

**JASPER
ASSOCIATION
of
FREE WILL
BAPTISTS**

**1989
ANNUAL REPORT**

1990 SESSION

**October 5
Cedrom Grove FWB Church**

**October 6
Trinity Youth Camp**

MINUTES
of the
ONE-HUNDREDTH and ONE
ANNUAL SESSION
of the
JASPER
ASSOCIATION OF
FREE WILL BAPTISTS

When Convened at:
Pocahontas Free Will Baptist Church
and
Winfield Free Will Baptist Church

OCTOBER 6-7, 1989

ASSOCIATIONAL DIRECTORY OF OFFICERS

Moderator:

Rev. Tom Scott; P.O. Box 457, Red Bay, AL 35593, 356-2425

Assistant Moderator:

Rev. Dennis Haygood, Rt. 2, Box 376, Guin, AL 35563, 468-2325

Clerk:

Rev. Phil Kimbrough, Rt. 6, Box 11, Hamilton, AL 35570

Assistant Clerk:

Bro. Bryan Silas, Rt.2, Box 151, Guin, AL 35563, 468-2734

Treasurer:

Hugh Mac Winsett, Rt. 4, Box 520, Hamilton, AL 35570, 921-4265

BOARDS

State Board Member: Fred Hawkins

Children's Home Trustee: James Bradley

Christian Education Board: Carroll Jones - 1990 Walter Sloan - 1991;

Richard Cordell - 1992; Tom Scott - 1993; Bryan Silas - 1994

Youth Camp Board: Carroll Jones - 1990; Bryan Silas - 1991, Dennis Haygood - 1992

Credentials Committee: Dennis Haygood - 1989; Carroll Jones - 1990; Calvin Bevans - 1991; Fred Hawkins - 1992; Richard Cordell - 1993.

Mission Board: Richard Cordell - 1990; James Bradley - 1991; Phillip Miles - 1992; Bryan Silas - 1993; Randy Key - 1994

Executive Committee: John Warren, Hugh Mac Winsett, Allen Brasseal, Carroll Jones, Paul Jaggars

General Board: Term to expire in 1990:

Bethlehem - Elmer Lee Stewart; Calvary - Calvin Bevans; Carbon Hill - Carroll Jones; Gum Springs - Gary Bevans; Mt. Olive - Letus Atkinson; New Liberty - James Bradley; Shady Grove - Hershel Beard; Union Chapel - Greg Stocks; Winfield - Duane Hughes.

Term to expire 1991:

Brilliant - Phillip Miles; Cedrom Grove - Tim Baines; Free Water - Farrel Pollard; Guin - Richard Cordell; Hamilton - Hugh Mac Winsett; Liberty - Billy Wisham; Mt. Pleasant - Alan Brassel; Pocahontas - Jim Hunter; Red Bay - O'Neal Funderburg; Union Hill - Paul Jaggars.

THE QUARTERLY MEETINGS

The Jasper Association of Free Will Baptist met in the first Quarterly Meeting of 1990 with the Hamilton Free Will Baptist Church.

The service was opened with song, "The Regions Beyond" and prayer by Bro. Ed Ledlow, pastor of Cooper Free Will Baptist Church and moderator of the Jasper Association, gave us a welcome.

Bro. Phil Kimbrough pastor of the Hamilton Free Will Baptist church gave the Association a warm welcome.

Bro. Hugh Mac Winsett sang a song entitled "When He Was On The Cross".

Bro. Fred Jones our missionary to Mexico gave us a report of the Free Will Baptist work in Mexico. He introduced us to two Mexican students, they sang a beautiful song in Spanish. God is blessing our work in Mexico. Each of the students shared with us a word of thanks for our help and prayers.

Bro. Norman Richards our foreign missionary to Africa gave us a challenge from John 20:21 and told of our work in Africa.

Bro. Joe Roger our home missionary to Elkart, Indiana gave us a challenge from Rev. 22:17-21 "The Final Plea".

Bro. Larry Iuscoe our foreign missionary to Panama gave us a report on the work in Panama. He took his thoughts from Matt. 27:3-7.

Bro. Richard Hendrix, our home missionary to Madison, Alabama, gave us a report on our work in Madison. The church is in a building program, building a new building. Bro. Hendrix shared with us from 2 Peter, Chapter 15.

Bro. Mark Riggs our foreign missionary to Spain gave us a report of the work in Spain. He shared with us from Matt., Chapter 11. His wife Julie, gave us her personal testimony.

Bro. Steve Reeves and his wife, Linda, shared with us their work in Spain. Their desire is to be able to build a new church building. He took his thoughts from Rev. 7:9-17.

Bro. Jim Comes was ill and unable to be with us but his wife Shirley shared with us their work in Brazil. They have been in Brazil for 30 years.

Bro. Paul Thompson our home missionary to Arizona gave us a report on our work in Arizona. He challenged us to take the power of Christ with us as we go.

Bro. Tryman Messer our Director of Missions shared with us from Matt. 9:35-38, the need of labors for the mission field!!!

THE SECOND QUARTERLY MEETING

The Jasper Association convened at Pocahontas Free Will Baptist Church in a quarterly meeting.

The session was called to order by singing, "Living By Faith". Prayer led by Bro. Phillip Kimbrough.

Bro. Hugh Mac Winsett brought the devotion, the subject of Prayer, text I Timothy 2:8.

Pastor Randy Key gave the welcome.

Bro. Duane Hughes led in more singing, "Heavenly Sunlight".

Bro. Dallas Gilliland brought the message from I Kings 18:15, subject, "Back to the Old Time Way".

After break the service was begun by singing "He Lives", "Hallollujah We Shall Rise", "My Savior First Of ALL".

Bro. Henry told about the Walk-A-Thon.

Bro. Haygood gave a report on our youth camp.

Motion was accepted and approved to give \$500 to our youth camp. The name will be Trinity Free Will Baptist Camp.

The Credentials Committee gave the report with the recommendation that Bro. Trellis Mayhall, Bro. O.Z. Johnson, Bro. Phillip Kimbrough be received into the Association. Motion was accepted and approved.

Motion was accepted and approved to give Bro. Larry Reynolds \$100.

Motion was accepted and approved for the Credentials Committee to meet prior to the Association meeting and bring a report to the Association.

Bro. Larry Reynolds brought the message after a song from Bro. Winsett, Gen. 5:24 and Gal. 2:6, "God was not Man's Somewhat". A tremendous message was brought, alter prayer was good.

Bro. Hawkins gave a few words of encouragement on fellowship.

Closing prayer was led by Bro. Mayhall.

THE THIRD QUARTERLY MEETING

The 3rd quarterly meeting met at Mt. Pleasant. The service was opened by singing, led by Bro. Hugh Mac Winsett.

Devotion was by Bro. Buddy Henry, pastor of The Liberty Free Will Baptist Church. He used Psalms 78 as his text.

The welcome was made by the host pastor, Bro. Dallas Gilliland.

Our morning message was brought by Bro. Trellis Mayhall, pastor of the Free Water Free Will Baptist Church. He used Proverbs 1:23-33 as his text. He used verse 26 as his key verse, the thought "When God Laughted".

Bro. Dennis Haygood gave the Association a report on the youth camp. He reported on the problems facing the youth camp. The state was wanting the camp to buy a license to operate. He reported that the District Health Department Head stated that at this time the state would not enforce the law as it now stands. He also indicated that our local government official in the next session would introduce a bill to change the current law.

Bro. Bud Henry gave the Association a report on the state home missions Walk-A-Thon. The goal was \$35,000.00. Bro. Henry stated that he believes the goal would be reached. The final count had not been made as of this date.

Bro. Richard Cordell gave the Credential Committee report. It was moved and seconded that this report be accepted. Each item was voted on seperately and all items were approved by the voting body.

Bro. Richard Cordell also gave the Christian Education Board Report. He gave us a report on the Jasper Association Youth Camp. He reported that both the junior and teen camp were successful with souls saved in each camp.

Bro. Henry Gave us the Treasurer's Report, it was moved and approved that this motion be accepted.

THE ANNUAL MEETING

The Annual Meeting of the Jasper Association met at Pocahontas FWB Church on October 6, 1989, at 9:00 A.M. Bro. Dennis Haygood led in singing "Victory In Jesus". Prayer led by William Atkinson.

Welcome by Bro. Sparks of the host church with a response given by the Moderator.

Bro. Shannon Eads gave a devotion from Isaiah 1:21-24. Bro. Dennis Haygood led in the singing of "Heaven's Jubilee".

Rev. Greg Rucker, Pastor of Liberty FWB Church, brought the morning message from Jeremiah 9:1 on the "Dry Eyed Plague".

In the morning business session the General Board was read and action was taken on the items in the report. (see General Board report). Also discussed was the forms for ministers to fill out for licensing and ordination.

Bro. Duane Hughes led in the singing of "Come Unto Me" and "If I Go Anywhere". Bro. Fred Hawkins brought our next message from Matthew 28:18-20 and Proverbs 29:18.

The business session was adjourned for lunch.

AFTERNOON SESSION

The Credentials Committee report was given by Rev. Dennis Haygood and approved by the body.

The Treasurer, Phil Kimbrough gave the Treasurer's report, it was approved by the body.

Linda Silas gave the Ladies Auxiliary Report. The Jasper Association has four Auxilliaries with a total enrollment of 42. She announced that October 23rd there would be a Fall Fellowship Supper at the Liberty FWB Church. Also, she announced that on November 10, at 5:00 p.m. at the Campbell's Restaurant in Florence, there would be a banquet with speaker Bro. Richard Hendrix. Each church was urged to start an Auxiliary if they don't have one.

Bro. Bryan Silas gave the Gideons Report. He read from Isaiah 55 and thanked everyone for their support during the year.

The session was adjourned.

After the break, Bro. Dennis Haygood led in singing "Jesus Saves".

Bro. Calvin Bevans from Calvary FWB Church used I Timothy 4:1-3 and I Timothy 3:1-4 and preached on "Standards for the Minister of the Gospel."

The meeting was adjourned by prayer.

THE ANNUAL MEETING

The Annual Meeting of the Jasper Association met October 7, 1989, at the Winfield FWB Church. Bro. Duane Hughes led the singing of "Joy Unspeakable".

Welcome was given host pastor Fred Hawkins.

A devotion was given by Rev. O.Z. Johnson from Galatians 5:1, on "Liberty".

The morning business started at 9:30 a.m. Brother Richard Cordell gave the Missions Conference Report it was approved by the body. The Missions Conference will be held January 25-29 in 1990.

Bro. Cordell also gave the Christian Education Report. It was approved by the body.

Bro. Cordell then presented the "Minister's Questionnaire", it was discussed and approved on a motion.

Bro. Cordell presented the "Licensed Minister's Guidelines", these were accepted by the body.

Item 13 of the General Board was removed from the table and discussed. The motion changed the meeting to Friday to a preaching only and the Saturday meeting to preaching and business. It was approved by the body.

The Finance Committee was given by Dennis Haygood and approved.

The Youth Camp Board Report was given by Dennis Haygood and Rick Cash. It was approved by the body.

The Obituary Report was read and approved by the body. There was a moment of silence and a prayer for those who had passed away from the churches of the Associations.

Greetings was given by Missionary Dave Franks. He thanked us for the support and encouraged us to pray for his return to the field of Brazil.

At eleven o'clock, Rev. Rick Cash the Pastor of the First FWB Church of Fayette, AL brought the morning message from Hebrews 12:29, "Our God Is A Consuming Fire."

The meeting was adjourned for lunch.

AFTERNOON SESSION

The Cedrom Grove FWB Church invited the 1990 Annual Meeting for the Friday, October 5, meeting.

The Calvary FWB Church invited the 1990 Annual Meeting for the Saturday, October 6 meeting.

A motion was made to give Dave Franks \$100.00, it was approved by the body.

Greetings were given by Rev. Harold Pitts, who was celebrating 51 years in the ministry and founder of the Winfield FWB Church.

Special prayer for Pastor Luther Gibson was led by Bro. Harold Pitts.

A motion was made to give the Trinity Youth Camp \$500.00, it was approved by the body.

A motion was made to create a Retirement Board for the Jasper Association. It was approved by the body and the following men were elected to serve on the

board: Oncal Funderburg, 5 yr. 1994; Hershel Beard, 4 yr. 1993; John Madison 3 yr. 1992; Paul Jaggars, 2 yr. 1991; and Greg Rucker, 1 yr. 1990.

The Annual Session was adjourned by prayer.

GENERAL BOARD REPORT

The General Board Meeting, September 7, 1989 at the Winfield F.W.B. Church. The meeting was called to order by Moderator Bro. Fred Hawkins with 13 members present. The General Board Report was read and approved on a motion. The General Board recommends the following:

1. The Officers of the Association be paid as follows: Moderator sixty-five dollars; Assistant Moderator-twenty dollars; Clerk-one hundred dollars; Assistant Clerk-eighty-five dollars; and Treasurer-one hundred dollars.
2. That each Church send an offering to each Annual Meeting for the Retired Ministers and that each Church support this cause regularly. Also that the money be divided equally between those who are retired at this time.
3. That each Church support regularly the causes of FOREIGN MISSIONS, HOME MISSIONS, CHILDREN'S HOME, FREE WILL BAPTIST BIBLE COLLEGE, SOUTHEASTERN FREE WILL BAPTIST BIBLE COLLEGE, AND HILLSDALE FREE WILL BAPTIST BIBLE COLLEGE.
4. That each Church give to the Youth Camp on a systematic basis.
5. That the quarterly meetings be held; January 27, at the Hamilton FWB Church; March 24, at the Union Hill FWB Church; June 23, at the Mt. Pleasant FWB Church; and October 5-6 at the Cedrom Grove FWB Church for the year 1990.
6. That the Quarterly fee is \$25.00, the Annual fee is \$50.00.
7. That if Churches want more than 10 minutes of the Association, that they request the number with their annual letter at the cost of \$2.00 per copy.
8. That the Jasper Association give \$500.00 to the Pastors and Workers Conference.
9. That each Church use the reporting forms presented by Rev. Dennis Haygood.
10. That we recommend the Nominating Committee's Report.
11. That Bro. Allen Brasseal-Mt Pleasant FWB Church be elected to a five year term on the Nominating Committee.
12. That we send form and resolutions to the Alabama State Association (See pages 6-7 of the 1988 Annual Association Minute).
13. That we present to the body of the Jasper Association to discuss a change of the Annual Meeting from a two day meeting to a one day meeting.
14. That we delete the information on the back of the Minister's Card of Good Standing.
15. That we examine the proposed questionnaires and forms presented by the Credentials Committee.

NOMINATING COMMITTEE REPORT - 9/7/89

We, the Nominating Committee of the General Board of the Jasper Association of Free Will Baptists, do recommend the following individuals for nomination to the offices indicated below:

Moderator	Rev. Tom Scott
Assistant Moderator	Rev. Dennis Haygood
Clerk	Rev. Phil Kimbrough
Assistant Clerk	Bro. Bryan Silas
Treasurer	Bro. Hugh Winsett
State Board Member	Rev. Fred Hawkins
Children's Home Trustee	Rev. James Bradley
C.E. Board-Term to exp. 1994	Bro. Brian Silas
Youth Camp Bd.-Term to exp. 1992	Rev. Dennis Haygood
Credentials Comm.-Term exp. 1994	Rev. Dennis Haygood
Mission Board-Term exp. 1994	Rev. Randy Key
Executive Committee	Rev. John Warren
	Bro. Hugh Winsett
	Bro. Allen Brasseal
	Rev. Carroll Jones
	Bro. Paul Jaggars
Nominating Committee	Bro. Alan Brasseal

Respectfully submitted,
The Nominating Committee

CREDENTIALS COMMITTEE

The Credentials Committee of the Jasper Association met Monday night, October 2nd at First Free Will Baptist Church, Guin and submit the following recommendations.

1. Having examined the following ministers, we recommend them for membership in the Jasper Association and recommend that they be seated as standing delegates with the promise of a letter from their respective association.
 1. Brother Greg Rucker, Pastor of Liberty FWB Church and coming from the Midessa District Association of Texas.
 2. Brother Louie Nix, Pastor of Mt. Pleasant FWB Church and coming from the Vernon Association.
 3. Brother Randall Tice, Pastor of Union Hill FWB Church and coming from the State Line Association.
 4. Brother Greg Stocks, Pastor Union Chapel FWB Church and coming from the Vernon Association.
 5. Brother William E. Atkinson, Member of Mt. Olive FWB Church and coming from the Mt. Moriah Association.
2. We recommend that Brother Wise Holcomb be granted a letter of good standing to the State Line Association.
3. We recommend that Brother John Kruger be granted a letter of good standing to the Delta Central Association in Mississippi.
4. We recommend that Brother Donald Kivette be granted a letter of good standing from Jasper Association to Vernon Association.

FINANCE COMMITTEE REPORT

We have examined the Treasurer's books and found them to be in order. All 19 churches paid the annual dues for a total of \$950.00. Also, there was \$156.75 sent in for Retired Ministers, \$200.00 for Trinity Youth Camp.

Respectfully submitted,
Rev. Calvin Bevans
Hugh M. Winsett

ORDAINED MINISTERS

Ambers Aldridge, 465-9121
James Anderson, P.O. Box 727, Guin, AL 35563
Randall Anderson
William Atkinson, Guin, AL 35563
Robert M. Baines, P.O. Box 553, Guin, AL 35563
Hershel Beard, Rt. 3, Box 407-B, Russellville, AL 35653, 332-5675
Gary Bevan, Fayette, AL 35555, 932-7426
Calvin Bevans, 605½ 13th Street, Jasper, AL 35501, 221-7748
Herbert Bashell, Rt. 2, Box 204, Carbon Hill, AL 35594, 924-9195

James Bradley, Rt. 1, Box 104, Bankston, AL 35542, 689-4102
Richard Cordell, P.O. Box, 553, Guin, AL 35563, 468-3820
Billy J. Edwards, Rt. 4, Box 464, Haleyville, AL 35565, 486-5619
Dave Franks, South America
J.A. Godsey, Rt. 3, Hamilton, AL 35570
Walter Harbin, Sr., Oakman, AL, 622-3984
Fred Hawkins, Box 557-A, Winfield, AL 35594, 487-6992
Dennis Haygood, Rt. 2, Box 376, Guin, AL 35563, 468-2325
R.C. Humphries, Vina, AL 35593
O.Z. Johnson, Hamilton, AL 35570
Trenton Johnson, Rt. 2, Carbon Hill, AL 35549, 924-9218
Carrol Jones, Rt. 2, Box 68-A, Carbon Hill, AL 35549, 924-9278
Randy Key, Carbon Hill, AL 35549, 924-9576
Phil Kimbrough, Rt. 6, Box 11, Hamilton, AL 35570, 921-4428
Ronnie Lawler, P.O. Box 839, Winfield, AL 35594
Trellis Mayhall, Rt. 2 Box 295, Guin, AL 35563, 468-2089
Phillip Miles, Rt. 3, Box 210-BD, Winfield, AL 35549, 487-3621
William Morris, Box 256, Guin, AL 35563, 468-3540
Louie Nix, Rt. 4, Box 138, Hamilton, AL 35570
Greg Rucker, Rt. 2, Box 150, Guin, AL 35563, 468-3262
William A. Sanderson, Rt. 2, Guin, AL 35563, 487-6348
Tom Scott, P.O. Box 457, Red Bay, AL 35593, 356-2425
Walter Sloan, P.O. Box 553, Guin, AL 35563
Elmer Lee Stewart, Phil Campbell, AL 35581, 933-4994
Greg Stocks, Rt. 3, Box 81, Guin, AL 35563, 468-3974
Randall Tice, Rt. 2, Box 315-A, Hamilton, AL 35570, 921-4034
John Warren, Rt. 2, Box 67, Carbon Hill, AL 35549, 924-9373
Steven T. Webb, P.O. Box 982, Guin, AL 35563

CHURCH CLERKS

Bethlehem: Mark Corden, P.O. Box 316, Guin, AL 35563, 468-2063
Brilliant: Vella Dean Dickinson, P.O. Box 343, Brilliant, AL 35548, 465-2456
Cedrom Grove: Helen Tittle, Rt. 2, Box 74, Carbon Hill, AL 35549, 924-9373
Carbon Hill: Joyce Ring, P.O. Box 1014, Carbon Hill, AL 35549, 924-9092
Free Water: Janie Miller, Rt. 2, Guin, AL 35563
Guin: Wilma Palmer, Rt. 3, Box 32, Guin, AL 35563, 468-3660
Gum Springs: Lola Prescott, Rt. 3, Winfield, AL 35594, 465-9461
Hamilton: Barbara Burleson, Rt. 6, Box 231, Hamilton, AL 35570, 921-4395
Liberty: Mrs. Bryan Silas, Rt. 2, Box 151, Guin, AL 35563, 468-2734
Mt. Olive: Clark Flippo, Rt. 1, Box 1149, Guin, AL 35563, 468-3689
Mt. Pleasant: Reba May, Rt. 2, Box 394, Guin, AL 35563, 468-2863
New Liberty: Angie Smith, Rt. 1, Box 135, Bankston, AL 35542, 689-4453
Pocahontas: Bernice Atkins, Rt. 1, Box 88, Carbon Hill, AL 35549, 924-9978
Red Bay: Mrs. Linda Blackburn, Rt. 2, Box 82-D, Vina, AL 35593, 356-9723
Shady Grove: Rose Mary Beard, Rt. 5 Box, 407-B, Russellville, AL 35653
Union Chapel: Ginny Watkins, Rt. 3, Box 120, Fayette, AL 35555, 932-3372
Union Hill: Lucille Anglin, Rt. 2, Box 179, Hackleburg, AL 35564, 935-3795
Winfield: Wayne Overton, Rt. 2, Box 194, Winfield, AL 35594, 487-3330

DEACONS

Bethlehem: Roy Crow, Vance Pollard
Brilliant: Dewey Burleson, Blane Doss, Earl Smith, Rayburn Huguley, Kermit Cagle, R.D. Dickinson
Calvary: Thomas Dozier, Willie Clements
Carbon Hill: Travis Pair
Cedrom Grove: Angelo Boshell
Free Water: Hubbard Estes, Artis Pugh, Douglas Emerson
Gum Springs: Van Westbrook
Hamilton: Lowell Parker, Dewel Emerson, Fray Stone
Guin First: Gary Atkinson, Bill Smith, Bobby Glasgow, Tommy Nix, Charles Knight, Ronald McDonald, Jerry Stephens
Liberty: Earlie Dickinson, Morgan Bozeman, Billy Norris, Don Wilson
Lone Star: Bill Pitts, Kenneth Pounders, Bobby Spearman, Bobby Bostick
Mt. Olive: Edgar Atkinson, Paul Wilson, Haig Wilson, Milton Rhudy
Mt. Pleasant: Alan Atkins, Terry May
New Liberty: Victor Smith, Aaron Wright, David Fowler, Sid Moore
Pocahontas: Jim Hunter, Elbert Nelson, Pete Stewart, Donald Sparks, Gary Sparks, John D. Burkett
Red Bay: J. W. Purser, Ross White, Ralph Purser, Raymond Blackburn, Elmer Self, Robert Newell, Oliver Mink
Shady Grove: Clyde Freeman, Charles Nix
Union Chapel: Alvin Henderson, A. Burgess, John C. White

Union Hill: Paul Jagers, Leburn Hudson, Jerry Anglin, J.D. Jones,
Almon Raburn
Winfield: B.P. Atkinson, Ira Baccus, Garlon Holliman, Bill Overton, Carl
Atkinson

OBITUARY REPORT

We wish to report that God has seen fit to call from our ranks the following,
and we recommend that a minute of silent prayer be given in memory of these.

Brilliant: Ernestine Hunt Allen; Felicia Hulsey

Cedrom Grove: Angela Boshell

Hamilton: O.L. Townley

Mt. Olive: Lizzie May; William Glen Flipppo; Roscoe Lamb; Mintie Evans

Mt. Pleasant: Lois Colley; Minnie Lou Westbrooks; Etta Huguley; Annie Laura
Martin Smith

New Liberty: Ruby Moore; Alfred Atkins

Shady Grove: Ethel Cofield

Union Hill: Almon Rayburn - Deacon

APPRECIATION COMMITTEE

We, the Appreciation Committee would like to give a special thank you to the
two churches, Pocahontas and Winfield Free Will Baptist, for hosting our annual
association. Thank you for the delicious meals you prepared and also for all your
time and efforts spent in making this a time of spiritual blessing.

Respectfully submitted,

Linda Silas, Helen Tittle,

Madge Barker

Mark 9:41

*For whosoever shall give you a cup of water to drink in my name, because
ye belong to Christ, verily I say unto you, he shall not lose his reward.*

WOMAN'S AUXILIARY

Number of Auxiliary reporting - 4

Enrollment - 42

Fall Fellowship, October 23, 1989, 7:00 p.m. to be held at Liberty Church.

Annual Meeting, March, 1990 to be held at Liberty Church. Woman's Aux-
iliary Banquet at Campbell's Restaurant in Florence, Bro. Richard Hendrix guest
speaker. Fall Fellowship, 1990 to be held at Red Bay. Date to be announced.

TRINITY YOUTH CAMP Jasper Free Will Baptist Board of Christian Education June, 1989

Junior Week - June 5-9, 1989

Teen Week - June 12-16, 1989

BALANCE ON HAND.....\$580.72

INCOME:

Registration & Camp Fees

(Junior Week - 75 Campers/Teen Week - 57 Campers).....\$4,457.00

BALANCE ON HAND..... \$5,037.72

EXPENDITURES:

Camp Fee (Junior Week) 87 campers/workers X.34 each day

X 5 days (\$350.00 Camper Fee/\$150.00 Lifeguards) (\$147.90)

75 campers X \$3.00 paper fee = \$225.00.....\$872.90

Camp Fee (Teen Week) 69 campers/workers X .34 each day

X 5 days (\$350.00 Camp Fee/\$150.00 Lifeguards) (\$117.30)

57 campers X \$3.00 paper fee = \$171.00.....\$ 914.36

Food (Junior Week) Food Warehouse & Piggly Wiggly.... 891.71

Food (Teen Week) Food Warehouse & Piggly Wiggly..... 684.28

Cook (Junior Week) Buddy Henry..... 100.00

Cook (Teen Week) Nancy Berryhill..... 100.00

Evangelist David Cox (Honorarium Junior Week)..... 200.00

Evangelist Mickey Kirkland (Honorarium/Teen Week)..... 200.00

Director (Junior Week) Carrol Jones..... 100.00

Director (Teen Week) Bob Baines..... 100.00

Asst. Director (Junior Week) Tom Scott..... 50.00

Asst. Director (Teen Week) Dennis Haygood..... 50.00

Webb's Shell Station (Gas)..... 28.50

Wal-Mart (Supplies/Games & Fun Time)..... 34.53

Guy Stanford (Piano Tuning & Repair)..... 75.00

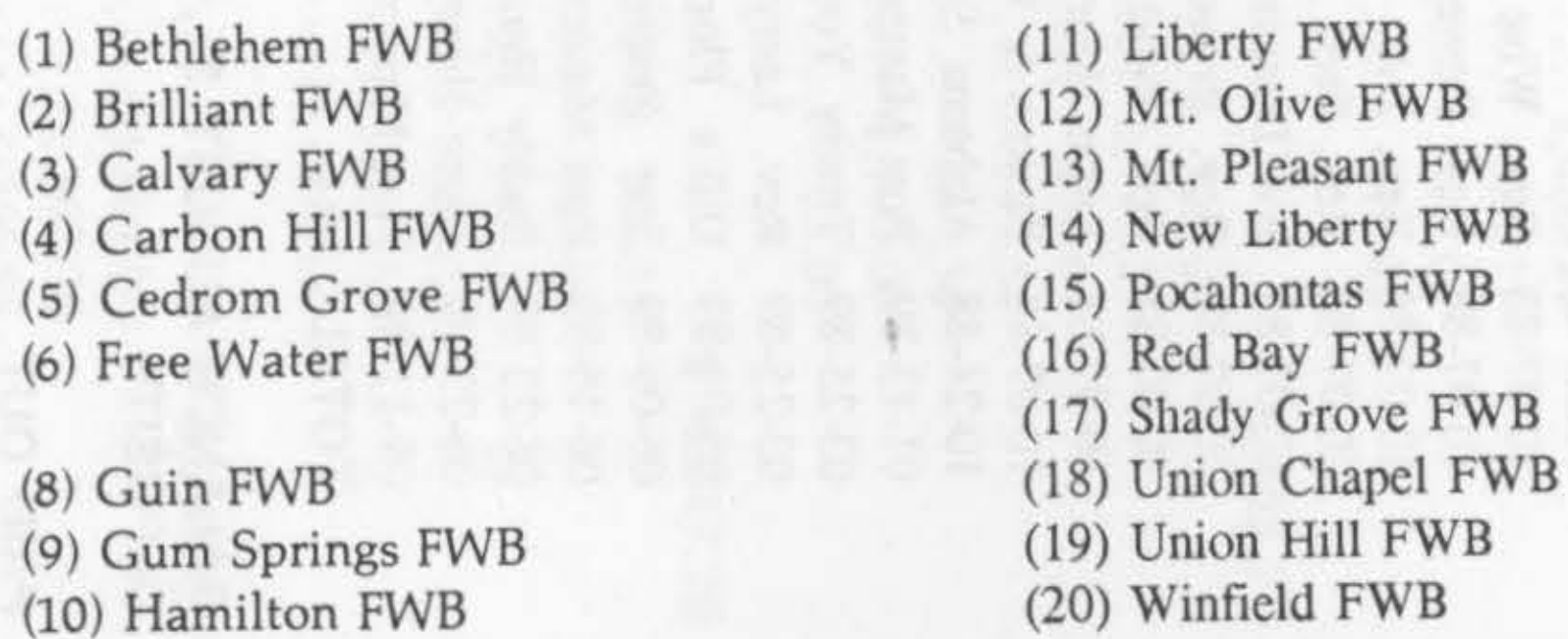
TOTAL EXPENDITURES.....\$4,275.22

BALANCE ON HAND 6/20/89.....\$ 762.50

Presented by:Byran Silas, Walter Sloan, Tom Scott, Carrol Jones

Dr. Richard R. Cordell, Chairman

Board of Christian Education



TREASURER'S REPORT
(August 31, 1988 - August 31, 1989)

BALANCE AUGUST 31, 1988.....\$1,043.64

DEPOSITS:

10-11-88 Annual Dues.....	\$ 1,464.00
10-29-88 Deposit	22.60
02-02-89 Quarterly Dues.....	425.00
03-27-89 Deposit	500.00
05-18-89 Dues and Retirement.....	125.00
06-26-89 Dues	450.00
07-07-89 Dues	25.00
TOTAL	\$3,011.60

PAID OUT:

10-07-88 Rev. Wise Holcomb.....	\$ 104.60
10-07-88 Rev. Dewey Colley.....	104.60
10-07-88 Rev. J.A. Godsey.....	104.60
10-07-88 Rev. Fred Hawkins.....	65.00
10-07-88 Rv. Dennis Haygood.....	20.00
10-07-88 Rev. Bryan Silas.....	85.00
10-07-88 Rev. Buddy Henry.....	100.00
10-07-88 Joyce Henry.....	100.00
10-07-88 Pastors & Workers Conf.....	500.00
10-24-88 Alabama State Dues.....	400.00
01-13-89 Post Master (stamps).....	25.00
03-25-89 Trinity Youth Camp.....	500.00
03-25-89 Rev. Larry Reynolds.....	100.00
05-01-89 Dill's Florist.....	38.01
06-09-89 Star Printing.....	585.40
06-15-89 Post Master (stamps).....	25.00
06-23-89 Buddy Henry (9 months work).....	75.00
06-23-89 Joyce Henry (9 months work).....	75.00
09-11-89 Post Master (stamps).....	25.00
TOTAL	\$3,032.21

BALANCE AUGUST 31,1988.....\$1,043.64

DEPOSITS **\$3,011.60**

TOTAL \$4,055.24

PAID OUT.....-3,032.21

BALANCE AUGUST 31, 1989.....\$1,023.03

Respectfully submitted,
Phil Kimbrough, Clerk

FINANCIAL REPORT
TRINITY FREE WILL BAPTIST CAMP
September 23, 1988 - September 26, 1989

BALANCE BROUGHT FORWARD.....\$ 2,727.95

RECEIPTS: \$ 8,252.28

JASPER ASSOCIATION

Jasper Association (Gift).....	\$ 500.00
Brilliant.....	326.56
Carbon Hill.....	805.00
Cedrom Grove.....	122.27
Free Water.....	320.00
Liberty	35.00
Mt. Olive.....	2,300.00
New Liberty.....	355.00
Pocahontas	1,483.34
Red Bay.....	586.11
Union Hill.....	500.00
Winfield	919.00

PROGRESSIVE ASSOCIATION

\$ 5,403.77

Cordova	\$ 225.00
Fayette	2,778.29
Harmony.....	158.64
Jasper	719.54
Pleasant Grove.....	367.30
South Highland.....	1,100.00
Victory	55.00

VERNON ASSOCIATION

\$ 4,047.75

Belk	\$ 744.25
Mt. Harmony.....	341.00
Piney Grove.....	512.25
Springfield	900.00
Sulligent	1,215.00
C.E. Board.....	335.25

OTHER

\$ 9,747.62

Camp Fees: Jasper Association.....	\$1,661.20
Progressive Association.....	1,868.20
Vernon Association.....	1,366.96
Retreat - Spring Spectacular.....	170.00
Martin Reunion.....	165.00

Alabama State Woman's Auxiliary.....	20.00
Vernon - Paper Products for 1988.....	325.00
Rent on Sno-Cone & Pop-Corn Machine.....	30.00
Individuals - Air Conditioner.....	75.00
General Insurance (Refund).....	435.00
New Centerpoint Church.....	725.00
Concessions	2,906.26

LOAN

\$10,000.00

TOTAL.....\$40,179.37

TOTAL TO BE ACCOUNTED FOR

\$40,179.37

EXPENDITURES

Electric	\$ 2,738.82
Water	741.63
Telephone.....	927.53
Gas	33.50
Camp Insurance.....	3,508.00
Camper Medical Insurance.....	936.36
Pest Control.....	150.00
Appreciation Supper, Bd. Expense, Meals, etc.	1,042.59
Postage	121.60
Office Supplies/Bank Charges.....	252.52
Repair and Upkeep.....	974.72
Paper Products.....	964.51
Lifeguard	900.00
Pool Chemicals.....	519.20
Renovation	2,231.72
Promotional Products.....	2,555.42
Concession	1,018.31
Fees	70.00
Air Conditioner & Heating Units.....	10,325.00
Electrical Work.....	498.61
Roof - Dining Hall.....	3,051.29
Loan Payment.....	5,300.97
Transfer to Savings.....	987.86

\$39,850.16

BALANCE IN BANK AS OF SEPTEMBER 26, 1989

\$ 329.21

Secretary/Treasurer
Dennis Haygood

CHURCH COVENANT

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

ARTICLES OF FAITH

1. The Bible. The Scriptures of the Old and New Testaments were given by inspiration of God, and are our infallible rule of faith and practice.

II Timothy 3:16-17 and II Peter 1:18-21

2. God. There is one living and true God, revealed in nature as the Creator, Preserver, and Righteous Governor of the universe; and in the Scriptures as Father, Son, and Holy Ghost; yet as one God, infinitely wise and good, whom all intelligent creatures are supremely to love, adore, and obey.

Deut. 6:4; Gen. 1:1; Neh. 9:6; Ps. 47:7; Ex. 34:14

3. Christ. Christ is God manifest in the flesh; in His divine nature truly God, in His human nature truly man. The mediator between God and man, once crucified, He is now risen and glorified, and is our ever present Saviour and Lord.

John 1:14; Hebrews 4:15

4. The Holy Spirit. The Scriptures assign to the Holy Spirit all the attributes of God.

Heb. 9:14; Ps. 139:7-10; Luke 1:35; I Cor. 2:10,11

5. The Government of God. God exercises a wise and benevolent providence over all beings and all things by maintaining the constitution and laws of nature. He also performs special acts, not otherwise provided for, as the highest welfare of men requires.

Acts 17:28; Ephesians 1:11

6. The sinfulness of Man. Man was Created innocent, but by disobedience fell into a state of sin and condemnation. His prosperity, therefore, inherits a fallen nature of such tendencies that all who come to years of accountability, sin and become guilty before God.

Genesis 2:7; Psalms 51:5; Ephesians 2:3

7. The Work of Christ. The Son of God by His incarnation life, sufferings, death and resurrection effected for all a redemption from sin that is full and free, and is the ground of salvation by faith.

John 3:16

8. The Terms of Salvation. The conditions of salvation are: (1) Repentance of sincere sorrow for sin and hearty renunciation of it. (2) Faith or the unreserved committal of one's self to Christ as Saviour and Lord with purpose to love and obey Him in all things. In the exercise of saving faith, the soul is renewed by the Holy Spirit, freed from the dominion of sin, and becomes a child of God. (3) Continuance in faith and obedience until death.

Luke 13:5; Ephesians 2:8; II Peter 1:4-10

9. Election. God determined from the beginning to save all who should comply with the conditions of Salvation. Hence by faith in Christ men become His elect.

John 3:16

10. Freedom of Will. The human will is free and self-controlled, having power to yield to the influence of the truth and the Spirit, or to resist them and perish.

Deut. 30:19; John 5:40

11. Salvation Free. God desires the salvation of all, the Gospel invites all, the Holy Spirit strives with all, and whosoever will may come and take of the water of life freely.

I Timothy 2:4; II Peter 3:9; Rev. 22:17

12. Perseverance. All believers in Christ, who through grace persevere in holiness to the end of life, have promise of eternal salvation.

Rev. 8:38-39; II Peter 1:10

13. Gospel Ordinances. Baptism, or the immersion of believers in water, and the Lord's Supper, are ordinances to be perpetuated under the Gospel. Feet Washing, an ordinance teaching humility, is of universal obligation, and is to be ministered to all true believers.

Matthew 28:19; I Cor. 11:23-26; St. John 13:4-17

14. Tithing. God commanded tithes and offerings in the Old Testament; Jesus Christ endorsed it in the Gospel [Matthew 23:23], and the apostle Paul said, "Upon the first day of the week let everyone of you lay by him in store, as God hath prospered him" [I Cor. 16:2a.]

15. The Christian Sabbath. The divine law requires that one day in seven be set apart from secular employments and amusements, for rest, worship, holy works, and activities, and for personal communion with God.

Genesis 2:3; Luke 24:1-6; Acts 20:7

16. Resurrection, Judgement and Final Retribution. The Scriptures teach the resurrection of all men at the last day. They that have done good will come forth to the resurrection of life, and they that have done evil unto the resurrection of damnation; then the wicked will "go away into eternal punishment, but the righteous into eternal life."

John 5:28-29; Acts 17:31; II Cor. 5:10

CONSTITUTION OF THE JASPER ASSOCIATION OF FREE WILL BAPTISTS

ARTICLE I NAME

This body shall be known as the Jasper Association of Free Will Baptists of Alabama.

ARTICLE II MEMBERSHIP

SECTION I. The membership of the Jasper Association shall consist of all churches that, upon the approval of this body, shall become members.

SECTION II. A local church that wishes to become a member of this Association must adopt the National Treaties and make formal written request. A two-thirds vote of the delegates present must be recorded for acceptance into this Association.

ARTICLE III REPRESENTATION

Each church holding membership in this Association shall be entitled to three (3) delegates. Ordained ministers and deacons who are in good standing with this Association and members of the General Board shall be standing delegates.

ARTICLE IV OFFICERS

The officers of the Jasper Association shall be a moderator, an assistant moderator, a clerk, an assistant clerk, and a treasurer each of whom shall be elected at the close of the annual session.

ARTICLE V BOARDS

SECTION I. General Board (a) Composition. The General Board shall be composed of the moderator, assistant moderator, clerk, assistant clerk, treasurer, and one member from each local church that is a part of this body. Each member from a local church shall serve a two year term with one-half of the members being elected each year. (b) Executive committee. An Executive Committee shall consist of the moderator, assistant moderator, clerk, treasurer and five (5) members from the General Board. These five members shall be elected annually by the General Board. This committee shall function as the General Board when said Board is not in session. (c) Duties. The General Board shall formulate all items of general business during the annual session of the Association, as well as other responsibilities so delegated by the body. When this Association is not in session, this Board shall have power to act as the body.

SECTION II. Board of Christian Education. The Board of Christian Education shall consist of five (5) members. Each member shall serve for a five (5) year term with one term expiring each year.

SECTION III. Board of Directors of the North West Alabama Free Will Baptist Youth Camp. This Association shall be represented to the Board of Directors of the North West Alabama Free Will Baptist Youth Camp by three (3) members. Each member shall serve a term of three (3) years with one term expiring each year.

SECTION IV. Mission Board. The Mission Board shall consist of five (5) members. Each member shall serve for a five (5) year term with one term expiring each year. The Mission Board's responsibilities will be to help set up mission conferences and to promote Foreign and Home Missions in the Jasper Association.

ARTICLE VI STANDING COMMITTEE

SECTION I. Credentials Committee. The Credentials Committee shall consist of five (5) persons with the senior member in point of service replaced each year. Recommendations for replacement shall come from the General Board. It shall be the responsibility of this committee to examine all letters coming to this body from churches and other associations, as well as, all ministerial reports. This committee shall also examine all ministers who become a part of this body whether by ordination or by letter. It is expected that all ministers coming from other associations will present letters of recommendation; however, in some cases the committee may see fit to recommend the acceptance of such persons who have not yet received such letters. Any item of

business pertaining to ministers or conduct of ministers should be presented first to this committee. Business matters handled by this committee may be referred to the Association or to the General Board.

SECTION II. The moderator of this Association shall be an ex-officio member of all boards and committees.

ARTICLE VII MEETINGS

SECTION I. This Association shall meet annually on Friday and Saturday before the first Sunday in October at places determined at the previous session; and shall not adjourn finally until all business is transacted.

SECTION II. The associational year shall end on August 31st and all letters to the Association should be mailed to the clerk no later than the third (3rd) Sunday in September of each year.

SECTION III. There shall be three (3) quarterly meetings during each associational year. The annual meeting of the Association shall take the place at the fourth (4th) quarterly meeting.

SECTION IV. The officers of the Jasper Association shall serve as the officers of the Quarterly Meeting.

ARTICLE VIII ORDINATION OF MINISTERS AND DEACONS

SECTION I. Any man who becomes convinced that the Lord has called him to preach the gospel shall be licensed by the church of which he is a member. (The church should contact the Credentials Committee for a copy of "Guidelines for Licensed Ministers"). If, after a period of one (1) full year, he has been called to an approved work such as pastor, assistant pastor, youth minister, full-time evangelism, or missionary work, he may then be examined by the responsible ones of this body to determine his worthiness for ordination. The local church, of which he is a member, must be able to show proof of his worthiness as to his character, doctrine, ability, sincerity, and desire. If, after having been examined, he then be found worthy, he shall be ordained by this Association. All ordinations to the ministry must be approved at the annual session or at a quarterly meeting of the Jasper Association.

If, after the period of one (1) full year has expired, the licensee has not been called to an approved work, his license may then be renewed each year or until he has been called to an approved work. No one may be ordained who has not been called to an approved work.

SECTION II. Candidates for ordination to the ministry shall present their request for ordination to the Credentials Committee, (using forms prepared and approved by this body), at least by the time of the last regular meeting prior to the ordination date requested.

SECTION III. Preachers coming to us from other Free Will Baptist Associations shall present their requests for membership to the Credentials Committee at any quarterly meeting or annual session and said requests may be acted upon at that session.

SECTION IV. Preachers coming to us from other denominations shall present their requests to the Credentials Committee at any quarterly meeting or annual session. Such requests shall be acted upon at the time of the following regular meeting be it quarterly meeting or annual session.

SECTION V. All ministers are required to report yearly to the Credentials Committee of this body by presenting their cards to the Associational Clerk. Such report shall be for year beginning September 1st and ending August 31st, and shall be due at the annual session in October. Any minister who fails to comply shall not be issued a card of good standing.

SECTION VI. Each church shall have the right to select and ordain all deacons who serve in such church. The ordaining council shall consist of two ordained ministers and at least one deacon, or one ordained minister and at least two deacons.

ARTICLE IX DISCIPLINE

SECTION I. This body shall be considered an advisory council having no authority over the internal affairs of any local church unless said church depart from the Articles of Faith or from the National Treatise. Whenever conditions warrant it, this Association shall have power to withdraw fellowship from any local church.

SECTION II. Any church being dealt with because of a disciplinary problem shall represent to the quarterly meeting and annual session by letter and fees, but shall not have the right to vote by delegates, standing or otherwise, until the matter is settled. Exception: Any minister who is a member of such church but is ministering to another church that is in good standing with the Association shall not be so penalized.

SECTION III. All questions of doctrine and all matters pertaining to a local church, or to an individual minister or group of ministers, shall be decided by a two-thirds vote of this Association.

SECTION IV. No minister whose conduct is being questioned by this Association shall have the right to vote in either the quarterly meeting or annual session.

SECTION V. The pastor who preaches the word of God, ministers to the needs of the members, and exercises general leadership within the congregation is expected to unite with the local church if he is not a member when called . . . "When the minister becomes pastor to a given local church, it is his responsibility to obtain good standing in the association of which that church is a member if he is not already in good standing therein." (A Treatise of the Faith and Practices of the Original Free Will Baptists, 1973, 50 A; Page 59B.)

SECTION VI. No church shall accept as members those who have not been baptized by an ordained minister.

ARTICLE X AMENDMENTS

This Constitution may be amended at any annual session of this association by a two-thirds vote of delegates present, provided proposed amendment is presented in writing, read one day, placed on the table, and acted upon the following day.

RULES OF DECORUM

1. This Association shall be called to order by the moderator and presided over by officers elected at the previous annual session.
2. The association shall be opened and closed by singing and prayer.
3. The names of delegates shall be noted and referred to as often as is necessary.
4. The moderator shall not be entitled to a vote except in case of a tie and then he shall give the deciding vote. He shall be entitled to speak on any subject after others have spoken, provided someone else serves as moderator while he speaks.
5. Only one person shall speak at a time and he shall arise and address the moderator, and after recognition by the moderator, he shall proceed.
6. No person shall be interrupted while speaking unless he shall depart from the subject under discussion or use words of personal reflection.
7. No person will be allowed to speak more than twice on the same subject without permission from the moderator nor more than five (5) minutes at a time.
8. No person shall laugh or talk in a disturbing manner while discussion is going on.
9. No delegate shall absent himself from the association without leave of the moderator.
10. Any minister absent from the annual session of this association for two years in succession shall be dropped from the roll of ministers. Exception: Full-time evangelists or Missionaries serving in other states or countries, students who are attending college, those serving in the armed forces.
11. These Rules of Decorum may be amended at any annual session of this association by a two-thirds vote of delegates present, provided proposed amendment is presented in writing, read one day, placed on the table, and acted upon the following day.

GUIDELINES FOR RETIRED MINISTERS TO BE ELIGIBLE FOR SUPPORT FROM JASPER ASSOCIATION

1. That the local church present in writing to the association a recommendation of the minister involved, stating his qualifications for support.
2. The proposed minister must have served in the Jasper Association for at least a total of ten (10) years as pastor of affiliated churches.
3. The proposed minister would be at least sixty-five (65) years of age or totally disable.

GUIDELINES FOR LICENSED MINISTERS IN THE JASPER ASSOCIATION

I. RULES PERTAINING TO THE LICENSED MINISTER

A. Qualifications for the Licensee

1. He must be a member of a church which belongs to the Jasper Association.
2. He must give evidence to his church that he is divinely called to preach, whereupon the local church is authorized to examine him for license. This examination should include the areas of the candidate's life, doctrine, reputation, and his convictions and abilities regarding the work of the ministry. His present and prospective educational qualifications should also be considered. Upon completion of such an examination, the local church shall determine whether or not to grant license. The ministerial license shall be valid for a period of one year but is renewable annually.
3. He must have his license renewed annually by said church and kept in force until ordination.

B. The Activities of the Licensee

1. According to the general practices of Free Will Baptists, a licensed minister is urged to afford himself of every opportunity to preach the word. He is free to exercise all the privileges and responsibilities of an ordained minister with the exception of officiating at the observances of the ordinances and weddings.
2. The licensee should consider the period between his receiving license and being ordained as a time of study and training in preparation for his calling.

C. His Relationship to the Association

1. The clerk of the church should report the names of licensed ministers to the clerk of the Association who will forward a copy of these guidelines to each licensee.
2. Licensed ministers are expected to attend regular meetings of the Jasper Association and the Quarterly Meetings.

II. SUGGESTIONS FOR PREPARATION FOR ORDINATION

- A. Attend Free Will Baptist Colleges or Bible Institutes if possible.
- B. Seek the counsel of experienced pastors.
- C. Make as thorough a study as possible of the following:
 1. The Holy Bible
 2. Free Will Baptist Doctrine
 3. Systematic Theology
 4. Homiletics
 5. Pastoral Theology and Church Administration
 6. Evangelism
 7. Church History (especially FWB history)

III. SUGGESTED SCHEUDLE OF WORK LEADING TO ORDINATION

A. As soon as licensee feels that he is qualified to become a candidate for ordination, he should request a list of study questions from the Credentials Committee of the Association. We would strongly encourage him to proceed with his examination before entertaining a definite call to a church.

B. At least two months before the Credentials Committee meets, he should secure the examination. He should make five copies of the completed examination (one for each member of the Committee), and send them to the Credentials Committee no later than two months before its meeting.

C. The candidate is required to pass an oral examination administered by the Committee.

D. The Committee will report to the candidate on whether he passed or what areas he may need additional study in.

E. When the approved candidate has passed the examination, the Committee will recommend his ordination to the Association. This recommendation will be made only after the candidate has been licensed for one full year. It is recommended that the candidate have definite prospects of a church pastorate or another form of Christian service that would justify his being ordained.

FORM OF CHURCH COVENANT

We, the Free Will Baptist Church in Christ, at _____
after divine service by Rev. _____ met in conference.

1. Opened doors of church for reception of members.
2. Called for reading of minutes of last conference.
3. Called for peace and fellowship of the church.
4. General business.
5. On motion of adjournment, we _____

Rev. _____ Moderator

Bro. _____ Clerk

FORM OF LETTER OF DISMISSION STATE OF ALABAMA

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

We, the Free Will Baptist Church at _____
do certify that Bro. _____ is a member of
our church in full fellowship, and is hereby given this letter of
recommendation.