### MO-ARK DISTRICT OF FREE WILL BAPTIST WHEN CONVENED AT THE PIONEER FREE WILL BAPTIST CHURCH JANUARY 20, 2001

Meeting opened with prayer by Bro. Darrell Mitchell.

Congregation sang "Mansion Over The Hilltop" led by Bro. Jeff Holman with Sis. Esther Strain at the piano. Clerk read 2 Chronicles 7: 14. Prayer by Bro. Craig Hensley.

Moderator assumed charge of the service. Clerk read the minutes of the previous meeting. M.S.C. to accept as read. The Church letters were read with delegates as follows:

Bailey	3	Lingo	1
Cotton Creek	3	Mt. Zion	3
First Freewill	3	Pioneer	3
Koshkonong	3	Shiloh	0

M.S.C. to receive the letters and seat the delegates. Delegates were seated with prayer started by Bro. Charles David Melton and finished by Bro. Darrell Strain.

Moderator recognized everyone who was not a delegate.

Letters of recommendation was read for Pioneer's new Pastor and his wife. M.S.C. upon receiving the information of the Church recommending of their Pastor and Deacons from the clerk the Ordaining/Credential Committee will act upon them.

Floor was opened for the speaker of the next meeting. Bro. Johnny Holesapple Sr. was elected by vote of the delegates.

A letter of Memorial for Bro. Larry Cockman was read by the clerk. M.S.C. to accept this as part of the official minutes. A moment of silence was taken followed by prayer led by Bro. Johnny Holesapple Sr.

The following Committee reports were given: Auditing, Executive, and Ordaining/Credential Committees. M.S.C. to accept this reports.

Treasures report was read by Sis. Shirley Cockman with a balance of \$1898.70. M. S. C. to accept.

M.S.C. for Sis. Shirley to choose her assistant as Assistant Treasurer. Bro. David Holman was chosen.

M.S.C. to accept Mt. Zions invitation to host the next District Meeting in May.

Bro. Ronnie Blanks gave a report on the State Meeting which will be at West Plains this June, also gave a report on Youth camp, and the Ministers retreat coming up in March

A time of Praise was taken and what God had done for the Churches in the past year. Bro. Ronnie Blanks led in prayer and recess was taken.

Worship service started with Congregation singing "Heaven's Jubilee" led by Bro. Jeff Holman with Sis. Esther Strain at the piano. Prayer by Bro. J. O. Moss. Congregation sang "Glory to His Dear Name" led by Bro. Jeff with Sis. Esther at the piano. Bro. James Lee Reed brought the message from Rev. 3:13, John 17:15, and Matt. 6:13. His subject being to read the whole story not just the headlines, and to not give up on the power of God and Prayer. Assistant Moderator assumed charge of the service. M.S.C. to give the Pioneer Church a vote of thanks for hosting this meeting. Meeting was closed with a hand shake while singing "When We All Get to Heaven" Dismissal prayer was led by Bro. Phil Banks.

#### MINISTERS

DEACONS

Dean Bennett

Theron Russell

Charles Melton

Junior Brown

J. O. Moss

**CLERKS** 

Lucille Hunt Wanda Melton

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### MO-ARK DISTRICT OF FREE WILL BAPTIST WHEN CONVENED AT THE MT ZION FREE WILL BAPTIST CHURCH MAY 19th, 2001

Meeting opened with prayer by Bro. David Melton.

Congregation sang "I Want to Know More" and "I'll Have a New Life" led by Bro. Darrell Mitchell with Sis. Esther Strain at the piano.

Clerk read Hebrews 13: 1-3 . Prayer by Bro. Darrell Strain.

Moderator assumed charge of the service. Clerk read the minutes of the previous meeting. M.S.C. to accept as read. The Church letters were read with delegates as follows:

Bailey	3	Lingo	1
Cotton Creek	3	Mt. Zion	3
First Freewill	3	Pioneer	3
Koshkonong	2	Shiloh	0

M.S.C. to receive the letters and the oral report from the First Free Will. Delegates were seated with prayer started by Bro. Craig Hensley and finished by Bro. Darrell Strain.

Treasures report was read by Sis. Shirley Cockman with a balance of \$1829.70. M. S. C. to accept.

M.S.C. to accept Baileys invitation to host the next District Meeting in September.

Volunteers for Delegates to the State Meeting in June at West Plains was called for. Ula Payne and Wanda Melton volunteered.

Motion made to give the Moderator the Power to add delegates as they arrived. Motion second and carried. Bro. Ronnie Blanks gave a report on the Youth camp. Received as information.

M.S.C. to take recess.. Bro. Donald Hensley led in Prayer.

Worship service started with Congregation singing "Amazing Grace" and "Victory In Jesus" led by Bro. Randy Cowen with Sis. Esther Strain at the piano. Bro. Johnny Holesapple Sr. brought the message from St Luke 22:3-6 St Mark 14:10,11 and St Matthew 27:3,4 titled "If I had it all to do over again".

"Just As I Am" was sang as an Invitation. Bro. David Holman dismissed with prayer and the Congregation sang "Old Time Religion." as an old fashion hand shake was taken.

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