

**Minutes of the first Kansas Quarterly Association
Meeting in Ulysses, KS Jan 14-15, 2000**

Friday, January 14th 2000.

Dale McCoy opened with prayer and welcomed everyone. The congregation stood and sang "To God be the Glory. Chuck Holdeman led in prayer.

MSC to enter into conference. Dale McCoy acted as moderator. Wayne Hoskinson welcomed everyone and introduced all the members that were present. Zane Brooks read scripture from Rom. 12:1, a living sacrifice. Be not conformed. Multitudes & droves are conforming. We must be transformed.

The congregation sang, "He Set me Free." Voncile Bollinger played piano, Gene Molby led singing. Evening offering was taken. Wayne Bookout prayed. Gene Molby sang "My God is real." Robert Sharpy brought the evening message from 2 Cor 5:1. Prayer requests were taken and everyone stood for prayer. Although in prison, Paul had joy. We must keep our Heavenly vision. An altar call was given.

Everyone was seated. Dale McCoy announced committee members.
Business Committee: Ray Hubbard (chairman), Robert Sharpy, Wayne Hoskinson.
Nominating committee: Wayne Bookout (chairman), Carl Metcalf, Zane Brooks.
Obituary committee: Dan Hilburn (chairman), Steve Palmer, J. O. Talbert.
Evening roll was taken: Ulysses, 8- Wellington, 11- Wichita, 9- Guests, 2. Total present, 30.
Everyone stood for the Benediction. Randy Harris prayed.

Saturday, January 15, 2000

915 a.m. Tim Stringer opened, welcomed everyone. The congregation stood, Zane Brooks prayed. Recognition of new visitors- Guests, 1- Salina, 5.

Congregational Song- "In my Heart there Rings a Melody." Gene Molby, (song leader) accompanied by Voncile Bollinger. Morning devotion: Ray Hubbard read from Matt. 24:42-44 and Matt. 26:41, "Watch and Pray." Special music- Crosby and Charlotte Brooks sang "God is so good" and "At the Cross." Voncile Bollinger accompanied.

Wayne Bookout requested the nominating and credentials committees be excused to continue their planning. MSC to seat delegates.

Business Committee Report was read:

We, the Business Committee, recommend the following items to the voting body:

1. That a standing vote of sincere appreciation and thanks be extended to the host church for their gracious hospitality in hosting this Quarterly Meeting.

Respectfully submitted- Ray Hubbard, Robert Sharpy, Wayne Hoskinson

The Minutes from Last Meeting were distributed. MSC to accept the minutes as printed.

Old Business – poi, the executive board needs to meet to discuss moving the Woman's Auxiliary meeting.

Business committee report was approved by standing ovation for the host church.

New Business from floor – MS to appoint a group of individuals to plan a church growth seminar for the April meeting, possibly headed up by four pastors. After discussion, carried. MSC to have moderator choose the seminar committee.

Tim Stringer appointed pastors as committee, with Dale McCoy as chairman.

The Credentials Committee Report was read:

We, the Credentials Committee, recommend that;

1- Randy Harris be licensed for one year in the first Kansas Quarterly Association.

2- Robert Sharpy's resignation from the credentials committee be accepted.

Respectfully submitted- Dan Hilburn, Wayne Bookout, Robert Sharpy

MSC to accept report.

The Obituary Committee Report was read:

Wichita, Pete and Alice Graves. From Ulysses, Ernest Reuben Talbert.

MSC to accept the obituary committee report, with a standing moment of silence and prayer, in their honor.

Respectfully Submitted- Dan Hilburn, Steve Palmer, J O Talbert

Individual prayer requests were taken, praise items given. Special prayer for Larry Collins and his family, as he is working very hard. Moment of silence. Prayer was then was led by Wayne Bookout. Altar of prayer, Randy Harris led.

Dismissed for morning break at 10:20 a.m. Reconvened at 10:50 a.m.

The Nominating Committee Report was read:

We, the Nominating Committee, recommend the following officers for the coming year:

Moderator, Wayne Bookout. Assistant Moderator, Zane Brooks. Clerk, Ray Hubbard. Assistant Clerk, Carl Metcalf. Treasurer, Andrea Stringer. Assistant Treasurer, Wayne Hoskinson.

Executive Committee 3 year, Rick Feiock. Credentials Committee 3 year, Larry Collins.

Credentials Committee to assume the 2 year term vacated by Robert Sharry, Randy Harris.

Respectfully Submitted- Zane Brooks, Carl Metcalf, Wayne Bookout

MSC to receive the report. Re-read., MS to proceed to elect by acclamation. Discussed, approved.

MS that upcoming Quarterly Meetings be held on a rotating basis, beginning calendar year 2001- alphabetically, by church (e.g. Faith Church- Salina would be first, 1st Church Hutchinson would be second, 1st Church Ulysses third, 1st Church Wichita fourth, and Wellington Free Will Baptist Church, fifth. After discussion, carried.

Family Reunion was discussed- MS that we recommend to the Kansas State Assoc. of Free Will Baptists that the duty of planning the family reunion be placed with them (the Kansas State Association), and that it not interfere with Quarterly meetings (*currently, one conference must request that the other conference meet each year, for the family reunion. The other conference must agree, and the two executive boards meet to set it up*). Carried. The clerk was directed to send a copy of this motion to the East Kansas Quarterly Association, and Robert Sharry was asked to be the ambassador. Stood and dismissed our meeting time with prayer. Steve Palmer led.

120 a.m. Worship Service. Gene Molby, song leader. Voncile Bollinger, pianist. "When the Roll is Called up Yonder."

Morning offering was taken Wayne Hoskinson prayed.

A quartet from Wichita (Dan Hilburn, Brad Holdeman, Ray Hubbard, and Dale McCoy), sang "That Glad Reunion Day."

Special music: Ray Hubbard sang "Find us Faithful."

Dale McCoy preached from Proverbs 25:19 and gave 5 truths from this verse. 1, We need to be careful about who we place our confidence in. 2, We must be faithful. 3, Troubled times can come into our lives. 4, Lack of faith produces pain in the body of Christ. 5, People with their leg out of joint can't move very well. The lack of faithfulness keeps us from going forward.

stood for prayer. Alter call was given. Voncile Bollinger played "Just as I am."

The Financial Report was read by Andrea Stringer;

Beginning Balance		\$ 640.87
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Evening offering,	\$66.95	
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Morning offering,	\$91.32	
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Total offerings		<u>\$ 158.27</u>
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Representation Fees	\$30.00	
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Total Received,		<u>\$ 188.27</u>
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Honorariums: Robert Sharry,	(\$50.00)	
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Dale McCoy,	(\$50.00)	
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Ending Balance,		\$ 729.14
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Scholarship Fund- Beginning Balance,		\$1,465.06
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Representation fees,	\$50.00	
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Scott Collins	(\$500.00)	
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Ending Balance,		\$1,015.06
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Emergency Fund- Beginning Balance,		\$1,528.00
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Representation Fees,	100.00.	
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Ending Balance,		\$1,628.00
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ms to receive the financial report as read. After discussion, carried.

Announcements were given and we stood for prayer. Ray Hubbard prayed. and asked blessing on the food.

A delicious dinner was prepared by the host church.

Respectfully Submitted,

Ray Hubbard,

Clerk