## MINUTES 116TH SESSION EAST KANSAS QUARTERLY CONFERENCE OF

### FREE WILL BAPTISTS

\* Meeting at the \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*

First Free Will Baptist Church 1720 East 6th Avenue Emporia, Kansas

\* February 15-16, 1991 \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*

Friday Evening Worship Service - 7:30 p.m.

Congregational Song: "Stand Up, Stand Up for Jesus"

Prayer led by Bro. James O. Mize, Pastor, Bethel Free Will Baptist Church, Kansas City, Kansas.

Welcome by Bro. Larry Collins, Pastor, First Free Will Baptist Church, Emporia, Kansas.

Response by Bro. Steve Hendrix, Pastor, First Free Will Baptist Church, Topeka, Kansas.

Congregational Song: "He Brought Me Out"

Offering received (\$49.56), led in prayer by Bro. Bob Lee, First Free Will Baptist Church, Topeka, Kansas.

Congregational Song: "Near The Cross"

Special Music: Sis. Linda Trayford and Bro. Larry Collins sang "Heaven Came Down."

Message: Rev. Ernest Harrison, Jr., Pastor, Beacon Free Will Baptist

Church, Raytown, Missouri

John 18:28-40 and 19:1-4, "The Truthfulness of God"

Invitation: "Breathe On Me"

Appointment of Committees:

Business Committee: Bro. Steve Hendrix

Bro. Lloyd Moore Bro. Larry Collins

Obituary Committee: Sis. Donna Brewer

Sis. Doris Moore

Nominating Committee: Bro. Bob Lee

Bro. James O. Mize Bro. James O. Brewer

Public Morals Committee: Sis. Linda Lee

(Standing Committee)

Sis. Karen Mize Sis. Patricia Collins

Announcements: Woman's Auxiliary Meeting, Saturday Morning, 8:30 a.m.

Benediction by Bro. Louis Oelke, First Free Will Baptist Church, Emporia, Kansas.

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### Saturday Morning, May 19, 1990

Woman's Auxiliary Meeting - 8:30 a.m.

### Saturday Morning Business Session - 9:15 a.m.

Session opened in prayer by Bro. Lloyd Moore, Bethel Free Will Baptist Church, Kansas City, Kansas.

Congregational Song: "Isn't He Wonderful" and "His Name is Wonderful"

Devotion given by Bro. James O. Mize, Pastor, Bethel Free Will Baptist Church, Kansas City, Kansas - "Promises"

MM & S to accept the reading of the Topeka and Bethel Church Letters and seat the Delegates, motion carried.

Moderator read the Rules of Order.

The remainder of the November minutes were read, MM & S to approve minutes as read, motion carried.

The Treasurer's report was given by Sis. Della Lyons, Treasurer, with a balance of \$260.19, MM & S to approve as read, motion carried.

Dismissed for recess in prayer led by Bro. Larry Collins.

RECESS.

### Committee Reports:

### Business Committee Report:

We, the Business Committee, recommend:

- A gift of \$100 be given to the Turnbough account from the General Fund.
- Honorarium of \$125.00 be paid to Bro. Ernest Harrison, Jr., from the General Fund.
- The new pastor of the Free Will Baptist Church in Lincoln, 3. Nebraska, be our speaker at the next quarterly conference.

4. That we give a standing vote of thanks to the Host Church, First Free Will Baptist Church, Emporia.

Signed: Lloyd Moore

Larry M. Collins Steve Hendrix

MM&S to accept the report as read and act on No. 4, motion carried.

### Executive Committee Report:

The Executive Committee recommends that the Reports of Bro. James O. Mize, Bro. Steve Hendrix, and Bro. Larry Collins be approved and that they be given cards of good standing.

Signed: Larry M. Collins

Steve Hendrix James O. Mize

MM&S to approve the report as read, motion carried.

### Public Morals Committee Report:

"Safe Sex, Wrong Answer" We, the Public Morals Committee feel that every Christian should be aware of a week set aside (February 14-21, 1991) designated as "Safe-Sex Week."

Rather than promote abstinence (which is what God teaches us in I Timothy 5:22 "Lay hands suddenly on no man, neither be partakers of other men's sins. Keep thyself pure.") our public officials and schools are distributing the tools to encourage our children to be sexually active.

It's like telling our children to abstain from sex, but since we know they can't, they can come and get these tools free from some of our health agencies, which agree that abstinence is best, but these tools rank second best in combating teen pregnancy and sexually transmitted diseases. These tools are not reliable. Statistics show that one out of every five of these safe tools are bad.

We each need to pray for our children and that we will be a greater influence through God's word than the so-called freedom that the world offers which can cost them their lives.

"Then when lust hath conceived, it bringeth forth sin, and sin, when it is finished, bringeth forth death." James 1:15

Respectfully submitted,

Signed: Linda Lee

Karen Mize Trish Collins

MM&S to accept the report as read, motion carried.

### Obituary Committee Report:

God, in His infinite wisdom, has called home to be with Him, our dear brother in Christ:

### Jess Fletcher, Bethel

We ask that a moment of silence be observed as we stand in respect and that prayer be offered for the remaining family and friends.

Respectfully submitted,

Signed: Doris Moore Donna Brewer

MM&S to receive the report and grant the request, motion carried. Bro James O. Brewer (Topeka) led in prayer.

### Nominating Committee Report:

The Nominating Committee recommends the following as officers for the 1991 year:

Moderator . . . . . . . . . . . Bro. James O. Mize Asst. Moderator . . . . . . . . . . . Sis. Judy Sprout Treasurer . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . Sis. Della Lyons Asst. Clerk/Treasurer . Bro. Louis Oelke

Executive Committee . . 3 year man - Larry Collins (as information) . 2 year man - Steve Hendrix

(as information . . 1 year man - vacant

### Respectfully,

Signed: Bro. Bob Lee James O. Brewer

James O. Mize

MM&S to receive the report and proceed to elect, motion carried. All recommended officers were elected.

Bro. James Mize took charge of the rest of the meeting. Bro. Mize appointed Bro. Jim Brewer, Sis. Karen Mize, and Bro. Larry Collins to serve on the Auditing Committee.

MM&S to approve the minutes as read thus far, motion carried.

### Announcements:

Bro. Jim Brewer handed out some information and made an announcement on the Men's Retreat.

Bro. Bob Lee brought to the attention of the Quarterly the financial need of the CE Board.

Bro. Jim Mize announced the Sunday School Seminar, March 1-2, 1991. The Seminar will begin at 7:00 p.m. on Friday night and at 9:00 a.m. on Saturday morning.

Bro. Mize also announced that Bro. & Sis. Turnbough (missionaries to Spain) will be in the State the 8-10 of March. Bro. Larry Collins announced that the Emporia Church will be having a walk-a-thon the 30th of March to raise funds for the Turnboughs.

MM&S to dismiss the Business session, motion carried.

### Saturday Morning Worship Service - 11:00 a.m.

Prayer led by Bro. Bob Lee (Topeka).

Congregational Song: "It Is No Secret"

Offering received, led in prayer by Bro. Louis Oelke (Emporia).

Congregational Song: "Sweet, Sweet Spirit"

Special Music: Bro. Larry Collins and Sis. Linda Trayford sang "No

One Ever Cared Like Jesus"

Message: Rev. Ernest Harrison, Jr., Pastor, Beacon Free Will Baptist

Church, Raytown, Missouri - Ephesians 4:11-16, Colossians

1:27-29

Invitation - "I Surrender All"

Benediction and blessing on food by Sis. Donna Brewer (Topeka).

Respectfully submitted,

Judy Sprøut, Clerk

Minutes taken and typed by Sis. Judy Sprout.

## East Kansas Quarterly Conference Treasurer's Report

Balance last Quart	er	\$245.14			· · .
Receipts: Offerings:					•
Fri. p.m. \$62.1  Sat. a.m. \$27.9	·		•		
Total \$90.0	5			· .	
Representation fee	\$75.00				
Total receipts	\$165.05				
Balance plus recei	pts \$410.19				
Disbursements:					
Speaker	\$125.00	<b></b>			
Clerk	\$ 25.00				·
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Total;	\$150.00		<b></b>	<u> </u>	<del></del>
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### Annual Report

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Feb.	\$120.23		Feb. \$100.00	
May	\$ 47.68		May \$100.00	
Aug.	\$ 53.07		Aug. \$ 75.00	
Nov.	\$ 90.05		Nov. \$ 75.00	
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Spea	kers:		Clerk;	
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				\$85.86

Jan.1st 1990 balance-- \$260.02

Offerings --- \$311.03

Delegates fees-- \$350.00

\$921.05

Disbursements:

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Disbursements...\$660.86

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Signed: Dela: M. Lyons treasurer

Date: January 2-1991

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Friday Evening Worship Service - 7:30 p.m.

Conference opened by Moderator James O. Mize, Pastor, Bethel Free Will Baptist Church, Kansas City, Kansas.

Prayer led by Bro. Bob Lee, First Free Will Baptist Church, Topeka, Kansas.

Congregational Song: "Kneel at the Cross"

Welcome by Rev. Steve Hendrix, Pastor, First Free Will Baptist Church, Topeka, Kansas.

Response by Rev. Larry Collins, Pastor, First Free Will Baptist Church, Emporia, Kansas.

Congregational Song: "When I See The Blood"

Offering received, led in prayer by Rev. Steve Hendrix, \$19.00.

Congregational Song: "In The Garden"

Special Music: Bro. Steve Hendrix - "The Refiner's Fire"

Message: Rev. John Kruger, Pastor, Capitol City Will Baptist Church,

Lincoln, Nebraska, - II Timothy 1:1-14

Invitation

Appointment of Committees:

Business Committee: Bro. Lloyd Moore

Bro. Louis Oelke

Bro. Bob Lee

Obituary Committee: No Need

Announcements: Woman's Auxiliary Meeting, Saturday Morning, 8:30 a.m.

Benediction and Blessing on Refreshments by: Bro. Louis Oelke, First Free Will Baptist Church, Emporia, Kansas.

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### Saturday Morning, May 18, 1990

Woman's Auxiliary Meeting - 8:30 a.m.

Saturday Morning Business Session - 9:15 a.m.

Business Session opened in prayer by Bro. Louis Oelke.

Congregational Song: "Where Could I Go?"

Devotion given by Bro. Lloyd Moore, Bethel Free Will Baptist Church, Romans 12:1-2 "Are We Willing to be a Living Sacrifice?"

MM & S to accept the reading of the Local Church Letters and seat the Delegates, motion carried.

Moderator read the Rules of Order.

The remainder of the February minutes were read, MM & S to approve minutes as read, motion carried.

The Treasurer's report was given by Sis. Della Lyons, Treasurer, with a balance of \$185.75, MM & S to approve as read, motion carried.

Dismissed for recess in prayer led by Bro. James O. Brewer, First Free Will Baptist Church, Topeka.

#### RECESS

### Committee Reports:

### Business Committee Report:

We recommendation...

- 1. Honorarium of \$125.00 be given to Rev. John Kruger from the General Fund.
- 2. We suggest that Kevin Jackson, from Harmony Free Will Baptist, Parkville, Missouri, be our next Quarterly Speaker.
- 3. Standing vote of thanks be given to Host Church (Topeka).

Respectfully,

Signed: Bob Lee
Lloyd Moore
Louis J. Oelke

MM & S to receive the report and grant the recommendation, motion carried.

### Public Morals Committee Report:

We the Public Morals Committee feel that we as Christians need to be careful of the picture we are showing to the world as summer approaches.

In Genesis 3:7-12 we read how Adam and Eve made clothing out of fig leaves to cover themselves.

In I Timothy 2:9a we are told to adorn ourselves in modest apparel. Not in the "if you got it, flaunt it" age in which we live.

We need to be cautious that as the days get warmer we don't become ungodly and compromise ourselves with the world's standards.

Romans 12:1-2 "...make my life a living sacrifice, holy and acceptable..."

Respectfully submitted,

Signed: Linda Lee, Chairperson

Patricia Collins

Karen Mize

MM & S to accept the report as read, motion carried.

### Auditing Committee Report:

The Auditing Committee met at the First Free Will Baptist Church in Emporia on Friday, March 1, 1991. The records of the East Kansas Quarterly Conference, Sis. Della Lyons-Treasurer, were in the hands of the Committee.

We examined the records through the Quarterly Conference Year, January 1, 1990, through December 31, 1990. They were found to be in good order and prepared in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles.

Signed: James O. Brewer

Karen S. Mize Larry M. Collins

MM&S to approve the report as read, motion carried.

MM & S to elect Sis. Donna Brewer, Sis. Patricia Collins, Sis. Linda Lee, Bro. Louis Oelke, and Bro. Terry Huntington as delegates to the State Association in June with Moderator to appoint other delegates as needed, motion carried.

MM & S to receive the Quarterly Letter to the State Association as read, motion carried.

MM & S to approve the minutes as read, with correction, thus far, motion carried.

#### Announcements:

Bro. Jim Brewer, First Free Will Baptist Church, Topeka, made an announcement about Youth Camp, the financial need of the CE Board, and the need to know by June 15, those who would be willing to be a worker at camp.

Bro. Steve Berry will be the guest speaker at Youth Camp for the Juniors and Primaries. Bro. Jerry Myers will be the Teen Speaker.

Sis. Donna Brewer, First Free Will Baptist Church, Topeka, made an announcement regarding the State Woman's Auxiliary Banquet at the State Meeting and invited everyone to attend. Dr. Mary Ruth Wisehart will be the guest speaker.

Bro. Jim Mize announced that they are having a carnival on June 1, 1991, to raise funds for the CE Board.

Bro. Larry Collins said "thanks" for those who raised funds for the Turnboughs.

Bro. Jim Mize reminded everyone of the State Meeting June 13-15, at Bethel.

MM & S to dismiss the Business Session, motion carried, led in prayer by Sis. Donna Brewer.

### Saturday Morning Worship Service - 11:00 a.m.

Prayer led by Bro. Bill Cordill, Bethel Free Will Baptist Church, Kansas City, Kansas.

Congregational Song: "When We All Get To Heaven"

Offering received, led in prayer by Bro. Lloyd Moore, \$50.51.

Special Music: Sis. Linda Lee - "I'll Talk To The Father".

Sis. Linda Lee, Sis. Donna Brewer, and Sis. Teresa

Hendrix - "The Longer I Serve Him"

Message: Rev. John Kruger, Pastor, Capitol City Free Will Baptist

Church, Lincoln, Nebraska - I Timothy 3:15-16

Invitation - "I Surrender All"

Benediction and blessing on food by Bro. Steve Hendrix.

Respectfully submitted,

## East Kansas Quarterly Conference Treasurer's Report

Balance last Quar	ter	\$260.19			
Receipts: Offerings:					
Fri. p.m. \$49 Sat. a.m. \$36			1		
Total \$85	<u>. 56</u>				
Representation fe	es \$90.00			•	
Total receipts	\$175.56				
Balance plus rece	ipts 3435.75				
Disbursements:					
Speaker	\$125.00				
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(Missionaries) Spain	\$100.00				
Turnbough s				\$435.75	
Total;	\$250.00			\$250.00	
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Quarterly Confere	ince balance.	\$185.75	• ·		
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	Date:	may 17, 1991		•	

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FREE WILL BAPTISTS

\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* Meeting at the \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*

Bethel Free Will Baptist Church 2719 N. 67th Street Kansas City, Kansas

\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* August 16-17, 1991 \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*

Friday Evening Worship Service - 7:30 p.m.

Conference opened in prayer by Bro. Clyde Davis, Bethel Free Will Baptist Church.

Congregational Song: "Count Your Many Blessings"

Welcome by Bro. Bill Cordill, Bethel Free Will Baptist Church, Kansas City, Kansas.

Response by Bro. Bob Lee, First Free Will Baptist Church, Topeka, Kansas.

Congregational Song: "Standing on the Promises"

Offering received, led in prayer by Rev. James O. Mize, Pastor, Bethel Free Will Baptist Church, Kansas City, Kansas. (\$46.25)

Congregational Song: "Since Jesus Came Into My Heart"

Special Music: "The Lord is My Shepherd" by Cammy Warden

Message: Rev. Kevin Jackson, Pastor, Harmony Free Will Baptist Church, Parkville, Missouri - Jeremiah 6:14 "The Hurt,

Slightly Healed"

Invitation - "Just As I Am"

Appointment of Committees:

Business Committee: Bro. Larry Collins, Chairman

Bro. Lloyd Moore Bro. Jim Brewer

Obituary Committee: Sis. Edith Blair

Sis. Johna McFarland

Sis. Lonna Oelke

Announcements: Woman's Auxiliary Meeting, Saturday Morning, 8:30 a.m.
Topeka will be having Revival Services August 26-30

with Rev. Curtis Linton from Tulsa, Oklahoma.

Benediction by Rev. Larry Collins, Pastor, First Free Will Baptist Church, Emporia, Kansas.

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Saturday Morning, August 17, 1991

Woman's Auxiliary Meeting - 8:30 a.m.

Saturday Morning Business Session - 9:15 a.m.

Prayer led by Bro. Bob Lee, First Free Will Baptist Church, Topeka, Kansas.

Congregational Song: "When We All Get To Heaven"

Devotion given by Bro. James O. Brewer - "Confusion" Acts 19:21-32, James 3:3-4, 13-18.

MM & S to accept the reading of the Local Church Letters and seat the Delegates, motion carried.

Moderator read the Rules of Order.

The remainder of the May minutes were read, MM & S to approve minutes as read, motion carried.

The Treasurer's report was given by Sis. Della Lyons, Treasurer, with a balance of \$136.80, MM & S to approve, motion carried.

Dismissed for recess in prayer led by Bro. Bill Cordill, Bethel Free Will Baptist Church, Kansas City.

RECESS

### Committee Reports:

### Business Committee Report:

We, the Business Committee recommend the following:

- 1. Honorarium of \$125.00 be given to Rev. Kevin Jackson.
- 2. The next speaker for the East Kansas Quarterly Conference be Rev. Larry Haggard.
- 3. A standing vote of thanks be given to the Host Church, Bethel, for their fine hospitality.

Respectfully Submitted,

Signed: Larry M. Collins Lloyd Moore

James O. Brewer

MM & S to approve the report as read and grant the request, motion carried.

### Public Morals Committee Report:

"Nude Dancing--Sin or Art"

We, the Public Morals Committee, feel that this so-called art is most definitely a <u>sin</u>.

If we look back to Matthew 14:6-7 "But when Herod's birthday was kept, the daughter of Herodias danced before them and pleased Herod. Whereupon he promised with an oath to give her whatsoever she would ask." Also in Mark 6:22 "And the daughter of the said Herodias came in, and danced, and pleased Herod and them that sat with him, the king said unto the damsel, Ask of me whatsoever thou wilt, and I will give it thee." If you read on you see that that art of dancing caused those who looked on to lust and then caused a murder.

In I Corinthians 10:6 we are told "Now these things were our examples, to the intent we should not lust after evil things, as they also lusted." Also in Exodus 20:13, "Thou shalt not kill."

In these two verses we are told along that sin was committed because of what they saw in that dance that day. Dancing, little alone nude, can lead to fleshly desires, lust, child abuse, rape, and murder. Now you decide is nude dancing or any kind of dancing a sin or is it an art?

This was what the Commissioners in Topeka were up against a few months ago. In which they were trying to ban nude dancing, which was defeated.

We as Christians need to be in prayer on this and all other moral issues and let our Government, County, and City officials know where we stand in our rights and faith as Christians.

Ephesians 6:13 "Wherefore take unto you the whole armour of God, that ye may be able to withstand in the evil day, and having done all, to stand." Ephesians 6:16 "Above all, taking the shield of faith, wherewith ye shall be able to quench all the fiery darts of the wicked."

Respectfully submitted,

Signed: Linda Lee, Chairperson Karen Mize

MM & S to accept the report as read, motion carried.

### Obituary Committee Report:

God in His wisdom has saw fit to call from our midst our Sister, Thelma Sewell. We bow in humble submission to His will and ask that we stand for a moment of silence in rememberance, followed with a word of prayer.

Signed: Edith Blair
Lonna Oelke
Johna McFarland

MM & S to receive the report and grant the request, motion carried.

MM & S to accept the minutes as read thus far, motion carried.

#### Announcements:

Woman's Retreat - November 1-2, 1991, at Camp Webster, all ladies are invited to attend.

Bethel will be having Bro. Hank Murray in services on August 25th, Revival Services October 7-11, and Harvest Sunday the first Sunday in October.

Bro. Jim Brewer gave a report on Youth Camp.

Dismissed the Business portion of Saturday meeting, led in prayer by Rev. Larry Collins.

### Saturday Morning Worship Service - 11:00 a.m.

Service opened in prayer by Sis. Johna McFarland, First Free Will Baptist Church, Topeka, Kansas

Congregational Song: "Victory in Jesus"

Offering received, led in prayer by Bro. Lloyd Moore, Bethel. \$27.55

Special Music: Piano Solo "He's Got the Whole World in His Hand" by Cammy Warden. "Mansion on the Hill Top" and "What A Day That Will Be" by Sis. Linda Lee, Sis. Carol Henderson, and Bro. Clyde Davis

Message: Rev. Kevin Jackson, Pastor, Harmony Free Will Baptist Church, Parkville, Missouri - "The Uncrossable Rivers" Jeremiah 32:17, 27; Luke 1:37, 18:27; and John 6:1-13

Invitation - "I Surrender All"

Respectfully submitted,

Judy Sprout, Clerk

Minutes taken and typed by Sis. Judy Sprout.

### East Kansas Quarterly Conference Treasurer's Report

Balance last Quarter	\$185.75	
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Receipts:		
Offerings:		•
Fri. p.m. \$19.00		
Sat. a.ms. \$52.05	•	
Total \$71.05		•
Representation fees		
\$90	.00	
Total receipts \$161	• 05	
Balance plus receipts	\$346.80	
Disbursements:		
Speaker \$125.0	0	
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(State Fees)		
		\$346.80
Total \$210.0	0.	\$210.00
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Prayer led by Bro. James O. Mize, Pastor, Bethel Free Will Baptist Church, Kansas City, Kansas.

Congregational Song: "I Am Thine, O Lord"

Welcome by Bro. Robbie Rutledge, Pastor, First Free Will Baptist Church, Emporia, Kansas.

Response by Bro. Jim Brewer, First Free Will Baptist Church, Topeka, Kansas.

Congregational Songs: "Leaning on the Everlasting Arms" and "Victory in Jesus"

Offering received (\$30.95), led in prayer by Bro. Craig Massey, First Free Will Baptist Church, Emporia, Kansas.

Attendance	Count	of	Churches:	Bethel	22 20
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Total..... 51

Special Music: Kelly Massey and Amanda Edington sang "The Warrior is a Child"

Message: Rev. Larry Haggard, Missionary Appointee to Overland Park, Kansas. Joshua 22:5

Invitation

Appointment of Committees:

Business Committee: Bro. Jim Brewer

Bro. Lloyd Moore Bro. Craig Massey

There was no need for an Obituary Committee.

Sis. Janet Warden was appointed to take Sis. Patricia Collins place on the Public Morals Committee.

Announcements: Woman's Auxiliary Meeting, Saturday Morning, 8:30 a.m.

Benediction by Bro. Robbie Rutledge, Pastor, First Free Will Baptist Church, Emporia, Kansas.

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### Saturday Morning, November 16, 1991

Woman's Auxiliary Meeting - 8:30 a.m.

### Saturday Morning Business Session - 9:15 a.m.

Session opened in prayer by Bro. Bob Lee, First Free Will Baptist Church, Topeka, Kansas.

Congregational Song: "Follow On"

Devotion given by Bro. Billy Barlow, Pastor, First Free Will Baptist Church, Topeka, Kansas - Romans 1:14-16 "Building the Church"

MM & S to accept the reading of the Church Letters and seat the Delegates, with correction, motion carried.

Moderator read the Rules of Order.

The remainder of the August minutes were read, MM & S to approve minutes as read, motion carried.

The Treasurer's report was given by Sis. Della Lyons, Treasurer, with a balance of \$150.60, MM & S to receive as read, motion carried.

Dismissed for recess in prayer led by Bro. Lloyd Moore, Bethel Free Will Baptist Church, Kansas City, Kansas.

### RECESS

### Committee Reports:

### Business Committee Report:

We, the Business Committee, recommend the following:

- 1. Honorarium of \$125.00 be given to Rev. Larry Haggard.
- 2. The next speaker for the East Kansas Quarterly Conference be Rev. Robbie Rutledge.
- 3. A standing vote of thanks be given to the host church, Emporia, for their hospitality.

Signed: Craig Massey Lloyd Moore

James O. Brewer

MM&S to approve the report and grant the request, motion carried.

### Public Morals Committee Report:

Just recently the County was shocked by the announcement that one of our major sports figures was plagued with AIDS.

The question that day was "how" and then when the shock set in he was looked on and called a hero.

It was also announced that he was going to speak out and educate our youth.

Educating our youth is what we need to do, but it needs to be done according to God's Word.

When we think of how this man stands out to sports fans, whether old or young, this man and others can influence so many.

The Bible tells us "I beseech you therefore, brethern, by the mercies of God, that ye present your bodies a living sacrifice, holy, acceptable unto God, which is your reasonable service." Romans 12:1 and "What? Know; ye not that your body is the temple of the Holy Ghost which is in you, which ye have of God, and ye are not your own." I Corinthians 6:19 In these verses we learn that our bodies are God's and not our own.

In I Corinthians 3:17 God tells us of His wrath if we defile His temple. "If any man defile the temple of God, he shall God destroy; for the temple of God is holy, which temple ye are."

Instead of Magic Johnson's conclusion for "safe sex", we need to be counteracting this statement by teaching our youth that AIDS in God's Word stands for "Abstinence IS Definitely Safer" and is the only way in God's Word.

Respectfully submitted,

Signed: Linda Lee

Karen Mize Janet Warden

MM&S to accept the report as read, motion carried.

Letter of recommendation for Bro. Billy Barlow from the Vernon Association was read. MM&S to accept Bro. Barlow as a pastor in good standing in the East Kansas Quarterly Conference, motion carried.

MM&S to grant a letter of recommendation to the Northeast Mississippi District Association for Rev. Larry Collins, motion carried.

MM&S to approve the minutes as read thus far, motion carried.

Bro. Jim Brewer made known a letter he received from the Randal House Youth Ministry requesting a National Youth Day in February and the financial need they have.

Dismissed the Business portion of Saturday meeting, led in prayer by Bro. Billy Barlow.

### Announcements:

Bro. Jim Mize reminded everyone that November is National Home Mission's Month and that there is a great financial need in the Home Mission's Department.

Bro. Jim Brewer, Bro. Craig Massey, and Bro. Robbie Rutledge were nominated to serve on the Auditing Committee. They will review the Treasurer's books and report at the next Quarterly meeting (February).

### Saturday Morning Worship Service - 11:00 a.m.

Prayer led by Bro. Ray Hubbard, First Free Will Baptist Church, Wichita, Kansas.

Congregational Song: "I Love To Tell The Story"

Offering received, led in prayer by Bro. Bob Lee, First Free Will Baptist Church, Topeka, Kansas.

Congregational Song: "When We All Get To Heaven"

Special Music: Kelly Massey and Amanda Edington sang "Peace Be Still"

Message: Rev. Larry Haggard, Missionary Appointee to Overland Park,

Kansas - John 9:4

Invitation

Benediction and blessing on food by Bro. Larry Haggard.

Respectfully submitted,

Judy Sprout! Clerk

Minutes taken and typed by Sis. Judy Sprout.

### EAST KANSAS QUARTERLY CONFERENCE

### Treasurer's Report

Balance last Quarter
Receipts:
Offerings:
Friday Evening \$ 46.25
Saturday Morning <u>27.55</u>
Total Offerings \$ 73.80
Representation Fees 90.00
Total Receipts
Balance plus receipts
Disbursements:
Speaker \$ 125.00
Clerk
Total Disbursements
Balance minus Disbursements
QUARTERLY CONFERENCE BALANCE

Signed by Sis. Della M. Lyons.