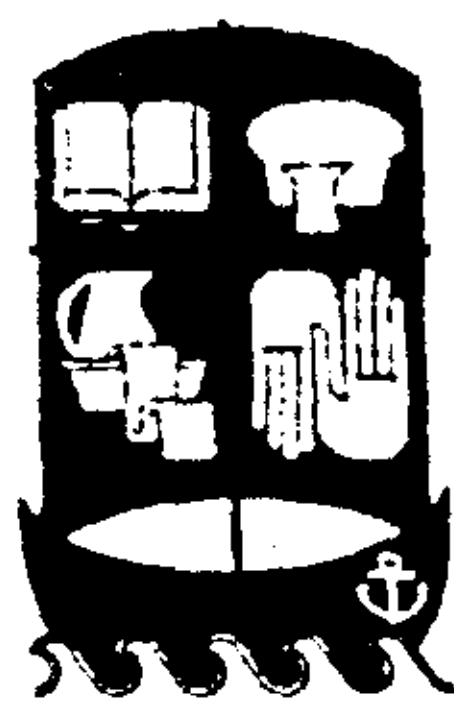


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*Digest of Reports
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Church Directory*



*Indian River
Association
of
Free Will Baptists*

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*Directory of Churches
of the
Indian River Association*

First Free Will Baptist Church

114 East Derby Avenue
Auburndale, FL 33823
941-967-1275

Rev. Ron Hunter

201 Keystone Road
Auburndale, FL 33823
941-967-4736

Clerk Melanie Weitman

3110 Avenue T NW
Winter Haven, FL 33881
941-965-7020

Faith Free Will Baptist Church

15180 Old Cheny Highway
Orlando, FL 32828
407-568-6742

Rev. Russell McCoy

15180 Old Cheny Hwy
Orlando, FL 32828
407-568-6742

Clerk Shirley Skaggs

131 Bahnsen Road
Titusville, FL 32780
407-267-6075

First Free Will Baptist Church

938 Lytton Road
Melbourne, FL 32935
407-254-7282

Rev. Charlie Charles

938 Lytton Road
Melbourne, FL 32935
407-254-7282

Clerk Janice Wilder

498 Veronica Avenue NE
Palm Bay, FL 32907
407-723-7760

New Hope Fellowship

417 Pineda Street
Cocoa, FL 32922
407-632-1911

Rev. Jim Christian

1502 Cambridge Drive
Cocoa, FL 32922
407-636-3244

Clerk Ruby McClain

379 Pineda Street
Cocoa, FL 32922
407-639-2784

Smyrna Free Will Baptist Church

847 Turnbull Street
New Smyrna Beach, FL 32168
904-428-4741

Rev. Jim Foster

4785 Tuscarora Road
Titusville, FL 32780
904-257-2851

Clerk Betty Alewine

1989 Myrtlejo Drive
Ormond Beach, FL 32174

First Free Will Baptist Church

7455 Babcock Street
Palm Bay, FL 32907

Rev. Benny Gates

432 Eagle Drive
Satellite Beach, FL 32937
407-777-7435

Clerk Carol Bailes

1335 Anchor Lane
Merritt Island, FL 32952
407-459-3702

Ryanwood Fellowship FWB Church

2196 54th Avenue
Vero Beach, FL 32966
561-567-1956

Rev. Randy Bryant

2156 54th Avenue
Vero Beach, FL 32966
561-567-1956

Clerk Betsy Lucky

3706 Atlantic Boulevard
Vero Beach, FL 32960
561-567-9525

First Free Will Baptist Church

PO Box 72
Scottsmoor, FL 32775
407-268-4787

Rev. Edward Maynard

PO Box 72
Scottsmoor, FL 32775
407-264-0213

Clerk Myrtle Callahan

PO Box 215
Scottsmoor, FL 32775
407-269-3204

First Free Will Baptist Church

PO Box 814
Titusville, FL 32780
407-269-4033

Rev. Emil Allen

1335 Montego Street
Titusville, FL 32780
407-267-7053

Clerk Dianne Corbridge

985 Alford Street
Titusville, FL 32796
407-268-2299

Trinity Free Will Baptist Church

Okeechobee, FL

Rev. Thomas Dees

1854 NE 54th Trail
Okeechobee, FL 34972
941-763-4962

Clerk Connie Grounds

6485 NE 9th Lane
Okeechobee, FL 34974
941-467-2426

Other Ordained and Licensed Ministers

<u>Robert Allen</u>	3705 Grandperin Mims, FL 32754 407-269-7211
<u>Roy Ballew</u>	870 Edgewood Road Titusville, FL 32780 407-269-1518
<u>Richard Foley</u>	PO Box 636 Mims, FL 32754 407-267-8454
<u>David R. Jackson</u>	981 Sabal Grove Drive Rockledge, FL 32955 407-632-7378
<u>Robert Thompson</u>	1398 Cindy Circle NE Palm Bay, FL 407-676-5591
<u>Herman Marcum</u>	13844 River Path Grove Drive Orlando, FL 32826 407-381-1050
<u>Larry Spivey</u>	4027/ Lennox Blvd. Orlando, FL 32811 407-299-6146
<u>John Henry</u>	19 Elmwood Place Mims, FL. 32754 407-268-0796
<u>Dan Merkh</u>	14132 Cisne Circle Fort Pierce, FL 32951 561-461-6171
Licensed	
<u>Eddie Colf</u>	4733 Estrada Lane Mims, FL 32754 407-267-9766

Deacons

Auburndale

Lester Weitman,
Maxwell Paul

Faith

Van B. McClung,
Charles H. McClung
John Williams

Melbourne

Paul Francisco, Bill Swartz

New Hope Fellowship

Herbert Rollins, Robert Griffith

New Smyrna

Charles Randall Saunders

Okeechobee

Clement Markham, Samuel Lewis
Frank Wallace

Palm Bay

Dewey North

Ryanwood Fellowship

Sam Lucky

Scottsmoor

Charles Allen, L.H. Hallum

Titusville

Harold Woods, Roger Adkinson

Officers of the Association

Moderator

Randy Bryant (Ryanwood Fellowship)
2156 54th Avenue
Vero Beach, FL 32966
561-567-1956

Vice Moderator

Randy Jackson (New Hope Fellowship)
1220 Hendry Avenue
Cocoa, FL 32922
407-632-7378

Clerk/Treasurer

Diana Bryant (Ryanwood Fellowship)
2156 54th Avenue
Vero Beach, FL 32966
561-567-1956

Assistant Clerk/Treasurer

Betsy Lucky (Ryanwood Fellowship)
3706 Atlantic Boulevard
Vero Beach, FL 32960
561-567-9525

Boards and Committees

Nominating Committee

Charles Allen

Henry Beard

John Henry

Christian Education Board

Sam Lucky (2000)

Robert Griffith (2001)

Charles Allen (2002)

CTS Director

Mike Taggart

Mission Board

Jim Christian (2000)

Ron Hunter (2001)

Edward Maynard (2002)

Charlie Charles (2003)

Russell McCoy (1999)

Finance Committee

Charles McClung (2000)

Randy Jackson (2001)

Bob Allen (2002)

Ordination Board

Jim Foster (2000)

Bill Swartz (2001)

Benny Gates (2002)

Sam Lucky (2003)

Bob Allen (2004)

Camp Board

Randy Bryant (2000)

Henry Beard (2001)

In Memory



New Hope Fellowship
Edna Ellis

Scottsmoor
Violet Paronto
Rev. Lewis Howard

Auburndale
Ted Davis

Titusville
Roy Hunt

**Indian River Association
Minutes of the Quarterly Meeting
Held April 25, 1998
in Okeechobee, Florida**



The meeting opened with the congregation singing *The Old Account Was Settled* led by Randy Jackson, with Diana Bryant at the piano. Announcements were made concerning Marie Hanna's death, and the death of Eugene Waddell's father.

Russell McCoy led in prayer. The morning devotion was given by Paul Bryant on what it takes to be a success in God's work, that is, relying on God's wisdom and power. Scripture was read from I Cor. 2:1-12.

Delegates were seated by Moderator Randy Bryant, with a MSC to seat delegates from Titusville as their letter had not yet been received.

The Moderator appointed the Statistical Committee: Shirley Ham, Jean Adelmeyer, Lassie Allen

MSC to approve the minutes as printed.

MSC to approve Treasurer's Report with the note that Okeechobee is mentioned twice on the report.

Women Active for Christ reports were heard from Auburndale, Cocoa, Ryanwood, Scottsmoor, Okeechobee,

A Master's Men report was heard from Melbourne.

MSC to receive the Mission Board report given orally by Treasurer Jim Christian in absence of a Mission Board Chairman. He mentioned that the Board would meet today to elect a chairman.

A question was raised about the sale of the Palm Bay property, and it was disclosed that the sale was in progress, with paperwork to be done with the Church Extension Loan Fund at the National Offices in Antioch, TN. The proceeds from this sale will be used by the Mission Board to complete the building in Palm Bay.

There was no report from the Ordaining Board.

Chairman Robert Griffith gave the Christian Education Board Report.

C.T.S. Director Mike Taggart gave a report concerning C.T.S. Competition and winners as well as a report on the activities of the Y.E.T. A Financial Report of the Y.E.T. was also given.

MSC to receive the reports.

The Y.E.T. was introduced and a rising vote of appreciation and encouragement was given by the body.

A presentation was given by the Y.E.T. consisting of a skit entitled "Church Improvement", and a solo.

Pastor McClung from the Faith Church stood and pledged \$50.00 toward the expenses of the Y.E.T. and challenged each Pastor present to do the same.

The Finance Committee Report was given stating that today's offering go to the Youth Evangelistic Team. MSC to approve this report.

The offering was received with Diana Bryant playing *He Leadeth Me* on the piano.

As a matter of information, a camp report was given by Camp Director, Randy Bryant. He mentioned the need for workers. A seminar for camp workers will be held the last Saturday of June.

MSC to remove from the table an item concerning Article 4, Section 3 of the Constitution.

The change was read.

MSC to change Article 4, Section 3 to read as follows:

The Christian Education Board shall be composed of three members whose terms of office be three (3) years and whose terms shall be staggered so that only one member shall be replaced or re-elected each year. Board shall also consist of the two (2) trustees of the Camp Sonshine Youth Board, representing and elected by this association and who terms shall run concurrent with the Camp Sonshine Board.

The District CTS Director shall be an ex-officio member of this Board, and shall be responsible for District Youth Competition, promotion of CTS programs within our churches, and oversight of the Youth Evangelistic Team (YET) ministry. The CTS Director shall be elected annually by the association at it's annual meeting.

The District YET Director will be an ex-officio member of the CE Board and report to the CTS Director. The YET Director will be appointed by the CE Board.

Functions of this board shall be to support and promote the education of our churches through Sunday School, CTS and other educational ministries and to act on behalf of the association in reference to the Camp Sonshine Board and the operation of the youth camp.

MSC to approve the Executive Committee Report.

The meeting was recessed for 20 minutes.

When business reconvened, the Statistical Committee Report was given by Jean Adlemeyer. MSC to approve.

The Financial Committee report was given by Randy Jackson. MSC to receive the report.

The Nominating Committee report was given by Chairman Henry Beard. MSC to receive the report and accept the slate of speakers for the next meeting.

MSC to adjourn the business portion of the meeting and enter into a time of worship.

The Congregation sang *I'm Redeemed* and *Victory in Jesus* led by Randy Jackson with Diana Bryant at the piano.

The YET Team sang *Awesome God* by request.

The morning message was delivered by Jim Christian asking the question, "How can we be Christians that attract the world?" He used Acts 4:1 - 22 as his text. He noted that what the disciples did was quickly seen, and it got results. We need to let the world see that we have been with Jesus and strive to be like Him.

The meeting was adjourned after a few announcements from the churches.

Women Active for Christ Reports

Auburndale: The Women Active for Christ group at the Auburndale Church meets the first Monday evening of each month. Our average attendance is ten. This quarter we have supported The Foreign Student Scholarship Fund, our Foreign Missionaries and the state speaker. We have donated to the memory of Mrs. Willey and to the retirement gift for Mrs. Wischart. We have used projects such as distributing Tea Bag envelopes for donations, quarter folders and

collecting 30 pieces of silver bags. We sponsored Valentine Banquets for all age groups on Feb. 13. In March we teamed up with our Master's Men for a fish fry and sponsored a family gathering with kite flying and games. In April we sponsored a Sunday evening service with devotion and song. In April we also had a church yard sale which was very successful. We delivered a Sunshine Basket to one of our shut-ins and we also had our 1998 Secret Pal drawing.

Respectfully submitted, Jean Adelmeyer

Cocoa: Enrollment 12, Average Attendance 10, Visitors 2.
We continue to provide monthly support to the following:

1. Dennis Owen
2. Missions Without Borders
3. Pastor's Retirement
4. Alabama Children's Home
5. Share Program for Missionaries

Our activities included:

1. Helped sponsor a baby shower
2. We had 2 "Just Because We Love You" events.
3. Provided food for bereaved family
4. Sent Sonshine Baskets to two housebound ladies
5. Helped Bro. Randy celebrate his birthday

We're planning a shower for college students and one for church kitchen supplies.

Respectfully submitted, Becky Christian

Ryanwood Fellowship: Our women's group met only once during the last quarter due to several special events taking place at the church. Two of our regular meeting nights were used to have services with visiting missionaries, Anthony Edgmon one month and Verlin Anderson the next month. However, we've continued to financially support the Bryan family in the Ivory Coast and have sent an offering

to the Retirement Fund for the retiring director of our national office, Dr. Mary Ruth Wishart and the State Speaker. We also had a workshop to prepare banquet table favors and other materials for the upcoming FWAC Meeting on May 7-8 in Deland, Florida.

Respectfully submitted, Diana Bryant

Scottsmoor: Report to the Indian River District Conference convening at the Okeechobee Free Will Baptist Church, April 25, 1998, from the Scottsmoor Free Will Baptist Auxiliary. Our average attendance is four and we continue to use the Co-Laborer magazine for our monthly programs. In January we started giving our monthly commitment to the Florida State Share Plan for our Missionaries. We have pledged \$15.00 a month. We gave a surprise birthday for our Pastor's wife, Sister Glenna Maynard, to let her know we appreciated her. In February we purchased pew Bibles for our Church. We also gave our Pastor a birthday luncheon to let him know that he is greatly appreciated. We raised \$115.79 for the Foreign Student Loan Fund by having a hot dog sale and from our Treasure Shop sales. In March besides our monthly commitments we gave \$50.00 for Dr. Mary Wishart's retirement.

Okeechobee: We meet on the first Monday night of each month. We use the Co-Laborer for our devotions. We enjoy our meeting very much and it is a refreshing stop to our busy lives. This quarter we have supported 2 children through Children International, The FWB Tennessee Children's Home and Martha's House, an Okeechobee based place for battered women. We also fixed fruit baskets for the sick in our congregation.

Respectfully Submitted, Connie Grounds, Secretary.

Master's Men Reports

Melbourne: The First Free Will Baptist Church of Melbourne, Florida now has nine members. We are doing well with our visiting brothers, and hope the Lord leads them to become members. I don't

believe you could find a more loving employer than Jesus Christ. The fifty Bibles we purchased are now in the church pews. The Bibles that were pledged now have a label with the dedications inside. The church hand outs are in and are being put to good use through visitation and visitors of God's house. They contain information on our church. We paid for books that contain ideas for the Children's Church Program. We have voted to purchase and install new faucets for the women's and men's rooms. Master's Men meet for breakfast at Shoneys once a month for good fellowship.

Secretary of Master's Men, Stan Bingham

Statistical Committee Report

Ministers - 12, Deacons - 8, Delegates - 20, Church Clerks - 4,
Visitors - 22 TOTAL = 66

Shirley Ham, Jean Adelmeyer, Lassie Allen

Fianace Committee Report

Today's offering of \$227.00 will be given to the Indian River Association Youth Evangelistic Team.

Randy Jackson, Chairman

Nominating Committee Report

The next District Association Meeting will take place on July 25, 1998 and will meet at the Auburndale Church. Devotion will be given by Eddie Colf with alternate being Robert Griffith. The morning message will be given by Ron Hunter with the alternate being Jim Foster.

<p>Christian Education Board Report CTS Report Y.E.T. Report</p>
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The C.E. Board met in Vero Beach on March 26, 1998. The Board reviewed and approved the scholarship brochure developed by Randy and Diana Bryant. The brochure, outlining the intent of the scholarship program and the manner in which it is administered, will be made available to the local churches.

The scholarship guidelines require that application be made to the C.E. Board 60 days prior to the start of the semester. Anyone interested in a scholarship for the fall should make application as soon as possible. The Board is scheduled to interview applicants at the next board meeting at Cocoa in June.

The Board also voted to revise the distribution of its monthly income, designating 10% from the general fund to support the Youth Evangelistic Team. The following chart presents the change in distribution:

Fund	Old Distribution	New Distribution
Camp	35%	35%
College	35%	35%
General	30%	20%
YET	0%	10%

A request has been presented to the Executive Board of the Indian River Association to consider other methods of support for the YET Team.

The Board would like to express its appreciation to Mike Taggart for his efforts in directing the District CTS Competition held in March. The association will be well represented at the state level in May. We

encourage each of the member churches to involve its youth in the CTS program and related competition.

Youth Camp is scheduled for August 2 - 7. Worker applications have been sent to the churches. We encourage you to submit those as quickly as possible to allow the Camp Director to establish the worker schedule and coordinate activities and literature.

Respectfully submitted, Robert Griffith, Chairman

CTS Report

The Indian River Association CTS held the annual District Level National Youth Competition at New Hope Fellowship Church in Cocoa. The following churches sent contestants: First, Scottsmeer, First, Titusville, New Hope Fellowship, Cocoa, Ryanwood Fellowship, Vero Beach.

18 youths competed in 22 categories. The following youth achieved the necessary scores to represent the Indian River Association in the annual State Level Youth Competition May 8 - 9, 1998 at Deland, FL.

3rd Grade Memorization	Keri Carter	Cocoa
4th Grade Bible Sword Drill	Jacob Allen	Scottsmeer
	Mary Chaffin	Cocoa
5th Grade Bible Sword Drill	Nicholas Sanders	Scottsmeer
	Michele Woods	Cocoa
6th Grade Bible Sword Drill	Nathanael Chaffin	Cocoa
Bible Tic Tac Toe	Stephen Jackson	Cocoa
	Christopher Griffith	
	Kyle Carter	
Bible Bowl	Rebecca Jackson	Cocoa
	Holly Hill	
	Tabitha Chaffin	
	Kristi Ballew	
Vocal Solo - B	Mary Chaffin	Cocoa
Vocal Solo - C	Ashley Sanders	Scottsmeer
Vocal Solo - D, Female	Rebecca Jackson	Cocoa
Vocal Solo - D, Male	Paul Bryant	Vero Beach
Vocal Ensemble - B	Keri Carter	Cocoa

Vocal Ensemble - C	Mary Chaffin	
	Nathaniel Chaffin	
	Michelle Woods	
	Ashley Sanders	Scottsmoor
	Nicholas Sanders	
Vocal Ensemble - D	Jacob Allen	
	Jessica Allen	
	Kristi Ballew	Cocoa
	Tabitha Chaffin	
	Rebecca Jackson	
	Holly Hill	
Musical Keyboard - D	Tabitha Chaffin	Cocoa
Individual Drama - C	Rachel Bryant	Vero Beach
Group Drama - C	Stephen Jackson	Cocoa
	Kyle Carter	
Puppetry(recorded)	Stephen Jackson	Cocoa
	Kyle Carter	
	Cristopher Griffith	
	Nathanael Chaffin	
Three Dimensional Art	Mary Chaffin	Cocoa
Fabricated Art	Sarah Adkison	Titusville

Youth Evangelistic Team Report

The 1998 Indian River Association Youth Evangelistic Team "Warriors for Christ" have been selected and have started practices. The YET is made up from yount members of our Association Churches. The current members range in ages from 10 to 19. Membership for the Team is from 10 to 25. Our goal is to have these young people use their God given talents to minister to the public and to give them a sample of a missionary's life. These young people are going to leave from Cocoa on July 1 on a road trip to Tulsa OK and perform at the National Free Will Baptist Convention. The only fund raising that we are going to do is receive Love Offerings from the churches tht we perform in and place our fiath in God to provide for our needs. We anticipate to be on the road for 10 days and do 12 to 16 performances during this time. Prior to leaving for Tulsa we will be performing in the Association Chruches. We ask for your prayers

and any support that you can provide. The following young people are Team Members:

From Auburndale:

Kerry Adelmeyer, Angela Turner, David Bitterly, Jonathan Bitterly

From Vero Beach:

Rachel Bryant

From Scottsmoor:

Ashley Sanders, Eddie Colf

From Cocoa:

Kristi Ballew, Keri Carter, Tabitha Caffin, Ashlee Christian, Alyssa Christian, Michelle Woods, Kyle Carter, Stephen Jackson, Christopher Griffith, Joshua Sanderlin

The 1998 YET Production Team:

YET Director	Jimmy Christian, Cocoa
YET Drama Coach	Pam Hunter, Auburndale
YET Music Coach	Pam Carter
YET Costume and Scenery	Debbie Taggart
YET Stage Manager	Tina Woods, Titusville
YET Assistant Stage Mgr	Martha Adkison, Titusville
YET Lights and Sound	Mike Taggart, Cocoa

Executive Committee Report

The Executive Committee met in Okeechobee on April 25, 1998. A request from the Christian Education Board was considered, and the Committee recommends that a one time \$500 gift from the general fund be given to the ministry of the YET for their operating expenses.

Diana Bryant, Clerk

<p style="text-align: center;">Indian River Association of Free Will Baptists Quarterly Treasurer's Report January - February - March 1998</p>
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Beginning Balance January 1, 1998	\$1,431.95
Receipts	
Dues (10 Churches)	600.00
Offering (1-98)	96.35
Interest	12.12
Together Way Plan	
Auburndale	3154.63
Faith	117.68
Melbourne	2838.61
New Hope Fellowship	5299.20
New Smyrna	
Okeechobee	473.00
Palm Bay	150.71
Ryanwood Fellowship	369.16
Scottsmoor	988.74
Titusville	
Trinity	
Reimbursement - Florida State Assn	15.79
Total Receipts	14,115.99
TOTAL TO BE ACCOUNTED FOR	<u>15,547.94</u>
Disbursements	
Florida State Association	8035.04
Indian River Mission Board	3626.17
Indian River Christian Education Board	1554.07
Board of Retirement	176.45
Ryanwood Fellowship - Copies	16.89
Supplies	29.40
Postage	15.79
Phone	6.10
Honorariums:	
Tim Owen, Speakert/ Annual Session	100.00
Moderator	200.00
Clerk	200.00
Total Disbursements	<u>13,959.91</u>
Ending Balance March 31, 1998	<u>1588.03</u>

**Christian Education Board's
Quarterly Financial Report**

Jan- Feb-Mar 1998

Beginning Balance	\$3,956.04
Deposits	
Co-op	1,554.07
Interest	9.16
Greater St. John Assoc.. (camp)	324.61
So. Fl. Assoc. (camp)	300.00
Special Offering	150.00
Sub total	6,293.08
Disbursements	1,078.65
Balance on Hand	5,215.23

General Fund

Beginning Balance	\$834.92
Deposits	
Co-op	466.25
Interest	9.16
Disbursements	
Y.E.T. Team	300.00
Food for Seminar	63.11
CTS Supplies	158.13
CTS Trophies	93.50
Balance on Hand	695.59

College Fund

Beginning Balance	1,568.83
Deposits	543.91
Balance on Hand	2,112.74

Camp Fund

Beginning Balance	\$1,552.29
Deposits	
(co-op)	543.91
Greater St. John Assoc.	324.61
So. Fl. Assoc.	300.00
Special Offering	150.00
Disbursements	
Camp Challenge (Deposit)	400.00
Camp Material	63.91
Balance on Hand	\$2,406.90

C.E. Board's Treasurer
Sam Lucky

Indian River Association Youth Evangelistic Team Financial Statement from 2/10/98 through 4/23/98

DEPOSITS:

	2/10/98	\$4,400 00
	3/23/98	\$ 300 00
	4/13/98	\$ 593 00
Total Deposits		\$5,293 50

DISBURSEMENTS:

2/27/98	Check # 1001	Jack Link Associates	Invoice # 230	\$3,179 00
2/27/98	Check # 1002	Jack Link Associates	Invoice # 231	\$ 200 00
3/23/98	Check # 1003	Jack Link Associates	Invoice # 231	\$ 375 00
3/23/98	Check # 1004	Kelly Sartian		\$ 180 00
4/13/98	Check # 1005	Jack Link Associates	Invoice # 339	\$ 93 85
4/14/98	Check # 1006	Home Depot	Invoice # 309206	\$ 112 08
4/22/98	Check # 1007	Radio Shack	Invoice # 321780	\$ 179 97
Total Disbursements				\$4,320 77

Balance of checking account	\$ 972.73
Deduction for free checking	\$ 100.00
Balance shown in check book	\$ 872.73



**Indian River Association
Minutes of the Quarterly Meeting
Held July 25, 1998
in Auburndale, Florida**

The meeting was opened with a song and a prayer. The congregation sang "To God Be the Glory" directed by Sammy Lynn with Sandra Jackson at the piano. The opening prayer was given by Robert Griffith.

The morning devotion was given by Eddie Colf speaking from Ephesians 4:30. Christians have security through Jesus Christ and his word.

MSC to seat delegates. Delegates were charged by Moderator Randy Bryant to take seriously the task of conducting the Lord's business.

Moderator appointed the Statistical Committee: Parm Maddy, Linda Burns and Betty Wallace

MSC to accept the minutes as printed.

MSC to approve Treasurer's Report as printed

Women Active for Christ reports were heard from Scottsmoor, Auburndale and Cocoa.

No Master's Men Reports were given.

Bro. Millard Sasser gave a report from the State Executive Office.

MSC to receipt the CE Board Report given by Robert Griffith.

MSC to present a positive resolution to the Yet Team and workers. The resolution as written by Bro. Ron Hunter is as follows:

Whereas, the Youth Evangelistic Team traveled and represented our Indian River Association and Our Saviour and Lord Jesus Christ very well to other associations, and
Whereas, the Leaders Mike Taggert and Jimmy Christian had vision and helped seed this ministry into full growth, and
Whereas, the other adults sacrificed along with the leaders and helped coach, chaperone, and led the kids, and
Whereas, the Youth gave their time, energy and their talents to be ambassadors and representatives of our Association and Saviour, as they ministered through drama, puppets and music, and
Whereas, two came to know Jesus Christ for first time salvation decisions, and three rededications and 116 commitments of support to their Pastor and Church,
Be it resolved that we give the leaders, coaches, chaperones, and especially our young people a rising vote of appreciation and have our clerk send personal thank yous on behalf of our association to everyone.

MSC to receive the Mission Board Report. The Financial Report was given by Bro. Jim Christian, and an oral report given by Bro. Charlie Charles, Chairman. The work is drawing to a close. The board has been approached by an individual to purchase the building. The board shows concerns of having to continually finance the work at Palm Bay. Therefore, the board is submitting that the body of the Palm Bay work put forth a real effort to see this work flourish.

MSC to accept Ordaining Board Report.

The Executive Board encouraged churches to send offering to go to victims of the recent fire damage in our area.

MSC that a seminar for Board Members be presented on September 26 at the FWB Church of Melbourne. This will be sponsored by the Executive Board.

The offering was received with Sandra Jackson playing "Crown Him With Many Crowns" on the piano.

MSC to receive the Statistical Committee Report

MSC to receive the Financial Report

MSC to receive the Nominating Committee Report

Bob Allen requested that the sign in sheet be modified to read "Ministers" rather than pastors.

Ron Hunter shared the video created by the Media Commission.

MSC to adjourn the business portion of the meeting and enter into a time of worship.

There was special music brought by Peggy Hutto and Sammy Lynn. Bro. Randy Bryant took a special time of prayer requests. Prayer was led by Bro. Jim Christian.

Bro. Ron Hunter brought the message from I Corinthians 9: 15-27 warning us to be careful that we do not become "spiritual stooges" by being 1) Offensive, 2) Inconsistent, and 3) Self Righteous.

The meeting was adjourned after announcements.

Women Active for Christ Reports
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Scottsmoor:

Our average attendance is four. We continue to use the Co-Laborer magazine for our monthly programs. We support the Florida State Share Plan by giving \$15.00 a month. We gave \$55.00 for the Laura Belle Barnard Foreign Mission Offering.

We held a graduation party to honor Eddie Colf. We presented a check for \$123.40 to the Church to help with remodeling expenses. We continue to operate our Treasure Shop, which helps provide money for our different projects. *Submitted by Helen Allen*

Auburndale:

The Auburndale Women Nationally Active for Christ membership is ten. We meet the first Monday evening of each month. During the quarter of April-June we have had wonderful studies and discussions of programs titled: Beautiful Feet, Identified with Him, Mothers: Living Sacrifices, and Bite Your Tongue.

Projects used as fund raisers have been: Quarter Folders, Thirty Pieces of Silver Bags, Yard Sale, and selling flavoring. We have supported the missionary kids through the provision closet, Mother-Daughter Tea, Father-Son Sports Banquet, The Foreign Student Scholarship, Our State Foreign Missionaries - The Owens, McVays, and the Edgemans. We also have supported the Laura Belle Barnard Fund.

We challenge every woman to become active in her local church to support the work of the WNAC in furthering the Gospel of God and we pray that you remember us in your prayers that we work only in the direction that the Lord leads us. *Submitted by Jean Adelmeyer*

Cocoa:

Our enrollment is 10. Our average attendance is 8. We continue to provide monthly support to the following: Alabama Children's Home, Pastor's Retirement, and two shares in the Florida Mission Program.

For Mother's Day we sold carnations in memory and honor of loved ones and they were presented to the honored ones after the service on Mother's Day. For Father's Day we served donuts and coffee on Sunday morning before church to honor our fathers. We purchased items for the Children's Provision Closet in Nashville and took them to the State Meeting. An electric blanket for a missionary family was purchased with special donations. We gave an offering to the state for the speaker. We give toward the 2003 National. We celebrated the Pastor's 54th birthday by serving cake and punch after church.

Submitted by Rebecca Christian

Statistical Committee Report

Ministers - 8, Deacons - 10, Church Clerks - 2, Ch. Delegates - 18,
Visitors - 19, Total Attendance 57

Parm Maddy, Linda L. Burns

Finance Committee Report

Today's offering of \$1,619.50 will be given to the fire relief fund of
the Indian River Association.

Randy Jackson

Nominating Committee Report

The next District Association Meeting will take place on October 31,
1998 and will meet at Faith Church in Orlando. The Devotion will be
given by Robert Griffith with the alternate being Frank Wallace. The
morning message will be given by Randy Bryant with the alternate
being Russell McCoy.

Christian Education Board Report

The CE Board had the privilege of providing Rebecca Jackson of
New Hope Fellowship with a Scholarship for the fall semester at the
Free Will Baptist Bible College. We encourage you to continue to
support the scholarship fund as we look toward the future and an
increased number of potential applicants.

The Youth Evangelistic Team completed a successful trip to the
National Youth Competition in Tulsa, Oklahoma, having ministered
to a number of churches in three states. The Board would like to
express its appreciation to Brothers Mike Taggart and Jimmy
Christian and the chaperones on the trip for all of their hard work on
behalf of our youth.

Youth Camp is scheduled for August 2 - 7 at Camp Challenge with
Rev. Mike Waddell as the evangelist.

Robert Griffith

Christian Education Board
Quarterly Financial Report April-May-June, 1998

Beginning Balance		\$5,215.23
Deposits	Co-Op	825.36
	Interest	24.07
	Greater St. John's	162.38
Disbursements		2473.58
Balance on Hand		\$3,753.46

General Fund		
Deposits	Co-Op	165.06
	Interest	24.07
Disbursements	Youth Board	245.00
Balance on Hand		639.72

College Fund		
Deposits	Co-Op	288.89
Disbursements		
	Eddie Colf (Scholarship)	750.00
	Rebecca Jackson (Scholarship)	750.00
Balance on Hand		901.63

Youth Camp		
Deposits	Co-Op	288.89
	Greater St. John's	162.38
Disbursements		
	Zondrevan Church Source	38.93
	Randy Bryant (Misc)	100.00
	JR Custom Shirts	416.25
	Diana Bryant (Seminar)	125.00
	Christian Film Service	48.40
Balance on Hand		2,129.59

YET Team		
Deposits	Co-Op	82.52
Balance on Hand		82.52

Balance of All Funds		\$3,753.46
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Ordaining Board Report

Having received a letter of recommendation from the Melbourne Church, and after questioning and careful deliberations, we the Ordaining Board of the Indian River Association recommend that Bro. Tommy Thompson be licensed to preach the Gospel for one year.

Ordaining Members Present:

Rev. Bob Allen, Chairman

Rev. Jim Foster

Rev. Benny Gates

Bro. Bill Swartz

Bro. Sam Lucky



**Indian River Association
Minutes of the Quarterly Meeting
Held October 31, 1998
in Orlando, Florida**

The meeting opened with the congregation singing *Jesus Saves* led by Edwin Skaggs with Diana Bryant at the piano. Herman Hamner led in prayer. We welcomed the new group from Longwood visiting with us. The morning devotion was given by Robert Griffith. He spoke on Scripture from John 11: 25 & 26, "I am the Resurrection and the Life." He is the author of life, the giver of life and the sustainer of life.

Delegates were seated by Moderator Randy Bryant.

The Statistical Committee was named by the Moderator: Sharon Greenlay, Sandra Hickson, and Wanda Charles. All delegates were encouraged to register.

MSC to approve the minutes as printed.

MSC to approve the Treasurer's report as printed.

A note of thanks was read from Carl Adkins for the fire relief offering.

The Moderator commended the Association for co-op giving and encouraged all to participate in the Mission Shares program.

Women Active for Christ Reports were heard from Scottsmoor, Cocoa, Vero, Auburndale and Faith.

There were no Master's Men Reports today.

MSC to receive the Mission Board Report given by Charlie Charles.
MSC to receive the CE Board Report given by Robert Griffith with the Camp Report as part of same.

MSC to receive Ordaining Board Report given by Bob Allen.
Scottsmoor asked for re-liscensing for Eddie Colf. They will meet with him when he returns from the Navy. The letter of good standing received for Russell McCoy was read and Reverend and Mrs. McCoy were introduced to the Body.

MSC to accept Executive Committee Report given by Diana Bryant and vote item by item.

MSC to adopt Item 1.

MSC to adopt Item 2.

The meeting was recessed for 20 minutes. Randy Jackson conducted the remainder of the business as Randy Bryant was to bring the morning message.

MSC to receive Statistical Committee Report.

MSC to receive Finance Committee Report and that the offering of \$131.50 be placed in Benevolent Fund.

MSC to receive Nominating Committee Report given by Henry Beard.

MSC to conclude Business.

The congregation sang *Standing on the Promises*. Randy Jackson introduced our speaker after the quartet from Faith sang two songs.

Randy Bryant brought the message entitled "What's Right About Free Will Baptists" He stated that he is a Free Will Baptist by birth and by choice. He outlined why he believes we have the right precepts, practices, politics and performance.

Announcements were given. Melbourne is hosting a Youth Rally tonight and Homecoming tomorrow.

We were dismissed in prayer by Bro. Russell McCoy.

Women Active for Christ Reports

Scottsmoor: Report from the Scottsmoor Free Will Baptist Auxiliary to the Indian River District Association convening at the Faith Free Will Baptist Church in Bunker Hill, Florida on Oct. 31, 1998:

We have changed our meeting date to the second Thursday of each month. Our Average attendance is three and we still use the Co-Laborer magazine for our programs.

In July and August we were very busy collecting and distributing clothes, household items, etc., for the fire victims. We held a large yard sale, dividing the money with the victims in our area.

In September we purchased carnations for our Grandparents for Grandparents Day.

We surprised Pastor Maynard and Sister Glenna with a combination of Pastor's Appreciation Day, and our first year anniversary celebration of Brother Maynard as our Pastor. At the end of the morning services each class presented the Pastor with gifts. The auxiliary presented a corsage to Sister Maynard and a boutonniere to Bro. Maynard. A poem was read honoring the Pastor's wife with a framed copy given to her. Following these activities, everyone enjoyed a covered dish lunch and a time of fellowship.

We continue to support Florida Shares monthly.

Respectfully Submitted, Helen Allen

New Hope Fellowship: This report covers July, August and September of 1998: We have enrolled ten and our average attendance is four.

We meet on the first Wednesday of the month on a trial basis. Monthly we support:

1. Alabama Children's Home
2. Missions, through the Share Program with two shares

3. WNAC State Budget
4. Pastor's Retirement Program
5. We also contributed \$100.00 to the 2003 meeting fund which is the state project and \$100.00 to the District Project.
6. We purchased an electric blanket for the Edgman family.
7. We sponsored a college shower and a baby shower.
8. We hosted Pastor Appreciation Day.

We have voted to collect new nursery toys to replace the old ones and also to hold a kitchen shower for needed supplies there. Our future plans include a fund raiser to benefit the 2003 meeting.

Vero Beach: Due to the National Association and Camp we were only able to meet once in the last quarter; however we send monthly support to the Bryan family in Ivory Coast and to the General fund of our State Auxiliary. Two of our women attended the National Retreat in North Carolina at the Ridgecrest Conference Center in September. We are currently working on a project for an offering for our state project and our women help with the printing and mailing of our State Auxiliary Newsletter.

Respectfully Submitted, Diana Bryant

Auburndale: The Auburndale Women Active for Christ average membership is ten. We hold our meeting the first Monday evening each month. During the quarter of July-September 1998 we have sponsored the 2003 National Association Meeting in Tampa, The WNAC Emphasis Month, the Memorial Student Loan month and had a Missionary Banquet honoring our missionaries in the country of Spain. We have had the honor of having guests attend our last few meetings of families that were visiting our church and are thankful for their interest and pray for their continued support.

Respectfully Submitted, Jean Adelmeyer, President

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE REPORT

The Executive Committee met October 4, 1998 and wishes to submit the following two recommendations:

1. That we establish a Benevolent Fund with unused monies received for Fire Victims. This money would be available for families in our Association in the event of natural disasters or other emergencies.
2. That we invite Jose Rodriguez to speak at our Annual meeting in January using the theme " Passing the Torch ".

STATISTICAL COMMITTEE REPORT

Ministers	9
Deacons	9
Clerks	3
Church Delegates	18
Visitors	18
Total Attendance	57

Respectfully Submitted,

Sharon Greenlay, Chairman, Sandra Hickson and Wanda Charles

FINANCE COMMITTEE

Today's offering is \$131.50. This offering is suggested to be put into the special fund established for those in need.

*Respectfully submitted,
Randy Jackson*

NOMINATING COMMITTEE

The next District Association Meeting will take place on January 30, 1999, and will meet at the Scottsmoor Church.

The devotion will be given by Frank Wallace with the alternate being Stephen Jackson.

The Morning Message will be given by Jose Rodriguez with the alternate being Russell McCoy.

No positions to be filled this time.

MISSION BOARD REPORT

The Indian River Mission Board met on October 15, 1998 to discuss the progress of the Palm Bay Mission project. The work on the project is near completion.

The Board voted to fill out proper paper work and meet with Bob Dorlon, of M.D. Construction to read him the statues. We will ask him to reimburse us for the added cost he has caused us to incur and our time to be compensated. He will be informed that if he will not repay, we will file a complaint with D.B.P.R. (Department of Business and Professional Regulations) of the State of Florida and we will file a law suit against the company.

The Board voted to file a complaint with D.B.P.R. (Department of Business and Professional Regulations) of the State of Florida against Brown's Contracting, Plumbing, and Air Conditioning for breaking codes and asking for 50% prepay.

The Board voted to accept the agreement of Jim Coates to finish the following work for the amount of \$2,000.00:

1. Seal floor with colored stain.
2. Install rubber baseboards on all existing inside walls.
3. Install drop ceiling and repair grid as needed.
4. Dress up concrete on outer walls and make fill as needed.
5. Agree to start work on 10/8/98 and complete the work by 10/16/98.
6. Agree that the work must meet the standards of the Brevard County Building Codes as being worthy of the agreement.

Respectfully Submitted, Edward Maynard

<p>CHRISTIAN EDUCATION BOARD REPORT OCTOBER 31, 1998</p>
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As you know, the Indian River Association looks forward in the next few years to an increase in the number of young people approaching college age. We hope that they will consider the Bible College in their plans and would like to encourage them with financial assistance.

To raise funds for the Scholarship Program, the Christian Education Board has planned a Silent Auction for January 23, 1999. We have asked the churches of the association to select a representative from their congregations to help obtain items for the auction. We will have a short planning session with those representatives during the Association meeting today.

The Christian Education Board also reviewed last year's YET Team Program and voted to continue to sponsor the team for 1998. The board voted to require that performers and staff submit applications for membership on the team. The CE board will interview staff applicants to assist the CTS and YET Directors in the selection of coaches and sponsors.

Respectfully Submitted,

Robert Griffith, Chairman

**Christian Education Board's
Quarterly Financial Report**

July- August- September 1998

Beginning Balance		\$3,753.46
Deposits:		
	Co-op	963.26
	Interest	7.68
	Camp	14,577.04
	Total Deposits	\$19,301.44
Disbursements		\$15,001.97
Balance on Hand		\$4,299.47

General Fund		\$639.72
Deposits:		
	Co-op	192.66
	Interest	7.68
Balance on Hand		\$840.06

Yet Team Fund		\$82.52
Deposit:		96.32
Disbursements (Yet Team)		82.52
Balance on Hand		\$96.32

College Fund		\$901.63
Deposits:		
	Co-op	337.14
	Bible College	500.00
Balance on Hand		\$1,738.77

Youth Camp	\$2,129.59
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Deposits:

Co-op	337.14
Camp Deposit (Registration)	10,545.95
Greater St. John Association	143.33
Wesconnett F.W.B.Church	125.98
Ryanwood Fellowship Church	175.00
Alburndale F.W.B. Church	75.00
Calvary Chapel	1,732.78
Harmony F.W.B. Church	469.00
So. Florida Association	600.00
Re-deposited checks	210.00

Total Deposits	\$16,543.77
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Disbursements:

Buckingham/Wheeler Insurance	367.50
Randy Bryant (camp food)	1800.00
Camp Challenge (Rent)	9,428.10
Honorariums	1,275.00
Ryder Truck	87.09
Returned Checks	210.00
Sam's Club (Food)	1,719.66
Dave Buck (Curriculum)	32.10

Total Disbursements	14,919.45
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Balance on Hand	\$1,624.32
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Total All Funds	\$4,299.47
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C.E. Board's Treasurer

Sam Lucky

<p style="text-align: center;"> Indian River Association of Free Will Baptists Quarterly Treasurer's Report for period July - August - September 1998 </p>

Beginning Balance July 1, 1998		\$803.90
Receipts		
Dues (10 Churches)	600.00	
Offering (7-98)	71.50	
Fire Relief	1548.00	
Interest	6.53	
Together Way Plan		
Auburndale	2612.90	
Faith	189.76	
Melbourne	1802.87	
New Hope Fellowship	1914.41	
New Smyrna		
Okeechobee	434.00	
Palm Bay	100.55	
Ryanwood Fellowship	339.85	
Scottsmoor	925.55	
Titusville		
Total Receipts		10,545.92
TOTAL TO BE ACCOUNTED FOR		<u>11,349.82</u>
Disbursements		
Florida State Association	4991.94	
Indian River Mission Board	2247.56	
Indian River Christian Education Board	963.26	
Board of Retirement	117.13	
Postage	5.20	
Copies	27.21	
Carl Adkins (Fire Relief)	1619.50	
Supplies	29.99	
Board Seminar Expenses	173.00	
Total Disbursements		<u>10,174.79</u>
Ending Balance September 30, 1998		<u>1175.03</u>

INDIAN RIVER MISSION BOARD
Quarterly Treasurer's Report
July, Aug. Sept. 1998

<u>BEGINNING BALANCE</u>	1,055.26
<u>DEPOSITS:</u>	
July	15,010.83
August	807.73
September	560.05
Dividends	63.43
Reinstated Check #763	650.00
TOTAL DEPOSITS	17,092.04
TOTAL TO BE ACCOUNTED FOR	18,147.30
<u>DISBURSEMENTS</u>	
Palm Bay Storage	726.00
Mr. Bob's Portables	120.00
Fla. Power & Light	527.84
ITT Hartford Insurance	238.50
Atlantic Legal Services	659.20
Brown Contractors	200.00
Landscaping	1,516.00
Construction Permit	300.00
Construction Materials	381.22
Board Members Expenses	249.43
D&E Pump Sales & Services	1,345.00
TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS	6,262.19
NEW BALANCE	11,885.11

Indian River Association
Minutes of the Quarterly Meeting
held
January 30, 1999
Scottsmoor, Florida

The 27th Annual Meeting of the Indian River Association of Free Will Baptists was convened in Scottsmoor Florida on January 30, 1999. The meeting opened with the congregation singing "Stand Up Stand Up for Jesus" and prayer offered by Charlie Charles. Frank Wallace brought the devotion from I Corinthians 15.

The meeting, with the theme "Passing the Torch" was called to order by Moderator Randy Bryant and the delegates were seated. Two committees were appointed; the Statistical Committee consisting of Sandra Hickson, Rosalee Legg, and Betsy Lucky, and the Obituary Committee consisting of Jim Foster, Bill Swartz, and John Henry.

MSC to receive the minutes as printed.

MSC to receive the treasurer's report as printed.

The Moderator commended the churches for giving and encouraged those who are not participating in giving to the association to consider the worthwhile things that are being accomplished and join the effort.

Women Active for Christ Reports were heard from Auburndale, Cocoa and Vero Beach. Master's Men reports were heard from Melbourne and Vero Beach.

An Announcement concerning the FWBBC Preaching Trip was made: Seven Churches from our Association will have preacher boys from the college on February 21. February 20 is the date for the Youth Rally with the personnel from the college - it will be held in Melbourne.

Robert Griffith gave the Christian Education Board Report with Mike Taggart giving the CTS and YET Team portions and Randy Bryant giving the Camp portion of the report.

MSC to receive the CE Board report.

MSC to receive the Ordaining Board report given by Sam Lucky.

MSC to receive the Executive Committee report.

Announcements concerning the State Minister's Retreat and a Sunday School Conference were given by Ron Hunter on behalf of the State CE Board.

An offering of \$100.00 was received, and a 15 minute break was taken.

The Meeting reconvened.

MSC to receive the Mission Board report by Charlie Charles with the treasurer's report given by Jim Christian. The Palm Bay work is now occupying their new building.

Jim Christian presented a video produced by the State Mission Board, and challenged those not participating in the Shares Program to consider becoming a part.

MSC to receive the Statistical Committee report.

MSC to receive the Obituary Committee report and observe a moment of silence.

MSC to receive the slate of speakers for the next meeting as presented by the Nominating Committee.

MSC to adopt the slate of officer presented by the Nominating Committee with opportunity given to nominate from the floor.

MSC to adopt the entire slate of officers with the position of Assistant Clerk/Treasurer left open.

MSC to nominate Betsy Lucky as assistant clerk/treasurer.

Ministers and Deacons in good standing with the association were called to the front to receive their annual cards. Prayer was offered asking the Lord' blessing on their ministries.

MSC to send \$15 monthly to Eddie Hick's ministry in Auburndale that works with drug rehabilitation.

MSC to adjourn the business session.

The congregation sang "To God Be the Glory" and Mrs. Maynard sang two special numbers.

Jose Rodriguez brought the morning message on the theme "Passing the Torch". He emphasized that all the answers to the unique needs of today's generation are found in scripture. He used Ephesians 1:7 to illustrate this.

Women Active for Christ Reports

Auburndale: December 31, 1998...This is the annual report for 1998 of the Auburndale Women Nationally Active for Christ. We changed our name from WNAC to AWAC in May of this year. We usually hold our meetings the first Monday evening of each month at the church and we have an average attendance of ten ladies. Through our offerings, the sale of flavorings, and the distribution of tea bags, soup cans, and quarter folders, we have been able to help support the following:

Foreign Student Scholarship Fund

The Laura Belle Barnard Offering

Mrs. Wisheart's Retirement

Our State Speaker

The YET Team participating members from our Church

The Memorial Student Fund

The Lizzie McAdams Offering

Paul Kettleman

Mrs. Wiley's Memorial
Our local Master's Men
Missionary Kids

Our Florida Missionaries :

The Owens, The Edgemons, and The McVays
2003 National Association Meeting

We have also provided food and support for bereaving families in our church, given Sunshine Baskets to the sick, and supplied the food for the Quarterly Conference held at our Church on July 25th.

To encourage our church members , we have presented the following:

Valentine Banquets for 4 different age groups

Yard Sale to support our YET Team Members

Mother/Daughter Tea at Mother's Day

Father/Son Sports Lunch at Father's Day

Participated in the Talent Show at our Fish Fry

Sleep-Over for the little kids who were too young for camp

Missionary Banquet highlighting Spain

Fall Festival (cake walk)

Old Fashioned Day with Dinner on the Grounds

Ladies Night Out at Christmas for all the church women

We are also in charge of the Prayer Chain. We have been blessed with guests this past year. We pray that we may always be found serving our Lord and Savior.

Respectfully Submitted, *Linda Key*

New Hope Fellowship: January thru December 1998

Enrollment 10 Average Attendance 4 Visitors 3

Monthly we support: The Alabama Children's Home, Missions through the Share Program with two shares, WNAC State Budget, and the Pastor's Retirement Program

Our Activities were as follows: We gave \$200.00 to the 2003 meeting fund and \$100.00 to the District Project. We purchased an electric blanket for the Edgemon Family. We sponsored a College Shower and a Baby Shower. We hosted Pastor Appreciation Day. We gave a "Just

Because We Love You" party for a lady of the Church. We sold carnations for Mother's Day as a fund raiser. We sold coffee and donuts on Father's Day. We purchased items for the children's provision closet in Nashville. We sent a care package to a college student. We purchased a fall flower arrangement for the sanctuary. We delivered flowers and gifts to shut-ins. We gave Thanksgiving baskets and gift certificates to two families . We purchased Christmas gifts of clothes and toys for a family of four.

Our annual Christmas banquet was held at the church with 38 attending. We were honored to have our senior adults as our guests. Sandra Jackson presented a very moving program.

We'd like to acknowledge that all these activities were accomplished with the help of all the ladies of the church.

Vero Beach: We met six times this year. Our membership is five. We give monthly to the Bryans, Co-Laborer Fund and the State General Fund. We had two events for Missions, a Valentine Banquet and a Pampered Chef Party. All profits went to Mission Projects. We sent cards to Foreign Missionaries. We gave to Dr. Wischart's Retirement and the State Speaker. We collected items for the Missionary Kids Provision Closet. We had women attend the State Meeting, National Meeting, and the National Retreat. We had a workshop to prepare table favors for the State Meeting.

Master's Men Reports

Melbourne: The Master's Men group at Melbourne completed the following activities this past year:

- Purchased 25 new song books for the young adult church and children's church.
- Donated \$125 for spare ribs and other meats for church dinner
- Donated \$105 to the Children's Home in Alabama
- Send \$10 per month to the Auburndale drug rehabilitation fund
- Send \$15 per month for missionary share fund

- Purchased ten chairs for the choir
- Assist in cleaning the church wit the appreciated help of our sisters in Christ, and perform other maintenance duties.
- Meetings always consist of a good round table Bible lesson. We are increasing in numbers, and in strength as the Lord leads.
- We fellowship at Shoneys for breakfast the first week of each month.

Respectfully submitted, *Stan Bingham*

Vero Beach: The Master's Men in Vero are active with an average attendance of five. We meet every month with a breakfast on Saturday mornings. This past year we held a garage sale. We do church maintenance and support the Children's Home. We are also purchasing shares in our Mission program.

Respectfully submitted, *Sam Lucky*

Christian Education Board Report

The Christian Education Board sponsored a Silent Auction on January 23, 1999 and raised \$154.00 for the Scholarship Program. We would like to thank all of the churches and members for their support and the Melbourne Church in particular for hosting the event. The C.E. Board would also like to thank Randy and Diana Bryant for all of their efforts in organizing and managing the auction over the past several months.

The C.E. Board also was pleased to provide a scholarship to Rebecca Jackson for the fall term at the Free Will Baptist Bible College.

Respectfully submitted, *Robert Griffith, Chairman*

CTS Report

The annual District CTS Competition will be held on March 20, 1999 and hosted by First Free Will Baptist Church of Titusville. Opening

prayer will be at 9:00 am. Registration for all levels shall be done on the official registration form found on last page of the National Youth Conference Bible Competition Guideline book. All registrations for District competition must be received by March 6, 1999. **LATE REGISTRATIONS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED.** Mail all registration forms to: Mike Taggart 2355 Armadillo Court, Cocoa, FL 32926.

We need volunteers to help judge the various areas of competition. Please provide me with the names of volunteers from your church and the areas of competition that they are willing to judge in. Remember, no judges - no competition. These names need to be provided to me by no later than March 6, 1999.

YET Team

YET Team applications are being handed out today. All individuals interested in either being a participant on the team or an adult leader needs to fill out an application.

Camp Sonshine Report

There have been several significant matters that have developed for youth camp for this year. We lost our rental dates at Camp challenge where we have been the last 6 or 7 years. That left us with two options: 1) Set camp for the week following the National Association Meeting or 2) Find another location for the dates we usually have camp.

The week after the National appeared to be virtually impossible to pull off with the youth groups returning on Friday or Saturday and then camp on Sunday. Also, the purchasing of the food and snack shop supplies would be a major headache on that time frame. On the other hand, finding another place to have camp is almost impossible. Finding one with time available during the summer, trying to locate one that is large enough, and trying to find one who allows you to do your own meals, and one that is priced sufficiently for most of our youth to attend, all add up to almost impossible. We have been able to book with Camp Joy

(where we previously camped before Camp Challenge). It is not nearly as nice as Camp Challenge, nor will they allow you to cook your own meals, but they are available.

Due to the difference in food costs, it is necessary for us to raise the camper's fee to \$110. Even with that the Camp Board will be underwriting part of the fee for the campers. Please keep in mind that we have been in an unreal world as far as camp fees go. You will be hard pressed to find another camp that is priced under \$150 - \$200. We can do that due to the giving of our churches both directly and through Co-Op.

The plans have not been finalized yet, but we will make sure all churches are informed about what transpires.

The Camp Financial Report is provided for you. You will notice that the bottom lines are the same as in Sam's C.E. Board Report, but some of the labeling has been more specific. We appreciate those churches who gave special gifts to our Camp after last year's camp. As you know, we were about \$2300 in the red when we left camp. By the time the final bills arrived, we had received enough in gifts to keep us in the black. For that we are thankful.

Camp Sonshine and the youth camp ministry has been very challenging over the last several years. The cost of camp will continue to increase (like everything else), the need for qualified workers will always be there, and the spiritual level of the campers will be lower than hoped for, but it is a ministry that is worth every struggle and every trial. It is one ministry that changes lives! For that we Praise our Lord!

Ordaining Board Report

Having met with Bro. Eddie Colf and receiving a letter of recommendation from his home church of Scottsmoor, we the ordaining board recommend he be licensed to preach the gospel for one year - January 30, 1999 to January 20, 2000.

*Rev. Bob Allen, Rev. Jim Foster, Rev. Benny Gates, Bro. Bill Swartz,
Bro. Sam Lucky*

Indian River Mission Board Report

The Indian River Mission Board met January 23, 1999. Members present were Jim Christian, Charlie Charles, Ron Hunter, and Ed Maynard.

Discussion began with the concern of the need to settle the problems with Bob Dorlon, the contractor who was obtained to finish the work on the Palm Bay Project.

A motion was made to meet with Bob Dorlon on Jan. 29, 1999 at 10:00 A.M. The purpose of the meeting is to discuss with Mr. Dorlon the following concerns we have with him: 1. Reimbursement for the money we spent for permits. 2. ? 3. Reimbursement for the price of the railing for the church. 4. \$3000 for the air conditioner. 5. Reimbursement for the cost of a general contractor which he did not fulfill. 6. Other expenses which were caused by him because he did not do his job. The motion carried.

The building is completed and we have certificate of occupancy but there are a few things still needed to be done. 1. Stage to be built with all the outlets. 2. Stucco front and block areas of building. 3. Put awning over the front door.

The mission board met on Jan. 29, 1999. Mr. Dorlon refused to meet with us. A motion was made to allow the chairman of the mission board Brother Charlie Charles to file the necessary paper work with the Department of Business and Professional Regulations concerning Bob Dorlan, and that any legal fees for a paralegal be paid by the board. The motion carried.

A motion was made to have the clerk write a letter to Bob Dorlan informing him of the actions we are taking because of breach of contract.

The clerk will inform him that there will be no more communication between Mr. Dorlan and the Indian River Mission Board and that a complaint has been filed with the Department of Business and professional Regulations. The motion carried

A motion was made to begin to support the Florida Shares Program and start with 15 shares. The motion was carried.

Edward Maynard, Clerk

Statistical Committee Report

Ministers: 12 Deacons: 9 Visitors: 17 Clerks: 6 Delegates: 25
Total in attendance: 69

Betsy Lucky, Sandra Hickson, Rosalee Legg

Nominating Committee Report

<u>Position</u>	<u>Current</u>	<u>Nominee</u>
Moderator	Randy Bryant	Randy Bryant
Vice Moderator	Randy Jackson	Randy Jackson
Clerk/Treasurer	Diana Bryant	Diana Bryant
Asst Clerk/Treas	Betsy Lucky	Betsy Lucky
CE Board (99)	Charles Allen	Charles Allen
Mission Board (99)	Thomas Thompson	Russell McCoy
Finance Committee	Bob Allen	Bob Allen
Ordination Board	Bob Allen	Bob Allen
Camp Board (99)	Henry Beard	Henry Beard
Nominating Committee	Charles Allen Henry Beard John Henry	Charles Allen Henry Beard John Henry

Henry Beard, Charles Allen, John Henry

Obituary Committee Report

The following people went to be with the Lord during the past year:

From Scottsmoor: Violet Paronto
Rev. Lewis Howard

From Auburndale: Ted Davis

From Cocoa: Edna Ellis

From Titusville: Roy Hunt

Jim Foster, Bill Swartz, John Henry

Next Meeting -

April 24, 1999

Devotion:

Alternate:

Titusville

Stephen Jackson

Sam Lucky

Message:

Alternate:

Russell McCoy

Edward Maynard

<p align="center"> Indian River Association of Free Will Baptists Quarterly Treasurer's Report for period October - November - December 1998 </p>
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Beginning Balance October 1, 1998		\$1175.03
Receipts		
Dues (9 Churches)	540.00	
Offering (10-98)	131.50	
Benevolent	508.00	
Scholarship Fund	20.00	
Interest	17.41	
Together Way Plan		
Auburndale	1169.97	
Faith	192.46	
Melbourne	3383.27	
New Hope Fellowship	2548.77	
New Smyrna		
Okeechobee		
Palm Bay	113.65	
Ryanwood Fellowship	474.15	
Scottsmoor	822.50	
Titusville		
Total Receipts		9921.68
TOTAL TO BE ACCOUNTED FOR		<u>11,096.71</u>
Disbursements		
Florida State Association	5222.86	
Indian River Mission Board	2297.91	
Indian River Christian Education Board	1004.82	
Board of Retirement	142.18	
Postage	58.69	
Copies		
Board Seminar Expenses	18.75	
Mission Shares	540.00	
Total Disbursements		<u>9285.21</u>
Ending Balance December 31, 1998		<u>1811.50</u>

<p style="text-align: center;">Indian River Association of Free Will Baptists Annual Financial Report for period January 1, 1998 - December 31, 1998</p>

Beginning Balance January 1, 1998	1431.95
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Receipts

Dues	2340.00
Offerings	526.35
Interest	48.08
Scholarship	20.00
Benevolent	2056.00
Reimbursement	15.79

Together Way Plan:

Auburndale	8116.13
Faith	690.52
Melbourne	9514.50
New Hope Fellowship	12110.23
New Smyrna	
Okeechobee	1349.00
Palm Bay	502.66
Ryanwood Fellowship	1267.76
Scottsmoor	3,894.08
Titusville	

Total Receipts	42451.10
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TOTAL TO BE ACCOUNTED FOR	<u>43883.05</u>
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Disbursements

Florida State Association	23234.93
Indian River Mission Board	10097.48
Indian River CE Board	4347.51
Board of Retirement	507.96
Postage	121.73
Copies	118.20
Mission Shares	540.00
Board Seminar Expenses	191.75
Supplies	59.39
Carl Adkins Fire Relief	1619.50
YET	727.00
Honorariums	500.00
Phone	6.10

Total Disbursements	<u>42071.55</u>
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Ending Balance December 31, 1998	<u>1811.50</u>
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**Christian Education Board's Annual
Financial Report**

January 1, 1998—December 31, 1998

Beginning Balance	\$3,956.04
Deposits:	
Co-op	4,327.51
Interest	59.22
Special Offering	150.00
Camp Fund	17,312.47
College Fund	20.00
Sub Total	25,825.24
Disbursements	19,746.94
 Balance on Hand	 6,078.30

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General Fund	\$834.92
Deposits	
Co-op	1,020.94
Interest	59.22
Sub Total	1,915.08
 Disbursements	
Fl. State Youth Board	245.00
YET Team	300.00
Food for Seminar	63.11
CTS Supplies	158.13
CTS Trophies	93.50
 Balance on Hand	 1,055.34

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Y.E.T. Team Fund	
Deposits	277.33
Disbursements (YET Team)	178.84
 Balance on Hand	 98.49

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College Fund	1,568.83
Deposits	
Co-op	1,514.62
Free Will Baptist Bible College	500.00
Gift (Scottsmore Church)	20.00
Sub Total	3,603.45
Disbursements	
Rebecca Jackson (Scholarship FWBBC)	1,750.00
Eddie Colf (Scholarship FWBBC)	750.00
Balance on Hand	1,103.45
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Camp Fund	\$1,552.29
Deposits	
Co-op	1,514.62
Greater St. John Assoc.	791.06
So. Fl Assoc.	1,320.00
Home Mission Dept.	1,100.00
Calvary Chapel	1,968.38
Special Offering	150.00
Returned to Account	32.10
Camp Registration	10,545.95
Weconnett FWB Church	125.98
Ryanwood Fellowship Church	175.00
Alburndale FWB Church	75.00
Harmony FWB Church	469.00
Re-Deposited Checks	210.00
Sub Total	20,029.38
Disbursements	
Camp Challenge Deposit	400.00
Camp material	99.08
Zonderman Church Source	38.93
Randy Bryant (Misc)	100.00
J. R. Customs (T-shirts)	416.25
Seminar Expense	125.00
Christian Film Service	48.40
Insurance	367.50
Food For Camp	1,800.00
Camp Challenge (rent)	9,428.10
Honorariums	1,275.00
Ryder Truck	87.09
Returned Check	210.00
Sam's Club (Food)	1,719.66
Curriculum	32.10
Dept. of State	61.25
Subtotals	16,208.36
Balance on hand	\$3,821.02
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**CHRISTIAN EDUCATION BOARD'S
QUARTERLY FINANCIAL REPORT**

OCT-NOV- DEC. 1998

Beginning Balance	\$4,299.47
Deposits:	
Co-op	984.82
Interest	18.31
College Fund	20.00
Camp	1,948.44
Total Deposits	7,271.04
Disbursements	1,192.74
Balance on Hand	6,078.30

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General Fund	840.06
Deposits:	
Co-op	196.97
Interest	18.31
Balance on Hand	1,055.34

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Y.E.T. Team	96.32
Deposits:	98.49
Disbursements:	96.32
Balance on Hand	98.49

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College Fund	1,738.77
Deposits:	
Co-op	344.68
Gift (Scottsmore Church)	20.00
Disbursements:	
Rebecca Jackson (Scholarship)	1,000.00
Balance on Hand	1,103.45

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Camp		1,624.32
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Deposits:

Co-op	344.68
Calvary Chapel	235.60
Home Mission Dept.	1,100.00
So. Fl. Association	420.00
Greater St. John Association	160.74
Returned to Account	32.10

Sub Total	3,917.44
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Disbursements:

Camp material	35.17
Dept. of State	61.25

Balance on Hand	3,821.02
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C.E. Board's Treasurer

Sam Lucky

**Camp Sonshine Financial Report
January 1998 - December 31, 1998**

Balance Brought Forward **1552.29**

Income:

Indian River Association	1514.62
Greater St. John's	791.06
South Florida	1320.00
Hispanic Association	250.00
Home Mission Dept.	1100.00
Calvary Chapel	1968.38
Wesconnett	125.00
First - Auburndale	175.00
Ryanwood Fellowship	175.00
Re-deposited checks	210.00
Reimbursed for bad checks	150.00
Camp Registration	8420.00
Snack Shop	1370.05
Staff T- shirts	315.00
Camper's T -shirts	114.00

Total Income **20,029.38**

Disbursements:

Incorporation Fee	61.25
Camp Challenge Deposit	400.00
Camp Challenge Rent	9428.10
Curriculum - Zondervan	38.93
Petty Cash	1900.00
J.R. Custom T's	416.25
Worker's Seminar	125.00
Insurance	367.50
Christian Film Service	48.40
Ryder Truck	87.09
Honorariums	1275.00
Sam's (Groceries)	1122.94
Sam's (Snack Shop)	596.72
Curriculum	32.10
Materials	99.08
Returned Check	210.00

Total Disbursements **16,208.36**

Balance On Hand **3821.02**

Notes:

Total Grocery Cost: \$1572.58

\$314.52 - per day

\$2.15 per person per day

\$.72 per meal

Snack Shop Profit: \$782.33

Petty Cash Expenditures Included: groceries, awards, tubing, staff t-shirts, and miscellaneous materials and equipment

**INDIAN RIVER MISSION BOARD
ANNUAL TREASURER'S REPORT
JAN. - DEC. 1998**

BEGINNING BALANCE	1,240.94
DEPOSITS	
Jan. - Mar.	3,700.27
Apr. - June	1,921.99
July - Sept.	17,028.61
Oct. - Dec.	2,588.27
TOTAL DEPOSITS	25,239.14
DRAFT DIVIDENDS	148.15
TOTAL	25,387.29
DISBURSEMENTS	
Jan. - Mar.	2,871.49
April - June	2,989.19
July - Sept.	6,262.19
Oct. - Dec.	11,525.78
TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS	23,648.65
BEGINNING BALANCE	1,240.94
DEPOSITS & DIVIDENDS	25,387.29
TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS	23,648.65
ENDING BALANCE	2,979.58

INDIAN RIVER ASSOCIATION CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS

Preamble

We, the Indian River Association of Original Free Will Baptists of the state of Florida, do ordain this constitution for the purposes of advancing, promoting, and increasing all phases of the causes of Christ.

Constitution

ARTICLE ONE: NAME

This organization shall be known as the Indian River Association of Original Free Will Baptists of the State of Florida.

ARTICLE TWO: MEMBERSHIP

This association shall be composed of such Free Will Baptist Churches as shall adopt this compact and agree to this constitution. One may obtain associate membership statement of Christian faith.

ARTICLE THREE: DELEGATION

Section 1

The standing delegation of this association shall consist of all ordained ministers, ordained deacons, association clerks, and church clerks of this association in good standing with this association.

Section 2

Voting privileges shall be extended to all standing delegates and to those duly elected or appointed delegates representing the churches of this association in good standing with this association.

Section 3

Each church shall be entitled to two (2) delegates plus one (1) delegate for each twenty-five (25) members (or fraction thereof), not to exceed a total of six elected or appointed delegates.

ARTICLE FOUR: OFFICERS AND BOARDS

Section 1

The general officers of this association shall be moderator, the assistant moderator, the clerk-treasurer, and the assistant clerk-treasurer. These officers shall be elected on odd years for the term of two years.

Section 2

There shall be a General Board, composed of the officers of the association and the chairmen of the various boards, which shall serve as the association out of session.

Section 3

The standing Boards of this Association shall be the Mission Board, the Ordaining Board, and the Christian Education Board.

Section 4

Each of these standing boards shall after the annual association meeting, elect a chairman. The responsibilities of the chairman are to oversee their respective boards' operation and to attend all General Board Meetings personally or by proxy of another board member. Failure to attend or be represented at two consecutive General Board Meetings shall constitute reason for dismissal from the General Board.

ARTICLE FIVE: MEETINGS

The meetings of this association shall be on the last Saturday of January, April, July, and October.

ARTICLE SIX: AMENDMENTS

This constitution may be amended or altered at any regular session of the association by a two-thirds majority vote of the delegates present, providing the proposed amendment of alteration is presented in writing during one session, placed on the table and voted upon in the next session.

BY-LAWS

ARTICLE ONE: MEMBERSHIP

Section 1

All churches affiliated directly with this association shall be required to adopt the Treatise of the Faith and Practice of the Original Free Will Baptists as adopted by the National Association of Original Free Will Baptists. Application for membership must contain a statement to this effect.

Section 2

Churches desiring to affiliate themselves with this body must make application by letter and representation to this association.

Section 3

Any Christian or church desiring to affiliate themselves with this body as an associate member may do so by signing a statement of Christian faith and by paying annual dues designated by the association. Associate members DO NOT have voting privileges.

ARTICLE TWO: FINANCE

Section 1

The manner of financial support for this association shall be by dues of each member church according to the amount designated by the association. These dues shall be retained in the General Fund for the administration of the association.

Section 2

The Mission Board and Christian Education board shall be financed by retaining a percentage (to be designated by the association) of the Cooperative Plan before sending it to the State Treasurer. The percentage that is retained in the Association and its disbursement will be recommended by the Finance Committee at each annual meeting. A two-thirds majority of the association will rule.

Section 3

It will be the responsibility of the Mission Board and the Christian Education Board to disburse the funds and present a written report at each Association Meeting.

Section 4

The books of the clerk-treasurer and each board shall be audited each year by the Executive Board at the planning meeting before the Annual meeting of the association.

Section 5

All elected boards, officers & committees will be paid 21 cents a mile for transportation expenses, lodging and meals, if required when traveling on Association business.

ARTICLE THREE: FUNCTION OF THE OFFICERS

Section 1

The duties of the moderator shall be to preside at all the meetings of the association. He shall be empowered with the authority to appoint any committees not otherwise provided for in the constitution. The Moderator shall serve as ex-officio member of all boards and committees.

Section 2

The duties of the vice-moderator shall be to preside at the request of or in the absence of the moderator and assist him in such ways as are necessary and advisable.

Section 3

The duties of the clerk-treasurer shall be to keep accurate minutes of the association meetings, to compile the minutes and reports of the boards and auxiliaries and to prepare and publish them. It shall be his further duty to take care of necessary correspondence. The clerk-treasurer shall receive all associational monies and disburse them as directed by the association. He shall be an ex-officio member of the Finance Committee, as well as serve in the position of chairman of this committee.

Section 4

The duties of the assistant clerk-treasurer shall be to function at the request of or in the absence of the clerk-treasurer and to assist him in any way necessary.

ARTICLE FOUR: FUNCTION OF THE BOARDS

Section 1

The Mission Board shall be composed of five (5) members whose terms of office shall be five (5) years and whose terms shall be staggered so that only one member shall be replaced each year. The Board shall be composed of two (2) ministers, two (2) deacons and one (1) layman.

The function of this Board shall be:

- a. To supervise any and all missions' programs of this association and to coordinate their efforts with our state and national agencies.
- b. To be vested with the power of trusteeship; to hold and convey titles of any property coming under the jurisdiction of the Missions Board through this association or as dealing with any or all property requiring trustees of the Indian River Association.
- c. To formulate and promote a live missionary program by the aiding of weak churches, the establishment of new churches and by an earnest effort to keep a spirit of revival present in the association.

It shall not be the function of this board to hold joint ownership of any church or church properties.

Section 2

The Ordaining Board shall be composed of three (3) ministers and two (2) deacons who are members of this association in good standing. Board members shall be elected to staggering terms of five (5) years with one member being replaced or re-elected each year.

The functions of this board shall be:

- a. To examine all applicants for ordination and all previously ordained ministers and deacons seeking membership in the association.
- b. To ordain or assist in the ordination of deacons and ministers when requested to do so by the church of the candidate.
- c. To consider the following in carrying out the duties of the office:

- (1) That all ministers and deacons wishing to become members of this association shall be recommended from the church of which they are members.
- (2) That all examinees shall be called upon to present their credentials for examination and answer satisfactorily such questions as may be asked of them.
- (3) That all applications must be made prior to the association meeting to the chairman of the Ordaining Board.
- (4) That a person presented for ordination to the ministry, or to be recognized as a minister in good standing, must be pastoring; be in a state of retirement due to age or health; be engaged full-time in the art of Christian work; or have justifiable cause preventing his pastoring.
- (5) That ministers desiring to be ordained must have been licensed for a period of one year and have pastored for at least six months prior to ordination.
- (6) The licensed minister must come before his local church after one (1) year for re-licensing or ordination.
- (7) For a person to be presented for ordination as a deacon or recognition of ordination as a deacon, he must have served one year. If he has served as a deacon in this association previously and still holds his credentials, the this period of service would be waived. If he is coming from another association, it would be waived provided he actively holds valid credentials from a Free Will Baptist Church or Association.
- (8) That all ordination services be conducted at the time and place recommended by the candidate's church.
- (9) That a licensed minister who turns in his license to the Ordaining Board must go through all required processes previously needed for licensing.
- (10) That all applicants for ordination abstain from the use of tobacco in any form.

Section 3

The Christian Education Board shall be composed of three members whose terms of office shall be three (3) years and whose terms shall be staggered so that only one member shall be replaced or re-elected each year. The board shall also consist of the two (2) trustees of the Sonshine Youth Camp Board, representing and elected by this

association and whose terms shall run concurrent with Camp Sonshine Board. The district CTS Director shall be an ex-officio member of this board.

The District CTS Director shall be elected annually by the Association at its annual meeting. Functions of this board shall be:

- a. Appoint youth camp director.
- b. To organize and supervise a camping program.
- c. To act as trustees and to hold title to any properties deeded to this association for the purpose of camping.
- d. To be responsible for all monies received for or related to the camping program of this association.
- e. To support and promote the education of our youth and Christian leaders.
- f. To be responsible for coordinating all CTS programs of his association.

ARTICLE FIVE: COMMITTEES

Section 1

The nominating committee shall be composed of three (3) members to be elected at the annual session and who shall serve for a period of one (1) year.

Section 2

The finance committee shall be composed of three (3) members to be elected at the annual session. The members shall serve in a rotating sequence of three (3) year terms. The duly elected clerk-treasurer shall be an ex-officio member of the committee.

Section 3

All committees not provided for by either the constitution or its by-laws may be appointed by the moderator as deemed necessary.

ARTICLE SIX: REPORTING

Section 1

Each church is requested to mail its report to the clerk fifteen (15) days prior to the association session.

Section 2

Each Woman's Auxiliary of the association shall give a report at the sessions.

Section 3

The District Woman's Auxiliary shall give a report at the annual meeting.

ARTICLE SEVEN: MISCELLANEOUS

Section 1

Each minister and deacon who is a member of the Indian River Association shall be expected to attend or report to all association meetings unless providentially hindered.

Section 2

The name, date of birth, age, and church affiliation of any member overtaken by death each year shall be included in that year's minutes and such information shall be given to the clerk-treasurer by the clerks of the churches.

Section 3

At the death of a minister, a page in the following year's minutes (draped in black as a memorial to the deceased) shall provide all pertinent information concerning him and his ministry.

Section 4

The constitution and by-laws, with any amendments and alterations, shall be printed in the annual minutes each year.

Section 5

Robert's Rules of Order shall be parliamentary guide for all meetings of the association or its auxiliaries, boards or committees.

Section 6

A Quorum shall consist of a majority of any board or committee.

ARTICLE EIGHT: AMENDMENTS

The by-laws may be amended or altered at any regular session of the association by two-thirds majority vote of the proper voting representation present, providing that the proposed amendment or alteration is presented in writing during one session, placed upon the table and voted upon in the next session.