Sunny View Dr. Murfreesboro, TN. 37128	615-494-5007
Ron Hunter	114 Bush Rd. Nashville, TN. 37217	615-351-2700
Dwayne James	2551 Church Ln Woodlawn, TN. 37191	931-206-4233
Dean Jones	2522 Miami Ave. Nashville, TN. 37314	615-884-0085
Fred W. Jones	P.O. Box 243 Waverly, TN. 37185	931-884-0085
Jon Justice	3397 Marrast Dr. Clarksville, TN. 37043	931-385-9335
Mark Kennedy	1484 Hamble Rd. Charlotte, TN. 37036	615-789-6120
Rick Kennedy	320 S. Church Ave. Ethridge, TN. 38456	931-829-2559
Jamie Lane	4903 Tennessee Ave. Nashville, TN. 37029	615-415-4270
Bob Lewis	2807 Dick Farmer Rd. Cedar Hill, TN. 37032	615-746-5424
Brian Lewis	1281 Oaklawn Rd. Chapmansboro, TN. 37035	
Steve Lindsey	2032 Copper Kettle Cir. Pleasant View, TN. 37146	615-746-2063
Doug Little	1424 Brighton Circle Old Hickory, TN. 37138	615-773-8566
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Ronald Mashburn	4 Ward Rd. Loretto, TN. 38469	931-853-6868
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Corey M. Minter	308 Preakness Circle Pleasant View, TN. 37146	615-268-6833
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Robert Morgan	3210 McGavock Pike Nashville, TN. 37214	615-871-4769
John D. Murray	3822 Baxter Ave. Nashville, TN. 37216	615-522-1561
Jeff Nichols	3900 Glasgow Court Old Hickory, TN. 37138	615-773-5234
Michael Oliver	3606 West End Ave. Nashville, TN. 37205	615-844-5000
Joe Osborne	104 Lynnwood Court Portland, TN. 37148	614-681-7897
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J. Matthew Pinson	3705 Richland Ave. Nashville, TN. 37205	615-386-3398
Aaron Pontius	1024 Donoho Dr. Old Hickory, TN. 37138	615-390-8064
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Larry Powell	2056 Ransom Place Nashville, TN. 37217	615-399-8458
Benny Reece	251 Pond Railroad Dickson, TN. 37055	
Garnett Reid	916 Percy Warner Blvd. Nashville, TN. 37205	615-352-4049
Norman Richards	205 Donelson Hills Dr. Nashville, TN. 37214	615-889-5745
Ken Riggs	3829 Hwy. 49 W. Springfield, TN. 37172	615-382-7842
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Randall Riggs	1007 Settlers Crossing Joelton, TN. 37080	615-746-2404
Carlos Rubio	112 Valeria St. Nashville, TN. 37210	615-832-2742
Len Scott	268 Clearfount Dr. Clarksville, TN. 37043	931-358-4735
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John E. Smith	600 Westboro Ave. Nashville, TN. 37209	615-513-3365
Ronnie Smith	5152 Hwy. 49 W. Springfield, TN. 37172	615-384-5687
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Jason Stafford	8401 Bakersville Rd. Waverly, TN. 37185	931-296-9409
Kenneth Stephens	200 Moore Ave. Portland, TN. 37148	615-325-2990
Tommy Street	270 Watkins Ln. McEwen, TN. 37101	931-582-3313
Brandon Stutts	108 East 16 th St. Columbia, TN. 38401	931-242-5195
Steve Swango	5013 B Camelot Dr. Columbia, TN. 38401	931-388-8444
Roy Swisher	310 Austin Dr. Franklin, KY 42134	270-586-8062
David Thomas	3156 Heads Church Rd. Cedar Hill, TN. 37032	615-522-7071
Eddie Thomas	500 Holt Rd. Burns, TN. 37029	615-446-8495
Greg Tyson	2449 Hwy. 46 Indian Mound, TN. 37079	931-232-4435
James Waters	721 Spring St. Manchester, TN. 37355	931-723-7872
Artest Waynick	2166 Williamson Bridge Rd. Vanleer, TN. 37181	931-764-2461
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Terry Welsh	107 Apple Valley Rd. Lebanon, TN. 37087	615-547-7117
Jack Williams	218 Coleridge Cove Antioch, TN. 37013	615-844-5290
David Williford	3606 West End Ave. Nashville, TN. 37205	615-844-5205
Eugene Workman	1408 Ravenne Court N. Antioch, TN. 37013	615-366-0573
Don Worrell	1386 Old Clarksville Pk. Pleasant View, TN 37146	615-746-0029
Tim York	623 Knollwood Dr. LaVergne, TN. 37086	615-947-2505

Licensed Ministers

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Dennie Boren	Hurricane Chapel - McEwen
Ben Ryan	Mt. Zion - Ashland City
John Kellis	Rejoice - Antioch

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Leroy Forlines	3801 Rolland Rd. Nashville, TN. 37205	615-292-8709
Harold Harrison	7488 Harness Dr. Nashville, TN. 37221	615-673-9309
Duane Harvey	32 White Bridge Rd. Apt.62 Nashville, TN. 37205	615-356-9308
Bud Hill	7093 Hwy. 41A Pleasant View, TN. 37146	615-746-8654
Eddie Hopkins	205 Hillhaven Dr. Waverly, TN. 37185	931-296-4162
Joe Hurst	1733 Riverhaven Adams, TN. 37010	931-358-2477
Earl Langley	208 Windsor Chase Ct. Hermitage, TN. 37076	615-886-9821
John Lindsey	331 Reed St. Portland, TN. 37148	615-325-9755
Tom Malone	2120 Bracey Circle Joelton, TN. 37080	615-746-5804
Maxie Milligan	1201 Lee Hollow Rd. Indian Mound, TN. 37079	931-232-4448
Stanley Outlaw	112 Settlement Ct. Brentwood, TN. 37027	615-837-3740
Robert Picirilli	301 Greenway Ave. Nashville, TN. 37205	615-297-0183
Don Robirds	1114 Massman Dr. Nashville, TN. 37217	615-361-4928
Paul Sitton	1212 Beverly Hills Dr. Clarksville, TN. 37040	931-645-2964
Rolla Smith	8724 Sawyer Brown Rd. Nashville, TN. 37221	615-646-8138
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Billy B. Walker	983 Everette Dr. Smyrna, TN. 37167	615-220-1585
Robert Woodard	8934 Old Charlotte Pk. Pegram, TN. 37143	615-646-4093

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First-McEwen

Kenny Ross

Ashland City

Ronnie Balthrop

Greg Horton

Kingsley Forbes

Olivet

Danny McGregor

David Clarity

Preston Holt

Faith

J.W. Neal

Charles Barnes

Friendship

Robert Harris

Eldridge Perry

Billy Green

Shane Shrout

Hendersonville

Jimmy Toombs

Louis Asbell

Frank Sarschargin

Mitchell Richardson

Bobby Moore

Jeff Vincent

Mt. Zion

Gayle Collins

Bobby Jackson

Ben Ryan

Trinity- Bowling Green

Larry Saterfield

David Hall

Clay Shelton

West End

Ken Norton

Bethlehem

Jerry Hyde

Eric Thomsen

Dale Harvey

Cross Timbers

Greg Ketteman

Marvin Mouser

Jon Forlines

Covenant

Milburn Proctor

Rejoice

Walter Hatfield

C.L. Ritter

Delbert Wood

Jim Harter

First-Dickson

Billy Albright

Bobby Ellis

Rick Guthrie

Kevin Hayes

Sam Johnson

Glen Kilgore

Lee Vestal

Stoney Point

Glenn Singleton

David Williams

Herbert Hassell

Victory

Gary Minnis

Carlisle

David Anderson

James Hudson

Mitchell Welker

East Nashville

Gilbert Douglas

Aubrey Blunkall

Bobby Littrell

Loyal Chapel

Troy Bowers

Marion Hill

Good Springs

Fred Burch

Keith Hogue

Wayne Hunter

Robert Nicholson

Mark Trotter

Heads

Jim Gower

David Blades

Gary Head

William Spain

Timmy Walker

Kevin White

Ben Head

Scotts Chapel

Mike Vancant

Crossroads

Brett Stout

Thomas Kobeck

Mark Glass

Donelson

Mitch Beverly

Matt Gardner

Paul Gentuso

Fred Green

Jimmie Greenway

John Hooper

Dean Jones

Jim Lauthern

Rick Mayo

Mark McPeak

Scott McPeak

Herb Peppers

Van Stewart

Kenneth Waldrop

Michael Walker

Gregg Whiteaker

Hurricane Chapel

Hiram Gentry

Frankie Tummins

Donald Tummins

Keith Ross

Kelly Cunningham

Jami Laster

New Hope

Jeff Chandler

Bill Rogers

Edwin Hogan

Steve Willhite

Terry Bracey

Robert Newland

Gilford Walker

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 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

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.

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

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 entering a call to a church.

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.

The Candidate is required to pass an oral examination administered by the Committee.

The Committee will report to the candidate on whether he passed or what area he may need additional study.

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 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 deems it necessary, upon written notice to the membership. Eleven members shall constitute a quorum.

ARTICLE VI: Committees

The discipline committee shall consist of the moderator, clerk, chairman, or his representative from each of the Quarterly examination committees. 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 guideline 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 printing of such materials as cards of good standing, constitution and by-laws, stationary, minutes of meetings and for defraying of necessary traveling and mailing expenses, and other needs 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 5, 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 is the State of Tennessee shall be 2193 Happy Hill Acres Rd., 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, 5000 Edmondson Pike, Nashville, Tennessee 37211, will serve as President of the corporation. Sam McVay, 3915 Franklin Road, Nashville, Tennessee 37204, 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, 5000 Edmondson Pike, Nashville, Tennessee 37211; 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 Minnihan, 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 37055; Terry Boyd, Route 1, Box 164A, Ashland City, Tennessee 37015; Sam McVay, 3915 Franklin Road, Nashville, Tennessee 37204. 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 chapter is granted.

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

Witness my hand this _____ day of _____, 1986

STATE OF TENNESSEE
COUNTY OF CHEATHAM

Sworn to and subscribed before me this _____ day of _____, 1986
My Commission Expires _____

Notary Public

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 director unless such a 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 incorporation 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 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 with 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 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 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

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 or 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.