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Proceedings of the 71st Annual Session of the GAFWB

The minutes of the Seventy-first Annual Session of the Georgia State Association of Free Will Baptists, convened at the White Oaks Free Will Baptist Church in Macon, Georgia, on March 15th –17th, 2007.

WEDNESDAY EVENING WORSHIP SERVICE

The evening began with a prelude of special music from the Horne Family and a promotional video from the National Executive Office entitled "Impact Little Rock". Bro. Andrew Sharpston, Sunday School superintendent of the host church, welcomed the GAFWB and the pastor of White Oaks, Rev. Paul Creech, opened the evening in prayer.

The congregation and choir then joined together in a time of praise and worship exalting the Lordship of Christ. The White Oaks choir ministered with a special song entitled, "Bow the Knee", and Bro. Gene Collins sang, "Come to Jesus".

Rev. Grover Jewell proudly introduced his son-in-law and the speaker for the evening, Rev. Ben Crabtree. Bro. Ben took his text from Matthew 4:19 and preached on the subject of soul-winning by asking and answering the question, "Why was the Apostle Paul a good witness?"

"People Need the Lord" was sung as an opportunity to respond to the preached Word was offered.

Following a few brief announcements, Dr. Billy Sharpston dismissed in prayer.

THURSDAY MORNING BIBLE CONFERENCE

Rev. Reuben Cason presided over the Thursday morning Bible Conference and Rev. Donnie Burke led the music. Rev. Mance Cason opened the meeting with prayer.

Special music for the first session was by Rev. Wayne Miracle.

Bro. Daniel Cason, teenage son of Rev. Reuben Cason, brought the first message for the Bible Conference. Bro. Daniel took his text from Matthew 22:36-38 on the subject, "Do you love Jesus?"

In the second session, Rev. Ben Crabtree provided the special music.

Rev. Eric Brown, pastor of the Pine Level FWB Church in Alma, Georgia, brought the second message for the Bible Conference. Bro. Eric took his text from Matthew 16:13-18 on the subject of Christ's promise, "I Will Build My Church".

Bro. Brownie Woolard dismissed the meeting in prayer.

THURSDAY EVENING BUSINESS & WORSHIP SESSION

The evening session began with a prelude of special music by the "Georgia Boys", a group of GAFWB ministers (youth, music and pastoral) consisting of Mark Walker, Donnie Burke, Tim Horne and Todd Horne, with Ben Crabtree providing musical accompaniment on the piano. This special singing was followed by a brief promotional video concerning the upcoming NAFWB Convention in Little Rock, Arkansas.

Rev. Paul Creech welcomed everyone to the 71st Annual Session of the Georgia State Association of Free Will Baptists and to the White Oaks FWB Church. Rev. Irvin Hyman opened the meeting in prayer,

Led by Bro. Steve Thomas, the congregation sang together the "Doxology", "Revive Us Again" and "To God Be The Glory". The association then recited pledges to the Christian and American flags.

Call to Session & Preliminaries

Clerk Keith Lloyd officially called the Seventy-first Annual Session of the Georgia State Association of Free Will Baptists to order and introduced the Moderator, Rev. Len Blanchard. The Moderator welcomed everyone, called the Roll of District Associations, and then appointed the Committee on Committees as follows: Chairman Ron Wallace, Bill Brown, Aaron Baldrige, Keith Horn, Johnny Lewis.

Evening Worship

Bro. Steve Thomas led the congregation in a series of worshipful songs, which included, "He Hideth My Soul", "Til The Storm Passes Over" and "Who Can Satisfy My Soul". The "Georgia Boys" ministered with a special song entitled, "Try Jesus".

Rev. Barry Long, associate pastor of the Shallowford FWB Church in Marietta, brought the evening message. Using Joshua 14:6-15 as his text, Bro. Barry preached on the subject, "Evidence for Endurance".

The congregation sang "Near the Cross" as an invitational hymn.

Announcements were made and Rev. J.M. Creech dismissed the session in prayer.

FRIDAY MORNING BUSINESS SESSION

Bro. Monty McKenzie led the congregation in singing "Do Lord" and "Old Time Religion". Moderator Len Blanchard began the session with a Scripture reading from Deuteronomy 8:3, and brought a brief devotion by asking the question: "What about your devotional life?"

The Moderator recognized the Standing Delegates, ministers, deacons, board members, and missionaries, asking each to stand as they were called upon.

Rev. Bobby Taylor gave a partial report of Credentials Committee. He reported a voting delegation of 84 with 131 total registrations.

A motion was made, seconded, and carried to seat all elected delegates.

The Moderator then recognized the national messengers and welcomed other visitors.

Committee on Committees Report

Chairman Ron Wallace presented the Committee on Committees report as follows:

2007 Nominating Committee:

S.E. Newberry, Chairman
Russell Horne
Randy Jackson
Kraig Spivey
Harold Williams

2007 Resolutions Committee:

Willie Martin, Chairman
Chuck Lysaker
Charles Barnard
Bill Crank
Mike Schultz

Executive Board Report

Clerk Keith Lloyd gave a report of the Executive Board with an attached addendum. A motion was made to receive the report as read. The motion was seconded and carried. *(Included in the reception of the report was a change to the By-laws in regards to the timing of the Annual Session; and, the adoption of a 2008 Budget of \$850,000, including a 2008 Cooperative budget of \$335,000.)*

Executive Secretary / Treasurer Report

Executive Secretary/Treasurer William Smith gave the Executive Office report and began by explaining the change in Annual Session meeting time.

Receipts in the State Office have consistently increased for 27 consecutive years, with a record total of \$965,406.42 in 2006. Georgia Free Will Baptists support the total ministry of our denomination, ranking in the top 5 in nearly every category of giving.

Eight new churches have started giving to COOP, bringing the total to 91 churches supporting COOP; and, 73 churches are now contributing to the Acts 1:8 program.

The Stan Toler Seminars were very profitable and several churches are experiencing the fruits of implementing the tools and techniques offered by the training.

The Georgia mission works are doing well; camping and retreat programs continue to experience growth; and, students enrolled in the Master's Course are committed to the task and are appreciative of the opportunity.

Bro. William spoke highly of the work that our Georgia missionaries to Japan are doing. Though the field is hard to labor in, they are seeing the fruit of souls being snatched from the kingdom of darkness and their spiritual eyes opened to the Kingdom of Light.

Nathan and Linda Snow will be returning home soon for a year of stateside ministry. The accounts for our missionaries are also doing much better.

There are currently 16 churches in Georgia without pastors. With the population growth in our state and the aging pastorate, there is a desperate need for laborers to be called into the harvest.

Bro. William closed with a Scripture reading from Matthew 16:24-25. Several pastors have gone on to be with the Lord in the past year, as well as many other faithful servants of the King and His Kingdom. Bro. William challenged other members of the association to follow the standard set by these great men and women of God.

A motion was made, seconded and carried to receive his report.

National Executive Secretary Report

Rev. Keith Burden thanked the association for its leaders who serve at a national level. Georgia is well represented in national ministries.

The Executive Office expects a large turnout at the Annual Convention in Little Rock, Arkansas, and encouraged those who plan to attend to register as soon as the opportunity is opened.

ONE Magazine has been very successful and, because it is well funded, will increase in size in the near future. Over 58,000 FWB families now receive the magazine every other month.

Seminars and leadership conferences sponsored by the Executive Office have been an asset to FWB churches and to the denomination as a whole.

Bro. Keith thanked the GAFWB for its support of denominational ministries, especially through their Cooperative Giving Program.

GWAC Report

Sis. Debra Van Pelt gave the GWAC and WNAC report. The complete report is included in the official Minutes of the GAFWB.

NAFWB Master's Men Report

Bro. Ken Akers gave a report for Master's Men. The Disaster Response Team continues to prepare to be involved in future relief efforts. They have recently been involved in helping rebuild a church destroyed by fire.

Board of Trustees Report

Rev. Russell Horne gave the report for the Board of Trustees. All of the State Office renovations are nearly complete and Bro. Russell encouraged association members to visit the facility. The state properties and officers are well covered by Church Mutual Insurance. This report and the financial report are included in the Digest of Reports.

The report was received as information.

Board of Camping Report

Rev. Paul Creech gave the report for the Board of Camping. The camping program in Georgia continues to experience spiritual and numerical growth. Grants continue to be offered to district associations to assist them in providing Jr. Camp opportunities. Bro. Paul has resigned as the Camp Board chairman, but expressed his gratitude for the opportunity to serve. Rev. Mark Walker will be assuming the position of chairman. This report and the financial report are included in the Digest of Reports.

A motion was made, seconded and carried to receive the report as information.

Board of Christian Education

Rev. Mark Walker gave a report for the Board of Christian Education. All of the retreats continue to be popular. The Master's Course opportunity is still available to those who want to participate. Charles Clark Scholarships went to 24 FWBBC students. The Historical Society continues to do a good work obtaining and organizing documents, and Rev. Benjamin Miller will serve as the chairman of the Society. Several Georgia students placed at the national level in their competitive categories, and the C.E. Board is working to

establish its own Georgia Youth Evangelism Team in an effort to promote the youth competition in our state. Bro. Mark is resigning as chairman and will be replaced by Rev. Randy Jackson. This report and the financial report are included in the Digest of Reports.

The report was received as information.

FRIDAY MORNING WORSHIP SESSION

Following a brief recess, the session resumed with Rev. Randy Jackson presiding over the morning worship service. Bro. Monty McKenzie led the congregation in singing "Higher Ground" and "Glory to His Name". Rev. Ben Crabtree ministered in song with a special entitled, "We Shall Behold Him".

Rev. Nathan Snow, missionary to Japan, spoke to the session via phone expressing thanks for the support and encouragement of Georgia Free Will Baptists.

Rev. Randy Jackson proudly (and humorously) introduced his son and our speaker for the morning, Rev. Stephen Jackson, pastor of the New Light FWB Church of Morgan.

Bro. Stephen brought a challenging message from Ezra 7:10 entitled, "Willing to Give All We Have", encouraging the session to follow the example of Ezra in knowing, doing and teaching the Word of God.

Moderator Len Blanchard shared with the session a humorous account of Executive Secretary William Smith being "left behind" in Japan, separated from the group and unable to speak the language. After some brief announcements, the session recessed for lunch. Rev. Phil Bozeman, pastor of the Cool Springs FWB Church dismissed in prayer.

FRIDAY AFTERNOON BUSINESS SESSION

The session resumed at 1:30 pm with Rev. Paul Creech leading the congregation in singing "What a Mighty God We Serve". Rev. Wayne Miracle read a selection of Scripture from Romans 8:28-39.

Free Will Baptist Bible College Report

Rev. David Williford reported for the FWBBC, thanking Georgia for their support in finances, prayers, and sending young people to the college. Bro. David informed the session of new external studies resources available for pastors and asked for continued prayer concerning the relocation efforts.

Board of Missions Report

Rev. Billy Hannah gave the Board of Missions report. The Valdosta work, under the leadership of church-planter Dr. Bill Lewis, has been encouraged by the addition of some young couples that are working with much enthusiasm to see the church become self-supporting. There have been hard feelings among some of the older members regarding the sale and relocation of the Valdosta property, notwithstanding, the board remains committed to the work. Rev. Bill Crank is doing very well in Cartersville with an average of 61 in attendance. The Fairbanks, Alaska mission is continuing to grow under the ministry of Rev. Ron Wallace. Financially, the board is in exceptionally good condition, but there is still a need to promote the financial support of church-planting efforts. This report and the financial report are included in the Digest of Reports.

Bro. Billy expressed great concern that so many churches are without pastors when, at the same time, there are plenty of ordained and licensed ministers in the state. We must have a burden not only to plant new churches, but also to maintain and support our existing congregations.

This is Bro. Billy's last report as board chairman. Rev. Fred Hersey will be replacing him on the board and Rev. Paul Creech will serve as chairman.

A motion was made, seconded and carried to receive this report as information.

Other National Association Reports

Bro. Bill Evans gave a report for the Free Will Baptist Foundation. The Foundation is responsible for long range financial planning for our denomination, and offers many

opportunities for individuals and churches to invest in their own future and in that of the denomination. The report was received as information.

Bro. Eric Pushman gave a report for **Randall House Publications**. Because of some of the resources that Randall House produces and publishes, more families are having devotions. Rev. Rob Morgan's new book, "Simple", has experienced record sales. Bro. Eric informed the session of other books and resources that are or will soon be available. The report was received as information.

Bro. Fred Hersey, representing the **International Missions Board**, read a report on behalf of Director James Forlines. In the last 10 years, over 535 new churches and mission works have been planted. Financially, 2006 was the best year ever for International Missions receipts. E-Teams continue to make an international impact as FWB youth reach out to the final frontiers of the world with the Gospel. The board is working to restructure the financing system of world missions and encourages churches to support the annual World Missions Offering on the last Sunday in April. The report was received as information.

Bro. Ray Lewis gave a report for the **Retirement and Insurance Department**, of which 101 people in Georgia are now enrolled. The Department had a 22% increase in assets last year and provided a 24% rate of return on retirement investments. The report was received as information.

Bro. Larry Powell reported for the **Home Missions Department**, thanking Georgia for their support of home missions and pledging to help the Georgia Mission Board find church-planters for other mission works in the state. Cross-cultural ministries are experiencing impressive spiritual and numerical growth. Several other mission works and missionaries were highlighted as positive evidence that home missions is on task at fulfilling the Great Commission. The report was received as information.

Nominating Committee Report

Rev. S.E. Newberry gave a report for the Nominating Committee, as follows:

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Chuck Lysaker replacing Ken Mitchell – 2011 (North Georgia)

Auditing Committee

Ben Clenney replacing Troy Sullivan – 2008

Rusty Clenney replacing Rusty Clenney - 2010

Credentials Committee

Henrietta Brown replacing Latrelle McDowell – 2010

Alabama Children's Home

Steve Dowless replacing Dwight Smith – 2011

A motion was made, seconded and carried to close nominations for each association officer. A motion was made, seconded and carried to re-elect each of the association officers. The re-elected officers of the association are: Moderator Len Blanchard, Assistant Moderator Wayne Miracle, Clerk Keith Lloyd, Assistant Clerk Tim Horne.

Special prayer was made for Rev. Dwight Smith who has been diagnosed with stomach cancer. Rev. Trent Dykes led in this prayer.

Miscellaneous Reports

Bro. Alan Austin gave a report for the **Alabama Children's Home**, sharing touching stories of how Georgia is helping make a difference in the life of young people who are in difficult circumstances.

Bro. Jim Tolbert gave a report from **FWB Family Ministries** in Greeneville, TN. The Ministry served over 995 children and families last year. In the last 6 years, the ministry has averaged over 100 people a year receiving Christ as Savior. Foster care, crisis pregnancy counseling and care, and a new assisted-living facility for the elderly and handicapped are all part of this ministry.

Bro. Jake Creech gave a report from the **South Carolina Children's Home**. The home is presently caring for 17 children and 7 were recently saved. Bro. Jake thanked Georgia for their past, continuing and expanding support.

Resolutions Committee Report

Committee Chairman, Rev. Willie Martin, presented the following resolution for the Association's approval and action:

"Whereas the members of the White Oaks FWB Church have been gracious hosts, and whereas we have enjoyed the use of their lovely facilities this session of the GAFWB, Be it resolved that we give a rising vote of appreciation to them."

(Approved and acted upon.)

Final Credentials Committee Report

Rev. Bobby Taylor gave the final Credentials Committee report is as follows: 77 standing delegates and 14 elected delegates for a total voting delegation of 91.

National Convention Delegates

A motion was made, seconded and carried to seat the following delegates and alternate delegates to the 2007 FWB National Convention, to be held in Little Rock, Arkansas: Lynda Blanchard, Ann Lewis (wife of Dr. Bill Lewis), Ann Lewis (wife of Rev. Johnny Lewis), Amy Schultz, and Edwina Drinkwater. A motion was made, seconded and carried to seat these as delegates. A motion was made, seconded and carried to give the Moderator and Assistant Moderator the authority to appoint other delegates as needed.

Moderator Len Blanchard thanked the association for making his responsibility so much easier, and then related a moving story about his visit to the mission field in Japan

A motion was made, seconded and carried to adjourn. Rev. Ricky Gilmore dismissed the session in prayer.

FRIDAY EVENING WORSHIP SESSION

As a prelude to the evening worship session, an Albany ladies trio consisting of Donna Walker, Tisha Glover and Traci Lee harmonized beautifully as they ministered to the early arrivals in song.

The session began at 7:00 pm with Rev. William Smith presiding and Rev. Donnie Burke directing the music. (Tim Horne, Todd Horne, and Ben Crabtree made up the band, and Monty McKenzie ran the sound.) The theme for the evening was "Heaven".

Rev. Mark Walker read a selection of Scripture from Revelation 21 and the "Georgia Boys" followed with a song entitled, "I Bowd on My Knees".

Rev. Donnie Burke led the congregation in singing "When We All Get To Heaven", "I Shall Wear A Crown" and "I'll Meet You In The Morning".

Rev. William Smith welcomed everyone to the 5th Annual Georgia Praise Gathering and called the ushers forward to receive the 3rd Annual Damon C. Dodd Georgia Missions Offering. Rev. Harold Williams asked God's blessing on the offering which totaled \$2,574.56.

Sis. Donna Walker ministered to the congregation with a solo entitled, "Thinkin' About Home", and was followed by a beautiful video of the song "I Can Only Imagine".

Rev. Jeff Goodman, pastor of the Homerville FWB Church, brought the evening message. Bro. Jeff took his text from Acts 2:37-47 on the subject "Having Church God's Way". The message was a tremendous help and blessing to all who heard.

After the evening message, the "Older Georgia Boys" (Paul Creech, Russell Horne, Wayne Miracle and Len Blanchard) harmonized together on an old favorite called "Supertime". The congregation and choir sang together "We'll Understand It Better By And By", and the choir followed with "Canaan Land Is Just In Sight".

As the choir sang "How Beautiful Heaven Must Be", a video tribute to some of Georgia's most faithful men and women of God who have gone on to be with the Lord played in the background. This was truly one of the highlights of the evening and many tears were shed in remembrance of these departed saints.

With solos by Steve Thomas, Chuck Lysaker and Kristen Crabtree, the choir followed the special video tribute with a special entitled, "Going Home".

As the evening worship session came to a close, the Georgia Boys ministered again with the song "Redemption Draweth Nigh", and were joined by the choir in "I Bowed On My Knees". The last song of the evening, with choir and congregation on their feet in heart-felt longing, was "Soon And Very Soon".

The 5th Annual Georgia Praise Gathering, with the theme of "Heaven" prevailing in the evening's music, was truly a taste of heaven on earth, leaving us all hungry for the day when our faith will finally become sight. The Music Commission is to be commended.

Credentials Committee Chairman Rev. Bobby Taylor reported a total attendance of 178 for the evening worship session.

Special prayer was offered for Rev. Mark Kennedy (pastor of the Satilla FWB Church in Hazlehurst) and his wife, who are trying to adopt three children. Rev. Richard McFadden led in this prayer and dismissed the 71st Annual Session in prayer.

Respectfully submitted,
Keith Lloyd, Clerk

Executive Secretary/Treasurer Report January 1, 2006 – December 31, 2006

Welcome to the Seventy-first annual session of the Georgia State Association of Free Will Baptists, Inc. We have gathered to conduct our state association business and receive reports from our state boards and national agencies. God richly blessed our state during 2006. We gather to rejoice as we look at the blessing of the past and we are challenged as we look at the possibilities for the future.

This digest contains reports from all the Georgia State Boards. The board reports cover the period of January 1, 2006 – December 31, 2006. All financial reports cover the period of January 1, 2006 – December 31, 2006.

Thank you for your faithful support during 2006. Receipts through the State Office totaled \$965,406.42. Of this amount \$318,509.50 was *Cooperative Receipts*, \$198,486.53 was *Georgia Acts 1:8 Receipts*, \$448,410.39 was *Designated Receipts*. We had an increase of \$20,807.92 or 6.99% in *Cooperative Receipts* and \$3,726.53 or 1.92% in *Georgia Acts 1:8 Receipts*. Thank you for making 2006 a record year in giving to the *Cooperative Plan and the Acts 1:8 Plan*.

Your faithfulness to support the *Georgia Cooperative Plan* and the *Georgia Acts 1:8 Plan* makes it possible for the gospel to be shared in foreign countries, new churches to be planted in our state, Georgia students to attend Free Will Baptist Bible College and Georgia pastors to get their masters degree by attending the Georgia extension of the Hillsdale Free Will Baptist College. You also help fund nine sessions of youth camp, five retreats and the retirement program for Georgia pastors.

The work in Japan continues to grow. Our Georgia missionaries are all located on the island of Hokkaido. Dale and Sandra Bishop have returned to Japan after 16 months of stateside side ministry. Nathan and Linda Snow just had a new baby boy and will soon return to Georgia for a year of stateside ministry. Debbie Griffin continues to have a fruitful ministry.

We still have a need for pastors. We currently have 15 churches that do not have pastors and we have several pastors who will soon need to retire because of their health. Pray that the Lord of the harvest will send labors to our Georgia churches.

I thank God for giving me the opportunity to serve Him as a Free Will Baptists in the **Great State of Georgia**. Thank you for your support and your continued prayers.

Respectfully submitted,

William Smith, Executive Secretary/Treasurer

Executive Board Report March 2006 – March 2007

The Executive Board is constitutionally charged with the responsibility of acting for the Georgia State Association when it is not in session, and then reporting to the State Association in session for approval of its actions. The decisions made by the Executive Board are made with consideration and an acute awareness of our responsibility and accountability. Since our last State Association Session, the Executive Board has met to conduct the State business at the following times and locations:

August 18, 2006, First FWB Church, Albany (special "all boards" meeting)

December 21, 2006, White Oaks FWB Church, Macon

March 14, 2007, White Oaks FWB Church, Macon (prior to 71st Annual Session)

From these meetings, the following items are presented for general information and/or approval at this 71st Annual Session of the GAFWB.

2007 State Program

Featured speakers for the 71st Annual Session: Rev. Ben Crabtree, Bro. Daniel Cason, Rev. Eric Brown, Rev. Barry Long, Rev. Stephen Jackson, and Rev. Jeff Goodman.

Georgia State Budget Proposed

A 2008 calendar year budget of \$850,000.00 is proposed. A 2008 Georgia State *Cooperative Budget* of \$335,000.00 and a 2007 Acts 1:8 Budget of \$255,057.02 is included in the overall budget. You will find the 2008 *Cooperative Budget* included with this report on page 19.

2008 State Meeting Site

The Board proposes that the 2008 State Meeting be held at the Liberty Bible Church in Gainesville, Georgia on March 13-15, 2008.

Sound Equipment Purchase

The Board approved the purchase of a complete sound system to be used for State retreats, Annual Sessions, and other GAFWB gatherings. The storage and care of the sound equipment will be the responsibility of the Music Commission.

All Boards Meeting

The Executive Board hosted a special "visionary board meeting" of all Georgia State Boards on August 18, 2006 at the Albany 1st FWB Church. The purpose of the meeting was to cast and consolidate the vision and plans of each State board.

Restoration Committee

The Board appointed a committee to propose written guidelines on the process of restoration for a brother or sister who has experienced a moral failure.

Japan Visit

The Executive Secretary, Moderator, and Assistant Moderator, after visiting the mission work and missionaries in Japan, gave high marks to the progress being made and to the dedication of Georgia missionaries who are serving there.

Property Acquisition

The properties, including all assets and liabilities, of the First Free Will Baptist Church in Tifton, Georgia, were deeded to the GAFWB, with the stipulation that proceeds from the sale of said property would be used to establish another church within Tift County.

2007 Acts 1:8 Changes

Because the Georgia Mission Board is well funded at the present time, the Board removed them from the 2007 Acts 1:8 Budget disbursements.

Contingency Fund Disbursements

The Board approved the disbursement of \$5,000.00 from contingency funds, to the historic New Durham, New Hampshire, renovation project.

The Board approved the disbursement of \$700.00 from contingency funds, to the International Fellowship of Free Will Baptists.

State Office Personnel Evaluation

Granted a 3% increase in the salary of Executive Secretary William Smith, to be calculated from his salary, retirement and housing allowance.

Granted a 4% increase in the salary of State Office Secretary Rhonda Chandler.

Respectfully submitted,

Keith Lloyd, Clerk

2007 Budgets

Cooperative Plan	Monthly		Acts 1:8 Plan	Monthly	
	Budget	Distribution		Budget	Distribution
State Office	\$98,000.00		Bishop	\$55,637.79	21.82%
Promotional	\$31,000.00		Griffin	\$58,876.33	23.08%
Executive Board	\$9,500.00	5.11%	Snow	\$93,170.67	36.53%
Camp Board	\$18,000.00	9.68%	Wallace	<u>\$47,372.23</u>	<u>18.57%</u>
CE Board	\$26,000.00	13.97%	Total	\$255,057.02	100.00%
Mission Board	\$53,940.00	29.00%			
Trustee Board	\$9,500.00	5.11%			
Ministers Retirement	\$20,460.00	11.00%			
FWBBC	\$30,000.00	16.13%			
National Coop	<u>\$18,600.00</u>	<u>10.00%</u>			
Total	\$315,000.00	100.00%			

2008 Budget

	Budget	
State Office	\$105,000.00	
Promotional	\$34,000.00	
Executive Board	\$9,500.00	4.85%
Camp Board	\$18,500.00	9.44%
C.E. Board	\$26,500.00	13.52%
Mission Board	\$54,960.00	28.04%
Trustee Board	\$9,500.00	4.85%
FWB Bible College	\$30,000.00	15.30%
Minister's Retirement	\$23,520.00	12.00%
National Coop	<u>\$23,520.00</u>	<u>12.00%</u>
	\$335,000.00	100.00%

Receipt Comparison

	Cooperative	Acts 1:8	Designated	Total
1996	\$176,392.80	\$0.00	\$259,890.22	\$436,283.02
1997	\$182,728.52	\$0.00	\$318,449.98	\$501,178.50
1998	\$183,731.19	\$27,195.85	\$666,001.47	\$876,928.51
1999	\$199,638.84	\$95,491.74	\$473,619.48	\$768,750.06
2000	\$221,726.53	\$136,199.84	\$297,689.78	\$655,616.15
2001	\$227,255.57	\$140,898.61	\$323,531.77	\$691,685.95
2002	\$241,901.62	\$154,292.08	\$401,586.66	\$797,780.36
2003	\$243,344.92	\$163,786.16	\$451,523.46	\$858,564.54
2004	\$285,861.05	\$187,673.56	\$398,581.53	\$872,116.14
2005	\$297,701.58	\$194,760.00	\$1,001,270.99	\$1,493,732.57
2006	\$318,509.50	\$198,486.53	\$448,410.39	\$965,406.42

2006 District Association Statistics

Association	Churches	Members	Baptisms	Sunday School Enrollment	CTS Enrollment
Chattahoochee	9	260	17	168	0
Georgia Union	15	1,115	29	528	70
Little River	11	845	44	538	22
Martin	13	770	15	405	96
Midway	15	1,284	15	839	331
North Georgia	4	286	10	200	0
Ogeechee	10	808	18	422	80
South Georgia	22	1,774	47	1,164	120
Twin Cities	6	824	21	381	50
Union	<u>12</u>	<u>595</u>	<u>25</u>	<u>232</u>	<u>174</u>
Total	117	8,561	241	4,877	943

Association	WNAC	Master's Men	Ordained Ministers	Licensed Ministers	Ordained Deacons
Chattahoochee	7	0	8	0	25
Georgia Union	96	12	21	2	42
Little River	70	20	15	7	27
Martin	67	0	11	2	35
Midway	93	0	17	1	69
North Georgia	25	0	8	0	4
Ogeechee	53	6	13	2	19
South Georgia	163	71	26	9	93
Twin Cities	69	15	8	1	13
Union	<u>43</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>33</u>
Total	686	136	139	25	360

Association	Church Income	Value of Church Property
Chattahoochee	\$240,611.00	\$1,836,000.00
Georgia Union	\$833,690.70	\$3,330,000.00
Little River	\$827,727.00	\$4,500,000.00
Martin	\$550,000.00	\$3,510,000.00
Midway	\$1,213,072.75	\$6,475,000.00
North Georgia	\$400,000.00	\$3,600,000.00
Ogeechee	\$476,399.20	\$1,545,000.00
South Georgia	\$1,511,350.13	\$7,501,736.88
Twin Cities	\$542,025.75	\$3,137,000.00
Union	<u>\$268,638.44</u>	<u>\$1,494,000.00</u>
Total	\$6,863,514.97	\$36,928,736.88

2006 Receipts

Anonymous	Coop	Acts 1:8	Designated	Total
Total Anonymous	\$115.00	\$350.00	\$2,350.00	\$2,815.00
Chattahoochee	Coop	Acts 1:8	Designated	Total
District Association	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$975.00	\$975.00
Little Bethel	\$1,670.00	\$0.00	\$120.00	\$1,790.00
Mt Olive	\$2,414.01	\$900.00	\$0.00	\$3,314.01
Thomaston	\$5,199.51	\$0.00	\$1,447.50	\$6,647.01
Trinity	\$2,400.00	\$1,200.00	\$0.00	\$3,600.00
Turners Chapel	<u>\$6,749.58</u>	<u>\$2,000.00</u>	<u>\$2,115.50</u>	<u>\$10,865.08</u>
Total Chattahoochee	\$18,433.10	\$4,100.00	\$4,658.00	\$27,191.10
Georgia Union	Coop	Acts 1:8	Designated	Total
Bay Springs	\$600.00	\$0.00	\$1,560.00	\$2,160.00
Bay Springs Young Adult SS	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$360.00	\$360.00
Christian Hill	\$3,305.05	\$0.00	\$690.76	\$3,995.81
Cornerstone	\$4,457.04	\$2,293.51	\$915.50	\$7,666.05
Cross Roads	\$0.00	\$180.00	\$2,053.41	\$2,233.41
District Association	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$1,700.00	\$1,700.00
Double Branch	\$6,498.58	\$6,498.58	\$1,136.45	\$14,133.61
Double Branch WAC	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$75.00	\$75.00
Dublin First	\$744.21	\$185.00	\$219.77	\$1,148.98
Eastman First	\$0.00	\$600.00	\$1,150.20	\$1,750.20
Little Bethel	\$300.00	\$0.00	\$2,261.00	\$2,561.00
Mt Ararat	\$1,102.20	\$400.00	\$2,309.19	\$3,811.39
New Hope	\$0.00	\$100.00	\$2,855.00	\$2,955.00
Pine Level	\$300.00	\$1,200.00	\$1,200.00	\$2,700.00
Pleasant Hill	\$3,549.42	\$1,750.00	\$2,044.38	\$7,343.80
Warner Robins	\$2,914.57	\$0.00	\$1,307.00	\$4,221.57
White Oaks	<u>\$8,799.57</u>	<u>\$0.00</u>	<u>\$3,310.00</u>	<u>\$12,109.57</u>
Total Georgia Union	\$32,570.64	\$13,207.09	\$25,147.66	\$70,925.39
Little River	Coop	Acts 1:8	Designated	Total
Cool Springs	\$525.00	\$800.00	\$2,001.00	\$3,326.00
Corinth	\$1,800.00	\$0.00	\$5,657.84	\$7,457.84
District Association	\$720.14	\$0.00	\$5,237.00	\$5,957.14
Forest Hill	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$3,000.00	\$3,000.00
Hahira First	\$1,486.31	\$664.93	\$475.00	\$2,626.24
Homerville	\$2,850.50	\$4,706.50	\$12,244.00	\$19,801.00
Open Door	\$1,702.33	\$1,702.33	\$5,193.50	\$8,598.16
Ozias	\$1,500.00	\$1,500.00	\$8,210.50	\$11,210.50
Solid Rock	\$1,240.90	\$0.00	\$237.00	\$1,477.90
Sunnyside	\$2,348.72	\$2,348.72	\$0.00	\$4,697.44
Tifton First	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$200.00	\$200.00
Zion Hill	<u>\$2,000.00</u>	<u>\$3,600.00</u>	<u>\$5,976.10</u>	<u>\$11,576.10</u>
Total Little River	\$16,173.90	\$15,322.48	\$48,431.94	\$79,928.32
Martin	Coop	Acts 1:8	Designated	Total
Colquitt	\$26,197.26	\$13,098.63	\$200.00	\$39,495.89
Colquitt WAC	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$225.00	\$225.00
Corinth	\$3,141.18	\$20.00	\$880.00	\$4,041.18
District Association	\$770.68	\$0.00	\$1,375.00	\$2,145.68
Donalsonville First	\$1,267.00	\$1,267.00	\$365.00	\$2,899.00
Hebrew	\$300.00	\$900.00	\$2,450.00	\$3,650.00
Highway	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$1,307.94	\$1,307.94
Mothers Home	\$5,778.28	\$0.00	\$718.60	\$6,496.88

2006 Receipts

Martin	Coop	Acts 1:8	Designated	Total
Mt Gilead	\$2,095.65	\$0.00	\$923.46	\$3,019.11
Mt Glory	\$1,725.00	\$0.00	\$70.00	\$1,795.00
New Home DC	\$2,926.01	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$2,926.01
New Home MC	\$2,832.65	\$2,832.65	\$541.00	\$6,206.30
New Salem	\$6,739.70	\$1,200.00	\$4,455.00	\$12,394.70
Thompson	<u>\$2,668.55</u>	<u>\$0.00</u>	<u>\$2,900.00</u>	<u>\$5,568.55</u>
Total Martin	\$56,441.96	\$19,318.28	\$16,411.00	\$92,171.24

Midway	Coop	Acts 1:8	Designated	Total
Albany First	\$22,656.00	\$40,442.00	\$28,231.57	\$91,329.57
Bainbridge First	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$300.00	\$300.00
Bellview	\$4,559.70	\$4,559.70	\$11,116.12	\$20,235.52
Berean	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$1,309.68	\$1,309.68
Bethlehem	\$4,191.42	\$1,130.85	\$5,724.49	\$11,046.76
Blakely First	\$2,036.80	\$300.00	\$2,124.00	\$4,460.80
Cedar Springs	\$11,532.00	\$5,765.00	\$5,315.00	\$22,612.00
District Association	\$100.00	\$250.00	\$3,900.00	\$4,250.00
Enterprise	\$125.00	\$735.00	\$205.00	\$1,065.00
Hammock Springs	\$4,473.00	\$0.00	\$161.28	\$4,634.28
Macedonia	\$1,550.00	\$0.00	\$2,175.00	\$3,725.00
New Enterprise	\$50.00	\$530.00	\$8,325.00	\$8,905.00
New Light	\$4,302.49	\$0.00	\$2,553.88	\$6,856.37
Patmos	\$4,998.50	\$2,187.50	\$4,237.44	\$11,423.44
Travelers Rest	\$2,475.00	\$825.00	\$950.00	\$4,250.00
White Plains	<u>\$0.00</u>	<u>\$0.00</u>	<u>\$631.00</u>	<u>\$631.00</u>
Total Midway	\$63,049.91	\$56,725.05	\$77,259.46	\$197,034.42

Miscellaneous	Coop	Acts 1:8	Designated	Total
Amerivision Communications	\$67.96	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$67.96
Book Sales	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$1,460.20	\$1,460.20
Church Dues	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$50.00	\$50.00
Couples Retreat	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$9,560.00	\$9,560.00
CTS Fees	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$2,395.00	\$2,395.00
Danny Shephard Trust Acc.	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$49,714.00	\$49,714.00
GWAC	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$304.00	\$304.00
Harvey Hamilton	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$2,597.00	\$2,597.00
Ministers Retreat	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$2,875.00	\$2,875.00
Ministers Wives Retreat	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00
Mrs. Bessie Bryant	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$375.00	\$375.00
Mrs. Betty Anne Smith	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$700.00	\$700.00
Offering	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$918.00	\$918.00
Ogeechee Church	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$1,012.00	\$1,012.00
Refund	\$0.00	\$205.00	\$340.00	\$545.00
Senior Citizens Retreat	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$7,790.00	\$7,790.00
Southpark FWB – AL	\$0.00	\$160.00	\$0.00	\$160.00
Teen Camp	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$29,340.00	\$29,340.00
Teen Retreat	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$8,684.20	\$8,684.20
Toler Seminar	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$3,055.00	\$3,055.00
WNAC *	<u>\$0.00</u>	<u>\$6,120.32</u>	<u>\$362.70</u>	<u>\$6,483.02</u>
Total Miscellaneous	\$67.96	\$6,485.32	\$122,532.10	\$129,085.38

North Georgia	Coop	Acts 1:8	Designated	Total
Cartersville	\$655.00	\$655.00	\$340.00	\$1,650.00
District Association	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$475.00	\$475.00
Liberty Bible	\$1,315.00	\$600.00	\$13,387.50	\$15,302.50

2006 Receipts

North Georgia	Coop	Acts 1:8	Designated	Total
Northern Lights	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$500.00	\$500.00
Shallowford	<u>\$4,720.00</u>	<u>\$385.00</u>	<u>\$6,135.58</u>	<u>\$11,240.58</u>
Total North Georgia	\$6,690.00	\$1,640.00	\$20,838.08	\$29,168.08

Ogeechee	Coop	Acts 1:8	Designated	Total
Deep Creek	\$1,010.00	\$1,010.00	\$1,062.26	\$3,082.26
District Association	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$1,050.00	\$1,050.00
Faith Ministries	\$973.01	\$973.01	\$0.00	\$1,946.02
Friendship	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$20.00	\$20.00
Lyons	\$1,500.00	\$7,484.65	\$2,622.00	\$11,606.65
Marietta	\$1,650.00	\$0.00	\$2,525.00	\$4,175.00
Metter	\$600.00	\$0.00	\$750.00	\$1,350.00
Peace	\$0.00	\$400.00	\$2,921.00	\$3,321.00
Sand Hill Creek	\$579.39	\$579.40	\$200.00	\$1,358.79
Stoney Hill	<u>\$2,000.00</u>	<u>\$0.00</u>	<u>\$300.00</u>	<u>\$2,300.00</u>
Total Ogeechee	\$8,312.40	\$10,447.06	\$11,450.26	\$30,209.72

South Georgia	Coop	Acts 1:8	Designated	Total
Alabama	\$1,100.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$1,100.00
Baxley	\$280.00	\$3,267.91	\$1,030.00	\$4,577.91
Brunswick First	\$7,430.05	\$1,050.00	\$2,661.29	\$11,141.34
Corinth	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$2,685.83	\$2,685.83
Corinth SS	\$134.39	\$14.81	\$151.18	\$300.38
District Association	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$2,275.00	\$2,275.00
Ebenezer	\$7,377.70	\$7,377.70	\$5,903.79	\$20,659.19
Glennville	\$1,200.00	\$2,366.67	\$2,585.00	\$6,151.67
Jesup First	\$10,078.66	\$8,885.46	\$1,574.22	\$20,538.34
Liberty	\$2,705.50	\$1,659.00	\$620.00	\$4,984.50
Memorial	\$1,600.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$1,600.00
New Hope	\$7,177.50	\$7,177.50	\$1,870.40	\$16,225.40
New Life Fellowship	\$3,421.44	\$3,285.00	\$1,774.00	\$8,480.44
Oak Hill	\$0.00	\$1,430.81	\$649.67	\$2,080.48
Philadelphia	\$2,165.00	\$4,220.00	\$22,361.00	\$28,746.00
Pine Level	\$1,020.00	\$2,800.00	\$3,743.92	\$7,563.92
Piney Grove	\$5,988.52	\$6,170.13	\$17,750.00	\$29,908.65
Satilla	\$1,200.00	\$6,180.00	\$6,040.00	\$13,420.00
Savannah First	\$2,578.68	\$2,850.89	\$4,225.36	\$9,654.93
Spring Grove	\$702.77	\$702.76	\$5,869.02	\$7,274.55
Surrency	\$2,575.69	\$2,575.69	\$205.00	\$5,356.38
Swainsboro	<u>\$2,565.26</u>	<u>\$90.00</u>	<u>\$1,844.84</u>	<u>\$4,500.10</u>
Total South Georgia	\$61,301.16	\$62,104.33	\$85,819.52	\$209,225.01

Twin Cities	Coop	Acts 1:8	Designated	Total
Calvary	\$7,834.00	\$0.00	\$8,400.00	\$16,234.00
Columbus First	\$14,941.00	\$735.00	\$3,783.00	\$19,459.00
District Association	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$675.00	\$675.00
St. Marks	\$399.72	\$628.50	\$0.00	\$1,028.22
Weems Road	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$2,154.60	\$2,154.60
White Rock	<u>\$5,588.77</u>	<u>\$0.00</u>	<u>\$150.00</u>	<u>\$5,738.77</u>
Total Twin Cities	\$28,763.49	\$1,363.50	\$15,162.60	\$45,289.59

Union	Coop	Acts 1:8	Designated	Total
Bay	\$1,889.40	\$300.00	\$1,720.00	\$3,909.40
Bethlehem	\$300.00	\$300.00	\$1,500.00	\$2,100.00
Cairo	\$2,673.00	\$980.00	\$5.00	\$3,658.00

2006 Receipts

Union	Coop	Acts 1:8	Designated	Total
District Association	\$282.95	\$600.00	\$2,834.50	\$3,717.45
Fellowship	\$742.19	\$642.19	\$4,742.04	\$6,126.42
Grace	\$2,553.69	\$851.23	\$1,086.23	\$4,491.15
Greenwood	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$1,400.00	\$1,400.00
Midway	\$12,840.75	\$3,150.00	\$2,525.00	\$18,515.75
New Hope	\$3,808.00	\$600.00	\$1,637.00	\$6,045.00
Poulan	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$600.00	\$600.00
Spring Hill	<u>\$1,500.00</u>	<u>\$0.00</u>	<u>\$300.00</u>	<u>\$1,800.00</u>
Total Union	\$26,589.98	\$7,423.42	\$18,349.77	\$52,363.17
Total Income	\$318,509.50	\$198,486.53	448410.39	\$965,406.42

* The Georgia Women Active for Christ gave \$6,120.32 thru the WNAC.

2006 Disbursements

Dues	International Missions
Church	Barker, Molly – Uruguay
National	Bishop, Dale – Japan
State	Bishop, Jennifer - Summer
Total Dues	Change the World Coin Banks
	Circle of Friends
FWB Bible College	Combs Children's Home
General Fund	Combs Jim – Brazil
Mike Crews	Cousineaus, Mike – NGO
Paul Ketteman Fund	Creech, Paul – Africa
Total FWB Bible College	Davison, Shane – France
	Eagleton, Ken Jr. – Brazil
Home Missions	Fitzgerald, Autumn - E-Team
Altom, Nate – PA	Gainer, Mirial – Japan
Benjamin Randall Day	Griffin, Debbie – Japan
Bowling, Rick – TN	Hanna, Carlisle – India
Byers, Tim – OH	Holland, Curt – Brazil
Cheatham, Scott – CO	LB Barnard Day
Chicago Building Fund	Little, Shannon – Japan
Crabtree Building Fund	McVay, Sam – Spain
Crabtree, Jeff – Canada	Morgan, Clint – Africa
Doggett, Ken – IL	Owens, Dennis - Uruguay
Donoho, Cliff – TN	Pinkerton, Jerry – Africa
General Fund	Price, Matt – France
Gwartney, Howard – AZ	Snow, Jonathan – Japan
Hollifields, Ray – CA	Snow, Nathan – Japan
Lewis, Tim – UT	Support Services
Mexico Ministries	Thomas, Joni – Japan
Mexico Seminary	Turnbough, Jeff – Spain
Nason, Joel – NH	Vandivort, Terry – Africa
Parks, Paul – CA	Total International Missions
Potete, David – IL	
Puckett, Randy – TX	
Roy, David - Puerto Rico	Miscellaneous Ministries
Smith, John – CA	Blanchard, Candace
Taylor, Jason – AZ	Bordeaux, Troy - Romania
Virgin Island Building Fund	Chattahoochee Jr. Camp
Wallace Land Fund	Fite, Patricia
Wallace, Ron – AK	Georgia Union Jr. Camp
Total Home Missions	Georgia Union Min. Retirement
	Georgia Union Mission Board

2006 Disbursements

Miscellaneous Ministries

LR Mission Conference	\$150.00
LR Camp Ozias	\$21,236.00
Martin Youth Camp	\$350.00
Midway Youth Camp	\$640.00
Ogeechee Jr. Camp	\$500.00
Ogeechee Mission Board	\$600.00
Ogeechee Williams Account	\$610.00
South Georgia Jr. Camp	\$390.00
South Georgia Kingsland	\$3,301.28
South GA Mission Board	\$980.98
Union Association Youth	\$1,300.00
Union Mission Conference	<u>\$300.00</u>
Total Misc. Ministries	\$38,169.58

National Ministries

Cooperative Receipts	\$1,032.21
Master's Men	\$2,064.14
Media Commission	\$200.00
AL Children's Home	\$23,629.09
SC Children's Home	\$3,622.90
TN Trula Cronk Home	\$3,350.00
Rest of the Family	\$550.00
WNAC	<u>\$30.00</u>
Total National Ministries	\$34,478.34

State Ministries

Acts 1-8	\$198,486.53
Camp Board	\$71.00
Christian Education Board	\$200.00
Contingency Fund	\$3,055.00
Coop Endowment	\$7,500.00
Couples Retreat	\$9,560.00
CTS-Fees	\$2,395.00
Executive Board	\$90.00
GA Cooperative Support	\$318,509.50
GA Education Endowment	\$624.50
GA Mini. Retirement Trust	\$800.00
Ministers' Retreat	\$2,875.00
Ministers' Wives Retreat	\$1,000.00
Promotional Materials	\$1,582.20
Senior Citizens Retreat	\$7,790.00
State Office	\$50.00
State Office Building Fund	\$49,764.00
Teen Camp	\$28,215.00
Teen Retreat	<u>\$9,809.20</u>
Total State Ministries	\$642,376.93

State Mission Board

Crank, Bartow County	\$1,890.67
Damon C. Dodd Offering	\$19,150.09
General Fund	\$10,699.01
Lewis, Valdosta	\$1,632.67
Lupton, Alice	<u>\$262.70</u>
Total State Mission Board	\$33,635.14

Total Disbursements	\$965,406.42
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National Association Together Way Giving

	2004	2005	2006
Executive Department	\$8,943.44	\$8,305.62	\$8,805.73
Free Will Baptist Bible College	\$113,862.19	\$101,182.18	\$92,657.32
Free Will Baptist Foundation	\$643.38	\$595.82	\$645.77
Home Missions	\$94,954.42	\$89,295.78	\$96,995.48
International Missions	\$367,041.87	\$343,720.59	\$369,057.22
Master's Men	\$1,911.25	\$2,325.12	\$3,570.90
Retirement & Insurance	\$1,501.25	\$1,390.24	\$1,640.19
WNAC	\$8,085.84	\$10,050.55	\$8,473.35
Comm. on Theological Integrity	\$55.82	\$52.66	\$54.98
Historical Commission	\$54.91	\$50.98	\$54.67
Media Commission	\$256.37	\$251.99	\$254.87
Music Commission	<u>\$55.46</u>	<u>\$51.32</u>	<u>\$54.82</u>
Total	\$597,366.20	\$557,272.85	\$582,265.30

2006 Cooperative Distributions

Balance Brought Forward **\$0.00**

INFLOWS

FROM Receipts	<u>\$318,509.50</u>	
TOTAL INFLOWS	<u>\$318,509.50</u>	\$318,509.50

OUTFLOWS

National Coop	\$18,536.06	
Free Will Baptist Bible College	\$32,512.24	
TO Camp Board	\$18,980.91	
TO Christian Education Board	\$27,576.91	
TO Executive Board	\$10,102.15	
TO Ministers Retirement	\$20,389.62	
TO Mission Board	\$52,160.43	
TO Promotional	\$29,000.00	
TO State Office	\$99,149.04	
TO Trustee Board	<u>\$10,102.14</u>	
TOTAL OUTFLOWS	<u>\$318,509.50</u>	(\$318,509.50)

Closing Balance **\$0.00**

2006 Acts 1:8 Distributions

Balance Brought Forward **\$0.00**

INFLOWS

FROM Receipts	<u>\$198,486.53</u>	
TOTAL INFLOWS	<u>\$198,486.53</u>	\$198,486.53

OUTFLOWS

Dale and Sandra Bishop	\$41,666.31	
Debbie Griffin	\$39,858.86	
Nathan and Linda Snow	\$60,432.38	
Ron and Janice Wallace	\$29,197.37	
TO State Mission Board	<u>\$27,331.61</u>	
TOTAL OUTFLOWS	<u>\$198,486.53</u>	(\$198,486.53)

Closing Balance **\$0.00**

Account Balance Report

ASSETS

Cash and Bank Accounts	12/31/04	12/31/05	12/31/06
Bartow County	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Building Services – State Office	\$4,368.86	\$172.81	(\$12,621.15)
Camp Board	\$16,222.52	\$12,656.01	\$4,372.55
Camp Savings (1)	\$166,550.18	\$173,958.96	\$179,487.38
Christian Education Board	\$3,138.78	\$912.97	\$580.90
Contingency Fund	\$29,236.71	\$33,187.38	\$33,701.09
Executive Board	\$1,246.07	\$708.52	\$2,301.32
GA Acts 1.8 Endowment (1)	\$1,204.95	\$3,919.16	\$4,447.77
GA Acts 1.8 Trust (2)	\$7,950.05	\$8,303.70	\$8,707.00
GA Coop Endowment (1)	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$8,222.26
GA Education Endowment (1)	\$3,394.60	\$9,151.39	\$11,023.75
GA Foreign Mission Trust (2)	\$5,587.82	\$5,836.39	\$6,119.80
Hampton (2)	\$59,154.36	\$513,098.21	\$0.00
Kingsland	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
LMCBF (2)	\$14,776.63	\$115,901.63	\$121,590.49
Ministers Retirement (2)	\$11,822.39	\$11,423.43	\$12,394.23
Misha Bevan Endowment (1)	\$1,204.95	\$1,290.58	\$1,464.52
Mission Board	\$57,828.76	\$16,263.80	\$511,063.55
Promotional	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
State Office	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Tifton	\$0.00	\$0.00	(\$1,135.93)
Trustee Board	\$10,994.98	\$1,624.11	\$1,551.59
Valdosta	\$10.00	\$10.00	\$0.00
Valdosta Land & Building (3)	<u>(\$39,699.13)</u>	<u>(\$39,699.13)</u>	<u>(\$39,699.13)</u>
TOTAL Cash Accounts	\$354,993.48	\$868,719.92	\$853,571.99

Property	12/31/04	12/31/05	12/31/06
Colquitt	\$75,000.00	\$75,000.00	\$75,000.00
Cordele	\$40,000.00	\$40,000.00	N/A
Hampton	\$750,000.00	N/A	N/A
Tifton	N/A	N/A	\$100,000.00
Valdosta	<u>\$400,000.00</u>	<u>\$250,000.00</u>	<u>\$250,000.00</u>
TOTAL Property	\$1,265,000.00	\$365,000.00	\$425,000.00

TOTAL ASSETS	\$1,619,993.48	\$1,233,719.92	\$1,278,571.99
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LIABILITIES	12/31/04	12/31/05	12/31/06
Federal Withholding Tax	(\$1,009.48)	(\$1,063.18)	(\$1,254.48)
Georgia Withholding Tax	(\$241.76)	(\$254.24)	(\$301.38)
Trinity Fellowship Loan	<u>(\$145,343.08)</u>	<u>N/A</u>	<u>N/A</u>
TOTAL LIABILITIES	(\$146,594.32)	(\$1,317.42)	(\$1,555.86)

Net Worth	\$1,473,399.16	\$1,232,402.50	\$1,277,016.13
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Note #1 Permanently restricted funds

Note #2 Temporally restricted funds

Note #3 There is no itemized report because of no activity in 2006

Executive Board Account
January 1, 2006 – December 31, 2006

Balance Brought Forward		\$708.52
INFLOWS		
FROM GA Coop	\$10,102.15	
FROM Receipts	<u>\$90.00</u>	
TOTAL INFLOWS	\$10,192.15	\$10,192.15
OUTFLOWS		
Books	\$424.30	
Directors Insurance	\$500.00	
Leadership Conference	\$1,548.55	
Lodging	\$348.66	
Meal	\$1,738.36	
Mileage	\$3,337.62	
Travel	<u>\$701.86</u>	
TOTAL OUTFLOWS	\$8,599.35	(\$8,599.35)
Closing Balance		\$2,301.32

Contingency Account
January 1, 2006 – December 31, 2006

Balance Brought Forward		\$33,187.38
INFLOWS		
Interest Income	\$25,363.81	
FROM Toler Seminar	<u>\$3,055.00</u>	
TOTAL INFLOWS	\$28,418.81	\$28,418.81
OUTFLOWS		
Advertisement	\$578.56	
Equipment	\$8,409.48	
Furniture	\$3,781.41	
Meal	\$1,477.42	
Postage	\$500.00	
Refund	\$40.00	
Seminar	\$5,000.00	
Supplies	\$599.17	
Travel	<u>\$7,519.06</u>	
TOTAL OUTFLOWS	\$27,905.10	(\$27,905.10)
Closing Balance		\$33,701.09

Minister's Retirement Account
January 1, 2006 – December 31, 2006

Balance Brought Forward		\$11,423.43
INFLOWS		
Interest Income	\$331.18	
FROM GA Coop	\$20,389.62	
FROM Receipts	<u>\$800.00</u>	
TOTAL INFLOWS	\$21,520.80	\$21,520.80
OUTFLOWS		
Retirement	<u>\$20,550.00</u>	
TOTAL OUTFLOWS	\$20,550.00	(\$20,550.00)
Closing Balance		\$12,394.23

State Office Account
January 1, 2006 – December 31, 2006

Balance Brought Forward		\$0.00
INFLOWS		
FROM GA Coop	\$99,149.04	
FROM Receipts	<u>\$50.00</u>	
TOTAL INFLOWS	\$99,199.04	\$99,199.04
OUTFLOWS		
Corporation Fee	\$90.00	
Executive Secretary		
Auto Insurance	\$1,101.00	
Federal Tax	\$2,850.00	
Health Insurance	\$7,923.81	
Housing Allowance	\$15,847.20	
Mileage	\$11,923.00	
Salary	\$26,741.96	
Social Security	\$7,598.44	
SRA	\$3,000.00	
State Tax	<u>\$1,600.50</u>	
TOTAL Executive Secretary	\$78,585.91	
Workers Comp	\$625.00	
Lodging	\$168.68	
National	\$345.12	
Office Secretary		
Federal Tax	\$385.00	
Salary	\$7,291.57	
Social Security	\$1,257.32	
SRA	\$518.18	
State Tax	<u>\$380.00</u>	
TOTAL Office Secretary	\$9,832.07	
Safety Deposit Box	\$25.00	
Tax Consultant	\$265.00	
Gas & Electric	\$5,807.51	
Telephone	<u>\$3,454.75</u>	
TOTAL OUTFLOWS	\$99,199.04	(\$99,199.04)
Closing Balance		\$0.00

Promotional Account
January 1, 2006 – December 31, 2006

Balance Brought Forward		\$0.00
INFLOWS		
FROM GA Coop	\$29,000.00	
FROM Book Sales	\$1,460.20	
FROM Church Dues	\$50.00	
FROM State Dues	\$925.00	
FROM National Dues	\$11,800.00	
FROM Refund	<u>\$122.00</u>	
TOTAL INFLOWS	\$43,357.20	\$43,357.20
OUTFLOWS		
Books	\$2,762.41	
Dues	\$50.00	
Equipment	\$62.50	
Meal	\$674.95	
Mileage	\$2,197.43	
Minutes	\$1,123.50	
National Convention Registration	\$11,800.00	
Plaque	\$112.35	
Postage	\$10,121.65	
Promotional Bulletin	\$9,608.43	
State Meeting		
Clerk	\$150.00	
Host Church	\$300.00	
Moderator	<u>\$100.00</u>	
TOTAL State Meeting	\$550.00	
Supplies	\$3,953.98	
Web Page	<u>\$340.00</u>	
TOTAL OUTFLOWS	\$43,357.20	(\$43,357.20)
Closing Balance		\$0.00

Georgia Acts 1:8 Trust
January 1, 2006 – December 31, 2006

Balance Brought Forward		\$8,303.70
INFLOWS		
Interest Income	<u>\$403.30</u>	
TOTAL INFLOWS	\$403.30	\$403.30
Closing Balance		\$8,707.00

Georgia Foreign Mission Trust
January 1, 2006 – December 31, 2006

Balance Brought Forward		\$5,836.39
INFLOWS		
Interest Income	<u>\$283.41</u>	
TOTAL INFLOWS	\$283.41	\$283.41
Closing Balance		\$6,119.80

Georgia Acts 1:8 Endowment
January 1, 2006 – December 31, 2006

Balance Brought Forward		\$3,919.16
INFLOWS		
Interest Income	\$528.61	
TOTAL INFLOWS	\$528.61	\$528.61
Closing Balance		\$4,447.77

Georgia Coop Endowment
January 1, 2006 – December 31, 2006

Balance Brought Forward		\$0.00
INFLOWS		
Interest Income	\$722.26	
FROM Receipts	<u>\$7,500.00</u>	
TOTAL INFLOWS	\$8,222.26	\$8,222.26
OVERALL TOTAL		\$8,222.26

Georgia Education Endowment
January 1, 2006 – December 31, 2006

Balance Brought Forward		\$9,151.39
INFLOWS		
Interest Income	\$1,247.86	
FROM Receipts	<u>\$624.50</u>	
TOTAL INFLOWS	\$1,872.36	\$1,872.36
Closing Balance		\$11,023.75

Misha Bevan Endowment
January 1, 2006 – December 31, 2006

Balance Brought Forward		\$1,290.58
INFLOWS		
Interest Income	\$173.94	
TOTAL INFLOWS	\$173.94	\$173.94
Closing Balance		\$1,464.52

* The Minister's Retirement Trust, Georgia Acts 1:8 Trust, Georgia Foreign Mission Trust, Georgia Acts 1:8 Endowment, Georgia Education Endowment, and Misha Bevan Endowment are managed by the Free Will Baptist Foundation in Antioch, TN.

Board of Camping Report
January 1, 2006 – December 31, 2006

My favorite time of the year is camp time. I love seeing the kids arrive and leave. I love watching them mature and develop as young people dedicated to God. Altar times thrill my soul as our FWB youth commit to be His people. Praying for those who have launched out into ministry from our ranks is exhilarating. God is still reaching His kids at camp.

Last June 245 campers descended upon Camp Echeeconee for five action-packed days. Days filled with wonderful food, enjoyable recreation, and great spiritual challenge made Teen Camp 2006 memorable. Decisions were made to follow Christ in salvation, to follow Him in education, and to follow Him in full-time Christian service. Brian Tippet, youth minister from North Carolina, was mightily used of God to present the Gospel in a real way, confronting our youth with God's truth. Praise the Lord for working in the hearts and lives of our youth. Bro. Mark Walker directed this camp and did an outstanding job. He will be the director for teen Camp 2007, May 27 - June 1, at Camp Echeeconee, Lizella, Georgia. Plan now to participate in person and in prayer as we anticipate meeting with God this summer.

While we do not operate a State Junior Camp, this board does encourage and support each local association in this vital ministry. We provided a grant of \$1,600.00 to each association to assist them in funding and operating a quality camp. While numbers do not tell the whole story, rejoice with us as we give God all the glory for Camping Season 2006.

Just prior to New Years, teens, their sponsors and pastors gathered at Epworth-by-the-Sea for the teen Winter Retreat. Beautiful weather and scenery positioned us to receive the Word from Tommy Swindoll, as he challenged us with God's Word to live holy lives. Decisions were plentiful as our youth asked God to meet their needs and refresh them for His service. Rev. Jeff Goodman ably led this retreat. He brought on Josh Bennett as director-in-Training; Josh will direct the retreat in 2007. What an appropriate way to end the year, with God on our minds.

On a personal note, this will be my last Camp Board report as Chairman. I wish to express my sincere appreciation to the state for allowing me to serve as Camp Board Chairman these 7 years. We have seen God's hand move among our youth here in Georgia, and we give Him all the glory. Numerous ones have gone to Free Will Baptist Bible College and are preparing to serve the Lord. Others will be Christ's representatives in secular colleges, living Christ daily. Please pray that what God has started in the lives of our youth will be completed by God for His glory. I am pleased to have been able to serve you in this capacity, and I do appreciate the support of our state association for our camping program. Teens in other state drive to Georgia for Teen Camp, and that is a fine compliment to our state ministries. To God be the glory, great things He hath done.

Thank you for allowing us to serve you on your Camp Board.

Paul Creech, Camp Board Chairman

2006 Camp Attendance	Campers	Workers	Total
Chattahoochee & Georgia Union	65	20	85
Little River	68	25	93
Martin & Midway	59	19	78
Ogeechee	67	18	85
North Georgia	39	20	59
South Georgia	57	20	77
Twin Cities	57	23	80
Union	35	19	54
Teen Camp	205	40	245
Teen Retreat	90	22	112
Total	742	226	968

Board of Camping Account
January 1, 2006 – December 31, 2006

Balance Brought Forward		\$12,656.01
INFLOWS		
FROM Camp Savings	\$3,000.00	
FROM GA Coop	\$18,980.91	
FROM Receipts	\$71.00	
FROM Teen Camp	\$28,240.00	
FROM Teen Retreat	<u>\$9,809.20</u>	
TOTAL INFLOWS	\$60,101.11	\$60,101.11
OUTFLOWS		
Insurance	\$3,005.00	
Jr. Camp	\$16,000.00	
Meal	\$431.30	
Mileage	\$1,254.01	
Teen Camp		
Activities	\$4,810.00	
Director	\$500.00	
Facilities	\$4,050.00	
Food	\$5,971.45	
Life Guard	\$250.00	
Music	\$400.00	
Refund	\$550.00	
Shirts	\$2,198.70	
Six Flags	\$11,451.36	
Speaker	\$1,000.00	
Supplies	<u>\$261.55</u>	
TOTAL Teen Camp	<u>\$31,443.06</u>	
Teen Retreat		
Director	\$250.00	
Facilities	\$10,645.06	
Music	\$1,250.00	
Shirts	\$2,583.75	
Speaker	\$1,270.00	
Supplies	<u>\$252.39</u>	
TOTAL Teen Retreat	<u>\$16,251.20</u>	
TOTAL OUTFLOWS	\$68,384.57	(\$68,384.57)
Closing Balance		\$4,372.55

Board of Camping Savings Account
January 1, 2006 – December 31, 2006

Balance Brought Forward		\$173,958.96
INFLOWS		
Interest Income	<u>\$8,528.42</u>	
TOTAL INFLOWS	\$8,528.42	\$8,528.42
OUTFLOWS		
TO Camp Board	<u>\$3,000.00</u>	
TOTAL OUTFLOWS	\$3,000.00	(3,000.00)
Closing Balance		\$179,487.38

**Board of Christian Education Report
January 1, 2006 - December 31, 2006**

Our retreats did very well in 2006, Bro. Rob Morgan, pastor at Donelson FWB in Nashville, Tennessee spoke at our couples retreat, Bro. Tim York, pastor at Woodbine FWB in Nashville, Tennessee spoke at our minister's retreat, Mrs. Debbie Burden also from Nashville, Tennessee spoke at our minister's wives retreat, and our own Bro. Kent Barwick and Bro. Billy D. Hanna from Colquitt and Albany spoke at our senior citizen's retreat. All these did a wonderful job and all of our retreats were a success. The 2007 and 2008 retreats are already scheduled and ready to go, try to make one or more of these if you can.

The Master's Course is proceeding very well. We've been having one class every quarter and our men who are in the class are making very good grades. If you are interested in working to get your Master's degree in bible and would like to join please call the State office for dates of the class and what you need to get started.

Our Charles Clark Scholarships went to 24 students from the State of Georgia attending Bible College.

Our Historical Society has been busy, they provided information for three church histories, provided material for two obituaries, and is constantly updating materials. If you have any church history information or would just like to help, please contact Mrs. Geraldine Waid.

Our Youth Competition was held at White Oaks FWB in Macon. They did a wonderful job hosting it. We had some that placed at the national level. They are:

<u>Age</u>	<u>Category</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Place</u>
A	Powerpoint	Taylor Richter	3 rd
B	Powerpoint	Aston Pyle	2 nd
C	Powerpoint	Diana Duncan	1 st
B	Painting	Tatum Shivers	2 nd
D	3-D Art	Patrick Hearn	3 rd
B	Fabricated Art	Mason Murphy	1 st
D	Fabricated Art	Mary Ann Murphy	1 st
C	Promotional Art	Christy Harper	1 st
D	Computer Art	Courtney Hardin	1 st
C	Trio	TGIF Trio	1 st
B	String Bowed	Tyler Clenney	2 nd
B	String Plucked	Even Pell	3 rd
B	Duet	Albany Duet	2 nd
C	Keyboard	Kollin Pyle	1 st
B	Keyboard Ensemble	One Light	3 rd
B	Short Story	Hannah Pell	2 nd
B	Short Story	Mason Murphy	3 rd
B	Essay	Mackenzie Croy	1 st
C	Poetry	Deborah Creech	1 st

We have some talented young people in our State Churches. Let's continue to encourage them to develop their talents for God's service and glorification. If you need information on how to get started please contact Randy Jackson our competition director. We are also trying to establish a team of our competition winner's that would be available to come to your church and perform in their category in front of your church. This would show your young people and adults what it looks like and what is involved in order to compete in our youth competition.

We had a youth rally at the White Oaks Free Will Baptist Church on Friday night before the competition, Stephen Jackson was the speaker and Ben Crabtree did the music. They both did a wonderful job.

Thanks for your support,

Mark Walker, Board Chairman

**Board of Christian Education Account
January 1, 2006 – December 31, 2006**

Balance Brought Forward		\$912.97
INFLOWS		
FROM GA Coop	\$27,576.91	
FROM Couples Retreat	\$9,560.00	
FROM CTS Fees	\$2,395.00	
FROM Ministers Retreat	\$2,875.00	
FROM Ministers Wives Retreat	\$1,000.00	
FROM Senior Citizens Retreat	\$7,790.00	
FROM Receipts	<u>\$200.00</u>	
TOTAL INFLOWS	\$51,396.91	\$51,396.91
OUTFLOWS		
Couples Retreat		
Refund	\$75.00	
Rooms	\$9,304.97	
Speaker	\$800.00	
Travel	<u>\$652.42</u>	
TOTAL Couples Retreat	\$10,832.39	
Master Program	\$5,149.60	
Meal	\$465.42	
Mileage	\$781.87	
Ministers Retreat		
Refund	\$75.00	
Rooms	\$6,171.27	
Speaker	<u>\$750.00</u>	
TOTAL Ministers Retreat	\$6,996.27	
Ministers Wives Retreat		
Rooms	\$3,507.63	
Speaker	<u>\$800.00</u>	
TOTAL Ministers Wives Retreat	\$4,307.63	
Scholarship-FWBBC	\$4,800.00	
Senior Citizen Retreat		
Refund	\$180.00	
Rooms	\$14,075.46	
Speaker	<u>\$750.00</u>	
TOTAL Senior Citizen Retreat	\$15,005.46	
Supplies	\$473.47	
Youth Conference		
Awards	\$261.23	
Host Church	\$100.00	
Hotel	\$330.64	
Judge	\$150.00	
Music	\$50.00	
National Registration	\$1,875.00	
Speaker	<u>\$150.00</u>	
TOTAL Youth Conference	<u>\$2,916.87</u>	
TOTAL OUTFLOWS	\$51,728.98	(\$51,728.98)
Closing Balance		\$580.90

Board of Missions Report
January 1, 2006 – December 31, 2006

The past year has been a mixed bag of blessings and disappointments. We have rejoiced greatly in the victories that our Church planters have enjoyed. Several young families have joined the work in Valdosta and infused it with some youthful enthusiasm. We are thankful for the perseverance of Brother Bill Lewis. The work in Cartersville continues to blossom and we are looking for property. Brother Bill Crank is a God – send to the state of Georgia.

We have been thankful for the financial blessings that God has sent our way. As you can tell from the financial report finances are not a problem. Yet, we have grieved over the difficulties that we have faced in hiring new church planters. All of our efforts in securing new workers have seemingly been to no avail. The harvest is white but the laborers are few.

Honesty demands that we report that we have faced some difficulties in the work in Valdosta regarding the sale and relocation of the church. Misunderstandings and hard feelings among some in the congregation, regarding the sale of the property, have temporarily impeded the progress of the work. Yet we are determined to proceed as we had planned in the very beginning when we accepted the property, as a gift, and hired Brother Bill Lewis. We affirm our commitment to Brother Lewis.

The following are our reports from Cartersville, Valdosta, and Fairbanks.

CARTERSVILLE

The year 2006 marked a time of beginning as well as transition. In March, we had our launch service with great excitement. We had rented a store front location with limited space for our children's ministry, but we felt it was a good starting place. It did not take long, just a couple of months, before we outgrew this location. The coming of families with children meant we needed to move. Our landlord had another place about a block from the first location. It was built as an office complex but never occupied. It was unfinished inside which meant work for us but we were also able to put some things into it that we thought important. We built classrooms, ran electricity, laid carpet and began the process of fitting the building for worship.

We began the year with an average of 17 in January and ended December with an average of 61. Though we had significant progress, we saw a lot of people come for a time and then fall out for various reasons. We still have a long way to go before we can claim to have arrived. Both spiritual and numerical growths are a process. Laying a foundation is important or else the building will not stand the test of time.

Presently we are planning for growth in 2007. There are still cosmetic items to be taken care of in our facility that we are dealing with as we can. We are planning a monthly teaching session for our core group and leadership. Baptisms are being planned and an aggressive outreach is being prayed over. As we begin the year, we have challenged our leaders to begin with fasting and prayer. It is amazing how many have taken the challenge. As we look ahead to 2007, it is our hope to continue to look for ways to reach our community for Christ. We have spent a lot of money on outreach, mailings, ministry, and advertising and hope to continue to do so. In October, we had a "Trunk or Treat – Hallelujah Festival" in which 500 individuals visited our church, 37 of those families expressed an interest and need for what our church is doing. Those families need to be reached along with many others.

We are continually in an upgrade mode as far as equipment and building are concerned. Our present building can seat 90-140. We have limited parking and max the lot out most Sundays.

We would like to thank the great state of Georgia for their continued support and prayers. It would be easy to look at our numbers and think we have arrived as a church however most of our people are very young in the faith. We hope one day soon to reach the goal and be a blessing back to the state.

Our wish list is to stay the course. We need money to continue to advertise, mail, and reach out. We are picking up the tab on our expenses and hope to continue and grow in this area as well as my salary. We will celebrate our first birthday in March and would love to see our attendance grow.

CHURCH FINANCIAL REPORT

Balance Brought Forward – January 1, 2006		\$1,467.39
Income	\$52,049.65	\$52,049.65
Expenses		
Repair, Upkeep, Remodeling, Equipment	\$12,886.98	
Rent	\$16,850.00	
Ministry/Outreach	\$4,891.16	
Utilities	\$3,283.98	
Supplies	\$2,327.49	
Postage/Printing	\$4,345.29	
GSAFWB	\$2,125.00	
Youth	\$1,006.01	
Literature	\$687.04	
Insurance	\$609.00	
Advertising/Promotional	\$2,408.46	
Cleaning	<u>\$480.00</u>	
Total	\$51,900.41	(\$51,900.41)
Closing Balance - December 31, 2006		\$1,616.63

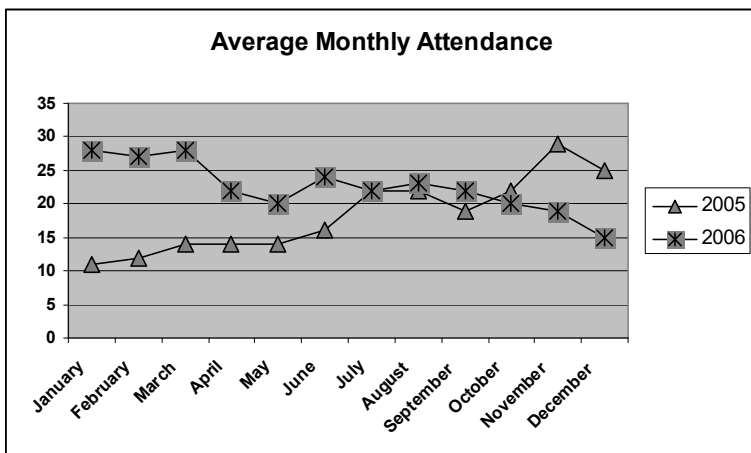
Bill Crank – Church Planter to Cartersville, Georgia

VALDOSTA

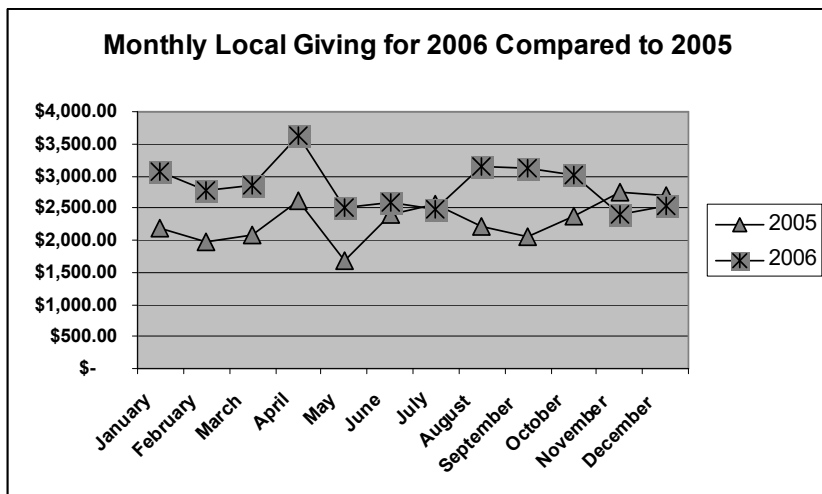
Perhaps the hardest of all lessons to learn is how to praise God in the tough times as well as in the good times. This has been a year that started with growth and ended with a setback; however, it is certain that the setback is only temporary and is the result of a commitment to move the Valdosta work forward. We do praise God for all He does and His forever presence even in trying times. Along with the Psalmist I declare, that “I will bless the LORD at all times: his praise shall continually be in my mouth” (Psalm 34:1 KJV).

Because of the location of the current facilities, it has been difficult to generate visitors to the facility. This has been an ongoing problem from the beginning of the mission. Without a steady flow of visitors growth is virtually impossible. A good location in itself does not guarantee that a work will be successful; however, a bad location can be a great hindrance to the growth of a mission. The mission board had committed to attempt to build church growth in the current location, but if the current location did not prove fruitful, the board committed to selling the property and relocating the mission in Lowndes County.

After sometime in the current location it was evident that the mission needed to relocate its efforts. A buyer was found and at the end of 2006 details were being worked out to complete the sale of the property. The discussion of the sale and the steps to bring it to reality has had a negative impact on attendance numbers in the mission. Some have left over the issue while there is a continued problem with creating new visitors. From the chart titled *Average Monthly Attendance* you can see the impact this has had on attendance. The point where 2006 figures actually fall well below 2005 figures is the point when it was actually announced that a sale was going to take place.



The decline in attendance has been unfortunate; however, if the mission is to be successful in the long run, relocation is absolutely necessary. Without the ability to generate a continuous flow of new visitors, the mission was destined to slowly move along at an attendance of twenty-five to thirty with a ministry to about forty to fifty people. This would prohibit Free Will Baptists from obtaining a stronghold to win souls in South Georgia's fastest growing area.



Finances, as they always do, have followed attendance. Until the fall of 2006, local funding was on tract to meet the local budget projections; however, with the decline in attendance also came a decline in local giving. Again the changes are directly related to the discussion and sale of the Valdosta property located on Forrest Street.

The 2007 local budget projections are a reflection of the impact on attendance the move has had. Honestly, the budget is probably less optimistic than it should be purely because of the frustration that I as the missionary have experienced through this process. I

do believe the reality of the year will overcome any temporary discouragement and exceed the extremely conservative estimates in the budget.

Although some setback was expected, the extent and impact on growth did catch me as the mission pastor off guard. My determination of the faith and commitment of some to the work was far greater than the reality of the situation. And although this has been heartbreaking to me, I am still convinced the move is within the will of God and, as such, in the best interest of Free Will Baptists in Georgia.

Even though difficulties have risen, the mission before us remains the same and well in focus. The purpose of Open Door Fellowship is to recruit people to Jesus and refine them for His purposes. The emphasis remains on Bible centered teaching and preaching.

Goals for 2007:

1. Continue focus on reaching folks for Christ.
2. Close on the sale of the property on Forrest Street.
3. Acquire new property on which plans can begin for a new building/location.
4. Determine temporary meeting arrangements.
5. Begin aggressive evangelistic efforts in area of new location.
6. Finalize plans for new facilities.

2006 Budget Comparison with Actual Receipts & Expenditures Local Giving Through December 31, 2006

	<u>Budgeted</u>		<u>Actual</u>	
General Funds Available January 1, 2006	\$10,668.00	\$	10,668.69	
Projected Receipts for 2006	36,000.00		34,338.79	
Projected Funds Available	\$46,668.00	\$	45,007.48	
Projected Expenditures for 2006				
Cooperative Giving	\$1,800.00	\$	1,671.83	
Acts 1:8	1,800.00		1,671.83	
Associational Expenses	200		281.5	
LRA Camp			1,250.00	(1)
Other Special Offerings	600		528.5	(2)
GA Mission Board	4,000.00		4,000.00	
Travel & Meetings	800		225	
Utilities	3,100.00		2,893.80	
Telephone	1,600.00		1,569.31	
Office/Ministry	9,000.00		9,704.93	(3)
Buildings/Grounds	9,000.00		7,361.70	(4)
Total Projected Expenditures	\$31,900.00	\$	31,158.40	
Transfers to Special Funds	\$3,750.00	\$	1,067.18	
Projected General Funds Available After Expenditures	\$11,018.00	\$	12,781.90	

Notes: (1) After passing the budget, the church voted to support LRA Camp with \$100 per month as per the request of the LRA Camp Board.

(2) Special offerings are all designated and expenditures equal amounts given.

(3) Includes the purchase of a projector/computer early in the year.

(4) Includes the expense related to a new heating/cooling system in the Education Building.

Actual Fund Balances as of December 31, 2006

	<u>Projected</u> <u>Year End</u>	<u>Actual</u> <u>YTD</u>	
General Fund	\$11,018.00	\$12,781.90	
Building Fund	4,730.00	2,594.63	(5)
Benevolent Fund	1,183.00	636.16	(5)
Cash in Bank	\$16,931.00	\$16,012.69	

Notes: (5) Transfers to these funds are based on a percentage of increased receipts over expenditures. In the third quarter, the expenditures exceeded receipts due to the new heating/air conditioning system.

2006 Activities Through December 31, 2006

Church Planter's Activities

Church Special Activities

		<u>Attendance</u>
Personal Contact	(6) LRA Mission	35-40
	Rally	
Hospital Visits	(7) Baby	53
	Dedication	
Nursing Home Visits	Fish Fry	42
Personal	Joint Service	88-90
Cards/Letters		
Email/Telephone/Other		
Mailings		

Notes: (6) In addition to these contacts, the church planter has performed three (3) funerals and counseled the related families.

(6) In addition to these contacts, the church planter has spoken at two (2) homecoming services, the Georgia State Association, The Little River Association Mission Conference, and The Little River Association. The church planter's wife spoke at the South Georgia WAC Meeting.

(7) These visits do not include the visits made by the church planter while serving as a chaplain at South Georgia Medical Center. While on duty as chaplain, the church planter has counseled with five (5) families who lost loved ones, two (2) families in the time of decision concerning life support, and numerous others experiencing some form of trauma.

2007 BUDGET FOR LOCAL GIFTS

	<u>Budgeted</u>	
General Funds Available January 1, 2006	\$16,000.00	
Projected Receipts for 2006	30,000.00	
Projected Funds Available	\$46,000.00	
Projected Expenditures for 2006		
Cooperative Giving	\$1,500.00	(1)
Acts 1:8	1,500.00	(2)
Associational	300	
Expenses		
LRA Camp	1,200.00	(3)
Other Special Offerings	500	(4)
GA Mission Board	10,000.00	(5)
Travel & Meetings	800	
Utilities	2,000.00	
Telephone	1,600.00	
Office/Ministry	8,500.00	(6)
Buildings/Grounds		(7)
Total Projected Expenditures	\$27,900.00	

Transfers to Special Funds	\$800.00	(8)
Projected General Funds Available		
After Expenditures	\$17,300.00	
Notes to budget:		

- (1) Five percent (5%) of undesignated gifts go to the Georgia State Association of Free Will Baptists cooperative program.
- (2) Five percent (5%) of undesignated gifts go to the Georgia State Association of Free Will Baptists Acts 1:8 Program.
- (3) The body decided in the 2006 business meeting to send \$100 per month to the Little River Youth Camp.
- (4) Includes the Damon Dodd Offering, Change for Missions, Special Offerings, Etc.
- (5) These funds are sent to the state office to offset the expense of a full-time pastor provided by the State Mission Board.
- (6) This includes the proposed purchase of a wide screen monitor (approximately \$300) to use with the lap top computer when presenting the mission work at state and district meetings, an electric piano for mobility (approximately \$1,000), and a color monitor (approximately \$100) to use with the DVD and projector system.
- (7) Because of uncertainty in meeting locations it is impossible at this point to project costs in this area.
- (8) Twenty percent (20%) of the increase in funds over expenses each month are automatically transferred into the building fund. Five percent (5%) of the increase in funds over expenses each month are automatically transferred into the benevolent fund.

Bill Lewis – Church Planter to Valdosta, Georgia

ALASKA

This was another good year for the work in Fairbanks, Alaska. Most of the work on new building has now been completed. Thank you to all the Georgia Churches and people who contributed funds for the new building. We still continue to see a lot of transition of people because of the two military bases. Because of the military we lost a few of our faithful members but we also gained new ones. For the year we did see a net increase in attendance. Thank you for your continued prayers and support.

Ron Wallace – Church Planter to Fairbanks, Alaska

A WORD OF THANKS

The State Mission Board would like to express our appreciation to this State Association for the support and confidence that you have placed in us. We have tried to be faithful in that which you have committed to us. We believe that we have been good stewards of the work of God.

On a personal note, this is my last report to you. I have resigned from the mission board and Brother Fred Hersey will be replacing me from the Midway Association. I would like to thank you for the privilege that has been mine to serve as chairman of this board for the last several years. It has been a joy. We have a wonderful board. I am convinced that the work for Free Will Baptist in Georgia is "ripe unto harvest." It remains our task to reap the harvest.

Your Servants:

Billy D. Hanna, Chairman,
 Len Blanchard, Vice-Chairman,
 Melonie Brown, Reuben Cason, Paul Creech, Gerald Moore, Danny Ryals, Charles Sumner, Gerald Thompson, and Rick Wilson

Board of Missions Account
January 1, 2006 – December 31, 2006

Balance Brought Forward		\$16,263.80
INFLOWS		
FROM Acts 1.8	\$27,331.61	
FROM GA Coop	\$52,160.43	
FROM Hampton	\$511,098.21	
FROM Damon C. Dodd Offering	\$19,150.09	
FROM Receipts	\$10,699.01	
FROM Alice Lumpton	<u>\$262.70</u>	
TOTAL INFLOWS	\$620,702.05	\$620,702.05
OUTFLOWS		
Meal	\$714.80	
Mileage	\$1,478.42	
Ron Wallace - State Meeting	\$1,666.73	
TO Bartow County	\$66,021.66	
TO Valdosta	<u>\$56,020.69</u>	
TOTAL OUTFLOWS	\$125,902.30	(\$125,902.30)
Closing Balance		\$511,063.55

Bartow County Account
January 1, 2006 – December 31, 2006

Balance Brought Forward		\$0.00
INFLOWS		
FROM Mission Board	\$66,021.66	
FROM Receipts	<u>\$1,890.67</u>	
TOTAL INFLOWS	\$67,912.33	\$67,912.33
OUTFLOWS		
Advertisement	\$2,090.00	
Building		
Rent	\$1,700.00	
Repairs	<u>\$3,000.00</u>	
TOTAL Building	<u>\$4,700.00</u>	
Equipment	\$4,500.00	
Furniture	\$1,441.00	
Lodging	\$279.33	
National	\$848.04	
State Meeting	\$154.00	
William A. Crank		
Car Allowance	\$4,800.00	
Health Insurance	\$7,200.00	
Housing Allowance	\$16,800.00	
Salary	<u>\$25,099.96</u>	
TOTAL William A. Crank	<u>\$53,899.96</u>	
TOTAL OUTFLOWS	\$67,912.33	(\$67,912.33)
Closing Balance		\$0.00

Hampton Account
January 1, 2006 – December 31, 2006

Balance Brought Forward		\$513,098.21
OUTFLOWS		
Building	\$500.00	
Payment	<u>\$1,500.00</u>	
TOTAL Building	<u>\$2,000.00</u>	
TO Mission Board	<u>\$511,098.21</u>	
TOTAL OUTFLOWS	\$513,098.21	(\$513,098.21)
Closing Balance		\$0.00

Living Memorial Church Building Fund
January 1, 2006 – December 31, 2006

Balance Brought Forward		\$115,901.63
INFLOWS		
Interest Income	<u>\$5,688.86</u>	
TOTAL INFLOWS	\$5,688.86	\$5,688.86
Closing Balance		\$121,590.49

Tifton Account
January 1, 2006 – December 31, 2006

Balance Brought Forward		\$0.00
OUTFLOWS		
Building	\$114.00	
Insurance	\$629.00	
Gas & Electric	\$217.93	
Yard	<u>\$175.00</u>	
TOTAL OUTFLOWS	\$1,135.93	(\$1,135.93)
Closing Balance		(\$1,135.93)

Valdosta Account
January 1, 2006– December 31, 2006

Balance Brought Forward		\$10.00
INFLOWS		
FROM Mission Board	\$56,020.69	
FROM Receipts	<u>\$1,632.67</u>	
TOTAL INFLOWS	\$57,653.36	\$57,653.36
OUTFLOWS		
Advertisement	\$4,530.00	
Building	\$14.00	
Lodging	\$279.33	
National	\$765.80	
State Meeting	\$154.00	
William S Lewis		
Car Allowance	\$4,800.00	
Federal Tax	\$2,658.00	
Housing Allowance	\$14,400.00	
Salary	\$24,950.95	
SRA	\$3,600.00	
State Tax	<u>\$1,511.28</u>	
TOTAL William S Lewis	<u>\$51,920.23</u>	
TOTAL OUTFLOWS	\$57,663.36	(\$57,663.36)
Closing Balance		\$0.00

**Board of Trustees Report
January 2006– December 2006**

The Georgia State Board of Trustees is the general overseer and insurer of all State Association property. The Board has the sole responsibility of the upkeep of the State Office building and grounds.

During 2006 the interior of the State Office building was remodeled. The paneling was replaced with sheetrock. New carpet, cabinets and bookshelves were installed. New rooms were added, a workroom and conference room that also houses the archives.

The Cordele property was sold. Net proceeds were \$49,714.00. This money was applied to the expenses of remodeling the office.

The Trustee Board along with the Executive Secretary and Moderator met with Church Mutual representative Bill Gainer to discuss our insurance policies. At this meeting we were informed of our insurance coverage and responsibilities pertaining to accounting, hiring practices, and the training of camp workers.

Thank you for your prayers and support.

Respectfully submitted,

Russell Horne, Board Chairman

**Board of Trustees Account
January 1, 2006 – December 31, 2006**

Balance Brought Forward		\$1,624.11
INFLOWS		
FROM GA Coop	<u>\$10,102.14</u>	
TOTAL INFLOWS	\$10,102.14	\$10,102.14
OUTFLOWS		
Insurance	\$1,278.00	
Maintenance	\$106.31	
Meal	\$139.11	
Mileage	\$465.47	
Pest Control	\$526.10	
Repairs	\$126.67	
Yard	\$533.00	
TO Building Services - State Office	<u>\$7,000.00</u>	
TOTAL OUTFLOWS	\$10,174.66	(\$10,174.66)
Closing Balance		\$1,551.59

**Building Services Account (State Office Building)
January 1, 2005 – December 31, 2005**

Balance Brought Forward		\$172.81
INFLOWS		
Interest Income	\$86.20	
FROM Receipts	\$49,764.00	
FROM Trustee Board	<u>\$7,000.00</u>	
TOTAL INFLOWS	\$56,850.20	\$56,850.20
OUTFLOWS		
Meal	\$208.57	
Pest Control	\$150.00	
Repairs	<u>\$69,285.59</u>	
TOTAL OUTFLOWS	\$69,644.16	(\$69,644.16)
Closing Balance		(\$12,621.15)

**AUDITING COMMITTEE REPORT
TO THE
GEORGIA STATE ASSOCIATION OF FREE WILL BAPTISTS, INC.**

We, the Auditing Committee met on January 13, 2007 at the State Office in Colquitt to conduct the annual audit. Financial statements for the year ending December 31, 2006 were examined and reviewed.

The committee found all State Office records to be in order and properly documented. The review process included examining bank statements, reconciliation statements and receipts. Brother William Smith has managed the Georgia State Association office's books and financial reporting in an exceptional manner. Systems of checks and balances are in place to ensure that all monies received and disbursed are accounted for in detailed fashion. We wish to commend Brother William Smith for his hard work and dedication.

Respectfully submitted,

Signed *Rusty Clenney*
Rusty Clenney

Signed *Virginia Grant*
Virginia Grant

CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS

GEORGIA STATE ASSOCIATION OF FREE WILL BAPTISTS, Inc.

PREAMBLE

We, the Free Will Baptist of the State of Georgia, do ordain this Constitution for the purpose of advocating, promoting and increasing all phases of the cause of Christ.

ARTICLE I

This assembly shall be known as the ***Georgia State Association of Free Will Baptists, Inc.***

Article II

SECTION 1. The officers of this association shall be Moderator, an Assistant Moderator, a Clerk, an Assistant Clerk, and an Executive Secretary/Treasurer.

SECTION 2. The Executive Board shall be composed of the regular officers; the chairman of each of the standing boards; and the previous moderator, as an ex officio member for a period of two years following his term of office; and the moderator of the District Associations not represented shall serve as members at large.

SECTION 3. This Association shall be composed of ordained Ministers, ordained Deacons, Missionaries, and Board Members who are members of affiliated bodies; one (1) delegate for every three hundred (300) members or fraction thereof from District Associations; one (1) delegate for every one hundred (100) members or fraction thereof from each local affiliated church.

SECTION 4. All delegates from District Associations and local churches shall be elected from the laity of the body sending them.

SECTION 5. Funds to meet current needs of this body shall be paid to the treasurer of this association. Each District Association will give a minimum of twenty-five dollars (\$25.00) per delegate authorized, and each local church will give twenty-five (\$25.00) per delegate.

SECTION 6. In order to pay our Georgia State Association's annual representation fee to the National Association, each local association is to be responsible to promote, receive and forward the amount designated by the National Association per church per year to the State Office, along with their annual State Association representation fee, on or before our annual State Association session.

ARTICLE III

SECTION 1. It shall be the privilege of each affiliated District Association to recommend a member for each standing board. Terms of office on these boards shall be on a rotating basis which will necessitate the election by the State Association of five (5) members every two (2) years, thus giving each member a four (4) year term of office.

SECTION 2. There shall be a **Board of Missions** composed of members who are noted for their missionary zeal.

A. The Board of Missions shall employ missionaries as needed to establish Free Will Baptist mission/churches in the State of Georgia. These missionaries may be employed exclusively or jointly with other Free Will Baptist agencies.

B. A mission/church sponsored by the Georgia State Association and their missionaries are under the authority of the State Association and the supervision of the Georgia State Board of Missions.

C. A mission/church does not have autonomous church status. As long as the mission/church is unable to provide for its own business, it is in a dependent relationship to the State Association and its Board of Missions.

D. When the mission/church is self-sustaining, self-governing, self-discipline, and self-propagating. It should be organized into an autonomous Free Will Baptist Church following the procedures adopted by the Georgia State Association.

E. After proper procedures are satisfied and the church is duly organized into autonomous Free Will Baptist church it shall have all normal rights, privileges, and responsibilities of any other Free Will Baptist Church.

SECTION 3. There shall be a **Board of Camping** whose duties shall be to schedule and arrange all camp sessions, and to appoint the Camp Director each year.

SECTION 4. There shall be a **Board of Christian Education** whose duties shall be:

A. To provide educational services for the members of the Georgia State Association of Free Will Baptists.

B. To set policy and supervise the functions of the State Youth Committee. This Board shall appoint this Committee to carry out Board policy.

C. To organize sponsor and promote educational and inspirational retreats for our members.

D. To organize, sponsor and promote Sunday School and Church Training seminars.

E. To set policy and supervise the Historical Committee. This Board shall appoint the Historical Committee to gather and set forth for public knowledge and posterity the history of Georgia Free Will Baptists.

SECTION 5. There shall be a **Board of Trustees** whose duties shall be; maintenance, upkeep and insuring of all State Association properties; the planning and supervision of all future developments and expansion of these properties as directed by the State Association except otherwise provided in this Constitution.

SECTION 6. There shall be a **Credentials Committee**, which shall consist of three (3) members of three-year terms. And the term of one expiring each year thereafter according to seniority of service, who shall be in charge of the registration and examination of delegates and the receiving of all dues.

SECTION 7. There shall be two members on the Board of Trustees of the Free Will Baptist Children's Home, Eldridge, Alabama, elected for terms of four (4) years. Election will take place on odd years and shall be staggered.

SECTION 8. There shall be a **Georgia State Master's Men**. They shall select their own officers and conduct their own business.

SECTION 9. There shall be a **Georgia State Woman's Auxiliary Convention (GWAC)**. They shall elect their officers, conduct their business and maintain their treasury.

ARTICLE IV

SECTION 1. All officers except board members and the Executive Secretary/Treasurer shall be elected to serve a term of two (2) years. The Executive Secretary/Treasurer shall be employed by the Executive Board of the Georgia State Association of Free Will Baptists, subject to the ratification of the Georgia State Association of Free Will Baptists at its next regular session, for an indefinite period, with an agreement of sixty (60) day notice of termination by either the Executive Secretary/Treasurer or the Executive Board.

SECTION 2. Standing Boards of the State Association have no power of final authority to hire, full-time employees until the matter has been presented to and acted on by the State Association in session except where otherwise provided.

SECTION 3. The Executive Board may fill vacancies on any of the boards or committees, which occur between regular sessions of this State Association, until the convening of the annual session of said association.

SECTION 4. Election of all General Officers shall take place on the odd years of the calendar.

SECTION 5. If a member of any board fails in the function of his or her duty without good and sufficient reasons, the board of which the delinquent is a member may declare that particular office vacant. Further, this body shall have and does reserve the right to deal with the officer or board member who does not conduct his or her office in a Christian, business like manner according to the rules of Christian conduct as set forth in the New Testament.

Any standing board of this State Association may appoint proxies to serve in lieu of the absent members.

At the pleasure of the boards, and subsequent to the meeting from which the regular member is absent, the boards have the right to deal with the delinquent member in the manner stated in this section.

SECTION 6. The Chairman or Vice-Chairman of said board, or by the Moderator or Assistant Moderator of the Georgia State Association of Free Will Baptists, upon the request of the majority of the members of said boards, may call boards into session.

SECTION 7. An auditing Committee shall consist of three (3) members elected for three (3) three year terms.

AMENDMENTS

This Constitution may be changed, altered, or amended by a two-thirds (2/3) vote of all delegates present and voting at any regular session of the State Association. Prior to a final vote on any amendment, change or alteration, said amendment, change or alteration shall be submitted in writing to the Clerk of this association and shall lie on the table from one (1) business meeting to the next during the same session, during which time it shall be read at least two (2) times in open session. Officers, standing boards, and/or standing committees may be added or deleted as the need arises.

BY-LAWS

SECTION 1:

A. All real property, checking and savings account or any other assets of this Association shall be in the name of the *Georgia State Association of Free Will Baptists, Inc.*

B. One or more of the corporate officers of the Association shall be the legal signers of all Georgia State Association of Free Will Baptists, Inc. business. These officers are: the Moderator as the corporate President; the Clerk as the corporate Vice-President; and the Executive Secretary/Treasurer as the Secretary/Treasurer.

C. The State Office shall be responsible for the safekeeping of the corporate seal and all official documents of the State Association.

D. No State Board may borrow money or financially obligated the State Association without the approval of the Executive Board.

E. The fixed assets (building, land) of the Georgia State Association of Free Will Baptists shall not be liquidated except by a two-thirds (2/3) vote of the delegates present and voting at any regular session of the Association.

The Executive Board shall have the authority to approve the sale of properties donated to any Board of the Georgia State Association of Free Will Baptists, Inc., upon recommendation of the Board to which the donation was made, with proceeds remaining under the authority of the recommending Board."

F. The records of all financial transaction shall be open to all members of the Georgia State Association. The financial transactions of the State Office and State Boards shall be audited annually.

G. Annual financial reports of the State Office and State Boards and the auditor's report shall be made to the State Association in session and be entered in the Annual State Minutes.

H. The State Treasurer shall be bonded in amount stipulated by the State Executive Board.

I. This Association shall meet for its regular session annually on Thursday following the third Sunday in March.

SECTION 2.

A. When the State Association is not in session, the State Executive Board shall be duly authorized to do business in the name of the State Association.

B. The State Association has full authority to direct the State Executive Board in all business conducted on its behalf.

C. The State Executive Board shall report to the State Association in session concerning the business conducted for the State Association since its last convening.

D. The State Executive Board has the prerogative of deferring any matter to the State Association as a whole but is not under obligation to do so.

E. The State Executive Board shall meet quarterly in the following months: March, June, September, and December. The March meeting shall be held just prior to the regular meeting of the State Association.

F. Any and all correspondence from any member of this State Association, (includes either individual, group, Board or District Association) directed to any Board, or Chairman of said Board, or any officer of this State Association, or any open letters to any or all District Associations of this State, that pertains to any business which is desired or required to be brought before this body at any scheduled or special called meeting, shall be properly sent directly to the Clerk of the Georgia State Association of Free Will Baptists. The clerk will be responsible for routing the correspondence to its proper designation. All correspondence as mentioned above, shall be required to be received by the Clerk of the State Association at least 30 days prior to any scheduled State Association Meeting if said correspondence contains business that is to be introduced and discussed at said meeting.

SECTION 3.

A. The moderator shall preside at the Annual Session of the Georgia State Association of Free Will Baptists and the meetings of the Executive Board. The Moderator shall be the President of the Corporation known as the *Georgia State Association of Free Will Baptists, Inc.*

B. The Assistant Moderator shall preside in the absence of the Moderator and/or when appointed by the Moderator as the need arises.

C. The Clerk shall keep records of the proceedings of the Annual Associational meeting and of the Executive Board meetings. It shall also be his responsibility to have the minutes of these sessions printed and distributed. The Clerk shall be the Vice-President of the Corporation known as *Georgia State Association of Free Will Baptists, Inc.*

D. The Assistant Clerk in the absence of the Clerk, shall fulfill the functions and duties of the Clerk as stated in paragraph C of this document.

SECTION 4.

A. The Executive Secretary/Treasurer shall be responsible and accountable to the Executive Board in the fulfillment of the duties of his office as determined by the Executive Board.

B. The Executive Secretary/Treasurer shall be allowed four (4) weeks vacation per year with pay.

C. Funds received by the Executive Secretary/Treasurer for revivals, special speaking engagements and promotional meetings shall go into the Cooperative Fund. The exception to this regulation relates to remuneration received by the Executive Secretary during his four (4) weeks vacation, which shall be his personally and need not be accounted for to this State Association.

D. Salary, mileage and operational expenses of the Executive Secretary/ Treasurer shall be determined by the Executive Board.

E. The Executive Secretary/Treasurer shall be the Secretary/Treasurer of the Corporation known as the *Georgia State Association of Free Will Baptists, Inc.*

F. General Promotion. He is to represent, or cause to be represented, the association at all affairs of interest to the association and he is to promote the work of the association in such a manner so as to unify the association as well as promote both the state and national works, missionaries, mission conferences, etc. Through personal communication he shall keep close contact with pastors, churches, and district association.

G. Administration. He shall administer the affairs of the executive office and carry out the responsibilities delegated to him by the State Association and the Executive Board. He is to serve with all standing boards and committees of the association in an ex-official capacity. He is to report to the association during each annual session.

H. Stewardship. He shall serve as treasurer of this association. An accurate and complete record of all funds received and disbursed shall be kept and a written report shall be included in his report to this association in its annual session. He shall receive, hold and disburse money as is made available by the State Association to the various boards. Disbursements to the various boards will be made available when requested.

I. Publication. It shall be his duty to edit and publish the state paper. He shall direct the production of general promotional materials, pamphlets, audiovisuals, and books as approved by the Executive Board.

J. Arranging State Association. He shall expedite the planning of the State Association program, enroll all ministers and delegates, print and distribute minutes, and investigate future sites for the annual session.

SECTION 5.

A. The Executive Board shall serve as the Placement Committee for the State Association. In this capacity the board shall investigate places suitable for this meeting and make recommendations to said State Association. Meeting places shall be determined two (2) years in advance.

B. The Executive Board shall plan the program for the annual meetings of the Georgia State Association of Free Will Baptists and the annual meetings shall follow the programs as closely as possible. Business sessions shall be conducted according to the commonly accepted rules of Parliamentary Procedure.

C. The Executive Board shall formulate the budget for the State Association annually and recommend to the body in the session the allocations to be observed in the Cooperative Plan for Giving. This board shall, in addition to the above stated duties, also recommend a mileage rate for travel by the members of all standing boards in said association.

SECTION 6.

The Moderator shall appoint necessary committees unless otherwise provided for by the body.

SECTION 7.

These By-Laws may be altered, changed, or amended at any regular session of this association by a two-thirds (2/3) vote of delegates present and voting
(Revised March 2005)

MINUTES
GWAC STATE MEETING
MARCH 15, 2007
WHITE OAKS FWB CHURCH
MACON, GEORGIA

Rhoda Creech welcomed everyone and opened the 2007 session in prayer. Amanda Collins led the congregation in several praise choruses, accompanied by Rhoda Creech on the piano. Latrelle McDowell remembered the Georgia ladies who had gone to be with the Lord during 2006, Lizzie Carter from Piney Grove; Beulah Cruse from Philadelphia; Cora Lee Cleveland from Blakely First; Edith Shiver from Patmos; Mildred Paul from New Light; Corene Hearn from Crossroads; Sue Padgett from Cornerstone; Nell Mathis from Pleasant Hill. Latrelle said a prayer of thanksgiving and remembrance for each one.

President Debra Van Pelt then called the meeting to order and welcomed everyone to the 2007 session. Vice President Sandra Jackson reported that 7 out of 10 districts reported a total of 391 members, representing 33 locals and 7 districts. MSC to accept this report. The 18 delegates who were present were then seated. Treasurer Lynda Blanchard gave the treasurer's report which reflects a balance of \$7,064.77 as of December 31, 2006. Lynda explained the annual dues. MSC to accept report. Debra noted that the state project total was \$7,185.15, which fell just short of our \$7,500.00 goal.

Henrietta Brown gave the Registration Committee Report: 58 registered delegates, including 24 district delegates; 6 local delegates; 18 visitors; 7 state officers; 3 missionaries. Debra welcomed the missionaries present.

Rhoda Creech gave the nominating committee report:

President: Debra Van Pelt MSC
Vice President: Sandra Jackson MSC
Secretary: Donna Jewell MSC
Treasurer: Lynda Blanchard MSC
Historian: Henrietta Brown MSC
Member at Large: Kristen Crabtree MSC
Member at Large: Suzie Mounts MSC
Member at Large: Latrelle McDowell MSC
Field Worker: Terra Smith MSC

MSC to accept this report. Henrietta then said a prayer of dedication for each member of the State Executive Board. Debra thanked the nominating committee for their hard work.

The WNAC Report was handed out and Debra highlighted the report and recommended the *Together* Magazine. The theme is "Farther Still" (Matthew 26:39). She encouraged everyone to bring items for the provision closet to the Prayer Retreat in April.

Christine Daniel gave a report of the National Convention in Birmingham. Over 950 registered. "Set your Hearts Toward Tomorrow" was the theme.

Several ladies told how they enjoyed the Prayer Retreat at Norman Park and the Japanese ladies who came with Debbie Griffin. Henrietta noted that the theme this year is "Picture This". She encouraged everyone to attend, bring friends, and pre-register soon. She noted that there is a \$5.00 walk-on fee. Speaker will be Lorene Miley. Japanese Ladies Retreat in Tokyo is October 7-8 and she encouraged everyone that can to attend. Cost is \$2,100.00.

The proposed budget for 2008 was handed out and Debra pointed out a new item which will include \$1,000.00 for a board member to attend the National convention. MSC to approve this new budget item. Secretary Donna Jewell then made a motion to include the \$1,000 expense to be retroactive for 2007. The motion was seconded and carried. MSC to accept the 2008 budget as presented.

July 16-17 National: Delegates Susan Burke; Lynda Blanchard; Edwina Drinkwater; Representative from the state can appoint additional delegates at the convention.

Lynda suggested we discontinue using the annual report forms which district treasurers send to Lynda because the figures never match. She suggested that we do the same thing as the National office does, which is to go back and do a tally for each district's amounts month by month. Lynda will verify with each district treasurer that her figures are

correct. Continue sending the monthly forms with dues sent in during the year. This item is for information only.

Susie Mounts gave the Resolutions report:

Be it resolved that we give White Oaks FWB Church a rising vote of thanks for their hospitality in hosting the state GWAC convention. This resolution was duly passed by everyone standing.

James Forlines gave a report from the International Missions. He asked everyone to pray about a national plan to fund all missionaries. The national office is already working on this.

Lynda Blanchard gave the Finance Committee Report. Balance as of December 31, 2006 \$7,064.77; honorarium \$300 for Loraine Crank; balance \$6,764.77 plus offering which will be taken today. It was later reported that the offering today was \$444.00. This leaves a final balance as of today of 7,208.77.

Janice Wallace dismissed the business session in prayer.

During a break, the men joined us and Amanda Collins led the congregation in several praise choruses, and we took up an offering while Rhoda Creech played a beautiful rendition of "Bound for the Promised Land". Rebecca Jackson then sang "Through the Fire".

Lorraine and Bill Crank were our speakers for the day. Lorraine read Proverbs 3: 5-6 and shared the blessings and challenges of planting a church in an area where so many are unchurched, and shared how God has tremendously blessed their ministry thus far. She encouraged everyone to "step up higher" in the church and in our personal walk with God. Bro. Bill then told us about the miracle of God's healing him of Bell's Palsy. He reminded us that the answer is always "Jesus". He said in planting a church, Jesus would most likely (1) not seek religious people, but sinners; (2) look for opportunities to touch people's lives; (3) keep company with the lost, not to be in the world, but to share Jesus; (4) not be judgmental; (5) perform Kingdom-based work; (6) keep in tune with the Father's heart; (7) not let His critics stop His ministry; (8) spend much time in prayer; (9) concentrate on the most important thing – souls; and (10) never lose sight of His mission.

Bro. Herbert Waid then dismissed in prayer and asked God's blessing on the luncheon, which was catered by Satterfield's.

Respectfully submitted,

Donna Jewell Secretary
Debra Van Pelt, President

**Georgia Women Active For Christ
January 1, 2006 – December 31, 2006**

Balance Brought Forward	\$5,504.36
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Receivables

2006 GWAC Convention Offering	\$447.00	
2006 GWAC Convention Luncheon	\$784.00	
2006 Retreat Registration	\$6,295.00	
2006 Retreat Offering	\$711.00	
WRW Student Loan Fund	\$153.00	
GWAC Dues & Emphasis	\$38,321.99	
General Fund (Excess dues & minutes)	<u>\$19.00</u>	
TOTAL Receivables	\$46,730.99	\$46,730.99

Disbursements

2006 Speaker (Janice Wallace)	\$250.00	
2006 Retreat Speaker (Pam Flannagin)	\$584.69	
2006 Retreat (GA Baptist Conf. Center)	\$5,465.95	
2007 Retreat Deposit (GA Baptist Conf. Center)	\$650.00	
2006 GWAC Luncheon (Holiday Inn)	\$773.90	
Henrietta Brown – Retreat Expenses	\$260.09	
GAFWB – Minutes	\$100.00	
Lynda Blanchard – Paper & Envelopes	\$8.46	
MRW Student Loan Fund	\$153.00	
WNAC Designated Funds	<u>\$36,924.49</u>	
TOTAL Disbursements	(\$45,170.58)	(\$45,170.58)

Closing Balance	\$7,064.77
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**Receipts
January 1, 2006 – December 31, 2006**

Chattahoochee	\$220.00
Georgia Union	\$4,069.25
Little River	\$1,020.00
Martin	\$1,245.50
Midway	\$7,124.57
Ogeechee	\$385.00
Shallowford	\$1,184.00
South Georgia	\$18,303.40
Twin Cities	\$3,561.87
Union	<u>\$1,361.40</u>
Total	\$38,474.99

Disbursements
January 1, 2006 – December 31, 2006

WNAC

Dues WNAC	\$6,975.00
Dues GWAC	\$1,247.50
Co-Laborer	\$1,502.15
Emphasis	\$826.00
Foreign Students	\$209.25
Provision Closet	\$400.00
WNAC Office	\$595.00
Endowment Fund	\$75.00
GWAC Emphasis	<u>\$150.00</u>
Total	\$11,979.90

Colleges

FWBBC General Fund	\$100.00
Dot Harvey	<u>\$728.75</u>
Total	\$828.75

Georgia

Georgia Missionaries	\$150.00
Bill Lewis	\$197.00
Minutes	\$6.00
Bill Crank	<u>\$50.00</u>
Total	\$403.00

International Missions

Support Services	\$200.00
Brazil Children's Home	\$90.00
Bishops	\$1,070.00
Joy for Asia	\$375.00
Griffin	\$3,045.00
Snows	\$1,472.50
Hanna	\$163.00
Westfield Mission	\$7.00
India Pastors	\$240.50
Shannon Little	\$500.00
Gainer	\$445.00
Pre-Easter LBB	\$2,348.74
Foreign Mission Institute	<u>\$55.50</u>
Total	\$10,012.24

Home Missions

General Fund	\$207.00
Pre-Thanksgiving	\$5,285.25
Lupton	\$262.70
Wallace's	\$700.00
Mexican Min	\$23.00
Byers	\$341.00
Hollifield's	\$105.00
Benjamin Randall	\$60.00
Jeff Crabtree	<u>\$70.00</u>
Total	\$7,053.95

Miscellaneous

AL Children's Home	\$810.00
Acts 1:8	\$7,184.15
Memorial Student LF	\$153.00
Rest of Family	<u>\$50.00</u>
Total	\$8,197.15

Grand Total

\$38,474.99

GEORGIA WOMEN ACTIVE FOR CHRIST
Of the Georgia State Association of Free Will Baptists, Inc.
Constitution and By-Laws

Article I

Name

This organization shall be known as Georgia Women Active for Christ a division of the Georgia Association of Free Will Baptists, Inc., commonly known by its initials, GWAC. Its members shall elect officers, conduct business and maintain a treasury.

Article II

Purpose

The purpose of this organization shall be to assist the various women composing the GWAC in providing opportunities to understand and fulfill the Great Commission through their responsibilities in the family, church, community, and around the world.

It shall bring the women of each district together for fellowship, sharing information, encouraging one another in the work of the Lord and furthering the purpose and goals of the Georgia State Association of Free Will Baptists.

Article III

Officers

1. The officers of this convention shall be president, vice president, secretary, treasurer, field worker, historian, and three members at large, all of which are elected by the convention. These officers shall serve as the State Executive Board. A minimum of five officers shall be a quorum for transacting business.

2. Any officer or elected board member of this convention must be an active member of a local Free Will Baptist Church and an active member of the GWAC group of a local church.

3. Executive Board members are required to attend all scheduled board meetings. Any officer missing three meetings is subject to review and removal by the Executive Board.

Article IV

Membership

1. This convention shall be composed of: the officers of the convention, district presidents, district field workers, ten delegates (duly accredited by the credentials committee) from each district convention, four delegates and the president from each local GWAC in good standing with its district convention.

2. Local groups in an area where there is no district convention may be represented with five delegates by payment of their membership dues. All delegates, as well as officers of the convention, shall be in good standing with a church that is in good standing with the Georgia State Association of Free Will Baptists, and shall perform the duties as set forth for them in the present WNAC manual and this Constitution and By-Laws.

Article V

Meetings

1. The annual meeting shall be held each year the day before the Georgia State Association of Free Will Baptists convention in the same place or at such a time and place determined at the previous annual meeting or by the Executive Board.

2. A prayer retreat shall be held annually, time and place to be planned by the Executive Board.

Article VI

Amendments

This Constitution may be amended at any annual meeting of the convention by a two-thirds vote of the members present.

By-Laws

Article I

Duties of Officers

President – The president shall preside over all meetings, appoint such committees as may be needed; call the Executive Board together when necessary; be ex-officio member of all committees, except the nominating committee; see that reports are sent promptly to the WNAC secretary; and perform all duties pertaining to such an office. She should see that GWAC is represented in the State Promotional Bulletin. Articles should be sent to the state executive office by the 1st of each month. She may either write the articles or ask someone to write the articles for her.

Vice President – The vice president shall preside in the absence of the president or by her request and otherwise assist her in the oversight of the work in general. She shall serve as chairman of the credentials committee.

Secretary – The secretary shall keep an accurate record of all proceedings of the convention and Executive Board meetings; preserve all valuable papers and turn same over to her successor; make an annual report to the WNAC secretary on a form available from the WNAC office within 15 days after the State GWAC Convention; compile the districts' slate of officers and addresses immediately after the convention; send a slate of state officers to the WNAC secretary and to each state officer. She is responsible for getting the minutes prepared and to the state associational office in time to be included in the state minutes each year.

Treasurer – The treasurer shall have charge of all funds belonging to this convention and shall pay out same only when authorized by the convention. The treasurer shall keep an accurate account, and give a written report of all funds received and disbursed at each annual meeting of the convention. She is required to deposit all checks in her possession and disburse all designated funds by the 30th of each month. She shall be bonded through the state office and audited annually.

Field Worker – The field worker shall promote GWAC programs through personal contact and the distribution of literature and serve where needed as directed by the Executive Board.

Historian – The historian shall keep a historical record and have a display at all state meetings and serve where needed as directed by the Executive Board.

Members at Large – The members at large shall help promote the work in general, meet with the Executive Board, and serve where needed as directed by the Executive Board.

Article II

Elections

A nominating committee shall nominate the general officers and members at large. Following the nominating committee's report, opportunity shall be given for nominations from the floor. In case of more than one nominee for any particular office, a vote will be taken for each; otherwise they may be elected by acclamation. The officers shall be elected every two years on odd number years. Not more than one-half of the elected officers shall be changed in any regular election. All elections shall be held at the closing sessions of the annual convention.

Article III

Expenses

Estimated expenses for the state work shall be set by an annual budget approved by the convention. The Executive Board must approve all reimbursement.

Article IV

Boards and Committees

Executive Board – This Board shall be composed of six officers and three members at large elected by the convention. Five of these shall compose a quorum. They shall hold meetings for the transaction of business as often as necessary. It shall be the duty of the Executive Board to maintain an oversight of the work at large. The Board shall act for the convention when necessary. It shall prepare the program for the regular meetings and fill any vacancy between elections.

Resolutions Committee – A resolutions committee shall be appointed by the president. A member of the Executive Board shall chair this committee. This committee shall review all resolutions presented, having the prerogative of passing on to the convention those resolutions that are deemed proper and profitable. Resolutions should be properly worded, i.e. "Be it Resolved....."

Nominating Committee – The nominating committee shall be composed of one member from each district convention and shall be elected one year prior to making their report. The names of the members from each district shall be submitted with the convention annual report. The president shall appoint a chairperson from the members of the nominating committee.

Credentials Committee – The vice president shall be the chairman of the credentials committee and the president shall appoint two other members. This committee shall examine the reports of the represented women's groups to see if fees are paid and if reports are in order.

Finance Committee – The treasurer shall be chairman of the finance committee and the president may appoint four other members. This committee reviews the financial records for the year, reports on same to the convention, and makes recommendations of disbursements of funds to the convention.

Registration Committee – The president shall appoint members as needed to serve on this committee. This committee registers those in attendance and gives a report to the convention.

Article V

Dues and Reports

Active members shall pay dues yearly as required by the GWAC Convention for membership. These dues should come through the district treasurers by January 10th following the close of the previous year. District secretaries and treasurers annual reports should be filed with the state secretary and treasurer no later than February 1 following the close of the previous year. Beginning 2002 the dues are \$12.50 per member with Georgia retaining \$2.50 per member and WNAC receiving dues of \$10.00 per member.

Article VI

Gifts

Season of Prayer Offerings-

1. Pre-Easter Week of Prayer offering is used for Foreign Missions in memory of Laura Bell Barnard, our first foreign missionary.

2. Pre-Thanksgiving Week of Prayer offering is used for National Home Missions in memory of Mrs. Lizzie McAdams, a great writer of our literature and one of the first National officers.

3. The December Week of Prayer offering is used for State Missions in memory of Mrs. Alice E. Lupton, our first National president.

Co-Laborer Offering – A financial plan of support for WNAC. Each local GWAC is encouraged to support the WNAC office with a monthly offering.

Provision Closet - This project helps missionaries as they return home to pick up household items, etc., from the closet at the National Office. Each local GWAC is encouraged to keep abreast of the items and supplies needed as they are periodically listed in the **Co-Laborer** magazine, and give to this project as needed.

WNAC Emphasis – A special offering to supplement the Co-Laborer Offerings for WNAC expenses of operation, literature, etc. This offering is received during August.

Remembrance Fund – This is a fund established by WNAC and a distinct way to honor any occasion the donor wishes to note: Anniversaries, birthdays, or as a memorial gift at the time of death. A remembrance card notifying the family of the person being honored, and the donor, will be entered in the permanent Book of Remembrances in the WNAC office. These gifts will be used to advance the kingdom of God through WNAC. A Remembrance Service is to be conducted at our state GWAC convention each year.

Dr. Mary Ruth Wisheart Foreign Student Scholarship Fund – Any GWAC group who wishes may contribute to this special fund set up by WNAC to train Nationals from our foreign fields. February is designated as Foreign Student month.

Dot Harvey Loan Fund – This revolving loan fund was established in honor of Miss Dot Harvey, a forerunner of youth work in Georgia, by the Georgia Women's Auxiliary Convention in 1954 to aid worthy Georgia students attending Free Will Baptist Bible College. Each local group is asked to donate monthly toward this project. A special offering is received in September to add to this fund.

Westfield Church Fund – This fund is used to assist the church in Kotogiri, South India in memory of Miss Laura Bell Barnard. All groups are encouraged to give to this Georgia project monthly.

Other Gifts – The state GWAC may decide on and promote other projects for funds at its own discretion.

Lora Shutes Mission Project – This is a statewide project with the goal set each year at the annual convention. Funds are disbursed to missionaries through the State Acts 1:8 Program.

GWAC Emphasis – June is designated as GWAC Emphasis Month. Each group is asked to receive a special offering to supplement GWAC operational expenses.

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