

MINUTES OF THE EAST KANSAS YEARLY MEETING OF
FREE WILL BAPTISTS

52ND SESSION

CONVENED AT THE NEW HOPE FREE WILL BAPTIST CHURCH
KANSAS CITY, KANSAS
FEBRUARY 14-15, 1975

Friday Evening, 7:30 P.M.

Service was opened by congeration singing "There is Power in The Blood" led by Bro. Gene Jackson, Sis. Paulene Castle pianist, and Sis. Pansy Allister at the organ. Asst. Moderator Bro. Jim Brewer took charge of the service in the absence of the Moderator Bro. Richard Terry. Led in prayer by Bro. Lloyd Moore. Congregational song "Are you Washed in The Blood".

Welcome was given by Bro. Jack M^CAllister with the response by Bro. Lloyd Moore.

Attendance count of the churches present was taken: Bethel 4, Faith 5, New Hope 35, Topeka 4, for a total of 48.

Offering was received in the amount of \$13.55.

Special music "When I Prayed Through" was sung by the New Hope Choir.

Nominating Committee was appointed: Bro. Jack M^CAllister, Ch.
Bro. Jack Stallings
Bro. Richard Sandridge

Special music entitled "In Times Like These" and "I Keep Holding on to Jesus" was sung by the New Hope Ladies Quartet.

Bro. Jack M^CAllister gave the message entitled "The Living Church as the Witness" following the conference theme "For such a Time as This".
Scripture read from Ester 4th. chapter. Invitation was given.

A committee was appointed to look into the topic to be taught by Bro. Harold Harrison during the Teacher's Training Course to be held April 21-24, 1975 at the New Hope Church. The committee is as follows:
Bro. Richard Terry, Ch.
Sis. Jewell Roark
Bro. Lloyd Moore

Dismissed in prayer by Bro. Jack Stallings.

Saturday Morning, 9:45 A.M.

Meeting called to order by Moderator, Rev. Richard Terry. Congregational song led by Bro. Tommy Holdeman was "Stand Up For Jesus", with Sis. Wanda Newland pianist. Prayer by Rev. Richard Terry.

Devotional by Bro. Tommy Holdeman was taken from Psalm 19:7-14. Prayer by Rev. Richard Terry.

The following visitors were recognized by the Moderator: Rev. Grover Terry, Moderator of the Kansas State Association and pastor of the First Free Will Baptist Church of Wichita, and Bro. Newt Webber of the West Side Church in Wichita, a member of the State Board of Christian Education.

The church letters were read. M.M.S. & C. to seat the delegates, and to accept the letters as read. Standing delegates were recognized.

Moderator, Rev. Richard Terry read the rules of order.

Rev. Grover Terry gave a report from the State Association.

The following committees were appointed.

<u>Business Comm.</u>	<u>Temperance Comm.</u>	<u>Obituary Comm.</u>
Lloyd Moore, Ch.	Pansy McAllister, Ch.	Gene Jackson, Ch.
Thelma Terry	Janet Moore	Edith Blair
Virginia Stallings	Sylvia Sandridge	Sis. Willis

Recess.

Saturday Morning Worship Service, 11:00A.M.

Services opened by congregational singing "There is Power in the Blood" and "I Am Resolved" led by Br. Tommy Holdeman

Offering was received in the amount of \$10.50.

Special music "Jesus Hold My Hand" and "How Beautiful Heaven Must Be" was sung by the Topeka Quartet.

Moderator, Rev. Richard Terry introduced the speaker, Rev. Grover Terry, pastor of the First Church in Wichita who spoke on the subject "The Living Word as the Power Of God." Scripture text from Esther 4th. chapter.

Invitation was given and song "Just As I Am" was sung.

Benediction and blessing on food.

Afternoon Business Session, 1:15 P.M.

Session was called to order by congregational singing "Victory In Jesus" led by Sis. Donna Brewer.

Bro. Newt Webber of the West Side Church in Wichita, and member of the State Christian Education Board, gave a report on the activities and plans of the Christian Education Board.

Devotional was given by Bro. Charles Hunter using scripture from Matt. 7:1-8.

Business Committee report was read. We the Business Committee recommend: 1. that we give the host church a standing vote of thanks for their hospitality and good food: 2. that we give Rev. Grover Terry, the quest speaker, and honorarium of \$20.00. Signed by Lloyd Moore, Thelma Terry, and Virginia Stallings. M.M.S. & C. to adopt report item by item. Both items carried.

Temperance Committee report was read: We the temperance Committee have met and want to emphasize these verses because God has commanded all believers to abstain from all appearances of evil. Prov. 20:1; I Thess. 5:22, I John 2:15. We the temperance committee recommend that the Clerk of the East Kansas Quarterly Conference be directed to write a letter to the President Pro Tem of the Kansas Senate, commending the senate in defeating the legislation for liberalizing the liquor laws. Also, a letter of thanks be sent to Rev. Richard Taylor, Director of the Kansas United Dry Forces, for his efforts in defeating the proposed liberalization of liquor laws, and assuring him of our prayerful support of his continued efforts. Signed by Pansey McAllister, Sylvia Sandridge and Janet Moore. M.M.S. & C. to accept report.

Executive Board Report was read: 1. We recommend a card of good standing be given the following ordained Ministers: Rev. Richard Terry, Rev. Jack McAllister, and Rev. Jack Stallings. All other ministers not turning in their yearly report, a card of standing be left in the hands of the Executive Board. 2. We recommend a permanent resolution that the yearly clerk fill out the yearly certificate form and present to next Quarterly Meeting for approval by Quarterly Meeting as the report to the State Association. Delegates to the State Association also be selected by the Quarterly Meeting in May. 3. We recommend that a replacement for Bro. Dozier on the Executive Board be filled by the yearly meeting to be effective when his letter of resignation is received. (He requested the chairman of the Executive Board to select a replacement until his resignation by letter is received.) Signed by Jack V. Stallings, Richard Terry, and Lloyd Moore. M.M.S. & C. to approve report item by item. Items 1, 2, and 3 carried.

Nominating Committee report was read: We recommend the following persons for the offices as follows:

1. Clerk: Bro. Jim Brewer
2. Executive Board 3rd year man: Rev. Richard Terry
3. Executive Board 2nd year man: Bro Lloyd Moore
4. Moderator: Rev. Jack McAllister
5. Assistant Moderator: Rev. Jim Summerson (TO be effective upon receipt of letter from Illinois.)
6. Treasurer: Bro. Richard Sandridge
7. Reporter to Arrow: Sister Virginia Stallings

8. Assistant Clerk & assistant Treasurer: Sis. Edith Blair
Signed by Jack McAllister, Jack V. Stallings, and Richard Sandgidge.
M.M.S. & C. to adopt report item by item. Items 1 - 8 carried.

The Treasurer's report was read. M.M.S. & C. to approve report
as read.

New business called for.

Discussion called for concerning the Teacher's Training Course
to be taught by Rev. Harold Harrison April 21-24, 1975 at
New Hope. Offering will be received during each meeting to
take care of expenses. Also, each student must purchase his
book.

Speakers for next Quarterly Meeting were elected as follows:
Richard Terry of Topeka For the Friday evening speaker, and
Rev. Jim Summerson of Emporia for the Saturday morning speaker.

Minutes of the meeting thus far were read and approved.

Announcements were given

M.M.S. & C. to adjourn.

James O. Brewer, Clerk

MINUTES OF THE EAST KANSAS QUARTERLY CONFERENCE
OF FREE WILL BAPTISTS

53RD SESSION

CONVENED AT THE FIRST FREE WILL BAPTIST CHURCH.
TOPEKA, KANSAS
MAY 16-17, 1975

Friday Evening, 7:30 P.M.

Service was opened by congregation singing "Savior, Like a Shepherd" led by Sis. Donna Brewer, Sis. Wanda Newland pianist, and Sis. Pansy McAllister organist.

Prayer by Rev. Larry Messer.

Congregational song "Footsteps of Jesus".

Attendance count of churches taken: Bethel 4, Emporia 0, Faith 2, New Hope 5, Topeka 19, for a total of 30.

Welcome by Bro. Bud Mitchell with the response by Bro. Richard Sandridge.

Offering was received in the amount of \$9.16.

Business committee was appointed: Rev. Richard Terry, Ch.
Bro. Bud Mitchell
Bro. Richard Sandridge

Special music "Tears Will Never Stain the Streets of That City" and "Since Jesus Passed By" was sung by the New Hope Trio.

Message brought by Rev. Richard Terry Entitled "How do We Become a Lamb of God". Scripture was read from John 3:1-7.

Invitation was given.

Benediction by Rev. Jack Stallings.

Saturday Morning, 9:45 A.M.

Meeting called to order by Moderator, Rev. Jack McAllister.
Congregation song led by Sis. Donna Brewer was "Did You Think to Pray"?
Pianist Sis. Wanda Newland. Prayer By Rev. Grover Terry.

Devotion By Rev. Grover Terry was taken from Acts 4:14-24.

Moderator of the Kansas State Assoc. Rev. Grover Terry of Wichita, gave a report of the recorded history of the Kansas State Assoc. to be sent to the National Assoc. of F.W.B. in Nashville, Tennessee. Announcements were made by Rev. Terry concerning activities of the State Assoc. to be held in Wellington, Kansas in June 12-14.

The following visitors were recognized by the Moderator, Rev. Grover Terry, Moderator of the Kansas State Assoc. and Pastor of the First Free Will Baptist Church of Wichita. Bro. Clifford Smith of the First Free Will Baptist Church of Wichita. Rev. Larry Messer new Pastor at Bethel Free Will Baptist Church was recognized.

Standing Delegates were recognized.

The Church letters were read. M.M.S. & C. to seat the delegates and to accept the letters as read.

Executive Board Report was read: (Meeting of 2/28/75)

1. Letter of resignation from Executive Board read and approved from Bro. Charles Dozier. 2. Bro Dozier presented his yearly report and M.M.S. & C. that he be given a card of standing. 3A. M.M.S. & C. that Bro. Loren Simmons let Chairman of Board, Rev Richard Terry, know his decision about his staying with quarterly meeting. 3B. (From meeting of 5/2/75) Bro. Loren Simmons stated to chairman of Executive Board that he was leaving the Association, Therefore, no card of standing was given him. (Meeting of 5/2/75) 1. Letter of recommendation received from Illinois State Assoc. of Free Will Baptists recommending Bro. Jim Summerson to be in good standing. We Accept him in full membership and give him a card of standing. 2. M.M.S. & C. that we receive Rev. Larry Messer as an Ordained Minister upon receipt of letter of recommendation from his Assoc. and a card of standing be issued. (Meeting of 5/17/75) 1. Whereas, there has been some confusion in the past about Quarterly Conference projects; and whereas, there are no clearly established guidelines for Quarterly Conference projects; therefore be it resolved, that all Quarterly Conference projects must be approved by the Executive Board of the East Kansas Quarterly Conference before sponsorship or funds will be provided. Signed by Richard C. Terry, Ch., Jack V. Stallings, and Lloyd Moore. M.M.S. & C. to approve report item by item. All items carried.

Treasurers report was read. M.M.S. & C. to approve report as read.

Prayer by Bro. Bud Mitchell.

Recess

Saturday Morning Worship Service, 11:00 A.M.

Service opened by Congregation singing "O Worship the King" led by Sis. Donna Brewer, pianist Sis. Wanda Newland, organist Sis. Pansy McAllister. Prayer by Bro. Richard Sandridge. Congregation song "To God Be the Glory".

Offering received in the amount of \$11.63.

Special music "I Won't Have To Worry" by Bro. Cleon Linton of Emporia.

Message brought by Rev. Larry Messer entitled "Meaning of the Risen Life and the result of the New Life". Scripture was taken from Romans 8:11-29.

Invitation was given and song "I Can Hear My Savior Calling" was sung. Benediction and blessing on food by Bro. Lloyd Moore.

Afternoon Business Session, 1:15 P.M.

Session opened by congregation singing "Jesus is the Sweetest Name I Know" Led by Rev. Richard Terry. Prayer by Bro. Clifford Smith.

Special music "How Great Thou Art" by Bro. Cleo Linton.

Devotion was given by Rev. Jack Stallings using scripture from II Timothy 4:1-8.

Business Committee report was read: We the Business Committee recommend that a standing vote of thanks be given the host church for the food and hospitality. Signed by Richard Terry, Richard Sandridge and Bud Mitchell. M.M.S. & C. to accept report.

New Business called for.

Speakers for the next Quarterly Meeting, at Bethel, were elected as follows: Rev. Jim Summerson of Emporia for the Friday evening service, and Rev. Jack McAllister of New Hope for the Saturday morning service.

Delegates to the Kansas State Association were elected as follows: Bro. Cleon Linton, Sis. Anita Messer, Sis. Terry Mitchell, Sis. Jewell Roark, and Sis. Edith Blair.

M.M.S. & C. to approve the Annual Letter as compiled.

Minutes of the meeting thus far were read and approved.

Announcements were given.

M.M.S. & C. that the Quarterly Conference accept the challenge of Bro. Trymon Messer of Salina to a Sunday School attendance contest during the month of October to coincide with the Fall Enlargement Campaign.

M.M.S. & C. that the East Kansas Quarterly Conference purchase district medals for the winners of the Bible Tic-Tac-Toe.

M.M.S. & C. to adjourn the business meeting.

Demonstration given by the Bible Tic-Tac-Toe Team of Topeka.

Financial Report

Balance Brought Forward at end of Feb. Session -----	\$ 128.85
Total received this session -----	45.79
Total Spent since last session -----	59.06
Balance on hand at end of this session -----	115.58

James O. Brewer, Clerk

54TH SESSION

CONVENED AT THE BETHEL FREE WILL BAPTIST CHURCH
KANSAS CITY, KANSAS
AUGUST 15-16, 1975

Friday Evening, 7:30 P.M.

Service was opened by congregation singing "To God Be The Glory" led by Bro. Homer Castle and Sis. Pauline Castle pianist.

Prayer by Bro. Howard Maxville.

Moderator Jack McAllister read John 12:23-32 from which the conference theme, "Exaltation of Christ" was taken.

Congregational songs "My Wonderful Lord" and "Praise Him! Praise Him!".

Attendance count of churches taken: Bethel 31, Emporia 1, Faith 5, New Hope 2, and Topeka 3, for a total of 42.

Welcome by Rev. Larry Messer with the response by Bro. Lloyd Moore.

Offering was received in the amount of \$12.00.

Special music "Jesus Is The Sweetest Name I Know" and "Joy Unspeakable" was sung by the Bethel Youth Group.

Message brought by Rev. Jim Summerson pointed out that Jesus is the Praised One, the Preeminent One, the Predicted One, the Perfect One, and the Powerful One. Scripture was read from John 12:32, John 1, Rev. 5, Matthew 7, Colossians 3, and Hebrews 4.

An altar of prayer was led by Rev. Larry Messer.

Benediction by Bro. George Smith.

Saturday Morning, 9:45 A.M.

Meeting called to order by Moderator, Rev. Jack McAllister.

Prayer by Bro. Charles Hunter.

Congregation sang "The Lily Of The Valley" and "Victory In Jesus" led by Sis. Terry Mitchell and pianist Sis. Pauline Castle.

Devotion by Rev. Jim Summerson taken from Revelations 1:5-6.

The Standing Delegates were recognized.

The Church letters were read. M.M.S.&C. to seat the delegates and accept the letters as read.

The rules of order were read by the Moderator.

The following committees were appointed:

Business Committee

Rev. Jim Summerson, Ch.

Rev. Larry Messer

Bro. Charles Hunter

Temperance Committee

Bro. Carl Willis Ch.

Sis. Donna Brewer

Bro. Lloyd Moore

Treasurer's report was read. M.M.S.&C. to approve report as read.

Executive Board report was read: Friday, Aug. 1, 1975, the Executive Board met at Topeka church at 7:30 P.M. and made the program for the Quarterly Conference. Two members were present: Rev. Richard Terry and Rev. Jack Stallings. This is for information only as no items of business was recommended to the Conference. Signed by Jack V. Stallings. M.M.S.&C. to accept report.

A historical report of Free Will Baptists in the State of Kansas, revised in August 1975, was read and copies were passed out for information.

Saturday Morning Worship Service, 10:45 A.M.

Service opened by congregation singing "Jesus Is The Sweetest Name I Know" led by Sis. Terry Mitchell with Sis. Pansy McAllister pianist.

Prayer by Bro. Charles Hunter.

Asst. Moderator, Jim Summerson, challenged each church to double attendance by the November Quarterly Meeting.

Congregational songs, "I am Resolved" and "When I See The Blood".

Offering received in the amount of \$13.35.

Personal testimonies were given.

Special music, "Moment by Moment," was sung by Rev. Jack McAllister.

Message brought by Rev. Jack McAllister from Revelations Chapter 5. Entitled "The Lamb in the Midst of the Throne."

Invitation was given and song "Just as I Am" was sung.

Benediction and blessing on food by Bro. Jim Whitworth.

Afternoon Business Session, 1:00 P.M.

Session opened by congregation singing "Follow On" led by Sis. Donna Brewer and Sis. Pansy McAllister pianist.

Prayer by Bro. Jim Brewer entitled "All Good Things Come From God."

Temperance Committee report was read: We the Temperance Committee have met and want to emphasize these verses because God has commanded all believers to abstain from all appearances of evil. I Thess. 5:22, II Cor. 6:17. Signed by Lloyd Moore, Carl Willis, and Donna Brewer. M.M.S. & C. to accept report.

Business Committee report was read: #1. We the Business Committee recommend that the speakers of the Quarterly Meeting receive the theme and/or sermon text at least three weeks before the conference convenes. #2. We the Business Committee recommend that the Moderator appoint the committees on Friday night to give the committees time to meet on Fridays. #3. We recommend that the Business Committee be permitted to recommend the speakers for the following Conference, to be approved by the floor. #4. We the Business Committee recommend that it be placed in our minutes that the Quarterly Conference will rotate from one church to the next in an alphabetical order, beginning with: Bethel, Emporia, Faith, New Hope, and Topeka. Signed by Jim Summerson, Charles Hunter, and Larry Messer. M.M.S.&C. to approve report item by item. All items carried.

New Business called for.

Minutes of the meeting thus far were read and approved.

Speakers for the next Quarterly Conference at Emporia were elected as follows: Rev. Larry Messer for the Friday evening speaker, and Bro. Trymon Messer for the Saturday morning speaker.

Announcements:

August 27-28, 7:30 P.M. Youth Services at Faith Church with Rev. Jack W. Stallings.

September 21 begins a Revival at Bethel Church with Rev Retes Hunsucker from Cushing, Oklahoma.

October 19, 3:30 P.M. Dedication Services for the Emporia Church with the Singing Ledbetters.

M.M.S. & C. to adjourn.

Dismissed in Prayer by Bro Richard Sandridge.

James O. Brewer, Clerk

Revised August 1975

KANSAS FREE WILL BAPTISTS

Free Will Baptist work in the state of Kansas began in the early 1950's and was spearheaded by a small group, most of whom were originally from Arkansas.

Rev. Dave Casteel and Rev. Jack Ledbetter were the preachers for those early services. The first two Kansas churches were organized in Wichita in 1954 -- First Church, in May 1954, under the pastorate of Rev. Dave Casteel; And West Side, in October of 1954, under the pastorate of Rev. Jack Ledbetter.

Free Will Baptists were few in number in Kansas in the early fifties. Out of their desire for fellowship, the churches in the Wichita area began well before the organization of a quarterly association to meet together for "Fifth Sunday Meetings."

The First Kansas Quarterly Association was organized January 27, 1962, at Wellington, Kansas. It included four churches; First, West Side, and Liberty (from Wichita); and the Wellington, Kansas, Free Will Baptist Church. The mission at Ulysses, under the leadership of Home Missionary Robert Sharpy, also joined the fellowship and became a member of the Quarterly Association as soon as the church was established.

Rev. Harry Staires and Rev. John West from Oklahoma assisted in the organization of the First Kansas Quarterly Association. The Advisory counsel consisted of Rev. Staires, Rev. West, Rev. Robert Sharpy, and Rev. D.T. Eaves, of Olathe.

Rev. Wayne Bookout was elected moderator of the newly organized First Kansas Quarterly Association; Rev. W.T. Turnbouth, Asst.; Christine Leichner, clerk; and Rev. Clyde Campbell, treasurer.

In Eastern Kansas other Free Will Baptist Churches were established in the 1950's and on May 18 - 19, 1962 the following churches met together at the New Hope Church in Kansas City, Kansas to organize the East Kansas Quarterly Meeting. They were:

New Hope, in Kansas City
Timberlane, in Olathe
Skyline, in Kansas City

Rev. James McAllister was elected as the first moderator and Elmer Russell Asst. Moderator. Paul Ussery was elected Clerk - Treasurer. Those elected to the Executive Committee were: D.T. Eaves, Jack McAllister, Jack Stallings, Clarence Howard, and Ernest Bailey.

The Kansas State Association of Free Will Baptists was organized June 16, 1962. Free Will Baptists from across the State met at the First church in Wichita June 15.- 16, 1962, and letters were read from First Kansas and East Kansas Associations expressing their desire to organize into a State Association.

Rev. Harry Staires, chairman of the National Home Missions Board, was in charge of the organization. Those serving on the organizational committee were: Rev. Harry Staires, Rev. John West, Rev. Bob Ketchum, Rev. Don Payne, and Rev. Roy Bingham (all from the Oklahoma State Association).

Rev. W. T. Turnbough was elected as State moderator, Rev. James McAllister, assistant; Rev. Wayne Bookout, clerk-treasurer; Rev. Gary Snow, assistant clerk.

The East Kansas Quarterly's constitution was adopted for interim use until a permanent constitution could be written. The Executive Board--comprised of the newly elected State officers plus Rev. Jack Ledbetter and Rev. Robert Sharpy--was charged with the responsibility of drawing up the permanent constitution, which was adopted June 14, 1963, at the second annual State Meeting.

In the 1963 session, a motion was adopted to petition the National Association in July for membership as the "Kansas State Association of Free Will Baptists."

Other actions taken in this session included the adoption of "The Arrow" as the State paper under the editorship of Rev. Glenn Staggs, the adoption of the cooperative plan of support for Free Will Baptist Work, and plans for the first State Youth Camp.

The progress of Free Will Baptist work in Kansas can be seen by comparing the membership in those early days with that of today. Church membership totaled 480 in 1963; it was 842 on December 31, 1974.

Thirteen churches make up the Kansas State Association in 1975. The East Kansas Quarterly numbers five churches--Topeka, New Hope, Bethel, Faith, and Emporia. The First Kansas Quarterly numbers eight--West Side, Gospel, and First (in Wichita); Wellington, Hutchinson, Ulysses, Salina, and Milan.

MINUTES OF THE EAST KANSAS QUARTERLY CONFERENCE
OF FREE WILL BAPTISTS

55TH SESSION

CONVENED AT THE FIRST FREE WILL BAPTIST CHURCH
EMPORIA, KANSAS
NOVEMBER 14-15, 1975

Friday Evening, 7:30 P.M.

Service was opened by congregation singing "Trust And Obey" and "Old Time Power".

Prayer by Bro. Gary Schrader.

Welcome by Rev. Jim Summerson.

Congregational song "The Light Of The World Is Jesus".

Attendance count of the churches taken: Bethel 14, Emporia 18, Faith 2, New Hope 0, Topeka 15, for a total of 49.

Offering was received in the amount of \$8.47.

Message brought by Rev. Larry Messer from II Cor. 9, II Cor. 8:5, Psalms 107, and Romans 12:1.

I Cor. 11:23-25 was read by Rev. Jim Summerson, Assistant Moderator, concerning Communion. Prayer by Rev. Richard Terry.

Communion Service.

John 13:1-17 read by Rev. Jim Summerson concerning Feet Washing.

Feet Washing Service.

Congregational song "Will Jesus Find Us Watching?".

Dismissed in prayer by Rev. Jack Stallings.

Saturday Morning, 9:45 A.M.

Meeting called to order by Moderator, Jack McAllister.

Congregation sang "Victory In Jesus" led by Bro. Lyle Williams and Sis. Cathy Linton, pianist.

Prayer by Rev. Grover Terry.

Congregational song "Praise Him! Praise Him!".

Devotion by Bro. Charles Hunter taken from John 17:1-20.

Visitors were recognized.

The Standing Delegates were recognized.

The Church letters were read. M.M.S. & C. to seat the delegates and accept the letters as read.

The rules of order were read by the Moderator.

M.M.S. & C. to recognize Rev. Grover Terry as ex-officio member during this Quarterly Meeting.

The following committees were approved:

Business Committee

Rev. Jim Summerson, Ch.

Rev. Larry Messer

Rev. Richard Terry

Temperance Committee

Bro. Lyle Williams, Ch.

Bro. Laney Messer

Bro. Cleon Lenton

Treasurers report was read. M.M.S. & C. to approve report as read.

Partial executive Board Report was made: A committee shall be appointed consisting of the pastor and a lay delegate from each church in the East Kansas Quarterly Conference to evaluate and submit recommended changes to the constitution and submit list of standing resolutions. Report to be submitted by yearly meeting. Signed by richard terry, Jack Stallings, and Lloyd Moore. M.M.S. & C. to accept report.

The moderator appointed the committee as follows:

Rev. Jack McAllister, Ch., Charles Hunter, Rev. Jim Summerson, Asst. Ch., Lyle Williams, Rev. Jack Stallings. Lloyd Moore, Rev. Larry Messer, Richard Sandridge, Rev. Richard Terry, and Jim Brewer.

Dismissed to recess.

11:00 A.M. Worship Service

Service opened by congregation singing "When the Roll is Called Up Yonder" led by Br. Lyle Williams, pianist Sis. Cathy Linton.

Prayer by Bro. Richard Sandridge.

Congregation song "He Hideth My Soul."

Offering received in amount of \$9.58.

Special music by Bethel Youth Group sang Psalms 63:3-4, "Put your Hand in His Hand" and Bro. Cleon Linton sang "In the Valley He Restoreth My Soul", "Hallelujah Square" and "Our Redemption Draweth Nigh."

Message brought by Rev. Grover Terry of Wichita from IICor. 9:6, Gal. 6:7-8, John 17, Psalm 133 and Eph. 4:1-3.
Concerning building Churches

Invitation was given and song "Just as I Am" was sung.

Benediction and Blessing on food by Rev. Jack Stallings.

Afternoon Business Session 1:30 P.M.

Session opened by congregation singing "There is Power in the Blood" led by Bro. Lyle Williams, pianist Sis. Cathy Linton.

Prayer by Bro. Chris Summers.

Congregational song "Faith Is The Victory."

Devotion by Bro. Lyle Williams from Psalms 119:18,11,105,27.

Special music by Sis. Terry Mitchell and Sis. Donna Brewer entitled "Is My Lord Satisfied With Me", and by Bro. Lyle Williams entitled "Down From His Glory."

Business Committee Report was read: We the Business Committee recommend that the host church be recognized for its outstanding hospitality by this body rising to its feet as a standing vote of thanks. M.M.S. & C. to accept report.

No Temperance Committee Report was given.

M.M.S. & C. to give an honorarium of \$25.00 to Rev. Grover Terry.

Remainder of Executive Board report was read: We have received a letter of recommendation for Rev. Larry Messer from the First Kansas Quarterly Conference and recommend that he be given full recognition as a minister in the East Kansas Quarterly Conference. M.M.S. & C. to accept report.

Speakers for the next Quarterly Conference at Faith Church were elected as follows: Rev. Jack Stallings for the Friday evening service and Rev. Richard Terry for the Saturday morning service.

Minutes of the meeting thus far were read and approved.

Report of attendance for the Sunday School attendance contest with the Salina church during the month of October was taken: New Hope 85, Emporia 51, Bethel 101, Faith 8, Topeka 43, for a monthly total of 288. A letter of congratulations will be sent to the Salina Church.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Constitutional Committee will meet at Topeka Church at 9:00 A.M. Dec. 13.

November 28th-30th, Revival at New Hope with Dr. Joe Ange.

Evening of Dec. 20th. and morning of Dec. 21st., Brashears Singing Group will be at New Hope, and evening of Dec 21st., they will be at Bethel.

M.M.S. & C. to adjourn.

Dismissed in prayer by Bro. Cleon Linton.

James O. Brewer, Clerk