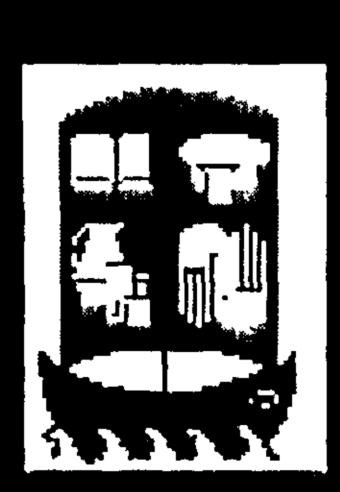
2010 ANNUAL MINUTES

Midway District Association of Free Will Baptists of Georgia



Midway Association Of Free Will Baptists of Georgia Quarterly Sessions for 2010 were held:

January 23, 2010 at Cedar Springs Free Will Baptist Church, Blakely, Ga April 24, 2010 at Enterprise Free Will Baptist Church, Colquitt, Ga July 31, 2010 at Albany First Free Will Baptist Church, Albany, Ga October 24, 2010 at Blakely First Free Will Baptist Church, Blakely, Ga

Midway Association 2011 Scheduled Meetings

9:00 A.M. through Noon

First Session: January 22, 2011

Hammock Springs Free Will Baptist Church, Blakely, Ga

Pastor: Gary Smith

Second Session: April 30, 2011

Macedonia Free Will Baptist Church, Colquitt, Ga
Pastor: Walter Daniels

Third Session: July 30, 2011

New Enterprise Free Will Baptist Church, Colquitt, Ga

Pastor:

Fourth Session: October 29, 2011

New Light Free Will Baptist Church, Blakely, Ga

Pastor:

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Boards and Committees

Budget and Finance Committee: Judy Moore, Janice Temples, Lucy Hy-

man, Joe Murkeson

Camping Board: Edwina Drinkwater, Mark Walker

Credentials Committee: Lorene Horn

Mission Board: Marshall Day, Charles Drinkwater, Matt Hallman

Nominating Committee: Teresa Smith, Mark Walker

Ordaining Board: Irvin Hyman, Fred Hersey, Keith Horn, Billy Hanna,

Gary Smith

Resolutions Committee: Jean Etheridge, Martha Jenkins and Kathy Mar-

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Georgia State Association Board Members

Mission Board	Fred Hersey	Term Expires	2013
Trustee Board	Keith Horn	Term Expires	2013
Camp Board	Mark Walker	Term Expires	2013
Christian Education	Matt Hallman	Term Expires	2013

Women Of Midway Active for Christ

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Coordinator

Christine Daniel

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Bellview, 2018 Bellview Road, Colquitt, Ga 39837	229-758-2087
Pastor: Mike Mounts, 2023 Bellview Road, Colquitt, Ga 39837	229-758-2982
Clerk: Randy Clenney, 1486 Bellview, Colquitt, Ga 39837	229-758-3986
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Berean, 515 South Branch Rd, Albany, Ga 31705	
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Bethlehem, Rt 1 Box 103, Shellman, Ga 39886	
	229-942-4269
Pastor: Jim Eubanks, 2145 Hwy 195, Leesburg, Ga 31763	•
Clerk: Ken Rice, Rt 1 Box 486, Shell man, Ga 39886	229-679-5455
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Pastor: Keith Horn, 4572 Cedar Springs Rd, Blakely, Ga	229-372-4949
Clerk: Barbara Johnson, 183 Big Oak Rd, Blakely, Ga 39823	229-372-4844
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Enterprise, 2232 Simmons Rd, Blakely, Ga 39823	
Pastor: 106 East Week St, Norman Park, Ga 31771	229-
Clerk: Martha Jenkins, 2232 Simmons Rd, Blakely, Ga 39823	229-723-5260
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Pastor: Billy D. Hanna, 125 W. Doublegate Dr, Albany, Ga 31707	229-436-1973
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Youth: Mark Walker	
Clerk: Charlotte Murphy, 420 N. Westover Blvd, Albany, Ga 31707	229-436-4201
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Pastor: Fred Hersey, P.O. Box 5503, Dothan, Al 39812	229-723-1329
Clerk: Cathy Green, 6553 Old Lucille Rd, Blakely, Ga 39823	229-723-4770

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Pastor: Harold Williams, 399 Red Rhode Rd, Newton, Ga 39870	229-734-1222
Clerk: Ruby Ethridge, 9733 Lookout Rd, Baconton, Ga 31716	229-787-5366
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Pastor: Melvin Moody, PO Box 67, Morgan, Ga 39866	229-849-0098
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First Quarterly Session

The first quarterly meeting of the Midway Association was January 23, 2010 at Cedar Springs Free Will Baptist Church. The service was opened with a congregational song, followed by a warm welcome by Bro. Keith Horn. Prayer request were then taken, with a special prayer asked for Bro. Melvin Moody. Bro. Keith then brought the morning devotion asking for remembrance to personal salvation and praising the Lord for being saved.

Clerk Petie Guy called the business session to order. The session was opened with the reception of a new moderator to the association, following a vote by the association. Bro. David Wolfe of the New Light Church was voted in a as the new moderator. Assistant moderator to remain the same. The minutes and treasurers report was then received. MSC. The morning offering then received, followed by a brief recess to allow boards and committees to meet.

Received reports:

Budget and Finance: Janice Temples reported \$300 moved to pay State and National dues due to lack of received funds from churches. Error made on behalf of the clerk asking for national dues. Beginning balance of \$204.05, received undesignated brought total to \$1541.76. Less expenditures the undistributed general fund was left with \$11.76. MSC.

Camping: No report

Mission: Marshall Day recommended giving \$200.00 to the Snow family, \$200.00 to school in Haiti and \$50.00 to Debbie Griffin. MSC

Nominating: No report Ordaining: No report

WAC: District meeting to be held March 6 at Hammock Springs FWB Church. Sandra Bishop to speak at meeting. MSC

Resolution: Valerie Culpepper reported: Be it resolved we remember our pastors and missionaries in prayer daily, pray our members will be more committed to God's work and that we give Cedar Springs a rising vote of thanks for their hospitality. MSC.

State Mission: Cartersville Church was set to hold the State meeting for our denomination. Bro. Bill Lewis was doing a wonderful job in Valdosta, helping them to become self supporting. Prayer was asked for Bro. Jay Hollis. Missionaries take 5% cut in missionary salary to help in tough economic times. MSC

FWBBC: Bro Billy Hanna reported giving was down and the collegewas facing a time of crisis in uncertain times. MSC.

Trustee: No report

There was no old business. Delegates for the State meeting were chosen during the new business part of the service. It is also noted that giving to missionaries was up last ad the association was looking forward to another good year. Brother Curtis Alligood expressed concerns about this pending letter of good standing to join our association. Requested to resend the letter in acquisition of said letter.

<u>Credential:</u> Bro. Keith Horn reported 10 churches present, 10 ministers, 1 deacon, 18 delegates, 8 lay members for a total of 69 present. MSC.

Announcements were then received with one announcement about Camp Meeting at Travelers Rest Church on March 14-17. It was MSC to adjourn the worship service.

The Worship service was opened with a congregational song, followed by prayer request. The congregation was then blessed by special music by Bro. Steve Horne, singing "You Raise Me Up". Bro M.C. Powell brought the morning message telling the congregation of the storms of life. God's people are under attack and need to look to the Lord for help.

We adjourned from the worship service and had a great time of fellowship. The next quarterly meeting to be held at Enterprise FWB Church on April 24, 2010.

Respectfully Submitted,

Petie Guy, clerk



MIDWAY DISTRICT ASSOCIATION – TREASURER'S REPORT (Submitted: January 23, 2010) Oct. 1, 2009 Midway Association Beginning Balance: \$2812.17 Total Receipts \$1089.21 Total Expenditures: \$845.00 Dec. 31, 2009 Midway Association Ending Balance \$3056.38 Account Balances

Dec. 31, 2009 Midway Association Ending Balance	se \$3056.38
Account Balances	
General Account:	
October 1 Beginning Balance	\$ 243.37
Receipts:	
Received from Churches (dues)	\$1017.50
Offerings	\$ 68.00
Checking Account Interest	\$ 3.71
Total Receipts:	\$1089.21
Expenditures:	
Clerk – Administrative Expenses	\$ 150.00
Moderator – Harold Williams	\$ 30.00
Transfer to Mission Board	\$ 383.53
Other—Bible for David Wolfe	\$ 40.00
Other—Donation to Donnie Burke Ministry	\$ 250.00
Transfer to Minutes Acct	\$ 100.00
Transfer to Camping Board	\$ 100.00
Donations: Deb Griffin(25 ea month)	\$ 75.00
Total Expenditures from General Account	\$ 1128.53
General Account Balance 12/31/2009	\$ 204.05
Minutes Account:	
October 1 Beginning Balance	\$ 311.48
Receipts	\$ 100.00
Minutes Account Balance 12/31/2009:	<i>\$411.48</i>
CTS Account:	
October 1 Beginning Balance	\$314.13
CTS Account Balance 12/31/2009	\$314.13
Camping Board Account:	
October 1 Beginning Balance	\$ 1531.71
Receipts:	\$ 100.00
Expenditures:	\$ 00.00
Camping Board Account Balance 12/31/2009	\$1631.71
Mission Board Account:	Ĺ
October 1 Beginning Balance	\$ 411.48
Receipts: Total Rec to Mission Fund: (40% transfer)	
Expenditures: Donation: Acts 1:8	\$100.00
Donation: Donnie Burke Ministry	\$200.00
Mission Board Account Balance 12/31/09:	\$ 495.01

TOTAL MIDWAY ACCOUNT BALANCE: \$ 3056.38

Second Quarterly Session

The second quarterly meeting of the Midway Association was held Saturday, April 24, 2010 at Enterprise Free Will Baptist Church. The service was opened with a welcome by Martha Jenkins and a congregational song. We then had the morning devotion and prayer request, followed by prayer. Clerk Petie Guy called the business session to order and introduced the moderator for the day, Joe Murkeson. We had the roll call of ministers and committees, followed by the minutes and treasurers report. MSC. We had a brief recess to allow boards and committees to meet.

Service was started with the singing of a congregational song, after which the following reports were given:

Budget & Finance: Sister Janice Temples announced that everything was back to equal. Received were 1838.00 and expenditures were 1061.50 bringing the ending balance to 776.38. MSC

<u>Camping Board:</u> Edwina Drink water reported Junior Camp will be held in Lizella June 6-11, 2010. Teen Camp will be held June 20-25 at Camp Tygrat in Adel. Sister Drinkwater also asked for prayer for Barry and Jessica, who were in a recent car accident.

Mission Board: Bro. Larry Etheridge recommended putting 46.01 toward Acts 1:8 MSC

Ordaining Board: Bro. Fred Hersey requested to send for letter of good standing for Brother Dwayne Littlefield, Pastor of Mt. Zion FWB church. A letter was received for Bro. Curtis Alligood. MSC

WAC: Sister Janice Temples reported the President, Christine Daniels was doing a wonderful job and the WAC convention will be held in October.

<u>Resolutions:</u> Sister Sarah Harrell reported - Be it resolved that we give Enterprise a rising vote of thanks for graciously hosting the association and to keep them in our prayers in their search for a pastor. MSC

<u>Credentials:</u> Sister Ruby reported 4 preachers, 2 deacons, 11 delegates, 1 lay member, 7 visitors, 1 visiting church and 4 churches represented for a total of 30.

State Missions: Bro Fred reported 2 of the 3 churches were independent. Bro. Jay Hollis is moving homes to be closer to the work at the church. Pray for Bro. Jay as giving has dropped though they are still praising the Lord. Rcd as information.

New business: World Mission offerings are April 25, 2010. Pray for the missionaries.

We then adjourned the business session. Bro Keith Horn opened the Worship service and we had a congregational song. We also enjoyed special music by Sister Judy as she sang "Consider the Lilies". Brother Keith introduced the speaker for the day, Bro. Gary Smith.

Bro. Gary exclaimed the association meetings were great to him. He brought his message from I Thess 1:2 and Phil 3:12-14. He warned the congregation that people think the church is perfect and reminded us all we are not perfect. He encouraged all to mature in Christ and grow in grace.

We adjourned from the worship service and had great fellowship and food. The next meeting will be held at Albany First FWB church on July 31, 2010.

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Jan. 1, 2010 Midway Association Beginning Bal	_	38
Total Receipts	\$1336.46	
Total Expenditures:	\$2301.39	
Mar. 31, 2010 Midway Association Ending Balance	•	1.45
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Account Balances		
General Account:		1
January 1 Beginning Balance	\$ 206.05	
Receipts:	Ψ 20000	
Received from Churches (dues)	\$1224.00	
Offerings & Transfer from CTS Acct (\$300)		
Checking Account Interest	\$ 2.46	
Total Receipts:	\$1636.46	
Expenditures:	ΨΙΟΣΟΙ-ΤΟ	
Clerk- Petie Guy	\$ 150.00	
Moderator – David Wolfe	\$ 30.00	
Other—Charges to print checks	\$ 21.39	
State Dues	\$ 150.00	
National Dues	\$ 1500.00	•
Total Expenditures from General Accoun		30
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Minutes Account:		
January 1 Beginning Balance	\$ 411.48	
Receipts		
Expenses		
Minutes Account Balance 3/31/10	\$ 411.48	
CTS Account:		•
January 1 Beginning Balance	\$314.13	•
CTS Expenditures (Transfer to Gen fund)	\$300.00	
CTS Account Balance 3/31/10	\$ 14.13	
Camping Board Account:		
January 1 Beginning Balance	\$1631.715	
Receipts: Camp Receipts	\$ 0.00	· .
Expenditures:	\$ 0.00	
Camping Board Account Balance 3/31/10:	\$1631.71	•
Mission Board Account:		
January 1 Beginning Balance	\$ 495.01	
Receipts: Total Rec to Mission Fund: (40% transfer)		
Expenditures: Donation: Debbie Griffin	\$ 50.00	
Donation: Nathan Snow	\$ 200.00	. "
Donation: Haiti Mission Relief	\$ 200.00	
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Mission Board Account Balance 3/31/10:	\$ 45.01	
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TOTAL MIDWAY ACCOUNT BALANCE:

\$2091.45

MIDWAY DISTRICT ASSOCIATION - TREASURER'S REPORT

Third Quarterly Session

The third quarterly meeting of the Midway Association was held Saturday, July 31, 2010 at Albany First FWB Church. The service was opened with a congregational song, followed by a welcome from Rev. Billy Hanna. Bro. Hanna then brought the morning devotion. Clerk Petie Guy called the business session, announcing the resignation of Bro. David Wolfe as Moderator. The clerk then presented the moderator of the day, Joe Murkeson. We then had a roll call of ministers and boards and committees, followed by a reading of the minutes and treasurers report. MSC. We then had a recess to allow boards and committees to meet.

Service was started with the singing of a congregational song, after which the following reports were given:

Budget & Finance: Sister Janice Temples reported a beginning balance of \$471.67; with the general fund total of \$1620.67 less expenditures the general fund undistributed amount was brought to \$646.07. MSC.

Camping Board: Mark Walker brought news of another successful year of camps with a total of 113 at junior camp and around 200 at teen camp. Many life decisions were made at both camps with several speakers to speak. Submitted as information.

Mission Board: Duane Littlefield suggested spending \$300.00 to Acts 1:8. MSC

Nominating Committee: Many positions are coming up for re-election, Bro. Mark asked for a list of members who are to be nominated.

Resolutions: Sister Jean Ethridge reported:

Be it resolved that we give a rising vote of thanks to the Albany First Church for their hospitality in hosting our association meeting.

MSC

State Mission: Bro. Fred Hersey reported Brother Jay Hollis is having problems with a meeting place and he has finally settled in and is doing great. He asked for prayers for their work. Bro Jay recently held a meet and greet in the community which they feel was a success. Received as information.

There was no old business.

New Business: Bro Billy Hanna moved to send money to Debbie Griffin's ministry fund. MSC

Sister Janice reported that she needs help on the Budget and Finance committee. It was also requested that we send a letter to all churches asking if there was a necessity for money in their church. This is to have information on hand to help distribute general fund money as needed.

Credentials: Sister Ruby Ethridge reported 8 churches, 11 ministers, 2 deacons, 16 delegates, 13 lay members, 4 visitors for a total of 46 for the day.

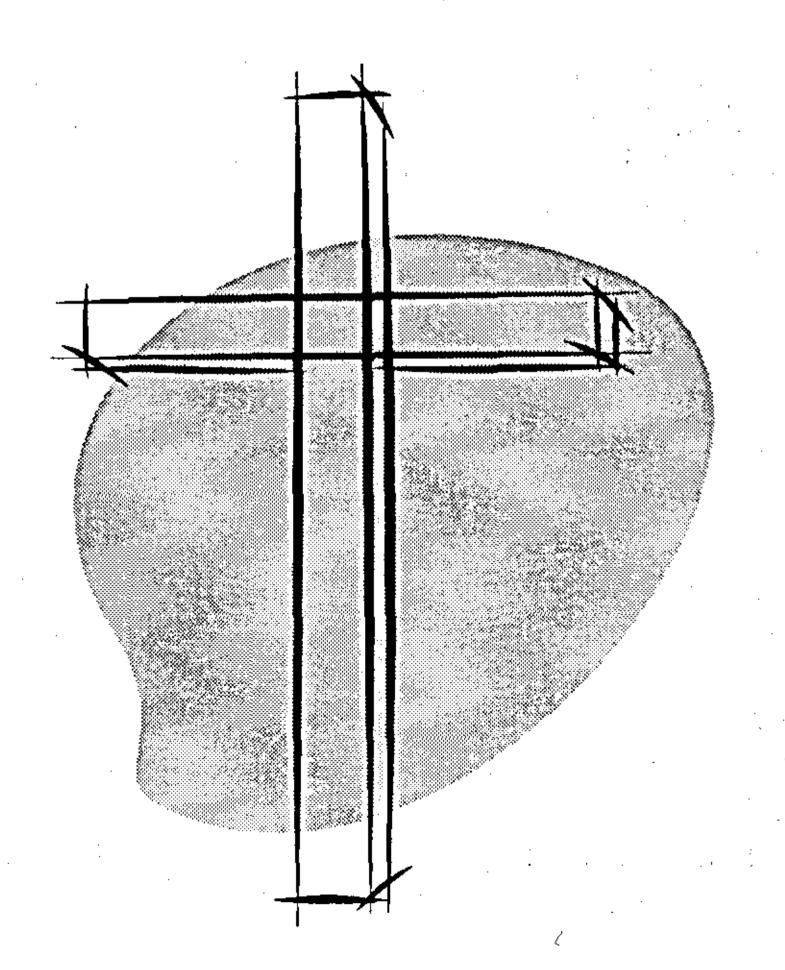
With no further business we adjourned the business session. The worship service was opened with two congregational songs and special music by Sister Lucy Hyman. Bro. Duane Littlefield brought the morning message reading from Acts 4:1-22. We were told of Peter and John in bondage for the word of God, 5000 believed in these scriptures because of the word of God. The great commission was for us all and we need to speak always remembering that we

must answer to God first.

We adjourned the worship service and shared a great tie of food and fellow-ship. The next quarterly meeting to be held at the First FWB Church Blakely, Ga on October 23, 2010.

Respectfully Submitted,

Petie Guy



MIDWAY DISTRICT ASSOCIATION – TREASURER'S REPORT (Submitted: July 31, 2010)

Apr. 1, 2010 Midway Association Beginning Bal Total Receipts		e: \$2 44.05	091.45
Total Expenditures:	•	54.50	
June 30, 2010 Midway Association Ending	Ψ17.		481.00
Account Balances	•	φ2	701.00
General Account:	(¢ 1	0.88)	
April 1 Beginning Balance	(φ-1	0.00)	
Received from Churches (dues)	¢ 17	50.75	•
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Offerings Chaelsing Account Interest	\$	5.29	
Checking Account Interest	•	3.29	
Total Receipts:	ф 10	144.05	
Expenditures: Clark Datio Com	¢ 1	50.00	
Clerk- Petie Guy			
Moderator – Joe Murkeson Transfer to Mission Board (40% first etr.)		30.00	
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Reimburse loan from CTS acct	-	00.00	
Transfer to Minutes	•	00.00	
Transfer to Camping Board	5 1	00.00	
Donations: Debbie Griffin (25 Jan, Feb, Mar)	5	75.00	
Total Expenditures from General Account	\$ 13	361.50 °C	471 67
General Account Balance 6/30/10		\$ 4	471.67
Minutes Account:		411 40	
April 1 Beginning Balance	\$	411.48	
Receipts	\$	100.00	
Expenses	\$	343.72	
Minutes Account Balance 6/30/10:		\$.	167.76
CTS Account:			• • •
April 1 Beginning Balance	•	14.13	
CTS Receipts (Reimbursed Ioan)	•	300.00	
CTS Expenditures	\$	0.00	
CTS Account Balance 6/30/10		\$3	314.13
Camping Board Account:			, ,
April 1 Beginning Balance		\$1	631.71
Receipts: Camp Receipts		\$	100.00
Expenditures: (\$522/Sams, \$400/CmpDir A)	b 1s	t) \$	810.77
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Mission Board Account:	c /	15 A1	.*1
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Receipts: Total Rec to Mission Fund: (40% transfer)			
Expenditures: Donation: Acts 1:8	D	45.01	
Mission Board Account Balance 6/30/10:	•	\$	606.50

\$2481.00

Annual Session

The annual meeting was held Saturday October 23, 2010 at Blakely First Free Will Baptist Church. The service was opened with the congregational song, Trust and Obey. Brother Fred Hersey welcomed everyone to the association meeting and then brought the morning devotion from Romans 10:17 & I Corinthians 3:5. Bro. Fred said he is thankful for those who stand for God and for our fellowship together. Clerk Petie Guy called the business meeting to order and introduced moderator Bro. Joe Murkeson. We then had the roll call of ministers and boards and committees. MSC. We then had the reading of the treasurer's report and the minutes. MSC. We took a short recess to allow committees to meet.

The service was restarted with the congregation singing Higher Ground. Following the singing the following reports were given:

Budget & Finance: Sister Janice Temples reported a beginning balance of \$551.71. Total receipts on the day were \$1072.50 less expenditures of \$832.00, leaving an ending balance of the Midway Assoc of \$792.91 MSC.

Mission Board: Brother Marshall Day suggested giving \$300.00 to Nathan Snow, \$100.00 to Acts 1:8 and \$200.00 to Debbie Griffin. MSC.

Nominating Committee: Brother Mark Walker gave the following nominations: Moderator – Duane Littlefield, Assistant Moderator- Mark Walker; Clerk- Petie Guy, Assistant Clerk- Valerie Culpepper; Treasurer – Judy Moore, Assistant Treasurer – Janice Temples; Budget and Finance Committee – Judy Moore, Janice Temples, Lucy Hyman, Joe Murkeson; Camping Board – Edwina Drinkwater, Mark Walker; Mission Board – Marshall Day, Charles Drinkwater, Matt Hallman; Ordaining Board- Irvin Hyman, Fred Hersey, Keith Horn, Billy Hanna, Gary Smith; Resolutions Committee – Jean Ethridge, Martha Jenkins, Kathy Marshall; Credentials Committee – Lorene Horn; State Boards: Mission- Fred Hersey, Trustee Keith Horn, Camp – Mark Walker, Christian Education – Matt Hallman. MSC to accept all nominations.

Littlefield was a member of good standing with the South Ga Association and he was now welcomed as a member of our association.

<u>WAC</u>: It was announced there was a meeting on the first Saturday in October at the Macedonia Church. There were minor changes to the constitution. The next meeting was planned to be held at New Light FWB Church on the first Saturday in March. Rcd as information.

Resolutions Committee: Bro. Duane Littlefield reported:

Be it resolved that we pray and vote in the upcoming elections

Be it resolved that we give a rising vote of thanks to Blakely First FWB Church for hosting the association. MSC

Obituary Committee: Sister Judy Hersey reported the following deaths: Billy Griner, Lorene Austin, Mary Alice Davis, Ronald L Cramer, Jasmine Reed, Tere-

sa Brown, Retha Collins, Wade Hudson, Stella Irvin Dorminey, Franklin Irvin, Robert Sinquefield, June Curry, Vickie Bowen Adams, A.J. Merritt, Doris Grant, William (Bill) Parker, Mildred Bullington, Linda L. Kearce, Rhodes Ragan, Franklin

William (Bill) Parker, Mildred Bullington, Linda L Kearce, Rhodes Ragan, Ernest "Ernie" Robbins. Accepted as information.

Placement Committee: Brother Keith Horn announced the following dates

and churches for meetings next year; January 22 – Hammock Springs, April 23 – Macedonia, July 30 – New Enterprise, October 29 – New Light. MSC.

State Mission: Brother Fred Hersey announced Brother Paul Creech was undergoing cancer treatments and asked everyone to pray on his behalf. Brother Jay Hollis requested prayer for a larger meeting area. Bro. Fred also announced the Cartersville Church is struggling for finances. Received as information.

FWBBC: Bro. Billy Hanna announced a decline in gifts and giving to the college and discussed the contemplation to change the name of the college to Welch College to encourage enrollment. Received as information.

<u>Credentials</u>: Sister Ruby Ethridge reported a total of 7 churches present with 12 ministers, 2 deacons, 14 delegates, 5 lay members, and 3 visitors in attendance. We had a total of 36 in attendance for the day. MSC

We had no old business or new business to discuss.

With no further business we adjourned the business session. The worship service opened with the singing of "To God Be the Glory". We had prayer requests and honored them with prayer and followed by the delight of special music. Bro. Keith Horn cheered everyone to have a good time in the house of the Lord. Bro. Fred Hersey introduced our speaker of the day, Bro. Matt Hallman. Bro. Matt brought the morning message from I Timothy 1:18. He also reminded us we are in a war. Not a war with people, but with Satan and God trusts us to fight faithfully. He also reminded us we can not let God down.

We adjourned the worship service and enjoyed a great time of fellowship and food. The next quarterly meeting will be held at Hammock Springs on January 22, 2011.

Respectfully Submitted,

Petie Guy, Clerk

MIDWAY DISTRICT ASSOCIATION – TREASURER'S REPORT (Submitted: October 23, 2010)

July 1, 2010 Midway Association Beginning Ba	lance: \$2481.00			
Total Receipts	\$1154.64			
Total Expenditures:	\$ 555.00			
Sept. 30, 2010 Midway Association Ending	\$3080.64			
Account Balances				
General Account:				
July 1 Beginning Balance	\$ 471.67			
Receipts:				
Received from Churches (dues) & camp chk	\$ 1062.00			
Offerings	\$ 87.00			
Checking Account Interest	\$ 5.64			
Total Receipts:	\$ 1154.64			
Expenditures:				
Clerk – Allen Guy	\$ 150.00			
Moderator—Joe Murkeson	\$ 30.00			
Transfer to Mission Board	\$ 419.60			
Transfer to Minutes Acct	\$ 100.00			
Transferrrr –Disgnated chk to Camping	\$ 100.00			
Transfer to Camping Board	\$ 200.00			
Donations: Debbie Griffin (25 ea- Apr, May, Jun)	\$ 75.00			
Total Expenditures from General Account	\$ 1074.60			
General Account Balance 9/30/10	\$ 551.71			
Minutes Account:				
April 1 Beginning Balance	\$ 167.76			
Receipts	\$ 100.00			
Expenses	\$ 0.00			
Minutes Account Balance 9/30/10:	\$267.76			
CTS Account:				
July 1 Beginning Balance	\$ 314.13			
CTS Receipts	\$ 0.00			
CTS Expenditures	\$ 0.00			
CTS Account Balance 9/30/10	\$314.13			
Camping Board Account:	•			
July 1 Beginning Balance	\$ 920.94			
Receipts: Camp Receipts	\$ 300.00			
Expenditures:	\$ 0.00			
Camping Board Account Balance 9/30/10	\$1220.94			
Mission Board Account:	·			
July 1 Beginning Balance	\$ 606.50			
Receipts: Total Rec to Mission Fund: (40% transfer)	\$ 419.60			
Expenditures: Donation: Mission Fund	\$ 300.00			
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Mission Board Account Balance 9/30/10:

\$ 726.10

Constitution of the Midway District Association Of Original Free Will Baptist of the State of Georgia

PREAMBLE

We, the Midway District Association of Original Free Will Baptist of the State Of Georgia, do ordain this constitution for the purpose of advance in, promoting and increasing all phase of the cause of Christ.

Article I *NAME*:

The organization shall be known as the Midway District Association of Original Free Will Baptist of the State of Georgia.

Article II *MEMBERSHIP*:

This association shall be composed of such Free Will Baptist Churches as shall adopt this compact and agree to this constitution.

Article III REPRESENTATION:

- Section 1: The standing delegates of this session shall consist of all ordained ministers, ordained deacons, and officers of this association.
- Section 2: Voting privileges shall extend to all standing delegates and to those duly elected delegates representing churches of this association.
- Section 3: Each Church shall be entitled to two (2) delegates for the first fifty (50) members or fractional part thereof and one delegate for each additional twenty-five (25) members.

Article IV. OFFICERS:

- Section 1: The general officers of this association shall be Moderator, Vice- Moderator, Clerk, Assistant Clerk, Treasurer, Assistant Treasurer. These officers shall be elected on even years for the term of two years.
- Section 2: There shall be a General Board composed of the officers of the Association and the Chairman of the various boards which shall serve as the association out of session.
- Section 3: The standing boards of this association shall be the Missions Board, Ordaining Board, budget and Finance, and the Camp Board.

Article V *MEETINGS:*

The meetings of this association shall be the Saturdays before the fourth Sunday in January, 9 o'clock thru 12 o'clock noon; April, 9 o'clock thru 12 o'clock noon, October, 9 o'clock thru 12 o'clock noon, and the Saturday after the fourth Sunday in July, 9 o'clock thru 12 o'clock noon, followed with lunch by the host church

Article VI AMENDMENTS:

This Constitution may be amended or altered at any regular session of the association by a two-thirds vote of the delegates present provided that the proposed amendment or alteration is presented in writing during one session, placed on the table and voted on in the next session. Further it shall be understood that the proposed amendment or alteration be furnished in writing to each church at least thirty (30) days prior to the session during which the vote is taken.



BY –LAWS of the Midway District Association Of Original Free Will Baptists of the State of Georgia

Article I MEMBERSHIP:

Section 1: All churches affiliated with this association shall be required to adopt the Treatise of the Faith and Practices of the Original Free Will Baptists as adopted by the National Association of Free Will Baptists. Applications for membership must contain a statement to this effect.

Section 2; Churches desiring to affiliate themselves with this body must make application by letter and representation to this association while in session.

Article II REPRESENTATION:

Each church shall be required to pay a minimum fee per member of 75 cents per quarterly session and 75 cents per member each annual session.

Article III FUNCTIONS OF THE OFFICERS:

- Section 1; The duties of the Moderator shall be to preside at all meetings of the association. He shall be empowered with the authority to appoint any committees not otherwise provided for the constitution.
- Section 2: The duties of the Vice-Moderator shall be to preside at the request or absence of the Moderator and assist him in such ways, as we are necessary and advisable.
- Section 3: The duties of the Clerk shall be to keep accurate minutes of the association, to compile the minutes of the boards and the auxiliaries, to prepare them and to publish them. It shall further be the duty of the Clerk to take care of all necessary correspondence.

- Section 4: The duties of the Assistant Clerk shall be to function at the request of the clerk and to assist him in any way necessary.
- Section 5: The duties of the Treasurer shall be to receive all association funds and to disburse them as directed by the association.
- Section 6: The duties of the Assistant Treasurer shall be to function at the request of or in the absence of the Treasurer and to assist him in any way necessary.

Article IV FUNCTION OF THE BOARDS:

- Section 1: The Mission Board shall be composed of five (5) members whose terms of office shall be two (2) years and who shall be reelected or replaced on even years. The function of this board shall be:
 - (a) To supervise any and all mission' programs of this association and to coordinate their efforts with our State and National Agencies.
 - (b) To be vested with the power of trusteeship; to hold and convey titles of any property coming under the jurisdiction of Mission Board through the Midway Association or as dealing with any or all the property requiring trusteeship of the Midway Association.
 - (c) To formulate and promote a live missionary program by aiding of weak churches, the establishment of new churches and by earnest effort to keep the spirit of revival ever presents within our association. It shall not be the function of this board to hold joint ownership of any church.
- Section 2: The Ordaining Board shall be composed of five (5) members who are members of our association in of standing. Board members shall be elected on even years for a term of two (2) years. The functions of this board shall be:
 - (a) To examine all applicants for ordination to the ministry and all previously ordained ministers seeking membership in our association.
 - (b) To ordain or assist in ordination of deacons and ministers when requested to do so by the church of the candidate.
 - (i) That all Ministers wishing to become members of this Midway Association be recommended from the church of which they are members.
 - (ii) That all examines be called upon to present their credentials for examination and answer satisfactorily such questions as may be asked them.
 - (iii) That a person who is presented for ordination or to be recognized as ordained must be pasturing, involved in a

Pastoral ministry, or be in a state or retirement due to age or health or have a justifiable cause preventing his pasturing.

- (i) That ministers desiring to be ordained must have been licensed for a period of one (1) year and have pastured or been involved in a pastoral ministry for at least six (6) months prior to ordination, six (6) months pasturing, or pastoral ministry during the one year tenure of licensing will be accepted as a prerequisite for ordaining.
- Section 3: The Budget and Finance Board shall be composed of three (3) members, one of whom shall be the treasurer, and who shall serve as its Chairman. These members shall be elected on even years for the period of two (2) years. It shall be their duty to:
 - a. Receive and disburse all association moneys at the request of association.
 - b. To receive all pleas for help and suggestions for disbursements of moneys.
 - c. To recommend to the association the disbursements of moneys received.
 - d. To keep a general oversight of the financial work of the association and to keep the association informed at all times of its conditions.
- Section 4: The Camp Board shall be composed of five (5) members. Lay members shall be at least two of the five members. The Chairman of the Board shall be the Camp Director, or the board may appoint a Director and a Co-Director. This board shall be elected or re-elected yearly. It shall be their duties to:
 - 1. Plan and promote the Youth Camp over the District
 - 2. Set time for the Midway Camp.
 - 3. Set fees for the camp in accordance with the State Camp Board.
 - 4. Secure volunteer or hire sufficient help and supervision for the camp session.

Article V COMMITTEES:

- Section 1: The Nominating Committee shall be composed of three members whose terms of office shall be two years, and who shall be elected or re-elected on even re-elected on even years.
- Section 2: All committees not provided for by either the constitution or its by-laws may be appointed by the Moderator as deemed necessary.

Article VI

Section 1: Each church is requested to mail its report to the Clerk fifteen (15) days before each session.

Section 2: Each Auxiliary of the Association shall give a report to the Association meeting which meets in October for the Annual Meeting. It is requested that this report be mailed to the Clerk fifteen (15) days before the Annual Session.

Article VII MISCELLANEOUS

Section 1: After payments to the Moderator, the Clerk, and the Superannuates, forty percent (40%) of Association fees/dues and offerings will go to Missions.

Section 2: Each Minister who is a member of the Midway Association shall be expected to attend at least one session yearly unless providently hindered.

Section 3: The name, date of birth, date of death, age and church affiliation of any member taken over by death, each year shall be included in that year's minutes, and such information is given to the Clerk by the various Clerks of the Churches.

Section 4: At the death of a minister, a page in that year's minutes shall be draped in black in his memory, giving all pertinent information concerning him and his ministry.

Section 5: The General Officers of the Association shall be elected on even years for the term of two (2) years.

Section 6: No person may be elected to more than one (1) office in the Midway Association at the same time. No General Officer (top six officers) may succeed himself or herself more than once.

Section 7: The Constitution and the by-laws with any amendments and alterations shall be printed each year in the minutes.

Section 8: A quorum shall consist of a majority of any board or committee.

Article VIII SUPPANNUATION:

Section 1: Retired ministers who have served the Midway Association for a period of at least five (5) years, are members of the association, and are in good standing with the Association will be given quarterly supplement of money (the amount depending upon the financial status of the association at the time) when they shall have attained their age of sixty-five (65) years; provided the income of said ministers is inadequate for their needs.

Section 2: Any qualified minister of this association who, by accident or sickness, has been rendered permanently unable to continue as a minister of the Gospel, upon recommendation of his church and the approval of the association, be given the same supplement.

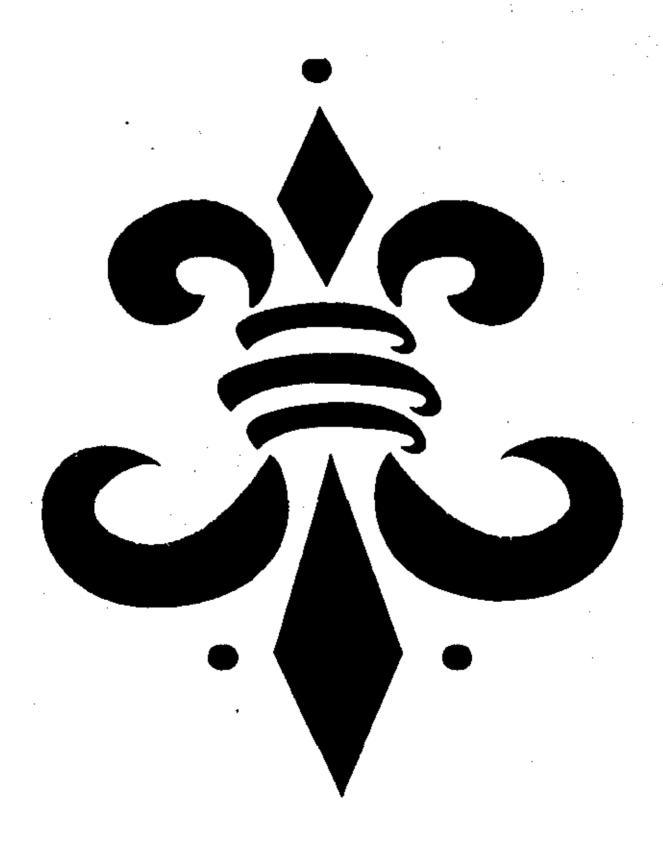
Section 3: At the minister's death, the same quarterly supplement shall be continued to his widow as long as she shall live or remain a widow, provided she meets qualifications as set forth for the ministers.

Section 4: The above sections do not prevent the Association from taking "love offerings" or making a "love gift" to any minister or any layman at anytime the association so desires.

Section 5: The Budget and Finance Board shall examine each applicant at each annual association meeting to see if they are still in compliance with these by-laws.

Article IX AMENDMENTS

Theses by-laws may be amended or altered at any regular session of the association by two-thirds majority vote of the membership present provided that the proposed amendment is presented in writing during one session, place on the table and voted on in the new session. The proposed amendment or alteration shall be furnished in writing to each church at least thirty (30) days prior to the session during which the vote is to be taken.



Minutes of the Midway District Women Active For Christ Annual Convention October 2, 2010

The Midway District Women Active for Christ Annual Convention was held Saturday, October 2, 2010 at Macedonia FWB Church. Registration begin at 9:00a.m... Committees met between 9:30 a.m. and 9:55 a.m. Refreshments were served by the ladies of Macedonia during registration and committee meeting times.

We convened in the sanctuary at 10:00 a.m. Our musicians for the day were Renee Haire and Lindsay Fulghum, song leaders; Dawn Shepherd, pianist; and Becky LaGuardia, organist. Renee led the congregation in singing "Leaning on the Everlasting Arms". She then blessed us in music by singing a special, "Life is Hard, but God is good".

Margaret Ann Daniels welcomed us to Macedonia and led us in our opening prayer.

Marie Glover acknowledged that two of our dear ladies have gone to be with the Lord since our last annual convention – Doris Grant of Bellview died February 2, 2010 and Mary Alice Davis and of Traveler's Rest died on April 16, 2010. W truly misses these ladies, but is comforted and rejoices in knowing that they are in their true home now.

Coordinator Christine Daniel opened the business portion of our meeting and called for committee reports:

Janice Temples, chairperson of the Credentials Committee, presented the credentials report (Exhibit A). All eight Midway local WAC chapters reported. At the end of the year, we had 89 members. Dues were received for 90 members for a total of \$1800.00. Delegates were seated so the voting could begin. Shirley Kimbrel made a motion that we approve the credentials report. The motion was second and carried.

Gloria Henley, Chairperson of the Finance Committee, distributed copies of the Annual Treasurer's Report (Exhibit B). AS stated before, we receive at total of \$1800.00 dollars in dues to be divided as follows: District Dues -\$180.00; State Dues -\$270.00; and National Dues - \$1350.00. Our cash balance on hand at October 1, 2010 was \$811.42. The Finance Committee made the following recommendations: (1) To pay the speaker for the day \$150.00 [our speaker generously refused to accept any payment], (2) To send \$150.00 to the Children's Home in Brazil, and (3) To send \$100.00 to the Midway District Association for the printing of the minutes. (Exhibit C) A motion to approve the Treasurers report and recommendations of the Finance Committee was made, seconded and carried.

The Resolutions Committee, chaired by Lucy Hyman, presented a number of resolutions (Exhibit D). Lucy made as motion to approve these resolutions. The motions was seconded by Janice Temples and carried by delegation vote.

In accordance with one of the resolutions, we gave a rising vote of thanks to the Macedonia FWB Church for their great hospitality and delicious food.

Nominations for the Nominating Committee and included the following ladies: Judy Brank, Shirley Kimbrel, Tammy Williams, Mildred Crabtree, and Kathy Roney. The nominating Committee will serve from 2011 to 2013 and will present a slate of officers to be voted on at the next Annual Convention in 2011. June Hersey was nominated to serve on the GWAC Nominating Committee. A motion to approve these nominees was made by June Hersey, and seconded by Lula Holt and carried.

Martha Everson, Janice Temples, and June Hersey represent our committee for the purpose of revising the by-laws and constitution. A copy of the constitution and By-laws were distributed to all attendees. Martha pointed out the changed that had been made, most of which were small changes or rewordings for clarification purposes. A motion to approve these changes by Martha Everson, and seconded by Lula Holt and

carried by delegation vote.

Delegates to the State Convention to be held at Albany First FWB Church on March 17, 2011, were selected. A motion to approve these ladies as delegates was made, seconded, and carried. They are June Hersey, Edwina Drinkwater, Margaret Ann Daniels, Marie Glover, Gloria Henley, Ethel Henley, Janice Temples, Lucy Hyman, Lula Holt, and Shirley Kimbrel.

June Hersey, Study Chairperson, reminded us of the WNAC website which has resources to help local study chairpersons. She also spoke about the Hanna project and the supplies needed for it. June said that the Blakely Church is sponsoring a ventriloquist on October 16th to share God's message. Everyone is welcome.

Teresa Smith, Field Worker, told everyone to let her know of churches that would like to join WAC. She also requested information for the newsletter. Letters have been sent to churches in the Midway District that don't have local WAC chapters.

Christine Daniels proposed a project .She thought it would be good if each local chapter give \$75.00 to the WNAC National office this year as it is needed very much. We can spread this giving throughout the reported period ending August 31. The money should be sent to Gloria Henley and noted "Midway Project- WNAC Office". June Hersey moved that we approve the project. Margaret Ann Daniels seconded the motion and it was approved by vote.

The Registration Committee chaired by Ethel Henley, reported that we had 22 delegates and 17 visitors at out meeting for a total of 39 at our meeting. We had 8 churches represented. (Exhibit E)

Kathy Marshall, Secretary, read the days minutes.

We then went to our worship service. Lindsay Fulghum led the congregation in singing "Amazing Grace". Lindsay then blessed us with a beautiful special.

Our offering was taken up by Margaret Ann Daniels and Gail Fulghum. A total of \$146.50 was collected.

Christine Daniel then introduced our speaker of the day, Lieutenant Colonel Dan Brewer, who share an inspiring message about his time spent in Iraq and Afghanistan. He told of how trusting in God and turning his fears to him gave him peace in difficult times.

Edwina Drinkwater, Prayer Chairperson, asked for names of men and women in the Armed Forces. Edwina then led us in praying for these young people. She also asked God's blessing upon the meal. Lindsay Fulghum sang "God Bless America", and we all joined in singing.

We adjourned to enjoy a wonderful meal prepared by the women of Macedonia.

Respectfully Submitted,
Kathy Marshall, Secretary
Midway Women Active for Christ

Midway WAC Credentials Report



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Blakely	9	0	0	9	18.00	27.00	135.00	180.00
Cedar Springs	14	2	0	12	24.00	36.00	180.00	240.00
Hammock Springs	8	0	0	8	16.00	24.00	120.00	160.00
Macedonia	8	0	0	8	16.00	24.00	120.00	160.00
New Light	8	2	0	6	12.00	18.00	90.00	120.00
Travelers Rest***	13	1	3	15	32.00	48.00	240.00	320.00
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^{***}Travelers Rest paid for 16 members

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Respectfuely submitted,

Judy Brank Judy mit Aniego Janius Lemples, Chairperson

MIDWAY DISTRICT WOMEN ACTIVE FOR CHRIST ANNUAL TREASURER REPORT 2009-2010

Balance on hand 10-1-09 Deposits	\$	330.17 9,044.65
	\$	9,374.82
Annual Convention Offering Workshop Offering Local W.A.C. Offering	\$	469.25 149.00 8,426.40
	\$	9,044.65
Disbursements		
Ga. State W.A.C. designated funds Brittany Sheppard (speaker) Sandra Bishop (speaker)	\$	8,163.40 150.00 250.00
	\$	8,563.40
Balance on hand 10-1-10	\$	811.42

Respectfully Submitted, Gloria Henley, District Treasurer

Exhibit C

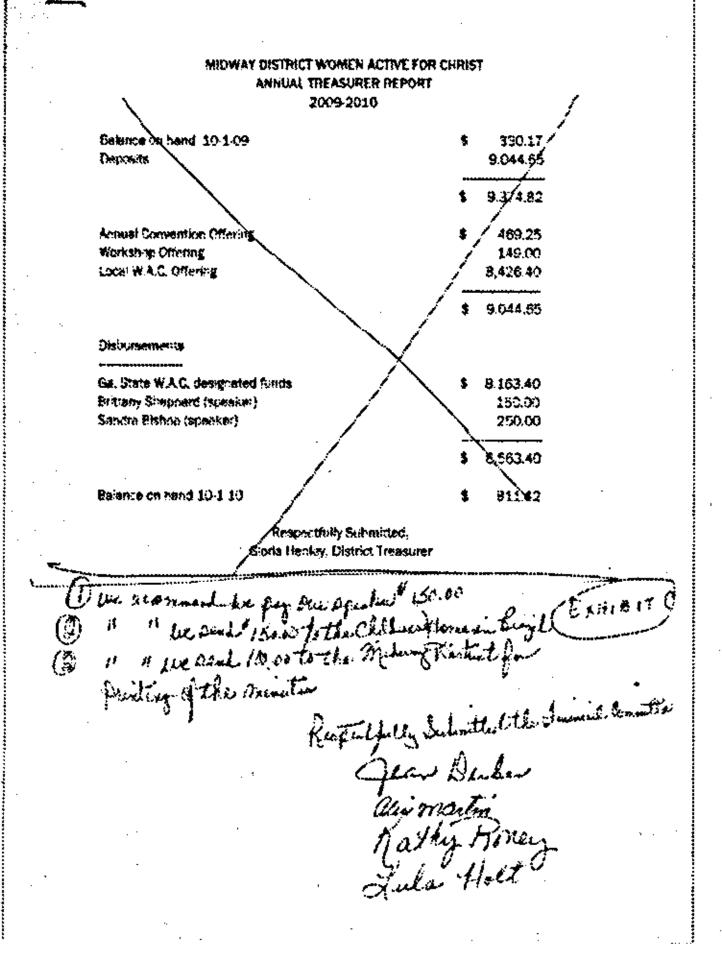
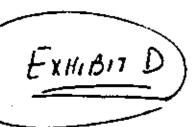


Exhibit D



October 2, 2010 Midway Annual Convention meeting at Macedonia F.W.B. Church, Colquitt, GA.

Having reviewed these resolutions, the resolutions committee presents the following resolutions for consideration by this body.

From the Executive Board of the Midway WAC:

1. Whereas the date of the annual convention of the Midway WAC is on the first Saturday of October and whereas this has been a conflict with some Homecomings scheduled on the first Sunday in October at some of our churches,

Be it resolved that we change our annual convention date to the last Saturday in September.

2. Be it resolved that we change the name of our Midway WAC Workshop to Midway WAC Spring Event.

From the resolutions committee,

- 3. Whereas we are concerned about the condition of our country, be it hereby resolved that we as a group and individually will pray for our National, State, and Local leaders, that they will seek the wisdom and leadership of God in governing our country and at the same time pray that God will send a revival to our land.
- 4. Whereas American and NATO military personnel continue to serve in Afghanistan, lraq, and other dangerous places around the globe; we, Women Active for Christ, are resolved to support and encourage these men and women with our prayers, words of appreciation (verbal or written), and gifts such as "care packages". We are also resolved to support the families of those deployed overseas with prayers, words of appreciation, and assistance whenever possible.
- 5. Whereas our speaker today LT. Colonel Dan Brewer has been faithfully serving our country for many months, having been in dangerous situations many times,

Be it hereby resolved that we give him a rising vote of thanks, after his message, for sharing with us today and for his service to our country and offer a prayer that God will give I lim protection from harm and danger as he continues serving to help protect our freedom.

Minutes of The Midway District Women Active for Christ Executive Board Meeting August 20, 2010

The Midway District Women Active for Christ Executive Board met Saturday, August 20, 2010, at 9:30 a.m. at Macedonia FWB Church. The purpose of the meeting was to plan the Annual Convention to be held October 2, 2010. It will also be held at Macedonia. Officers present at the meeting were Christine Daniel, Coordinator; Janice Temples, Assistant Coordinator; Kathy Marshall, Secretary; Gloria Henley, Treasurer; June Hersey, Study Chairperson; Edwina Drinkwater, Prayer Chairperson; and Teresa Smith, Field Worker. Also attending were Martha Everson and Charles Drinkwater.

Respectfully submitted, Kathy Marshall, Secretary Midway Women active for Christ



Midway District WAC Workshop March 6, 2010

The Midway District WAC Workshop was held at Hammock Springs Free Will Baptist Church on March 6, 2010. Marie Glover opened our meeting in prayer, and Teresa Smith welcomed us to Hammock Springs. Reports we given by our district officers.

We were pleased to have Debbie Griffin in attendance. Debbie provided insight on our International Missions. Due to economy, mission funds are very low: however, Debbie reminded us that our security is in God and our dependence is on him. She said that she is really excited about the challenges and opportunities that God has given us in light of this financial crisis. Debbie also spoke about the walk-a-thon that will be occurring over the United States honoring Laura Bell Barnard and our 75th year in International Missions. This 2500-mile walk begins April 5th in Glennville, Georgia and ends in July in Oklahoma. Participants are raising money through pledges. Debbie directed us to the website, go 10walk.com for more information.

Sandy Mounts, our Mission and Service Chairman, said that we will not have a specific project this year. Our project will be to work together in our auxiliaries and churches to regroup, grow and rebuild. She suggested we plan activities and events to help in this process. Some of these can be used as fundraisers for missions.

We were delighted to have Rebecca Jackson visit us. Rebecca blessed us with two very special songs and also served as our song leader for the day.

Sandra Bishop was our guest speaker for the day. Sandra and her husband have been working with International Missions for over thirty-five years. Even though Japan is very modern, it is a very need place spiritually. She reminded us that Free Will Baptist International Mission is "us".

Janice Temple dismissed us in prayer. She also gave thanks for the meal that was provided by Hammock Springs WAC.

We had thirty in attendance, including 3 visitors.

Respectfully submitted, Kathy Marshall, Secretary

CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS for the MIDWAY DISTRICT WOMEN ACTIVE For CHRIST CONVENTION

ARTICLE 1

Name:

The name of this organization shall be the Midway District Women Active For Christ. (MDWAC)

ARTICLE II

Purpose:

The purpose of this organization shall be:

(1) To assist women of the Midway District Women Active for Christ Convention of Free Will Baptists in providing opportunities for them to understand and fulfill their places in the Great Commission through their responsibilities in the family, the church, the community, and around the world, and
(2) To bring women in the local churches together for fellowship, for sharing

(2) To bring women in the local churches together for fellowship, for sharing information, and for encouraging one another.

ARTICLE III

Officers and Executive Committee:

Section 1. Officers and Chairpersons must be members of churches in The Midway Association of Free Will Baptists and members of local WACs.

Each officer shall perform the duties set forth for that office in the current WAC Manual.

Section 2. Midway District Women Active for Christ officers shall be a (1) President, (2) Vice President, (3) Secretary, (4) Treasurer, (5) Field Worker,

(6) Study Chairperson, (7) Missions Chairperson, (8) Prayer Chairperson, and

(9) Service Chairperson. These officers shall constitute the Executive Committee, Five (5) of whom shall be a quorum for transacting business.

ARTICLE IV

Membership:

Section 1: This Convention shall be composed of the officers of the MDWAC together with the local Presidents and five (5) delegates from each local WAC in the MDWAC that has paid in full its required membership fees.

Section 2: Any WAC group wishing to become a member of the MDWAC shall present a petitionary letter signed by the officers of the local group, along with a report of its work, and its proportionate dues to the MDWAC Secretary who shall in turn present this to the Credentials Committee. The Convention shall then vote on the recommendation of the Credentials Committee.

ARTICLE V

Meetings:

Section 1. The ANNUAL Business Meeting shall be held each year on the LAST SATURDAY in SEPTEMBER, or at such time as may be determined by the Executive Committee.

Section 2, A "SPRING EVENT" shall be held each year on the FIRST SATURDAY in MARCH, or at such time as may be determined by the Executive Committee.

Section 3. Other meetings may be held at the discretion of the Convention.

Section 4. The CONVENTION and the "SPRING EVENT" shall convene with the WAC Groups in the Midway District according to alphabetical order. If a local group is unable to serve as host, the Executive Committee must be notified by the group.

ARTICLE VI

Amendments:

This Constitution may be amended at any Annual Meeting of the Convention by a two-thirds (2/3) vote of the members present.

BY-LAWS

ARTICLE I

Duties of Officers:

Section 1. President - The President shall preside over all meetings and serve as Chairperson of the Executive Committee, appoint such committees as may be needed, call meetings of the Executive Committee when necessary, be an exofficio member of all committees (with the exception of the Nominating Committee), see that reports are made promptly by the MDWAC Secretary and Treasurer to the State and perform any duties pertaining to the office of President.

Section 2. Vice President - The Vice President shall preside in the absence of the President or by her request. She shall be available to assist the President in the general overall convention tasks. The Vice President shall chair the Credentials Committee. She shall encourage local WACs to present a Special Enlistment program during MAY (WNAC Emphasis Month) and to send an offering for WNAC Office Expenses.

Section 3. Secretary - The Secretary shall keep an accurate record of all proceedings of the Convention, the Executive Committee Meetings and the "Spring Event". She shall preserve all valuable papers and turn them over to her successor. Immediately after the MDWAC Convention, she shall compile a list of the Local WAC Officers, their addresses, their phone numbers, and their e-mail addresses and send a copy to every District Officer and Chairperson as well as to the GWAC President and Secretary.

She shall be prompt in sending the proper reports to the GWAC Secretary. The Secretary is also responsible for sending a copy of the minutes, the Treasurer's annual report, the Resolutions Report, etc. to the Midway Associational Clerk to be published in the Midway Associational Minutes.

Section 4. Treasurer - The Treasurer shall have charge of all funds belonging to this Convention and shall disburse monies only when authorized by the Convention and/or the Executive Committee.

She shall keep an accurate account and shall give a written report of all funds received and disbursed at each Convention, a copy of which shall be included with the MDWAC Secretary's report in the Midway Associational Minutes every year. She shall be prompt in sending to the GWAC treasurer the monthly report along with the gifts and offerings as well as the annual report with the per member dues designated by the GWAC and the WNAC.

The Treasurer serves as Chairman of the Finance Committee.

The Treasurer shall encourage support of Missions through the WNAC Gift Plan as well as the support of The Dot Harvey Loan Fund.

Section 5. Field Worker - The Field Worker shall have charge of all field work pertaining to the promotion of WAC in the Midway District helping in any way she can to organize new groups as well as encouraging established WAC groups.

She shall be responsible for the MDWAC Newsletter.

Section 6. Study Chairperson - The Study Chairperson shall work with the Local Study Chairpersons to encourage and promote regular studies that encourage Christian growth such as Missions, Christian Living, Prayer, Special Ministries, etc. and the WAC Manual.

She shall be available to help train local officers for their duties and leadership responsibilities when needed.

The Study Chairperson along with the Executive Committee shall plan the annual Spring Event and she shall be in charge of its activities.

Section 7. Prayer Chairperson - The Prayer Chairperson shall encourage Local Prayer Chairpersons to promote family altars, prayer hot lines, special Seasons of Prayer, Prayer Retreats, Prayer Fellowships, etc.

She shall receive and forward prayer suggestions for special Missionary Requests and other special needs.

Section 8. Service Chairperson - The Service Chairperson shall promote MDWAC projects for Missionaries; sick/aged/retired Ministers; the Free Will Baptist Children's Home in Eldridge, AL; Special Community Needs; and the promotion of other Christian Organizations.

Section 9. Missions Chairperson - The Missions Chairperson shall encourage the local WAC groups to make regular contributions through the WNAC Gift Plan to the Dot Harvey Loan Fund (A revolving loan fund for Georgia students who are attending FWBBC); the GWAC Project; the WNAC Provision Closet, etc. She shall encourage the local Missions Chairpersons to help their members to learn our missionaries and their families' names and addresses and correspond with them. (Encourage the children of the church to communicate with the missionaries' children.)

She shall promote Local, State, National, and International Missions among our women in any way she can.

ARTICLE II

Elections:

The general officers and four (4) Chairpersons shall be nominated by a Nominating Committee and elected every two (2) years by acclamation, unless there are other nominations from the floor. In the event of more than one nominee for any office, a vote will be taken on each one..

All elections shall be held at the closing business session of the Annual Convention. Election of officers will be held on all uneven years.

ARTICLE III

Committees:

Section 1. Executive Committee - The Executive Committee shall hold annual meetings to maintain an over-all view of the work at large; to plan programs for the annual convention and the Spring Event; and to transact any necessary convention business.

The Executive Committee has the authority to call extra meetings when needed; act for the convention when the convention is not in session; and fill vacancies of officers occurring between elections.

Section 2. Credentials Committee - The Vice-President shall serve as Chairperson of the Credentials Committee. Two (2) other members shall be appointed by the President to serve with her.

This committee shall examine the local WAC reports to make sure reports are in order and fees are paid.

The Petitionary report of a local WAC group desiring membership in the MDWAC is examined by this committee. If approved the petition for membership is presented by the Credentials Committee to the Convention to be voted on and the new member's delegates seated.

This committee shall serve for two years.

Section 3. Registration Committee - The Registration Committee consists of three (3) members who are appointed by the President.

This committee's responsibilities are to register those in attendance and give its report to the convention.

This committee serves for one (1) year.

Section 4. Finance Committee - The Finance Committee is composed of the Treasurer and four (4) members appointed by the President.

It is their duty to audit the financial records for the year and report on same to the Convention.

The Committee makes financial recommendations to the Convention for its approval.

This committee shall serve for one (1) year.

Section 5. Resolutions Committee - The Resolutions Committee shall consist of five (5) members appointed by the President.

This committee shall review all the resolutions received and shall compile the ones deemed proper and profitable into the Resolution Report which will be presented to the Convention for its approval.

This committee shall serve for two (2) years.

Section 6. Nominating Committee - The Nominating Committee shall be composed of five (5) members who are delegates.

Candidates for this committee are nominated from the floor and elected by the body at its annual convention on even years.

This committee shall serve for two (2) years.

They shall present a slate of officers to be voted on at the convention on the uneven years.

ARTICLE IV

Fees and Reports

Section 1. Membership fees per member of this convention includes Midway District, Georgia State and National dues.

ARTICLE V

Gifts

The desired financial programs for members of MWAC include Missions Offerings following each of the Special Season of Prayer, Regular Co-Laborer Offerings, the GWAC Project, annual gifts to the WNAC General Fund, regular support of the Dot Harvey Loan Fund, and other funds or gifts designated by the convention.

ARTICLE VI

Rules:

Section 1. Minutes of each annual convention shall be read and approved at the conclusion of that business session.

Section 2: These By-Laws may be amended at any Annual Meeting of the Convention by a two-thirds (2/3) vote of members present.

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This book is dedicated to the memory of

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and his service to the Master

For God so loved the world, that he gave his only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in him should not perish, but have everlasting life. John [3:16]