

MINUTES

46TH ANNUAL SESSION - 2007

**KANSAS
STATE ASSOCIATION OF
FREE WILL BAPTISTS**

Meeting at the

**First Free Will Baptist Church
Wichita, Kansas**

on

June 7, 8, and 9, 2007

**NEXT SESSION WILL CONVENE WITH THE
WELLINGTON FREE WILL BAPTIST CHURCH
WELLINGTON, KANSAS
JUNE 5, 6, & 7, 2008**

KANSAS STATE ASSOCIATION OF FREE WILL BAPTISTS

PERSONNEL

June 2007 to June 2008

OFFICERS

Moderator.....Rev. Zane Brooks
Asst. Moderator.....Rev. Doug Mingus
Clerk.....Bro. James O. Brewer
Asst. Clerk.....Sis. Judy Sprout
Treasurer.....Sis. Linda Lee
Asst. Treasurer.....Sis. Judy Sprout

OTHER POSITIONS

Promotional Director.....Bro. Ray Hubbard
Asst. Promotional Director.....Bro. Jason Bruns

EXECUTIVE BOARD

3-Year Term.....Rev. Josh Bush
2-Year Term.....Bro. James O. Brewer
1-Year Term.....Rev. Randy Harris

MISSION BOARD

3-Year Term.....Rev. Zane Brooks
2-Year Term.....Rev. Wayne Bookout
1-Year Term.....Bro. Louis Oelke

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION BOARD

5-Year Term.....Rev. Tim Stringer
4-Year Term.....Sis. Janet Warden
3-Year Term.....Bro. Robert E. Lee
2-Year Term.....Bro. James O. Brewer
1-Year Term.....Sis. Charlotte Brooks

ASSOCIATIONAL REPRESENTATIVE

General Board Member (2007-2008).....Rev. Zane Brooks

AUDITING COMMITTEE

Rev. Robert Franklin (Ch.), Bro. Robert E. Lee, and Rev. Tim Stringer

PUBLIC MORALS COMMITTEE

Sis. Janet Warden (Ch.), Sis. Ashton Harris, and Sis. Charlotte Brooks

ASSOCIATIONAL PROCEEDINGS

June 7, 2007 – Thursday Night Service – 7:30 p.m.

Association called to order: James O. Brewer, Clerk

Prayer: Rev. Wayne Bookout, First Free Will Baptist Church, Wellington, Kansas

Congregational Song: "I'll Fly Away" and "Something About That Name"

Rejoice Ministry Team from Free Will Baptist Bible College, Nashville, Tennessee
(Jered Martin, Casey Deel, Tiffany Johnson, Kera Zint, David Gibson, Shane Huey, Chad
Danduran & Bryce Mims)

Recognition of Kansas Churches:

Bethel (Kansas City)	2
Sunrise (Emporia)	2
Topeka.....	4
Wellington.....	9
Wichita	6
Visitors	<u>15</u>

Total..... 38

Welcome: Rev. Josh Bush, Pastor, First Free Will Baptist Church, Wichita, Kansas

Offering received (\$64.00)

Special Music:

"Rejoice Ministry Team" from Free Will Baptist Bible College in Nashville, Tennessee –
"Beyond the Cross"

Message: Rev. John F. Meade, Pastor, Southwest Free Will Baptist Church, Columbus, Ohio

Psalm 121:1-2 "Help for a Distressful Time"

Upper Room Experience – Acts 1 and 2

- They showed up—went to prayer meeting
- They prayed up
- They filled up (Acts 2:2, Ephesians 5:18-20)
- Peter stood up
- Peter spoke up
- Start doing things with your heart, not your head.

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Appointment of Committee on Committees: Rev. Wayne Bookout, Ch., Rev. Doug Mingus, and Rev. Josh Bush

Announcements

Benediction and blessing on refreshments: Rev. Doug Mingus, Pastor, First Free Will Baptist Church, Topeka, Kansas

June 8, 2007 – Friday Morning Proceedings – 9:00 a.m.

Presiding: Rev. Josh Bush, First Free Will Baptist Church, Wichita

Prayer: Randy Cooley, First Free Will Baptist Church, Wichita

Congregational Song: "Family of God"

Rejoice Ministry Team from Free Will Baptist Bible College, Nashville, Tennessee

Recognition of Visitors:

Rev. David Williford, Director of Institutional Advancement, Free Will Baptist Bible College, Nashville, Tennessee

Rev. Roy Harris, Executive Administrator, Executive Office, National Association of Free Will Baptists, Nashville, Tennessee

Greetings and oral report from National Executive Office, Nashville, Tennessee, by Rev. Roy Harris

Moderator's Message: Rev. Zane Brooks, State Moderator and Pastor, Wellington Free Will Baptist Church, Wellington, Kansas

I Kings 7:21 "Two Pillars"

- Beautiful and Ornate
- Hollow – we need to be hollowed out for the Holy Spirit to dwell in us.
- Jachin – on right side – means "established or stability" Faithfulness to God's Word, Church, Prayer
- Boaz – on left side – means "Strength" Only way to have strength is in Jesus
- To have the peace and presence of God you must come through the pillars of stability and strength.
- We need a personal revival from God.

Invitation

Reading of the Quarterly Conference letters. MMS&C to accept the letters and seat the Quarterly Conference delegates and the local delegates.

Partial Committee on Committees Report given (all but Public Morals Committee), MMS&C to approve the report.

Prayer: Rev. David Williford, Director of Institutional Advancement, Free Will Baptist Bible College, Nashville, Tennessee

June 8, 2007 – Friday Morning Worship Service – 11:00 a.m.

Presiding: Rev. Wayne Bookout, Wellington Free Will Baptist Church, Wellington, Kansas

Recognition of Visitors:

Rev. Bill Evans, Director of Free Will Baptist Foundation, Nashville, Tennessee

John Brummett, Business Manager, Free Will Baptist Board of Retirement, Nashville, Tennessee

Prayer: Bro. Randy Cooley, First Free Will Baptist Church, Wichita, Kansas

Congregational Song: "I Have Decided to Follow Jesus" and "Trust and Obey"
Rejoice Ministry Team from Free Will Baptist Bible College, Nashville, Tennessee

Offering received (\$52.00)

Special Music:

"Rejoice Ministry Team" from Free Will Baptist Bible College in Nashville, Tennessee –
"He Knows My Name"

Chad Danduran, First Free Will Baptist Church, Wellington, Kansas, and member of
"Rejoice Ministry Team" from Free Will Baptist Bible College in Nashville, Tennessee –
"Through It All"

Moment of silence and prayer in memory of Rev. Clifford Ball, former pastor of Bethel Free Will Baptist Church in Kansas City, Kansas

Message: Rev. John F. Meade, Pastor, Southwest Free Will Baptist Church, Columbus, Ohio
Exodus 5:1-2, Psalm 121:1-2 "Who is the Lord?"
• Christians have a Lord

- He is a Creator
- He calls and cleanses us
- He is the Lord alone
- He is everywhere
- He will speak to us
- He will come, we will be called out and go up

Invitation

Benediction: Sis. Janet Warden, Bethel Free Will Baptist Church, Kansas City, Kansas

June 8, 2007 – Friday Afternoon Proceedings – 1:30 p.m.

Presiding: Rev. Randy Harris, Sunrise Free Will Baptist Church, Emporia, Kansas

Prayer: Rev. Tim Stringer, Faith Free Will Baptist Church, Salina, Kansas

Congregational Song: "Stand Up for Jesus"

Rejoice Ministry Team from Free Will Baptist Bible College, Nashville, Tennessee

Greetings, oral report, and brochure handed out from Free Will Baptist International Missions Department by Rev. Barry Simpson

Greetings, brochure handed out, and oral report from Free Will Baptist Bible College by Rev. David Williford, Director of Institutional Advancement, Nashville, Tennessee.

Greetings and oral report from Hillsdale Free Will Baptist College, Moore, Oklahoma, by Rev. Craig Shaw, Vice President of Academic Affairs.

Greetings and oral report from the Free Will Baptist Foundation by Rev. Bill Evans, Director, Nashville, Tennessee

Greetings, oral report, and information packet handed out from the Free Will Baptist Board of Retirement by Bro. John Brummitt, Business Manager, Nashville, Tennessee

Executive Board Report read. MMS&C to approve the report.

Christian Education Board Reports handed out from Janet Warden, Charlotte Brooks, and James O. Brewer. MMS&C to approve the reports.

Public Morals Committee Report read and copies made available. MMS&C to approve the report.

Rev. Casey Whiteis' letter of resignation from the Christian Education Board was read. MMS&C to approve the letter.

June 8, 2007 – Friday Evening Service – 7:30 p.m.

Presiding: Rev. Tim Stringer, Pastor, Faith Free Will Baptist Church, Salina, Kansas

Prayer: Rev. Zane Brooks, State Moderator and Pastor, Wellington Free Will Baptist Church, Wellington

Congregational Song: "Praise Him, Praise Him" and "Victory in Jesus"

Rejoice Ministry Team from Free Will Baptist Bible College, Nashville, Tennessee

Recognition of Visitors/First Time Attendees:

Offering received (\$89.00)

Offertory Guitar Solo – Bro. Jared Martin, Rejoice Ministry Team from Free Will Baptist Bible College, Nashville, Tennessee

Congregational Song: "A Hill called Mount Calvary"

Rejoice Ministry Team from Free Will Baptist Bible College, Nashville, Tennessee

Special Music:

"Rejoice Ministry Team" from Free Will Baptist Bible College in Nashville, Tennessee –
"My Life Is In Your Hands" and "When I Think About the Lord"

Message: Rev. John F. Meade, Pastor, Southwest Free Will Baptist Church, Columbus, Ohio
Psalm 23 "My Personal Lord"

- David's view of his Lord; He is my Shepherd in the valley.
- The Shepherd knows the sheep and the sheep know the Shepherd
- He talks to the Great Shepherd: Thou art with me
- He was faithful to take care of the sheep and the great Shepherd takes care of him
- He is not afraid because the great Shepherd protects and comforts.

Invitation

Announcements

Benediction: Rev. Randy Harris, Sunrise Free Will Baptist Church, Emporia, Kansas

June 9, 2007 – Saturday Morning Proceedings – 9:00 a.m.

Presiding: Rev. Zane Brooks, Wellington Free Will Baptist Church, Wellington, Kansas

Prayer: Rev. Josh Bush, First Free Will Baptist Church, Wichita, Kansas

Congregational Song: "Just Over In The Glory Land"

Rejoice Ministry Team from Free Will Baptist Bible College, Nashville, Tennessee

Recognition of Visitors:

Business Committee Report given. MMS&C to approve the report.

Auditing Committee Report given. MMS&C to approve the report.

Obituary Committee Report given. MMS&C to approve the report and grant the request.

Registration Report given. MMS&C to approve the report.

Nominating Committee Report given. MMS&C to approve the report and proceed to elect.

MMS&C to elect the following as delegates to the National Association (Donna Brewer, Wanda Pohl, Jennifer Bush, Ashton Harris, and Wendy Mingus) and give the Moderator, Zane Brooks authority to appoint alternates as necessary.

Remaining Committee on Committees Report given (Public Morals Committee). MMS&C to approve the report

State Treasurer's Report given. MMS&C to accept the report.

Kansas State Home Missions Treasurer's Report given. MMS&C to approve the report.

Kansas State Home Missions Board Report given. MMS&C to approve the report.

Letter to the National Association read. MMS&C to approve the letter.

MMS&C to approve \$300.00 to Rev. John Meade toward travel expenses.

Minutes read thus far. MMS&C to approve.

MMS&C to give \$500 to Free Will Baptist Bible College for travel expenses for the Rejoice Ministry Team

Announcements:

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| July 8-11 | Revival Services at First Free Will Baptist Church in Wichita with Rev. Jeremy Howell. |
| June 11-13 | Revival Services at Bethel Free Will Baptist Church in Kansas City, Kansas, with Rev. John Meade. |
| July 2-6 | Youth Camp |
| June 23 | First Kansas Quarterly Conference and Leadership Seminar at the First Free Will Baptist Church in Wichita |

MMS&C to adjourn the business session.

Dismissed in prayer by Rev. Doug Mingus, Pastor, First Free Will Baptist Church, Topeka, Kansas.

June 9, 2007 – Saturday Morning Worship Service – 11:00 a.m.

Presiding: Rev. Doug Mingus, First Free Will Baptist Church, Topeka, Kansas

Prayer: Rev. Robert Franklin, Bethel Free Will Baptist Church, Kansas City, Kansas

Congregational Song: "Majesty" and "Blessed Assurance"

Rejoice Ministry Team from Free Will Baptist Bible College, Nashville, Tennessee

Offering received (\$47.00)

Offertory Guitar Solo – Bro. Jared Martin, Rejoice Ministry Team from Free Will Baptist Bible College, Nashville, Tennessee – "Just Over in the Glory Land"

Special Music:

"Rejoice Ministry Team" from Free Will Baptist Bible College in Nashville, Tennessee –
"My Life is in Your Hand" and When I Think About the Lord"

Message: Rev. John F. Meade, Pastor, Southwest Free Will Baptist Church, Columbus, Ohio
Jeremiah 3:15 "Pastors According to God's Heart"

- The greatest ability of a pastor is leadership
- Pastor must be called, qualified, and placed by God
- Gives passion of Philip (souls to be won, church, pastor, etc.)
- Gives the power and infilling of Holy Spirit like Peter.
- Gives persistence – be too stubborn to change God's plan, like Paul.
- Gives reward like John. Rewards are out of this world.
- A quitter cannot win and a winner will not quit.

Invitation

Announcements

Special time of prayer for the Ulysses Church

Dismissed in prayer by Rev. Doug Mingus, Pastor, First Free Will Baptist Church, Topeka, Kansas

ASSOCIATIONAL REPORTS

COMMITTEE ON COMMITTEES REPORT

We, the Committee on Committees, recommend the following:

Nominating Committee:	Rev. Josh Bush, Ch. Bro. Jim Brewer Rev. Wayne Bookout
Business Committee:	Rev. Doug Mingus, Ch. Bro. Randy Cooley Rev. Randy Harris
Public Morals Committee:	Sis. Janet Warden, Ch. Sis. Ashton Harris Sis. Charlotte Brooks
Obituary Committee:	Sis. Donna Brewer, Ch. Sis. Judy Sprout Sis. Wanda Bookout
Auditing Committee:	Rev. Bob Franklin, Ch. Bro. Robert E. Lee Rev. Tim Stringer

Signed: Wayne Bookout, Josh Bush, and Doug Mingus

OBITUARY COMMITTEE:

In the past year, five Free Will Baptist saints were called home to be with the Lord. Those promoted to their glory were:

Rev. Clifford Ball – Bethel Free Will Baptist Church, Kansas City, Kansas
Donna Anderson – Faith Free Will Baptist Church, Salina, Kansas
Sharon Brown – Faith Free Will Baptist Church, Salina, Kansas
Charles Rothfuss – First Free Will Baptist Church, Topeka, Kansas
Opal Teague – First Free Will Baptist Church, Wichita, Kansas

Let us rise in honor of these men and women, praise God for their lives, and pray for their bereaved family and friends.

Respectfully submitted (signed): Donna Brewer, Judy Sprout, and Wanda Bookout

REGISTRATION REPORT:

Out of State Visitors.....	16
Kansas Ordained Ministers.....	7
Kansas Licensed Ministers.....	0
Kansas Ordained Deacons	2
Elected Delegates.....	11
Kansas Free Will Baptists & Visitors	20

Total 56

AUDITING COMMITTEE REPORT:

We, the Auditing Committee, have examined the State Treasurer, Christian Education Board, and Home Mission Board financial records and have found them to be in order.

Signed: Rev. Robert F. Franklin and Robert E. Lee

BUSINESS COMMITTEE REPORT:

Business Committee Report to the 46th Annual Session, 2007 Kansas State Association of Free Will Baptists Meeting at the First Free Will Baptist Church, Wichita, Kansas, on June 7-9, 2007.

The Business Committee met and recommends the following:

1. The 2009 session be held at the Sunrise Free Will Baptist Church, Emporia, Kansas
2. An honorarium of \$500 be given to our speaker, Rev. John Meade, as well as his hotel expenses be reimbursed by the State Association.
3. \$200.00 be given to the 2007 General Board Member to the National Association.
4. The Executive Board be authorized to adjust the location of the 2008 meeting as needed.
5. A standing vote of thanks be given to the host church for their hospitality.

Respectfully submitted: Pastor Doug Mingus, Pastor Randy Harris, and Brother Randy Cooley

EXECUTIVE BOARD REPORT

to the

Kansas State Association of Free Will Baptists

June 7-9, 2007

The activities of the Executive Board consisted primarily of planning and carrying out the annual meeting of the Kansas State Association.

We will greatly miss the work and fellowship of Executive Board Member, Rev. Clifford Ball, who went to be with the Lord. His faithfulness and desire to do things to glorify God was exemplary.

Respectfully submitted,

James O. Brown
Randy Hair

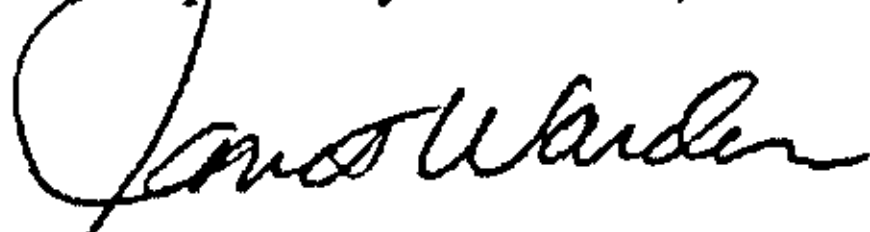
**CHRISTIAN EDUCATION BOARD REPORT
TO THE KANSAS FREE WILL BAPTIST 2007 STATE MEETING**

The CE Board met in person on March 3, 2007 as well as corresponded via e-mail and telephone conversations.

The highlights of this meeting and conservations are as follows:

1. Elected officers for 2006/2007
James Brewer, Chair
Charlotte Brooks, Treasurer
Janet Warden, Clcrk
2. Voted to hold the 2007 Free Will Baptist Camp at Wheat State Camp, Augusta, Kansas during July 2 – 6, 2007
3. Scheduled Steve Greenwood, Children's Pastor of The Donelson Fellowship Church, Nashville, Tennessee Youth Camp Evangelist for 2007
4. Voted to camp fees for 2007 would be \$130 per camper, if prepaid by June 2, 2007, \$160 thereafter.
5. Selected Charlotte Brooks as Camp Director, James Brewer and Zane Brooks as Assistant Camp Director for 2007 camp
6. Voted to pay entry fees for Kansas competitors to 2007 National meeting.

Respectfully submitted,


Janet Warden

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION BOARD REPORT

April 30, 2007

The Christian Education Board activities for the past year consisted primarily of planning and carrying out our Kansas State Youth Camp, Kansas Men's Retreat and Kansas competitors to the National Youth Conference.

The 2006 Kansas State Youth Camp was held June 26-30 at Timber Lakes Camp southwest of Ottawa. The evangelist was Rev. Casey Cariker, Youth Minister, Cross Pointe Free Will Baptist Church, Norman, Oklahoma. The camp was attended to 81 girls, 61 boys, 46 workers, and 1 worker's child for a total of 189.

The 2007 Kansas State Men's Retreat was held March 9-10, 2007, at Prairie View Christian Camp near Arkansas City, Kansas. Rev. Ken Akers, General Director of Master's Men, Nashville, Tennessee, was the speaker. The retreat was attended by 67 men and teen boys, including the speaker.

It was decided that the 2007 Kansas State Youth Camp would be held July 2-6, 2007, at Wheat State Camp at Augusta, Kansas. The fee will be \$130.00 per person if prepaid by June 2 and \$160.00 thereafter.

The evangelist for the 2007 Youth Camp will be Rev. Steve Greenwood, Youth Minister of Donelson Free Will Baptist Church, Nashville, Tennessee. Charlotte Brooks was selected as Director and James O. Brewer as Asst. Director.

Respectfully Submitted,

By: 
James O. Brewer, Chairman

May 1st 2006 - April 30th 2007

Beginning Balance May 1 st 2006 - Kansas State Association Of Free Will Baptists Deposits	10,304.21 + 4,401.68
2006 Youth Camp Deposits	= 14,705.89 + 26,262.41
2006 Youth Camp Expenses	= 40,970.30 - 26,145.70
2007 Men's Retreat Dposits	= 14,824.60 + 3,586.26
2007 Men's Retreat Expenses -	= 18,410.86 - 3,504.45
2006 NYC Expenses	= 14,906.41 - 100.00
2007 E-Team Expenses	= 14,806.41 - 800.00
Timberlakes Deposit Refund	= 14,006.41 + 3000.00
2006 Home Missions Reimbursement	= 17,006.41 - 426.87
Ending Balance =	16,579.54

Respectfully Submitted
Charlotte Brooks

Charlotte J. Brooks

6/7/07

PUBLIC MORALS COMMITTEE REPORT

What do you think of when you hear the term "Public Morals Committee?" We normally don't have too much trouble with our "Morals" when we are in public, especially in the presence of our Bro. and Sis. in Christ such as: Church, Quarterly Meetings, State Meetings, National Association and church sponsored activities.

Most of us know the moral issues facing our cities, states and our country. We hear reports almost daily about robberies, sexual assaults, murder and abortions. We try to stay current on "New Technologies" that offer numerous opportunities, not just for our young people but adults as well, on which we have to make daily "Moral" decisions.

As Christians, we do have an influence on the general public. Have you taken a close look at the moral barometer of your town, your state and America as a whole? At some point in time, Christians have dropped the ball as far as having a strong "Moral" influence in our communities and our nation.

As the Public Morals Committee, we have tried to think of one issue, one goal on which we could unite as Free Will Baptist and as Christians everywhere. What do you think that one goal could be?

We are reminded of the verse in II Chronicles 7:14 which says, "If my people, which are called by my name, shall humble themselves, and PRAY, and seek my face, and turn from their wicked ways; then will I hear from heaven, and will forgive their sin, and will heal their land." Let that soak in for a minuet. Prayer? Prayer! Does that seem too simple or too easy? We are reminded of some of the different types of prayer, intercessory prayer, fervent prayer, supplication and fasting. Prayer is hard work. Prayer takes time. Prayer takes concentration. Prayer takes a clean heart.

Yes, we can and should be involved in local, state and national "Moral Issues." But, we believe that, "the effectual fervent prayer of a righteous man availeth much" James 5:16. Laws, Declarations and Resolutions may change a few "Moral" issues but permanent change will only come when we have "Changed Hearts." Changed hearts come with prayer.

One of the biggest hindrances in praying is time. Let us all determine, together, to spend extra time in "Fervent" prayer for the "Christians" to once again make a difference in the moral fiber of our nation.

Respectfully submitted,
Public Morals Committee

Sis. Linda Lee

Linda L. Lee

Sis. Charlotte Brooks

Sis. Charlotte Brooks

Sis. Donna Brewer, Chairperson

Sis. Donna Brewer

Copies of:

"Time To Pray: Seven ways to enlarge your prayer life without changing your schedule,"
By bob Hostetler are available.

TIME TO PRAY:

Seven ways to enlarge your prayer life without changing your schedule

By Bob Hostetler

All of us want to pray more. We want to make prayer a higher priority in our lives. We want to spend more time worshipping God and enjoying His presence. We want to be more faithful in our intercession for others. But in spite of our desires and resolutions, most of us find there are just not enough hours in the day to enlarge our prayer lives.

But what if I told you it was possible to enlarge your prayer life—considerably—without changing your schedule? What if I said that you might be able to increase the time you spend praying each day by half an hour or an hour? What if I promised you a growing prayer life in exchange for just a few minor adjustments to the things you already do in a given day?

It is possible. And not only is it possible, it's easy—and painless—to revolutionize your spiritual life in the time you already have available. How? Try any of these suggestions:

1. **Pray while you wait.** I have always hated to wait in line—especially at the grocery store. I would tap my fingers, count the items of the person ahead of me in the express checkout lane, browse any magazine or tabloid that happened to be at hand. But not anymore. Now I use time spent waiting—in bank lines, traffic jams, airport terminals, or doctors' offices—to pray.
2. **Pray in the car.** Once upon a time, music, talk radio, or audio books were my constant companions in the car; now God is. I make it a priority to use car trips—whether I'm running a short errand or driving between cities—to draw closer to God and stay faithful in intercession for others. In fact, on a recent cross-state road trip, I surprised myself by praying and worshipping for nearly four hours. Not only did the time pass quickly; more importantly, my prayer life received a major workout.
3. **Pray on the phone.** As a businessman, I spend more time on hold and talking to answering machines than I like. Not long ago, however, a routine phone call to the office of a friend changed my prayer life. While on hold, I remembered that I had earlier promised to pray for the friend to whom I was waiting to speak. So I did, and by the time his voice came on the line I had not only passed the time purposefully, I was also able to tell my friend that I had fulfilled my promise to pray for him. Since that call, I have made a habit of praying for the people on the other end of the line—even people I don't know—any time I am placed on hold. Sometimes, I will even offer to end conversations with friends in prayer. I've yet to be refused.
4. **Pray during commercials.** I've often heard preachers propose that I shouldn't be watching television if I'm not "all prayed up." Well, that's just fine, except I guess I'm not that disciplined. But I have developed the occasional habit of muting the

television during commercial breaks to pray—sometimes for whoever's on my heart at that moment, Sometimes for friends and family members who may be watching the same show, and sometimes even for people I don't know (such as that show's actors, writers and viewers).

5. Pray with the help of "triggers." Use triggers or reminders to prompt short moments of prayer throughout your day. Author Jan Johnson keeps a candle burning as she works; each time she notices the candle she breathes a quick prayer. One year I carried a large disc in my pocket; every time I reached into my pocket for change, the disc reminded me to pray for several unbelieving friends. You might employ a specific picture, song, landmark or smell as a trigger to remind you to pray.
6. Pray while exercising. If you maintain a regular exercise regime, why not merge it with prayer? You might even consider dividing your workout into prayer periods; for example, you may decide to praise while stretching, confess while warming up, intercede while working out and give thanks and praise while cooling down. After all, "physical training is of some value, but godliness has value for all things, holding promise for both the present life and the life to come (I Timothy 4:8, NIV).
7. Pray what you see and hear. I've also tried to cultivate the habit of infusing prayer into as many waking moments as possible, by praying short prayers in response to the world around me. When I hear an ambulance siren, I may utter a brief prayer for the victim. When I see a funeral procession, I pray for the bereaved. When I open a card from a friend, I sometimes pray for the sender. There are times, of course, when I don't know what to pray, but I'll still say something like "Lord, please" or "Lord, have mercy," and let the Holy Spirit fill in the blanks (Romans 8:26).

These small prayer habits have not made me into a mighty prayer warrior. I won't be teaching seminars on "Powerful Prayer" anytime soon. But you know what's funny? As I've tried to squeeze more into the odd and mundane moments of my life, I've discovered that my prayer life is beginning to take over; believe it or not, it's spreading into every area of my life (which I think is what Paul the apostle probably had in mind when he commanded Christians to "pray continually" I Thessalonians 5:17). And that's not only changing how I pray; it's transforming how I live.

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NOMINATING COMMITTEE REPORT: (June 2006 to June 2007)

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Assistant Moderator.....Rev. Doug Mingus
Clerk.....Bro. James O. Brewer
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Assistant Promotional Director.....Bro. Jason Bruns

Executive Board:

3-Year Term.....Rev. Josh Bush
2-Year Term.....Bro. James O. Brewer (info only)
1-Year Term.....Rev. Randy Harris

Mission Board:

3-Year Term.....Rev. Zane Brooks
2-Year Term.....Rev. Wayne Bookout (info. only)
1-Year Term.....Bro. Louis Oelke (info. only)

Christian Education Board:

5-Year Term.....Rev. Tim Stringer
4-Year Term.....Sis. Janet Warden
3-Year Term.....Bro. Robert E. Lee (info. only)
2-Year Term.....Bro. James O. Brewer (info. only)
1-Year Term.....Sis. Charlotte Brooks (info. only)

General Board Member.....Rev. Zane Brooks (3-year term, 2006-08)

Respectfully submitted (signed): Josh Bush, James O. Brewer, and Wayne Bookout

KANSAS STATE ASSOCIATION OF FREE WILL BAPTISTS

State Treasurer's Report

June 7-9, 2007

Explanation	Disbursements	Receipts	Balance
Beginning Balance			\$ 2,752.37
AJ Warden Project		\$1,370.00	
Free Will Baptist Bible College	\$626.79	\$626.79	
International FWB Missions	\$846.77		
Undesignated		\$61.77	
Jerry & Carol Pinkerton		\$205.00	
Josh & Christy Smith		\$60.00	
Matt & Cristina Price		\$285.00	
Shane Davison		\$235.00	
Kansas State Christian Education Board	\$2,770.41	\$2,770.41	
Kansas State Home Missions Board	\$3,493.60	\$3,493.60	
Kansas State Treasurers Office		\$2,550.42	
National FWB Home Missions	\$391.78		
Undesignated		\$61.78	
Nathan & Jenna Altom		\$100.00	
Eric Thompson		\$220.00	
Mark Thomas		\$10.00	
Together Way Plan	\$1,018.14	\$1,018.14	
Other Expenses:			
Jim Brewer - reimbursement for printing State Minutes	\$169.00		
Purchase of checks	\$11.75		
General Board Member's Expenses at National	\$200.00		
Church Delegate Fees at National (\$100.00 per church)	\$900.00		
Speaker Honorarium - David Willford	\$100.00		
Speaker Honorarium - Keith Burden	\$100.00		
Speaker Honorarium - Tim Eaton	\$100.00		
Adjustment to account for check made out incorrectly	\$200.00		
Other Receipts:			
Offerings from State Meeting		\$225.04	
Church Registration Fees at State Meeting		\$900.00	
Totals	\$10,928.24	\$14,192.95	\$ 6,017.08

NOTE: \$6017.68 includes \$1370.00 designated for the AJ Warden Project.

*Respectfully
Submitted
Linda L. Lee*

ANNUAL TREASURER'S REPORT

FOR

KANSAS FREE WILL BAPTISTS MISSION BOARD

TO

THE KANSAS STATE ASSOCIATION OF FREE WILL BAPTISTS

June 7 – 9, 2007

Kansas State Association of Free Will Baptist Mission Board

June 1, 2006 - May 31, 2007

Beginning Balance \$ 12,177.23

Income

Interest Income	\$ 28.85
Income from the State Association	\$ 3,857.87
FIO (one check came via the C.E.Board)	

Expenses

Rev. Michael Jobe	\$(5,700.00)
Service Charge	\$ (5.00)
Kansas Sec. of State	\$ (40.00)
(Incorporation fee)	
FIO (filed on June 3, 2007)	

Ending Balance \$ 10,318.95

Beginning Balance of Home Missions Investment Trust

As of June 29, 2005 \$ 41,808.29

Interest Income	\$ 2,716.48
No Withdrawals	

Ending Balance of Home Missions Investment Trust

As of January 4, 2007 \$ 44,524.77

June 7-9, 2007 State Meeting

Louis J. Oelke (Treasurer)

FIO = For Information Only

KANSAS STATE HOME MISSIONS BOARD REPORT – JUNE 2007

Matthew 28:18-19 Jesus said, "All power is given unto me in Heaven and in Earth. Go ye therefore and teach all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost: Teaching them to observe all things whatsoever I have commanded you: and, lo, I am with you alway, even unto the end of the world."

We, your Mission Board, urge you and your church to become known as a missions-minded church.

We urge you to teach, preach, and support missions.

Have a missions Sunday every month or quarter.

That every family in your church receives magazines and literature from Free Will Baptist National Offices.

Pray, work, and plan toward starting a new Free Will Baptist mission church in Kansas.

We further recommend the monthly support to Hutchinson be discontinued, giving them opportunity to continue to progress and mature as a church.

We applaud the work our Michael Jobe family is doing as pastor at Hutchinson.

Please pray about the booming Gardner area of Kansas.

Signed: Rev. Wayne Bookout, Rev. Zane Brooks, and Bro. Louis Oelke

ANNUAL STATE ASSOCIATION LETTER TO THE NATIONAL ASSOCIATION

Name of State Association Kansas State Association of Free Will Baptists
 Period of time this report covers: From January 1, 2006 to January 1, 2007
 Present Moderator's Name Rev. Zane Brooks Telephone (620) 399-8787
 Mailing Address 1611 North "H" Street
 City Wellington State Kansas Zip 67152

DELEGATES: 1. Donna Brewer
 2. Wanda Pohl
 3. Wendy Mingus
 4. Ashton Harris
 5. Jennifer Bush

ALTERNATES: 1. The Kansas State Moderator
 2. is authorized to appoint
 3. alternates as needed.
 4. _____
 5. _____

A. CHURCH CHARACTERISTICS

1. Total number of district associations 2
2. Total number of district associations reporting 2
3. Total number of churches 9
4. Total number of churches reporting 9
5. Total number of churches in:
 City/Town 9 Rural 0
6. Total number of churches with:
 Full-time pastors 5
 Bivocational pastors 3

B. MEMBERSHIP INFORMATION

1. Total number of baptisms 26
2. Total members added 77
3. Total members lost 11
4. Total membership 432

C. STEWARDSHIP INFORMATION

1. Total income of all churches \$ 269,477.47
2. Total number of churches with budgets 0

D. BUILDING INFORMATION

1. Total number of churches with parsonages 0
2. Total value of all church property, including parsonages \$ 2,271,630.00

E. GENERAL INFORMATION

1. Total number of ordained ministers 13
 licensed ministers 4
2. Total number of ordained deacons 4
3. Total number of churches with:
 Day Care 0
 Kindergarten 0
 Christian Day School 0
 Bible Institute 0
 College 0
4. Total Sunday School enrollment 246
5. Total CTS enrollment 0
6. Total WNAC enrollment 9
7. Total Master's Men enrollment 25

Name and Address of State Associational Property	Director's Name and Address	Value of Associational Property
None		\$
_____	_____	\$
_____	_____	\$
_____	_____	\$
_____	_____	\$
_____	_____	\$

Representation fee (\$100 per church) enclosed: \$ 900.00

Signed: Clerk's Name James O. Brewer Telephone (785) 272-1843
 Mailing Address 5864 S.W. 26th Street
 City Topeka State Kansas Zip 66614

Order from Executive office, P.O. Box 5002, Antioch Tennessee 37011-5002.
 Please make a photo copy for your records.

Form 504 (Rev. 3/05)

CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS

(updated 06/12/06)

PREAMBLE

From long experience, we the members of the Free Will Baptist denomination, being regularly baptized upon a profession of our faith in Jesus Christ, and realizing the necessity of a bond of unity and fellowship among us as a church and to preserve and maintain correspondence and coordination within us, do therefore ordain this constitution for a better denominational government.

ARTICLE I - NAME

This Association shall be called the Kansas State Association of Free Will Baptists, and shall be composed of such regularly organized and disciplined Free Will Baptist Quarterly Conferences, conveniently located, as may embody themselves under this constitution.

ARTICLE II - MEMBERSHIP

This Association shall consist of elected delegates from the several Quarterly Conferences and Churches of which they are composed. Each Quarterly Conference is entitled to five (5) delegates and every Church is entitled to one (1) delegate, providing said Quarterly Conferences and Churches are in good standing. Ordained ministers and ordained deacons, who are serving on local church deacon boards, and all elected officers of the State Association shall be standing delegates.

ARTICLE III - OFFICERS

The officers of this association shall be moderator, assistant moderator, clerk, assistant clerk, treasurer, and assistant treasurer. The executive board shall consist of three (3) men who are ordained ministers or deacons, elected for a one (1), two (2), and three (3) year term, with one term to expire each year.

ARTICLE IV - REPRESENTATION

Any well organized and well regulated Free Will Baptist Quarterly Conference, composed of such churches as conform with the practice and adopt the doctrines of the Free Will Baptist denomination as published in the Treatise of the National Association, may at any time, on application and by vote of this body, become of member thereof.

1. Providing they adopt and adhere to State questionnaire number 1, 2, and the one for ministers and deacons.
2. Failure to comply with this ruling concerning licensing and ordination of ministers and deacons will result in withdrawal of fellowship.

ARTICLE V - DISCIPLINE

This Association shall have power to discipline the Quarterly Conferences of which it is composed, and to exclude them for disorderly walk if labor proves unsuccessful, but in no case reverse their decisions, nor to interfere with any of their internal regulations.

ARTICLE VI - DELEGATES AND FEES

It shall be the duty of the Quarterly Conferences of this Association to represent themselves by letter, delegates, and a fee of \$100.00 per church, and report their standings and statistics, at which time the Association shall act upon such questions and topics as may be referred to it by its respective Quarterly Conferences and transact such other business not repugnant to this constitution. Each local church is entitled to one (1) delegate to this Association, provided a letter of recommendation is presented to the clerk of this Association, from the local church, signed by the local church clerk or its pastor.

ARTICLE VII - BY-LAWS

This Association shall have power to adopt any regulations or by-laws not inconsistent with this constitution, which may be deemed essential to the further regulation of its session.

ARTICLE VIII - AMENDMENTS

This constitution may be amended or changed at any regular session of this Association by two-thirds vote present, provided the proposed amendment or change be laid on the table for at least eight (8) hours.

ARTICLE IX - ASSOCIATIONAL YEAR

The reporting period for this association will begin May 1 and end April 30.

BY-LAWS

SECTION 1 - OFFICERS

All officers and board members shall be members in good standing of a local church affiliated with the Kansas State Association. They shall be elected at the discretion of this Association.

SECTION 2 - OFFICERS DUTIES

1. Moderator: The Moderator shall be the principle executive of the Association. He shall preside at the meetings of the State Association. He shall be an ex-officio member of all boards and committees.
2. Assistant Moderator: In the absence of the Moderator, or in the event of his death, inability, or refusal to act, the Assistant Moderator shall perform the duties of the Moderator, and when so acting, shall have all the powers of and be subject to all the restrictions upon the Moderator. The Assistant Moderator shall perform such duties as from time to time may be assigned to him by the Moderator or by the Association.
3. Clerk: To be custodian of the Association records, in general, perform all duties incidental to the office of Clerk and such duties as from time to time may be assigned to him by the Moderator or Association.
4. Assistant Clerk: In the absence of the Clerk, or in the event of his death, inability, or refusal to act, the Assistant Clerk shall perform the duties of the Clerk and when so acting, shall have all the power of and be subject to all the restrictions upon the Clerk. The Assistant Clerk shall perform such duties as from time to time may be assigned to him by the Clerk or the Association.

5. Treasurer: The treasurer shall be a person with some bookkeeping ability. It shall be his duty to receive and promptly deposit to the bank account of the State Association all checks and monies. He shall pay all fixed expenditures, and miscellaneous expenditures incurred in the normal operation of his office. He shall keep accurate records of all receipts and disbursements with proper vouchers. He shall balance his books monthly. He shall give an itemized written report to each annual Associational meeting. He shall give a written monthly report to the editor of the State publication to be printed. He is the custodian of all records (financial), legal papers, and Associational documents.
6. Assistant Treasurer: In the absence of the Treasurer, or in the event of his death, inability, or refusal to act, the Assistant Treasurer shall perform the duties of the Treasurer and when acting, shall have all the power of and be subjected to all the restrictions upon the Treasurer. The Assistant Treasurer shall perform such duties as from time to time may be assigned to him by the Treasurer or the Association.
7. Parliamentarian: He shall have a good working knowledge of parliamentary law. He is to advise the Moderator or any member of the proper procedure, according to Roberts' Rules of Order.

SECTION 3 - BOARDS AND THEIR DUTIES

Each state board shall provide a proposed plan for the coming year with their vision statement and proposed budget, so that the state body of Free will Baptists will be apprised of the growth and expansion of the state work.

1. Executive Board: It shall be the duty of this board to act in behalf of the Association in an emergency situation when the Association is not in session, provided there is not sufficient time to call the Association into special session. The declaration of emergency shall be unanimous by all three board members. It shall be bound to carry out the directions of the Association and shall hold itself bound by every consideration of morality and honor to carry out the wishes of this Association and to act under its instructions in whatever technical rights, civil laws, and the decisions that the courts may give it in certain emergencies.

It shall be the duty of this board to sign their signatures to any and all papers concerning property, indebtedness, bonds, or other legal documents pertaining to the execution of the will of this Association.

The members shall assist and direct such work for the general promotion of this Association as is deemed needful or necessary as the means available shall permit.

All decisions of this board shall be governed by the general tenets of this Association and shall not violate this constitution. This Board shall organize itself and elect such officers as necessary to the orderly conduct of its affairs and labors. This board shall keep an accurate record of all meetings, decisions, and work done and shall make a report in writing at each annual session of the Association. All records shall be available to this Association at its request.

Whereas, this board represents the Association, when not in session as provided above, it or a majority of the active local churches who are members of this State Association shall have the power to call the Association into special conference provided each affiliated Quarterly Conference shall be given notice at least ten (10) days prior to the meeting of such special conference.

2. Mission Board: It shall be the duty of this board to labor to further the Gospel of Jesus Christ into the uttermost parts of the earth. In accomplishing this, they are to endeavor to establish missions and churches in communities within the bounds of this Association with whatever moral and financial

assistance that may be theirs. In cases of small churches failing to function, whatever assistance deemed appropriate shall be rendered to maintain the effective witness of that church by either direct labor with the church or with a Quarterly Conference board in instances where the affiliated Quarterly Conference has a functional board or agency.

This board shall be empowered to receive and convey title to real property in the area of its labors.

The promotion of missionary endeavor from a local, state, or national level shall come within the scope of endeavor of this board. This board shall assist in maintaining prayer and financial support of missionary enterprises through whatever channels available.

Whereas missionary and evangelistic labors are so intimately related, this board shall assist through participation or assistance in maintaining a strong evangelistic thrust in the life of affiliated Quarterly Conferences.

This board shall organize itself and elect such officers as necessary to the orderly conduct of its affairs and labors. This board shall keep an accurate record of all meetings, decisions, work done, funds received and disbursed, and shall make a report in writing at each annual session of this Association. All records shall be available to this Association at its request.

3. Christian Education Board: The duties of this board shall be to plan and assist in organizing and sustaining strong Sunday School, Church Training Services, and any educational endeavor such as conferences, in every church in each Quarterly Conference affiliated with the State Association with every means of promotion and assistance available to them. This board shall plan, promote, coordinate, and conduct statewide youth activities, camp(s), etc. It shall approve all state competitors to the National Youth Conference.

This board shall organize itself and elect such officers as necessary to the orderly conduct of its affairs and labors.

This board shall keep an accurate record of all meetings, decisions, work done, funds received, and funds disbursed. It shall make a report in writing at each annual session of this Association. All records shall be available to this Association at its request.

SECTION 4 - ASSOCIATIONAL REPRESENTATIVES

1. General Board Member to the National Association: He shall be elected for a three (3) year term. He shall meet with the General Board of the National Association of Free Will Baptists, and shall take to it the desires of this Association.

SECTION 5 - ORGANIZATION OF NEW CHURCHES

1. When a church is a member of a Quarterly Conference within the State and desires to change membership to another Quarterly Conference, it will:
 - A. Request a dismissal to unite with another Quarterly Conference. A letter of dismissal and recommendation is given, if said church is in good standing.

- 1) All members of said church holding State office or board membership will continue their duty if church follows outlined procedure.
 - 2) If church desires not to follow with the outlined procedures, all members holding State office or board membership positions will be declared vacant and replaced by the Executive Board.
- B. Any church or minister desiring to start a mission in an area where there is an organized Free Will Baptist church that is a member of the Kansas State Association will first seek the cooperation of said church. No minister should help organize a group into a church that is out of fellowship with an established Free Will Baptist church that is a member of the Kansas State Association.

SECTION 6 - THE PRACTICE OF ACCEPTING MINISTERS INTO THE STATE OF KANSAS

1. No minister shall be examined or accepted into the local Kansas Quarterly unless it has been requested by a local church of that Quarterly. The minister must be a member of that church.
2. A minister transferring from one Quarterly to another within the Denomination shall undergo the following:
 - A. He is examined by the local Quarterly's examining council.
 - B. He is required to present a letter of good standing by the Quarterly of which he was last a member.
 - C. His Ordination Credentials may then be "ratified" by the Quarterly upon recommendation of the examining council.
3. A minister from another denomination wishing to unite with the Free Will Baptist Denomination must first unite with a local Free Will Baptist Church and will then be subject similar to that in Item 2. Upon a vote of acceptance he shall be issued Free Will Baptist credentials.
4. A minister from an independent Free Will Baptist Church wishing to unite with the Free Will Baptist Denomination must first unite with a local Free Will Baptist Church.

The following procedure shall take place:

- A. His local Free Will Baptist Church shall request he be examined by the Quarterly.
 - B. He will then be set aside for 12 months of probation by the Quarterly upon recommendation of the examining council.
 - C. During that 12 months of probation he shall:
 - 1) Have the status of a licensed minister with the Quarterly and State Association.
 - 2) Have the status of an ordained minister in the local church.
 - D. After 12 months the local church may request his credentials be "ratified".
 - E. His ordination credentials may then be "ratified" by the Quarterly upon re-examination and recommendation of the examining council.
5. A minister from another independent church or denomination wishing to unite with the Free Will Baptist Denomination must first unite with a local Free Will Baptist Church and then be subject to the same procedure as that in Item 4. Upon a vote of acceptance he shall be issued Free Will Baptist credentials.

STANDING RULES OF ORDER

1. All business meetings shall be opened by singing, reading of a portion of God's Word, and prayer and shall be closed with prayer.
2. All business, except routine, shall be brought before the body by committees, but should any committee refuse or fail to present to this body any business given it by any member of the Association, then such business may be presented to the body by any member.
3. No one shall speak more than five minutes or more than twice on the same subject without the consent of the Moderator.
4. Any member of this body can appeal the decision of the chair to the Association and by a two-thirds majority vote thereon, the objection shall be sustained or rejected.
5. No one shall leave the Association when in a business session without the consent of the Moderator.
6. Anyone desiring to speak shall arise and say "Brother Moderator," but shall speak no further until he or she is recognized by the Moderator.
7. The Moderator shall stop discussions when not carried on in a Christian spirit or when it is likely to lead to discord or division.
8. The Officers of this body shall submit, at every annual session, a written report of the work done for this Association.
9. This Association may correspond by messenger or otherwise with other religious bodies.
10. All resolutions and reports shall bear the names of all the members of the committee who favor them; and if the names be not a majority of such committee, the Clerk shall not read the resolution or report. A minority report may be received however.
11. All committees shall be appointed by the Moderator which shall be assisted by a Committee on Committees. This Committee on Committees shall be appointed by the Moderator.
12. A majority of votes shall be final upon all subjects except to amend the constitution and by-laws, receive Quarterly Conferences, the changing of the members of the committees appointed by the Moderator and overruling the Moderator, then it shall require a two-thirds majority.
13. The sessions of this Association shall convene Thursday night, Friday, Friday night, and Saturday until noon preceding the second Sunday of June each year.
14. These by-laws may be amended or changed at any regular session of this Association by two-thirds vote present.
15. This Association shall adopt "Roberts' Rules of Order."

- PREVIOUSLY APPROVED MOTIONS -

1975

All Quarterly Conference projects must be approved by the Executive Boards of the various Quarterly Conferences, and the chairman of the respective boards must contact the State Christian Education Board before sponsorship or funds will be approved.

1977

Association Treasurers (includes Board Treasurers)

1. The treasurers should require written support for all disbursements.
 - A. For mileage, a signed statement should be presented which tells the purpose for the trip, the destination, and the total miles driven.
 - B. For other expenditures an invoice or statement should support all disbursements.
 - C. All Statements should be itemized.
2. All voided checks should be retained.
3. Treasurers should reconcile their bank accounts monthly or as often as the bank supplies statements. Checks that do not clear the bank in a reasonable amount of time should be investigated.
4. The Association should reimburse only the expenses of those members duly elected or appointed by the Association.
5. Members of official business should be more thrifty with God's money.

1981

The Standing Boards of the State Association shall be allowed to pay their duly elected members 20 cents per mile for travel to and from board meetings.

1988

Motion that the clerk instruct future nominating committees to maintain representatives from both Quarterly Meetings on all boards and committees if at all possible.

1990

The following guidelines are to be used in preparation of financial records.

- 1) The check, check register, and ledger (if used) should document the reason for the expenditure.
- 2) Expenditures should be documented by purpose for the expenditure and should be signed and dated.
- 3) Records should show the year in addition to the month and day.
- 4) Each treasurer should read and follow the "Previously Approved Motions" in the State Minutes.
- 5) Bank statements should be reconciled, dated, and initialed.
- 6) Reports from each treasurer that are to be presented at the State Meeting should be prepared early enough for use by the Auditing Committee.
- 7) Separate accounts should have a separate ledger.
- 8) More stability in length of service and experience is desirable in selection of treasurers.

The Moderator is authorized to appoint, from volunteers, an editor for a State newsletter. The newsletter should be informative in nature regarding scheduled events of Churches across the State and should be approximately one page in length. Printing and postage costs necessary will be paid for from the State Treasury.

1991

The Public Morals Committee is to be elected one year in advance of their reporting time.

1992

The Moderator will not serve on any standing board, whereas he is an ex-officiate member of all boards (this applies to the Asst. Moderator when he becomes Moderator), and that those members chosen to serve on the Executive Board not serve on any other standing boards.

As guidelines, no one person will hold more than one office, except for those performing the duties of Clerk and Treasurer.

1994

The following is to be used concerning the State Home Missions Board:

1. Any church and/or pastor receiving financial aid participate in all State and Quarterly activities.
2. Give accountability of work that is being done.
3. Keep records of all visits that are made.
4. Give monthly report to whatever department you are receiving funds from.
5. If unable to abide by these guidelines financial aid would be nullified and all funds paid back to the department from which received.

1995

The allocation for State Cooperative giving is:

- 35% - State Home Missions
- 10% - National CO-OP
- 25% - Christian Education Board
- 5% - Free Will Baptist Bible College
- 25% - State Treasurer

Any person serving as a State officer or as a member of a State board or committee who does not take an active part (does not attend meetings or participate in phone communications) be removed from such board (committee) and be replaced by the State Executive Board until the next state meeting. The respective boards or committees will make this determination and notify the State Executive Board for further action.

No missionary or interim missionary shall be hired into such an important leadership position that cannot pass Guidelines for Ordination set by any Quarterly or Association in the State of Kansas.

1996

The location of the Kansas State Association meeting will be determined two years in advance.

1997

The Kansas State Home Mission Board will cease financial support to churches unless the church place themselves under the authority of the Kansas State Home Mission Board.

1998

Reduced Mission Board size from five to three members.

2000

Associational year will run from May 1 to April 30.

2001

The *Arrow* editor will be paid \$40.00 per bimonthly issue for expenses.

The General Board Member to the National Association will be elected to a three-year term.

2002

Guidelines for the office of State Promotional Director:

1. To see to the needs of the local church by filling empty pulpits, when asked by the local church.
2. To see that the neighboring states receive copies of the state newsletter, the *Arrow*.
3. To promote only those things that the state body of Free Will Baptists approved by vote.
4. Work in cooperation with the state boards.

2003

1. Everyone elected to handle the financial affairs of this Association must have some knowledge of proper bookkeeping/accounting procedures.
2. Each person elected to handle the financial affairs of this Association read and follow the previously approved motions shown in the State minutes regarding their duties and the Associational year.

3. The State Home Missions Board recover missing records such as bank statements, and to the extent possible, source of receipts and expenditures. Since there was none found among the records, the State Home Missions Board will recover or develop a repayment agreement and schedule for the \$13,000.00 loaned to Living Hope Free Will Baptist Ministries in 2001. These documents will become a permanent part of the Board's records.

2004

Adopted a program to be called "The A.J. Project" (patterned after our current program of a Kansas ministerial student in college) for future years to be used for a yet unidentified participant.

2006

Clarify the program as follows:

"The A. J. Project" be available to Kansas Free Will Baptist ministerial students attending a Free Will Baptist College.

If a Kansas Ministerial student is not available or interested, then any Free Will Baptist ministerial student who will work in Kansas and who is attending a Free Will Baptist college will be considered.

The recruiting, selecting, and fundraising of the candidate(s), along with their scheduling, supervision, and job duties be the responsibility of the State Executive Board.

The program purpose is to visit and assist the churches of the State Association during the student's stay.

LIST OF PREVIOUS STATE MEETINGS

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| 1962 – WICHITA (FIRST CHURCH) | 2003 – HUTCHINSON |
| 1963 – NEW HOPE | 2004 – BETHEL |
| 1964 – WICHITA (FIRST CHURCH) | 2005 – SALINA |
| 1965 – NEW HOPE | 2006 – TOPEKA |
| 1966 – SALINA | 2007 – WICHITA (FIRST CHURCH) |
| 1967 – WICHITA (FIRST CHURCH) | |
| 1968 – TOPEKA | |
| 1969 – NEW HOPE | |
| 1970 – WICHITA (FIRST CHURCH) | |
| 1971 – WICHITA (WESTSIDE) | |
| 1972 – TOPEKA | |
| 1973 – ULYSSES | |
| 1974 – SALINA | |
| 1975 – WELLINGTON | |
| 1976 – BETHEL | |
| 1977 – HUTCHINSON | |
| 1978 – TOPEKA | |
| 1979 – WICHITA (FIRST CHURCH) | |
| 1980 – NEW HOPE | |
| 1981 – SALINA | |
| 1982 – HUTCHINSON | |
| 1983 – EMPORIA | |
| 1984 – WICHITA (FIRST CHURCH) | |
| 1985 – TOPEKA | |
| 1986 – SALINA | |
| 1987 – GREAT BEND | |
| 1988 – HUTCHINSON | |
| 1989 – EMPORIA | |
| 1990 – SALINA (FIRST CHURCH) | |
| 1991 – BETHEL | |
| 1992 – WICHITA (FIRST CHURCH) | |
| 1993 – TOPEKA | |
| 1994 – ULYSSES | |
| 1995 – HUTCHINSON | |
| 1996 – SALINA (FAITH) | |
| 1997 – BETHEL | |
| 1998 – WICHITA (FIRST CHURCH) | |
| 1999 – TOPEKA | |
| 2000 – WELLINGTON | |
| 2001 – ULYSSES | |
| 2002 – SUNRISE (EMPORIA) | |