MINUTES

of

91st Annual Session

of the

EUREKA FREE WILL BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

When convened at the permanent home of the Eureka Free Will Baptist Association, four miles east of Stigler or seven miles west of Keota, Ok., on Thursday night before the First Sunday in September,1999 A.D.

The next session will convene at the Eureka Association

Tabernacle, four miles east of Stigler, Oklahoma, on
Thursday night before the first
Sunday in September, 2000 A.D.

7:30 P.M.
Thursday evening
OPENING MESSAGE
Rev. Mark Woodall

Alternate
Rev. Kenneth Turpin

Friday, 11:00 A.M.
INTRODUCTORY SERMON
Bro. Johnny Adcock

Alternate

Bro. Eugene Christenberry

Rev. Dale Wendlandt, Moderator
Rev. A.J. Robinson, Assistant Moderator
Sis.Joyce Wendlandt, P.O.Box 595, Stigler, Ok. 74462, Treas/Clerk
Sis. Lola Williams, Rt. 2, Box 1329, Stigler, Ok., Assistant

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RULESOFORDER

- 1. At every sitting, business shall be opened and concluded by prayer by the Moderator, or whosoever he may call on.
- 2. Visiting ministers present are invited to seat in council and allowed to take part in debates on all subjects, but are not allowed to vote.
- 3. Those who speak shall arise and address the Moderator. Personal reflections shall be avoided in all debates
 - 4. No motion shall be discussed without being seconded.
- 5. When a motion has been made and seconded and a member opposes its discussion, the Moderator shall put question; shall it be discussed.
- If any proposition or motion under debate contains two or more points, it shall be divided at the request of any member and a vote taken.
 - 7. A motion made and lost shall not be recorded.
- 8. No one shall speak more than twice on any subject without special permission of the Moderator.
- 9. The Moderator shall have the authority to object to any discussion not carried on in a Christian spirit.
- 10. All questions shall be decided by a majority of the members present.
- 11. No member shall absent himself or herself without special leave of the Moderator.
- 12. Minutes shall be leisurely read and corrected before the close of the Association.
- 13. The Rules of Order shall be distinctly read from the Chair immediately after organization of the Association.
- 14. Alterations shall be made in these rules at any regular session of the Association.

CHURCH ORDER OF BUSINESS

- 1. Called to order by Moderator.
- 2. Called into conference, or vote to go into conference
- 3. Call for peace of the church, (all who are at peace with God and with others, hold up your right hand)
- Visiting brethren invited to seat in Council (Visiting members from other Free Will Baptist Churches).
- 5. Reading of Minutes of last conference.
- 6. Reading of Treasurer's Report.
- 7. Unfinished business.
- 8. New business.

ORDER OF BUSINESS

- 1. House called to order by Moderator.
- 2. Letters called for and received.
- 3. Right hand of fellowship is extended.
- 4. Election of Officers.
- 5. Reading Rules of Order.
- 6. Petitionary letters called for.
- 7. Introductory sermon to be preached.
- 8. Inviting visiting brethren to seat in Council.
- 9. Appointment of Committees.
- 10. New Business.
- 11. Miscellaneous Business.

PLACING OF PREACHERS AND DEACONS MEETINGS

FIRST: IRON BRIDGE 23 OCTOBER 1999
SECOND: LAFAYETTE 22 JANUARY 2000
THIRD: ROSE HILL 22 APRIL 2000
FOURTH: ROCKFORD 22 JULY 2000

PLACING OF FIFTH SUNDAY MEETINGS

 FIRST:
 IRON BRIDGE
 29-30 OCTOBER 1999

 SECOND:
 LAFAYETTE
 28-29 JANUARY 2000

 THIRD:
 ROSE HILL
 28-29 APRIL 2000

 FOURTH:
 ROCKFORD
 28-29 JULY 2000

CALENDAR OF EVENTS FOR COMING YEAR

OCTOBER 1999: Sat. 23rd - PREACHER & DEACONS MEETING

- Iron Bridge Free Will Baptist Church

Sat. 23rd-YOUTH FELLOWSHIP

- Tabernacle

Fri. 29th-Sat. 30th - FIFTH SUNDAY MEETING

- Iron Bridge Free Will Baptist Church

NOVEMBER 1999: Sat. 27th - YOUTH FELLOWSHIP -Tabernacle

DECEMBER 1999: NO YOUTH FELLOWSHIP

JANUARY 2000: Sat. 22nd - PREACHER & DEACONS MEETING

- Lafayette Free Will Baptist Church

Sat. 22nd - YOUTH FELLOWSHIP -Tabernacle Fri. 28th-Sat. 29th - FIFTH SUNDAY MEETING

- Lafayette Free Will Baptist Church

FEBRUARY 2000: Sat. 26th - YOUTH FELLOWSHIP - Tabernacle

MARCH 2000: Fri. 3rd - YOUTH CAMP PLANNING MEETING

- Tabernacle

Sat. 25th-YOUTH FELLOWSHIP - Tabernacle

APRIL 2000: Sat. 22nd - PREACHER & DEACONS MEETING

- Rose Hill Free Will Baptist Church

Sat. 22nd - YOUTH FELLOWSHIP - Tabernacle Fri. 28th-Sat. 29th FIFTH SUNDAY MEETING

- Rose Hill Free Will Baptist Church

MAY 2000: Sat. 27th-YOUTH FELLOWSHIP - Tabernacle

JUNE 2000: Sat. 10th-THOMPSON REUNION

SINGING - Tabernacle

2nd or 3rd Week in June -YOUTH CAMP -

Tabernacle

Sat. 24th - YOUTH FELLOWSHIP - Tabernacle

JULY 2000: Sun. 16th - Thurs. 20th - NATIONAL ASSOCIA-

TION MEETING - Anaheim, California

Sat. 22nd - PREACHER & DEACONS MEETING

- Rockford Free Will Baptist Church

Sat. 22nd - YOUTH FELLOWSHIP - Tabernacle

Fri. 28th-Sat. 29th FIFTH SUNDAY MEETING

- Rockford Free Will Baptist Church

AUGUST 2000: Sat. 5th-FOUR COUNTY SINGING

CONVENTION - Tabernacle

Sat. 26th YOUTH FELLOWSHIP - Tabernacle

SEPTEMBER 2000: Thur. Aug. 31st - Sat. 2nd -ASSOCIATIONAL

MEETING - Tabernacle

Sun. 10th - Pastor Appreciation Day

Sat. 26th YOUTH FELLOWSHIP - Tabernacie

OCTOBER 2000: Mon. 9th - Thur. 12th -STATE ASSOCIATION

MEETING

THURSDAY EVENING SERVICE

House called to order by Moderator, Rev. Dale Wendlandt. Siong: "What a Day That Will Be," directed by Rev. James Williams with Sis. Theresa Ross at the piano.Prayer by Rev. Ward Fellabaum. Songs: "That Glad Reunion Day," "The Eastern Gate," "I'll Have a New Life." Had an altar of prayer.

Testimony srvice led by Sis. Lola Williams. Sang "Amazing Grace" and had a handshake.

Service turned to Bro. Eugene Christenberry for the message. Reading: John 3:3-8, Ephesians 4:17-32, 5:1-7, Isaiah 42:6-10, Colossians 3:8-10, Isaiah 43:18-19, I John 2:15-16.

Dismissed in prayer by Rev. Mark Woodall.

FRIDAY MORNING BUSINESS SESSION

Opened with singing "Sweet By and By," directed by Rev. Mark Woodall with Sis. Pat Maxwell at the piano.

Devotional reading by Bro. Henry Kates, Luke 4:16-21. Prayer by Rev. Delmon Eakle.

Motion by Rev. Ward Fellabaum, seconded by Rev. James Williams, to enter conference. Motion carried.

Called for letters. Received 7. Motion by Rev. James Williams, seconded by Rev. John Maxwell, to receive the letters as read and seat the delegates. Motion carried.

Right hand of fellowship was extended to the delegates and alternates by Moderator, Rev. Dale Wendlandt, and Assistant Moderator, Rev. A.J. Robinson.

Election of officers: Moderator: Rev. Dale Wendlandt. Assistant Moderator: Rev. A.J. Robinson. Clerk: Sis. Joyce Wendlandt. Assistant Clerk: Sis Lola Williams.

Rules of Order were read by Assistant Moderator, Rev. A.J. Robinson. Petitionary Letters called for. One received from Quinton First Free Will Baptist Church:

"August 8, 1999. With the agreement of the members of the First Free Will Baptist Church of Quinton, we entered into conference by motion of Bro. Hugo Thomas and seconded by Sis. Evelyn Stephens to withdraw from Eureka Association. Bro. Luther Brown, moderator, Sis. Alice Thomas, secretary. Prayer by Bro. Brown. Carried by all present. Motion made by Sis. Evelyn to dismiss, seconded by Bro. Hugo. Prayer by Bro. Brown."

Motion by Rev. Ward Fellabaum, seconded by Rev. John Maxwell, to table letter until Saturday afternoon. Motion carried.

A letter from Rev. Luther Brown was read by the clerk: "August 8, 1999. To the Eureka Association. I, Luther Brown, resign from the office of Credential Board. (Signed) Luther Brown." Motion by Rev. James Williams, seconded by Rev. Ward Fellabaum, to receive letter and table action on letter until Saturday afternoon. Motion carried.

Letter from Quinton Church requesting that Bro. Johnny Adcock go before the Examining Council. Motion by Sis. Shirley Roye, seconded by Sis. Rhonda Hurst, to receive letter and send Bro. Adcock before Examining Council. Motion carried.

Motion by Rev. John Maxwell, seconded by Bro. J.W. Kirkland, to dismiss conference until 1:00 Friday afternoon. Motion carried.

Prayer by Bro. J.W. Kirkland.

FRIDAY MORNING WORSHIP SERVICE

Leadership turned to Assistant Moderator, Rev. A.J. Robinson.

Opened with singing "Victory in Jesus," directed by Rev. Mark Woodall, with Sis. Pat Maxwell at the piano. Had an altar of prayer. Sang "He Lives," "Just a Little Talk with Jesus," and "Till the Storm Passes By."

Testimony service turned to Bro. John McGuire.

Service turned to Rev. Dale Wendlandt for the Introductory Message. Reading: Hebrews 4:12. Prayer by Rev. Kenneth Turpin. Text: "Do You Have a Weapon?"

Dismissed in prayer by Rev. Ward Fellabaum, also asking the blessing on the noon meal.

FRIDAY AFTERNOON BUSINESS SESSION

Opened with singing "Where Could I Go?" directed by Rev. Mark Woodall, with Sis. Pat Maxwell at the piano.

Devotional reading by Bro. Johnnie Bratton, reading James 2:1-26. Prayer by Rev. Mark Woodall.

Motion by Rev. Mark Woodall, seconded by Bro. J.W. Kirkland, to enter conference. Motion carried. Prayer by Bro. Carl Dix.

Called for letters. None received. Right hand of fellowship extended to delegates that needed to be seated by Moderator, Rev. Dale Wendlandt..

Appointing of Committees: See Committees.

Financial report read by Treasurer, Sis. Joyce Wendlandt. Motion by Rev. Ward Fellabaum, seconded by Bro. Jack Perdue, to receive report as read. Motion carried.

Committees dismissed to bring in reports. Body declared in recess while waiting on committees.

Body declared back in session.

Report of Pulpit Committee: See reports.

Report of Query and Request Committee. See Report #1. Motion by Rev. James Williams, seconded by Bro. Johnnie Bratton, to receive report for discussion. Motion carried.

See Query and Request Committee Report #2. Motion by Rev. Ward Fellabaum, seconded by Sis. Rhonda Hurst, to receive report for discussion. Motion carried.

Motion by Rev. James Williams, seconded by Sis. Rhonda Hurst, that Eureka Association labor with the Quinton Church. Motion carried.

Motion by Rev. James Williams, seconded by Sis. Rhonda Hurst, that the Executive Board be in charge of laboring with the Quinton Church. Motion carried.

Resolution Committee Report #1. Motion by Sis. Alice Tabor, seconded by Sis. Pat Maxwell, to receive report for discussion. Motion carried.

Motion by Rev. James Williams, seconded by Bro. J.W. Kirkland, that we appoint the 1 year, 2 year, and 3 year men on the Executive Board

to serve as Board of Trustees. Motion carried.

Resolution Committee Report #2. Motion by Rev. Kenneth Turpin, seconded by Bro. J.W. Kirkland, to receive report for discussion. Motion carried.

Motion by Rev. James Williams, seconded by Rev. Ward Fellabaum, to table until Saturday afternoon. Motion carried.

Motion by Sis. Lucille Kelton, seconded by Bro. Jack Perdue, to dismiss conference until 10:00 Saturday morning. Motion carried.

Prayer by Rev. Delmon Eakle.

FRIDAY AFTERNOON WORSHIP SERVICE

Leadership of service turned to Assistant Moderator, Rev. A.J. Robinson. Opened with singing "Heaven's Jubilee," directed by Rev. Mark Woodall with Sis. Pat Maxwell at the piano.

Service turned to Rev. Ward Fellabaum for the message. Reading: I Corinthians 4:5, Jeremiah 3:15, I Peter 5:2, Matthew 28:20.

Dismissed in prayer by Rev. James Williams.

FRIDAY EVENING WORSHIP SERVICE

Leadership of service turned to Assistant Moderator, Rev. A.J. Robinson. Opened with altar of prayer.

Choir was assembled and sang "Higher Ground," with Sis. Pat Maxwell at the piano. Sang "Jesus Hold My Hand."

Prayer by Rev. Fred Riddle.

Sang "I Will Call Upon the Lord." Sis. Pat Maxwell and Rev. Mark Woodall sang "The Next Hand." Sis. Barbara Howard sang "Victory in Jesus."

Leadership of testimony service turned to Sis. Lucille Kelton.

Service turned to Rev. James Williams for the message. Reading: Revelation 3:17-18, Romans 13:12, Esther 4:1, Jonah 3:1-4, Ephesians 6:7. Text: "Put on the Lord."

Dismissed in prayer by Rev. Wade Jernigan.

SATURDAY MORNING BUSINESS SESSION

Opened with singing "I'll Fly Away" directed by Rev. Mark Woodall with Sis. Pat Maxwell at the piano. Devotional reading by Rev. John Maxwell, reading Proverbs 17:1-13. Prayer by Rev. Ward Fellabaum.

Motion by Bro. Roger Hurst, seconded by Bro. Jack Perdue, to enter conference. Motion carried.

Prayer by Bro. Jack Perdue.

Called for letters. Received 3. Motion by Rev. Ward Fellabaum, seconded by Sis. Shirley Roye, to receive letters and seat delegates. Right hand of fellowship was extended to delegates by Moderator, Rev. Dale Wendlandt, and Assistant Moderator, Rev. A.J. Robinson.

Committees were dismissed to bring in reports. Body declared in recess.

Body declared back in session.

Report of Pulpit Committee. See Reports.

Report of Query and Request Committee. See Report #3. Motion by Rev. Mark Woodall, seconded by Rev. James Williams,to adopt this request. Motion carried. Bro. Wade and Sis. Nettie Lou Jernigan were given the right hand of fellowship by the congregation.

Motion by Rev. Ward Fellabaum, seconded by Bro. Roger Hurst, to dismiss conference until 1:00 Saturday afternoon. Motion carried.

Prayer by Bro. Roger Hurst.

SATURDAY MORNING MEMORIAL SERVICE

Opened with testimony service led by Sis. Alice Tabor.

Sang "That Glad Reunion Day," directed by Rev. Mark Woodall with Sis. Pat Maxwell at the piano.

Service turned to Rev. A.J. Robinson for the message.

The names of the deceased were read by Rev. A.J. Robinson. The families of the deceased were recognized by presenting a rose to them.

Rev. James Williams assembled a group to sing "What a Meeting in the Air."

Rev. A.J. Robinson read Mark 14:6-9, Genesis 2:1-3, Ecclesiastes 4:1-3, Hebrews 4:9-11, Revelation14:12-13.. Text: "Rest to the People of God."

Had a song and a handshake. Dismissed in prayer by Bro. Roger Hurst, also asking the blessing on the noon meal.

SATURDAY AFTERNOON BUSINESS SESSION

Opened with singing "Leaning on the Everlasting Arms," directed by Rev. Mark Woodall, with Sis. Pat Maxwell at the piano.

Devotional reading by Bro. Nolan Mainus, reading John 3:16. Prayer by Bro. Henry Kates.

Motion by Bro. Johnnie Bratton, seconded by Bro. Mark Woodall, to enter conference. Motion carried.

Prayer by Bro. Doug Honeycutt.

Called for letters. None received.

Committees dismissed to bring in reports. Body declared in recess.

Body declared back in session.

Appointing of Committees. See Committees.

Setting of Fifth Sunday Meetings. See Meetings.

Motion by Rev. John Maxwell, seconded by Rev. Kenneth Turpin, to accept Rev. Luther Brown's resignation from the Examining Council. Motion carried. Rev. John Maxwell Jr. was elected to serve in Rev. Brown's place.

Report from Examining Council #1.

Motion by Rev. John Maxwell Jr., seconded by Bro. Doug Honeycutt,

to accept the recommendation of the Council. Motion carried. Right hand of fellowship was extended to Bro. Johnny and Sis. Gayla Adcock.

Report of Examination Council #2.

Motion by Bro. Doug Honeycutt, seconded by Bro. Roger Hurst, to accept recommendation. Motion carried.

Report of Resolution Committee #3.

Motion by Bro. Roger Hurst, seconded by Bro. Doug Honeycutt, to receive report. Motion carried.

Query and Request Committee Report #4. Motion by Rev. John Maxwell Jr., seconded by Bro. Nolan Mainus, to receive report. Motion carried. (\$496.40 was donated by offering jar.)

Resolution Committee Report #2 was brought back before the body. Motion made by Rev. James Williams, seconded by Bro. Nolan Mainus, to add to resolution that all requests be sent to Clerk. Motion carried.

Letter from Quinton Church brought back to floor. Motion by Rev. Ward Fellabaum, seconded by Rev. James Williams, to set this matter aside for six months. Motion carried.

Motion by Bro. Roger Hurst, seconded by Bro. Nolan Mainus, to receive final report of committees and thank them for their services. Motion carried.

Motion by Bro. Roger Hurst, seconded by Bro. Nolan Mainus, to dismiss conference. Motion carried.

Prayer by Sis. Evelyn Mainus.

SATURDAY EVENING SERVICE

Leadership of service turned to Assistant Moderator, Rev. A.J. Robinson. Called for altar of prayer.

Sang "Sweet Hour of Prayer," directed by Rev. Mark Woodall with Sis. Theresa Ross at the piano. Sang "I'd Rather Have Jesus," "He Touched Me," and "I Must Tell Jesus."

Prayer by Bro. Jack Perdue.

Sang "It Is No Secret."

Service turned to Bro. Henry Kates for testimony service. Read Luke 10:30-35, Psalms 84:10.

Bro. Larry and Sis. Theresa Ross, Bro. Mack Kinsey, Rev. Delmon and Sis. Ina Eakle sang "Land Where Living Water Flows." Sis. Ina Eakle sang "I Want Us To Be Together in Heaven."

Service turned to Rev. John Maxwell Jr. for the message. Reading: I Peter 2:13-23, I John 2:6, John 13:15, I Timothy 4:12, Jude 7. Prayer by Rev. Dale Wendlandt. Text: "The Redeemed Cautioned to Holy Living."

Dismissed in prayer by Bro Johnnie Bratton..

DELEGATES

CASS: Sis. Lucille Kelton, Bro. John McGuire, Sis. Barbara Howard. Alternate: Sis. Artie Lee Nolan. No pastor at this time. Clerk: Sis. Bernice Bisby, Rt. 2, Box 2025. Stigler, OK 74462. 918-967-4025.

CROSSROADS: Letter submitted after Association meeting.

IRON BRIDGE: Sis. Jeanenne Ball, Sis. Beulah Cordle, Sis. Jackie Freeman. Alternate: Bro. Julius Morris. Pastor: Rev. A. J. Robinson. Clerk: Sis. Freeda Doss, Rt. 2, Box 1970, Stigler, OK 74462. 918-967-4483.

KEOTA: Sis. Debra Shropshire, Sis. Belinda Hill, Sis. Janaile Owens. Alternate: Bro. Marcus Burgess. Pastor: Rev. Stanley Smith. Clerk: Sis. Lora Tabor, P. O. Box 275, Keota, OK 74941. 918-966-3458.

LAFAYETTE: Bro. Ivan Roye, Sis. Gerry Roye, Bro. Henry Kates. Alternate: Bro. J.W. Holt. Pastor: Rev. Dale Wendlandt. Clerk: Sis. Helen Fowler, 701 NE 5th Street, Stigler, OK 74462. 918-967-4231.

LONE ELM: Sis. Pat Maxwell, Sis. Loucille Dix, Sis. Alice Tabor. Alternate: Bro. Carl Dix. Pastor: Rev. John Maxwell Jr. Clerk: Sis. FredaMoore, Route 2 Box 323, Keota, OK 74941. 918-966-3461.

NORTHSIDE SALLISAW: Bro. Donald Wilson, Sis. Ellen Wilson, Sis. Hazel Clough. Pastor: Rev. Jimmy Goines. Clerk: Sis. Evelyn Mainus, HC 61 Box 188, Sallisaw, OK 74955. 918-775-9533.

PERRY: Sis. Lucille Tyler, Sis. Tamie Peck, Bro. Wayne Peck. Pastor: Rev. Fred Riddle. Clerk: Sis. Freda Kelley, Rt. 1, Box 4145, Stigler, OK 74462. 918-967-4951.

ROCKFORD: Sis. Anna Wagoner, Sis. Delayne Eacret, Bro. Ricky Williams. Alternate: Bro. Charley Ramsey. Pastor. Rev. Tommy Brown. Clerk: Sis. Frances Long, Rt. 2 Box 251, Keota, OK 74941. 918-966-3883.

ROSE HILL: Bro. J.W. Kirkland, Sis. Fredine Kirkland, Sis. Shirley Roye. Alternate: Bro. Claude Roye. Pastor: Rev. Kenneth Turpin, Clerk: Sis. Judy Hulsey, Rt. 2, Box 2660, Stigler, OK 74462. 918-967-2730.

TAMAHA: Sis. Mary Shouse, Sis. Martha Rouell. Pastor: Rev. Ward Fellabaum. Clerk: Sis. Alma Ward, Rt. 1, Box 2710, Stigler, OK 74462. 918-967-0218.

VISITING MINISTERS
Rev. Wade Jernigan

DELEGATES TO STATE ASSOCIATION

Bro. Roy Perryman Bro. J.W. Holt Sis. Beth Woodall

GENERAL BOARD MEMBER 2000

None

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

5 YEAR MAN:
4 YEAR MAN:
3 YEAR MAN:
2 YEAR MAN:
4 YEAR MAN:
3 YEAR MAN:
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6 YEAR MAN:
7 YEAR

1 YEAR MAN: Bro. Roger Hurst

EXAMINING COUNCIL

5 YEAR MAN: Rev. James Williams 4 YEAR MAN: Rev. Tommy Brown 3 YEAR MAN: Rev. Ward Fellabaum 2 YEAR MAN: Rev. John Maxwell Jr. 1 YEAR MAN: Rev. Kenneth Turpin

1. We, the Examining Council, find that Bro. Johnny Adcock is sound in doctrine, and we recommend Bro. Adcock be ordained to preach the Gospel and pastor churches if called.

2. We, the Examining Body of Free Will Baptist Association, have examined and have decided to extend Bro. Eugene Christenberry's license for one year.

RESOLUTION COMMITTEE

Rev. Mark Woodall, Bro. Henry Kates, Bro. J.W. Kirkland

1. That a standing board of trustees be appointed. Let the 1 year, 2 year, and 3 year men on the Executive Board serve as trustees.

2. We resolve that Item #25 in the minutes be rescinded and replaced with the following attached resolution:

This Association shall have an Examining Council consisting of a maximum of 5 but no less than 3 ordained men elected to serve terms of 5, 4, 3, 2, 1 years. It shall be the duty of this Council to meet with any minister or deacon desiring either license, ordination, or membership into the Association. They shall examine all candidates according to instructions given in I Timothy 3:1-12 and Titus 1:5-9, using the Questionnaire for Ministers and Questions on Doctrine as a guide and help only. After examination, a recommendation is made to the body.

Churches shall submit any petitionary letter or request for examination at least 3 weeks in advance of the Fifth Sunday Meeting or Association Meeting so that the Council may meet with candidates prior to the meeting. The Council shall require that all men to be examined be present during examination.

This Council can and will meet at other times at the request of the Eureka Association or Fifth Sunday Meeting.

YARD COMMITTEE

3 YEAR MAN: Bro. Henry Kates
2 YEAR MAN: Bro. Doug Honeycutt
1 YEAR MAN: Bro. Billy Joe Long

HONORARY MEMBERS: BRO. RAYMOND PATTON, BRO. JOHNNIE BRATTON.

PULPIT COMMITTEE

Sis. Helen Fowler, Bro. Johnnie Bratton, Sis. Jewell Robinson

THURSDAY EVENING, OPENING MESSAGE: Bro. Eugene Christenberry. Testimony Service: Sis. Lola Williams.

FRIDAY MORNING, INTRODUCTORY MESSAGE: Rev. Dale Wendlandt. Testimony Service: Bro. John McGuire.

FRIDAY AFTERNOON MESSAGE: Rev. Ward Fellabaum.

FRIDAY EVENING MESSAGE : Rev. James Williams. Testimony Service: Sis. Lucille Kelton.

SATURDAY MORNING, MEMORIAL MESSAGE: Rev. A.J. Robinson. Testimony Service: Sis. Alice Tabor.

SATURDAY EVENING MESSAGE: Rev. John Maxwell Jr., Testimony Service: Bro. Henry Kates.

QUERY AND REQUEST COMMITTEE Rev. Ward Fellabaum, Sis. Gerry Roye, Sis. Alice Tabor

- 1. We the Query and Request Committee have noticed in Sunday School classes or Bible study that different versions of the Bible are used, which causes confusion. We agree to use the King James version only.
- 2. Request has been made with the Eureka Association that we labor with Quinton Church and pastor before action on their letter stating withdrawal. We recommend that the 5 year, 3 year, and 1 year men of the Examining Council lead this committee to labor with them.
- 3. We, the Eureka Association of Free Will Baptist, would like to honor and thank Bro. Wade and Sis. Nettie Lou Jernigan for loving Erueka Association and her people enough to have fifty years of fellowship with us.

We, the Eureka Association of Free Will Baptist, would also like to receive Bro. Wade Jernigan, this roving Ambassador for Christ, as an adopted son of the Eureka Association.

4. We the Query and Request Committee have heard of the request for financial help for Rev. Larry Palmer, who is seriously ill. We recommend that each church contribute what they can. Any donations that can be made today at this meeting will be appreciated.

OBITUARY COMMITTEE Sis. Fredine Kirkland, Sis. Pat Maxwell, Bro. J.W. Holt

Sis. Ethel Neldon

CASS: Bro. Vernon Bisby

CROSSROADS: Bro. Kenneth Turner

IRON BRIDGE: Bro. Redmon Brigance

LAFAYETTE: Sis. Letha Few LONE ELM: Sis. Cindy Floyd

KEOTA:

ROCKFORD: Bro. Arthur Carey

FINANCE COMMITTEE REPORT Sis. Lucille Kelton, Sis. Rhonda Hurst, Sis. Shirley Roye

CHURCH	MINUTES	YARD	DELEGATE	TOTAL	
CASS	15.00	35.00	100.00	150.00	
CROSSROADS	0	0	0	0	
IRON BRIDGE	40.00	75.00	50.00	165.00	
KEOTA	50.00	130.00	50.00	230.00	
LAFAYETTE	50.00	50.00	50.00	150.00	
LONE ELM	22.00	50.00	50.00	122.00	
NORTHSIDE SALLISAW	20.00	230.00	50.00	300.00	
PERRY	30.00	80.00	50.00	150.00	
QUINTON FIRST	0	0	0	0	
ROCK FORD	20.00	20.00	50.00	90.00	
ROSE HILL	30.00	35.00	50.00	115.00	
TAMAHA	12.00	100.00	50.00	162.00	
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TOTALS	279.00	805.00	550.00	1634.00	

(Sent to Treasurer after Association Meeting:

Crossroads: Minutes, \$15.00; Yard, \$60.00; Youth Camp, \$200.00.

Northside Sallisaw: Youth Camp, \$250.00.)

TREASURER'S REPORT

As Treasurer and Clerk of The Eureka Association, I bring you my yearly report. Time covered, Sept.1998 to Sept. 1999. Had in treasury at the end of 1998, \$4,108.79.

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Rev. Dale Wendlandt/ Evangelist270.00	
TOTAL EXPENSE 1998-99	
Balance forwarded from 1998 4,108.79 Add total income 10,292.09 Less Total Expenses 11,318.41 Leaves a Balance Sept. 1, 1999 of \$3,082.47	
Prayerfully submitted by your Association Treasurer, Sis. Joyce	
Wendlandt, and Assistant Clerk, Sis. Lola Williams.	
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CONSTITUTION

From the long experience, we, the members of the Free Will Baptist Church of God, being regularly baptized upon a profession of our faith in Jesus Christ, and being convinced of the necessity of a combination of the churches to perpetuate a union among us and to preserve and maintain correspondence with each other, we therefore ordain this constitution for better church government.

- 1. This association shall be composed of members chosen by different churches in our union, not exceeding three delegates from each church and on producing letters shall be entitled to seats.
- 2. Letters from different churches are to express the number in fellowship, the number received by experience of grace, number by letter of recommendation, the number dismissed, excluded, restored, and those who have died since the association.
- 3. The members thus chosen and convened, to be denominated the Eureka Association of Free Will Baptists, being composed of

sundry churches in the Eureka Association—the association having no power to lord it over God's heritage nor to have an ecclesiastical power over any church becoming disorderly.

- 4. The association to have a Moderator, Clerk, Assistant Clerk, and Treasurer who are to be chosen by the suffrage of the members present.
- No question from any church shall come under consideration of the association unless it has first been discussed in its own church.
- 6. Every motion made and seconded shall come under the consideration of the association, except when it is withdrawn by the member who made it.
- 7. The association is to endeavor to furnish the church with minutes of the association in proportion to the number of members in each church, distribution being at the discretion of the association.
- 8. It shall be the duty of the clerk to keep a regular file of the minutes of the association for that purpose.
- 9. The minutes of the association shall be read and corrected if needed and signed by the moderator and clerk before the close of the association.
- 10. Amendments to the constitution may be made when it is necessary, by a majority of the members present.
- 11. Be it resolved that an ordaining council for the ministers and deacons be composed of three (3) ordained ministers in good standing in association.
- 12. Be it resolved that all money be sent to the treasurer of the association.
- 13. The Examining Committee of the association shall examine ministers for license at the request of the church of which candidate is a member.
- 14. The Examining Committee shall examine at the end of one year, licensed ministers and deacons for ordination at the request of the church of which the minister and deacon is a member. Request shall be made to association or the fifth Sunday meeting.
- 15. The voting power of the association shall be ordained ministers, their wives, ordained deacons and their wives, church clerk, and duly elected delegates from each church. The above shall be in good standing with the association.
- 16. Be it resolved that we adopt the old original Free Will Baptist Treatise as our rule, faith and practice.
- 17. Be it resolved that we adopt the Church Covenant found in our old original Free Will Baptist Treatise.
- 18. Be it resolved that no business from a local church shall be considered by this body unless it be included in the regular church letter and that this letter can only contain items that have been approved by the local church when in conference.

RESOLUTIONS-1961

1. Be it resolved that all resolutions adopted by the Eureka Association be printed in conclusion with our constitution and be carried in print from year to year as a part of our Rules and Laws.

2. Be it resolved that we adopt the rule that when a church selects deacons, that they be set aside on trial for 12 months, before being ordained. The deacon acting during the 12 months, but not ordained before the 12 months are up.

3. Be it resolved that the Constitution be amended giving Executive Board control over the Youth Camp

RESOLUTIONS-1963

4. As we are interested in our youth, and we all have a part in youth camp, be it resolved that we form a committee, composed of one delegate from each church in the association, to meet with the Executive Board, at a time and place designated by the Executive Board, to work out plans, policy changes, etc. Each church elects its own delegate.

RESOLUTIONS-1964

5. Be it resolved that our Clerk receive an honorarium of \$75.00 and our Assistant Clerk \$50.00 (Revised 1976, Resolution Committee-Amended 1998).

RESOLUTIONS-1965

- 6. We resolve that the churches of our association go over church rolls once a year and keep up to date.
- 7. We, the Resolution Committee, suggest that the names of the ministers not found to be orthodox or who have moved or are deceased, be removed from the list of ministers in the minutes.

RESOLUTIONS-1966

8. Be it resolved that the Eureka Association convene on Thursday night before the first Sunday in September instead of Wednesday night.

RESOLUTIONS-1967

Be it resolved that the teachers from the Youth Camp be elected a month at least, before the camp time, so they will have more time for preparation.

RESOLUTIONS-1968

10. Let us resolve that Eureka Association go on record that we do not believe or teach that Christ will set up a literal kingdom on the earth which is known as pre-millennial reign of 1000 years

RESOLUTIONS-1970

- 12. Be it resolved that no new minister serve on an association board until he is a member for one year.
 - 13. Removed 1978.

RESOLUTIONS-1973

- 14. Be it resolved that any minister refusing to attend and support the quarterly meetings, preachers' and deacons' meetings and the association, by letter or person, shall be subject to discipline,unless providently hindered.
- 15. Be it resolved that when a minister comes from another association to pastor a church in the Eureka Association that he be referred to the Examining Council for examination.
- 16. Be it resolved that we abstain from preaching or teaching from the Living Word Bible.
- 17. Newly organized churches may petition for membership by letter upon an examination by the Examining Council. If found orthodox and orderly they may be received into the association by majority vote present. The Moderator may give the right hand of fellowship.
- 18. Any church or minister coming from another association may become a member of this association upon examination by the Examining Council and vote of the association, provided a letter of recommendation is furnished by the association from which they come.

RESOLUTIONS-1976

19. We, your Committee, request that our association send in the \$320.00 to the State Association Treasurer and that each church pay their \$20.00 into the Association Treasurer. If a church is not willing or able, let it be known and the Association will take care of it.

RESOLUTIONS--1978

- 20. Be it resolved that Article No. 14 be changed to read that any minister or deacon refusing to attend and support the quarterly meetings, preachers' and deacons' meetings and the association by letter or person shall be subject to discipline unless providently hindered.
- 21. Be it resolved that no business from a local church shall be considered by this body unless it be included in the regular church letter. And that this letter can only contain items that have been approved by the local church when in conference. We recommend that this be added to our constitution.
- 22. Be it resolved that all deacons' names, addresses and phone numbers be placed in our minutes.
- 23. Be it resolved that we strike Resolution No. 13 from our resolutions, and that we make a resolution that we do not believe in having prayer lines or the teaching of laying on of the hands for the healing of our bodies in our churches.
- 24. Be it resolved that the executive board have a standing board meeting on Saturday afternoon of the ministers and deacons meeting. Let the one-year man serve as chairman and the three-year man serve as secretary. Let the secretary of the executive board report the board members' attendance of these meetings to the secretary of the Eureka Association. Let the position or place of any member who

does not attend at least two of these four regularly scheduled meetings be declared vacant. These regularly scheduled meetings are not to prevent the board from meeting at its own discretion.

25. This Association shall have an Examining Council consisting of a maximum of 5 but no less than 3 ordained men elected to serve terms of 5, 4, 3, 2, 1 years. It shall be the duty of this Council to meet with any minister or deacon desiring either license, ordination, or membership into the Association. They shall examine all candidates according to instructions given in I Timothy 3:1-12 and Titus 1:5-9, using the Questionnaire for Ministers and Questions on Doctrine as a guide and help only. After examination, a recommendation is made to the body.

Churches shall submit any petitionary letter or request for examination at least 3 weeks in advance of the Fifth Sunday Meeting or Association Meeting so that the Council may meet with candidates prior to the meeting. The Council shall require that all men to be examined be present during examination.

This Council can and will meet at other times at the request of the Eureka Association or Fifth Sunday Meeting. (Revised 1999)

RESOLUTIONS-1982

26. Be it resolved that no member of the Association shall be elected to more than one office on the standing boards of Association.

RESOLUTIONS-1989

- 27. Be it resolved no business shall be voted on during the Associational meeting, until all the committees are present.
- 28. Be it resolved, that when a preacher or deacon dies, the wife no longer has a standing vote in the Association.

RESOLUTIONS-1997

- 29. Be it resolved that the Questionnaire on Ministers and Doctrine become a permanent part of the minutes of the Eureka Free Will Baptist Association.
- 30. Be it resolved that the Eureka Association of Free Will Baptists go on record that we stand against homosexuality, lesbianism, same sex marriages, and common law marriages. These lifestyles are unacceptable according to Biblical principles. References: Romans 1:26-27, Hebrews 13:4

CHURCH COVENANT

Having given ourselves to God, by faith in Christ, and adopted the Word of God as our rule of faith and practice, we now give ourselves to one another by the will of God in this solemn covenant.

We promise, by His grace, to love and obey Him in all things. To avoid all appearance of evil, to abstain from all sinful amusements and unholy conformity to the world, from all sanction of the use and sale of intoxicating beverages and to "provide things honest in the sight of all men."

We agree faithfully to discharge our obligation in reference to the study of the Scriptures, secret prayer, family devotions, and social worship, and by self denial, faith and good works endeavor to "grow in grace and knowledge of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ."

We will not forsake the assembling of ourselves together for church conferences, public worship, and the observance of the ordinances of the Gospel; nor fail to pay, according to our ability, for the support of the church, of its poor, and all its benevolent work.

We agree to accept Christian admonition and reproof with meekness and to watch over one another in love, endeavoring to "keep the unity of the spirit" in the bonds of peace. To be careful of one another's happiness and reputation and seek to strengthen the weak, encourage the afflicted, admonish the erring, and as far as we are able, promote the success of the church and of the Gospel.

We will everywhere hold Christian principle sacred and Christian obligations and enterprises supreme, counting it our chief business in life to extend the influence of Christ in society, constantly praying and toiling that the kingdom of God may come, and His will be done on earth as it is in Heaven.

To this end, we agree to labor for the promotion of educational and denominational enterprises, the support of missions, the successes of Sunday Schools and evangelistic efforts for the salvation of the world. And may the God of peace sanctify us wholly and preserve us blameless unto the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ.

ARTICLES OF FAITH

- 1. We believe in one true and living God, Father, Son and Holy Ghost and these three are one in divine essence, power and glory. Romans 1-2; 1 John 1:7, John 17:21.
- 2. We believe that the scriptures of the Old and New Testament are the inspired Word of God and the only infallible rule of faith and practice. Il Timothy 3:16; Matthew 5:18.
- 3. We believe that God created man good, and gave His holy commandments whereby he should live holy, but man voluntarily fell under the just condemnation of the same, whereby all mankind are sinners, not by constraint, but by choice, being partakers of the sinful nature attained by the fall and that man is unable to save himself with his own power, but we see Jesus for suffering of death crowned with glory. That He, by the grace of God, should taste death for every man. Gen 3:17; Heb. 2:9.
- 4. We believe that Christ by His death, suffering and resurrection purchased our pardon and offered it freely to all mankind upon principles of repentance toward God and faith in the Lord Jesus Christ. He now commands all men everywhere to repent. Therefore he saith, "Look unto Me and be saved, all ye ends of the earth, for I am God and there is none else." Matt. 4:17; Isaiah 45:22; Acts 20:20.

- 5. We believe that adult persons must be regenerated and born of the Spirit of God, to inherit eternal life. John 3:3: I Peter 1:23.
- 6. We believe that infants and idiots are saved upon the merit of the Son of God. Jonah 4:11; Mark 10:14; Duet. 1:39.
- 7. We believe that all Christians must persevere in grace and be faithful to the end if they may have right to the tree of life and enter through the gate into the city. We believe God's grace is sufficient so long as they walk in the path of duty, but those who wilfully refuse or neglect to perform their duty would backslide and if persist continually would be eternally lost. I Peter 1:4-5; I Cor. 10:1-13; Hebrews 12:15-17: I John 5:16: Hebrews 6:6: II Peter 2:20.
- 8. The Terms of Salvation. The conditions of salvation are: 1. Repentance or sincere sorrow for sin and hearty renunciation of it. 2. Faith or the unreserved committal of one's self to Christ as Savior and Lord with purpose to love and obey Him in all things. In the exercise of saving faith the soul is renewed by the Holy Spirit, freed from the dominion of sin and becomes a child of God. 3. Continuance in faith and obedience unto death. Heb, 11:6; II Peter 3:9.
- 9. We believe that God in His goodness displays His power of grace in great degree in calling and qualifying His servants by teaching of the Holy Ghost and by instruction of His word to go forth, and nothing prevents the salvation of any but their stubborn rebellion and sinful refusal to come. I Cor. 12:13. Eph. 3:7; Rev. 22:17.
- 10. To replace No. 10 in Articles of Faith, 1963 change. We believe that Baptism (the immersion of believers in water), the Lord's Supper, and feet washing, are divine ordinances of the Gospel. The Lord's Supper, which is to be observed at night by all believers, and to be followed by the ordinance of feet washing, which teaches humility of universal obligation, to be practiced by all believers. Mark 14:22, John 13:4-14; Matt. 28:19-20 and I Timothy 5:10.
- 11. We believe that none have a right to baptism only those who have a living hope in the Lord Jesus Christ, and none have the right to administer the same only those who have come under the hands of the presbytery of elders, and each church ought to have a pastor, deacon and a clerk chosen by the church, who hold office during the good pleasure of same; dealing with disorderly members, reference should be had to the 18th chapter of Matthew and other Scriptures relative to dealing with disorderly members, and then it must be unanimous. Titus 1:5; Acts 14:23; Rom 10:9-13.
- 12. We believe it is the duty of each church to assemble themselves together once a month and that it is the duty of the pastor of the church in the setting forth of the Lord's Supper and washing of the Saint's feet to let everyone examine himself and so let him eat. I Cor. 11:28: John 13:14.

- 13. We believe that sanctification and holiness is a Bible doctrine that immortality is God dwelling in the lives so when this corruptible shall have put on incorruption and this mortal shall have put on immortality then shall be brought to pass the saying that is written: "Death is swallowed up in victory." That it is our duty to be tender and affectionate to one another and to study the happiness of the people of God in general and to singly engage to promote the honor and glory of God. Gal 6:10; I John 2:9; I Tim. 6:16.
- 14. We believe in the resurrection of the dead, of both the just and unjust; the just to glory and immortality in the presence of God; the unjust to everlasting shame and banishment from the presence of God. Matt. 24:31; I Cor. 15:42; I Thes. 1:10; Rev. 20:12-13.

QUESTIONNAIRE FOR MINISTERS

DATENAME		
ADDRESS		
MEMBER OF		CHURCH

- 1. Do you have a license?
- 2. If you have a license, how long have you carried them?
- 3. By what Association were they issued?
- 4. Where are you preaching now?
- 5. Why do you want to be ordained?
- 6. Are you married? How many times?
- 7. If you have been married more than once, is a former companion living?
- 8. How many children do you have?
- 9. Is your wife a member of the Free Will Baptist Church?
- 10. How long have you been a Christian?
- 11. How long have you been a Free Will Baptist?
- 12. Is your wife willing that you be ordained?
- 13. If you have belonged to other denominations, give name of each and length of time with each.
- 14. Are you willing to make any sacrifice that may be involved in the ministry?
- 15. Are you willing to abstain from any indulgences that might hinder your effective influence in the ministry?
- 16. Will your financial circumstances hinder you in taking the pastoral care of a church?
- 17. Are you resolved to devote yourself wholly to the ministry?
- 18. Would you be willing to continue preaching under license if this committee felt that it was best?

QUESTIONS ON DOCTRINE

- Do you believe that the Scripture, the Old and New Testament, are the infallible Word of God, and the only rule of faith and practice?
- 2. Do you believe in the Trinity?
- 3. Name the God Head.
- 4. Is salvation obtained through the blood of Christ?
- 5. Name the condition of salvation.
- 6. Do you believe that speaking in an unknown tongue is evidence of having received the Baptism of the Holy Ghost?
- 7. Do you believe in a second definite work of Grace or Baptism of the Holy Ghost, separate and apart from regeneration?
- 8. Do you believe in having prayer lines or laying on of the hands for the healing of the body in the church?
- 9. What composes the body of Christ?
- 10. Does the Bible teach that God has an organized visible church on the earth?
- 11. Do you believe that Baptism is a Gospel Ordinance?
- 12. Who are the proper subjects for Baptism?
- 13. Do you believe that Immersion is the proper method of water baptism?
- 14. Do you believe that the Lord's Supper and Feet Washing are divine ordinances and should be observed repeatedly?
- 15. A. Do you teach and practice these ordinances?B. Do you practice these ordinances at night?
- 16. Do you believe in the possibility of apostasy?
- 17. Do you believe homosexuality is a sin and abomination to God?
- 18. Do you believe in the resurrection of the bodies of all men?
- 19. Do you believe that there will be a judgment when time and man's probation will close forever, and then all will be judged according to their works?
- 20. Do you believe that immediately after the judgment the righteous will enter into eternal life, and the wicked into a state of endless punishment?
- 21. Do you believe that Christ at His second coming will close the gospel dispensation, glorify His saints and judge the world?
- 22. I pledge myself to teach and defend the Free Will Baptist Doctrine to the best of my ability. If at any future time I preach or teach any doctrine contrary to the Free Will Baptist articles of faith, I will surrender my credentials to the Quarterly Conference of which I am a member.

1999 YOUTH CAMP MINUTES 14-18 JUNE 1999

MONDAY: Opening session moderated by Bro. Nolan Mainus, camp director, who read Psalms 15. Opening prayer by Bro. John Craig.

Officers elected: Liz Bratton, Secretary; Bud Judkins, Assistant Secretary; John Craig, Song Leader; Brenda Wendlandt, Assistant Song Leader; Judy Perryman, Pianist; Kyle Hurst, Assistant Pianist.

Dismissed to class.

Morning worship service: Opening prayer by Bradley Ross. Sang "Joy Unspeakable," "I'll Fly Away," and "The Unclouded Day." Prayer by Bro. Doug Honeycutt.

Message by Rev. Dale Wendlandt, reading Luke 13:1-5. Prayer by Carl Bratton.

Song of invitation: "Have Thine Own Way."

Dismissed for lunch with prayer by Bro. Don Wilson.

Monday night worship service moderated by Bro. Rick Williams, Assistant Camp Director.

Sang "The Old Rugged Cross," "Just a Little Talk with Jesus," "Seek Ye First the Kingdom of God," "I'll Meet You By the River." Had united prayer. Specials were sung.

Testimony Service led by Sis. Rhonda Hurst.

Message by Rev. Dale Wendlandt, reading John 3:1-8.

Dismissed in prayer by Rev. A.J. Robinson.

<u>TUESDAY:</u> Opening session moderated by Bro. Nolan Mainus, camp director. Opening prayer by Bro. Travis Palmer.

Sang "Where Could I Go?" Dismissed to class.

Morning worship service: Moderated by Bro. Rick Williams, assistant camp director. Opened with united prayer. Sang "Victory in Jesus," "I Will Call Upon the Lord," and "Jesus Saves." Specials were sung by the nursery class girls and boys.

Message by Rev. Dale Wendlandt, reading I Samuel 3:1-10. Dismissed for lunch with prayer by Bro. Johnnie Bratton.

<u>Tuesday night worship service</u> moderated by Bro. Rick Williams, assistant camp director.

Opened with united prayer. Sang "I Will Call Upon the Lord," "Dwelling in Beulah Land," "Jesus Is Lord of All." Prayer by Bro. Davey Robinson. Specials were sung. Prayer by Bro. Jack Perdue.

Testimony Service led by Bro. Travis Palmer.

Message by Rev. Dale Wendlandt, reading Acts 8:26-40.

Dismissed in prayer by Bro. Larry Ross.

<u>WEDNESDAY:</u> <u>Opening session</u> moderated by Bro. Nolan Mainus, camp director. Sang "Do You Know My Jesus?" and "Higher Ground." Dismissed to class.

Morning worship service: Moderated by Bro. Nolan Mainus, camp director. Opening prayer by Bro. Kyle Hurst. Sang "I'll Fly Away," "Just Over in the Glory Land," and "When the Roll Is Called Up Yonder."

Message by Rev. Dale Wendlandt, reading Jonah 3:1-8. Dismissed for lunch with prayer by Rev. Jimmy Goines.

Wednesday night worship service moderated by Bro. Rick Williams. assistant camp director.

Opened with prayer by Bro. Doug Honeycutt. Sang "Whoso-ever Meaneth Me," "Victory in Jesus," "Leaning on the Everlasting Arms."

Testimony Service led by Sis. Brenda Wendlandt. Message by Rev. Dale Wendlandt, reading Acts16:23-34. Dismissed in prayer by Bro.Glen Bratton.

<u>THURSDAY:</u> <u>Opening session</u> moderated by Bro. Rick Williams, assistant camp director.

Sang "Just a Little Talk with Jesus." Dismissed to class with prayer by Bro. Roger Hurst.

Morning worship service: Moderated by Bro. Rick Williams, assistant camp director. Opened with united prayer. Sang "Where Could I Go?," "He Set Me Free," and "We Have Come into His House." Specials were sung. Bro. Jay Gay led prayer.

Message by Rev. Dale Wendlandt, reading Acts 17:22-31.

Dismissed for lunch with prayer by Sis. Pat Jones.

<u>Thursday night worship service</u> moderated by Bro. Rick Williams, assistant camp director.

Opened with prayer by Bro. Billy Joe Long. Sang "The Unclouded Day," "Jesus Hold My Hand," "Do You Know My Jesus?"

Testimony Service led by Sis. Theresa Ross.

Message by Rev. Dale Wendlandt, reading Luke 16:19-31.

Dismissed in prayer by Rev. A.J. Robinson.

<u>FRIDAY:</u> <u>Closing session</u>: Moderated by Bro. Rick Williams, assistant camp director. Sang "What a Friend" and "I Will Call Upon the Lord."

Testimony service was led by Milton Chance.

Each class gave their programs, and awards were given.

Closing prayer was by Milton Chance.

About 105 campers were registered.

YOUTH CAMP PERSONNEL 1999

Camp Director: Bro. Nolan Mainu	S
Assistant Director: Bro. Rick William	S
Evangelist: Rev. Dale Wendland	tk
Camp Cook: Sis. Joyce Wendland	Ιt
Assistant Cooks: Sis. Beth Wooda	ıll
Sis. Lola William	าร
Recreation Director Rev. Mark Wooda	ali
Camp Maintenance: Bro. Roger Hurs	st
Bro. Billy Joe Lor	ng
Co-Girls Dorm Directors: Sis.Rhonda Hurs	st
Sis. Hope Bratto	n
Concession Stand: Sis. Judy Perryma	ın
Adult Teacher: Rev. James William	IS
High Teen Boys: Bro. Doug Honeycu	itt
High Teen Girls: Sis. Rhonda Hurs	st
13-14 Yr. Old Boys: Rev. Mark Wooda	all
13-14 Yr. Old Girls: Sis. Mary Burges	ss ¹
11-12 Yr. Old Boys: Bro. Donald Wilso	n
11-12 Yr. Old Girls: Sis. Brenda Wendland	dt
8-10 Yr. Old: Sis. Judy Perryma	ın
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5-6 Yr. Old: Sis. Kathy Ingrai	m
Sis. Jessica Eato	n
Nursery: Sis. Hope Bratto	n
Sis.Melinda Hollenbaug	јh

YOUTH FELLOWSHIP PERSONNEL 1999-2000

Moderator Bro. R	oger Hurst
Assistant Bro. Ric	k Williams
Secretary Sis. Rho	onda Hurst
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Assistant Sis. Tamm	ny Johnson
Song Leader Bro.	Kyle Hurst
PianistSis. The	eresa Ross
YOUTH FELLOWSHIP FINANCIAL I	REPORT
November 1998-July 1999	
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Balance Forward	. \$1,305.69
Offerings for Year	710.44
Total	2,016.13
Less Expenses	633.83
Iron Bridge FWB Youth (Oct 98)* 100.00)
U.S. Postmaster (Nov 98)32.00)
Mark Woodall (Nov 98)50.00	
Dale Wendlandt (Dec 98)50.00)
Delmon Eakle (Jan 99)50.00)
Tommy Honeycutt (March 99)50.00)
Shelton's Supermarket (April 99)**28.66	
A.J. Robinson (April 99)50.00)
Hancock Fabric (April 99)***26.01	
Glen Bratton (May 99)50.00	
Walmart (June 99)**7.16	
Tim Adair (June 99)50.00	
Matt Blair (July 99)50.00)
Eureka Association (July 99)****50.00)
Balance	\$1,382.30

^{*}Reimbursed Iron Bridge for paying Brian Maynor **Refreshments for Youth Fellowship

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^{***}Fabric for plano back and bench

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