

Minutes  
of the  
NORTHEAST OKLAHOMA  
ASSOCIATION  
of  
FREE WILL  
BAPTISTS  
2007

Proceedings of the  
FIFTY SEVENTH ANNUAL SESSION

Convened at  
Faith Free Will Baptist Church  
Bartlesville, Oklahoma

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**QUARTERLY MEETINGS**

November 10, 2007

Calvary

Devotion – Tom Schulze

1921 Holly Rd.  
Claremore, OK 74017  
Speaker – Danny Hester

February 9, 2008

Collinsville

Devotion – Hermon Wood

15320 N. 169 Hwy.  
Collinsville, OK 74021  
Speaker – Wilburn Clark

May 10, 2008

Miami

Devotion – Mark Goode

2336 N. Main St.  
Miami, OK 74354  
Speaker – Hermon Wood

August 9, 2008

Faith

Devotion – Danny Hester

5210 S.E. Washington Blvd.  
Bartlesville, OK 74006  
Speaker – Mark Goode

**YOUTH CAMP**

Junior Camp:

Evangelist:

Directors: R. D. Hester  
918-333-7590

June 9 – 12, 2008  
Chris Hester  
Donnie Bowman  
918-704-1713

Senior Camp:

Evangelist:

June 16 – 20, 2008  
Danny Ledbetter

**Directors: Thomas Ballard**  
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918-381-1512

### EXECUTIVE BOARD

Jack Metcalf	371-0730	5 yr.
Rex Hester	333-7590	4 yr.
Forrest Hanes	341-7809	3 yr.
Jimmy Layne	485-4267	2 yr.
Roy Crutchfield		1 yr.

### TRUSTEE BOARD

Hermon Wood	371-6416	5 yr
Marke Goode	676-5381	4 yr.
Nathan Jones	485-8355	3 yr.
Blake Borgerson		2 yr.
Jack Metcalf	371-0730	1 yr.

### CREDENTIAL BOARD

Everett Peace	534-1618	5 yr.
Danny Hester	331-6186	4 yr.
Dale Long	341-3625	3 yr.
Donnie Bowman	704-1713	2 yr.
Bill Haynes	252-7758	1 yr.

### CHRISTIAN EDUCATION BOARD

Tom Schulze	341-6393	5 yr.
Donnie Bowman	704-1713	4 yr.
Everett Peace	534-1618	3 yr.
Danny Hester	331-6186	2 yr.
Jay Yaws	419-2686	1 yr.

### MISSIONARY BOARD

Mary Jones	485-8355	4 yr.
Ruby Hester	333-7590	3 yr.
Betty Meeks	542-6088	2 yr.
Kaye Raper	371-4573	1 yr.

### PARLIAMENTARIAN

Bill Haynes

### STATE GENERAL BOARD MEMBER 2008

R. D. Hester

### ALTERNATE GENERAL BOARD MEMBER 2007

Hermon Wood

## ORDER OF BUSINESS

1. Introductory sermon
2. House called to order by Moderator
3. Letters called for, read and received
4. Invites visiting brethren to a seat in councils
5. Reading rules of order
6. Appointment of Committees
7. Petition Letters called for
8. Election of Officers
9. Unfinished Business
10. New Business
11. Reports of Committees
12. Miscellaneous Business

## BY-LAWS

1. The Moderator or Assistant Moderator, or in their absence, the oldest ordained Free Will Baptist minister or deacon in good standing in the Northeast Association present, shall call Association into conference.
2. Each session shall be opened and closed with prayer.
3. Five members from two or more churches shall constitute a quorum. A lesser number may adjourn until such quorum is present.
4. Visiting brethren are invited to seat as advisory members.
5. Those who speak shall rise and address the moderator. Personal reflections shall be avoided in all debates.
6. If any proposition or motion under debate contains two or more points, it shall be divided at the request of any member and a vote taken.
7. The Association may be called together by the Moderator by giving the churches ten days notice of such meeting.
8. No one shall speak more than twice on the same subject without special leave of the Moderator.
9. The Moderator shall not allow discussion when not carried on in the Christian spirit.
10. The ruling of the Moderator may be overruled by a two-thirds majority of the members voting.
11. No question from any church shall come under the consideration of the Association unless it has first been discussed in its own church.
12. At each Association session, arrangements shall be made to insure two or more sermons or their equivalent in devotional exercises each day.
13. This body shall be governed by the Roberts Rule of Order.

## CONSTITUTION

From long experience we are convinced of the necessity of a combination of churches to perpetuate our nation and to maintain a correspondence among our churches.

Therefore, we have adopted the following constitution and by-laws for our government:

1. The association shall be called the Northeast Oklahoma association
2. This association shall be composed of such well regulated Free Will Baptist Churches maintaining gospel order, agreeing with the denomination in doctrine and practices, favoring the enterprises that have been endorsed by this association.
3. The acting members of this association shall be the Ordained Ministers in good standing and their wives, Ordained Deacons, in good standing, and Church Clerks belonging to any church composing this body. Also, three (3) delegates from each church chosen by members of the respective churches.
4. The officers of this association shall be: a Moderator, an Assistant Moderator; a Clerk, an Assistant Clerk, and an Executive Board of five (5) members consisting of at least three (3) Ordained Ministers, the other two (2) being Ordained Deacons. They shall be elected by and subject to the association; they shall act as a committee to promote peace and harmony among the ministers and churches belonging to this association; they shall also act between sessions of the association to carry out the program of the association.  
Also, a Board of Trustees, consisting of five (5) members. The Trustees shall be elected and subject to the association and sign all legal papers when authorized by the association to do so.  
Also, a Christian Education Board. The Christian Education Board shall consist of at least five (5) members elected by the body of this association, the Moderator being an ex-officio member of the Board. Members of this Board shall rotate their term of service with one member being elected annually at the yearly meeting. This shall not be a standing Board. This Board shall be concerned with all areas of Christian Education that concerns the churches of the Northeast Oklahoma Association of Free Will Baptists, such as: Sunday School conferences, workshops, seminars, revivals, etc. and youth camps, retreats, etc. This Board shall be responsible for: a) The selecting of the youth camp director and the

assistant director for the youth camp each year, and b) In cooperation with the camp director and assistant director, the selection and securing of the camp evangelist, the alternate evangelist, camp teachers, sponsors, cooks, workers, and all personnel necessary to operate an effective youth camp each year, and c) Assisting the youth camp director and the assistant director in the selection of camp literature and formulating of the camp program, goals, and activities each year. This Board shall be responsible for setting the amount of remuneration for the services of special speakers for all Christian Education programs or projects, camp evangelists, cooks, etc. that are normally or routinely remunerated by this Northeast Association. All officers shall hold office until their successors are elected.

5. The property of any church in this Association that should go down until they cannot transact business because they are disorganized, shall become the property of this Association.
6. This Association shall meet annually at such time and place as shall be decided upon by the Association, also meet in regular quarterly meetings and at such quarterly meeting, shall have power to transact all business of the Association except to change the Constitution.
7. Upon dissolution of the Northeast Oklahoma Association of Free Will Baptists, the trustees shall, after paying or making provision for payment of all liabilities of the Northeast Oklahoma Association of Free Will Baptists, dispose of all the assets of the Northeast Oklahoma Association of Free Will Baptists to such organization (the Free Will Baptist Association to which the Northeast Oklahoma Association of Free Will Baptists belongs) or organization formed and operated exclusively for religious purposes as shall at the time qualify as an exempt organization or organizations under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue law) as the trustees shall determine. Assets may be distributed only to organizations which agree with Northeast Oklahoma Association of Free Will Baptists statement of faith.

## **FREE WILL BAPTIST CHURCH COVENANT**

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

## ARTICLES OF FAITH

### Article I The Bible

We believe the scriptures of the Old and New Testaments were given by the inspiration of God, and are our infallible rule of faith and practice.

Matt. 22:29; Mark 15:28; John 2:22; John 5:39; John 7:38; Acts 1:16; Acts 8:35; Acts 18:28; Rom. 15:4; II Tim. 3:16-17; II Peter 1:12, 20, 21.

## Article II God

We believe there are three persons in the God head, Father, Son and Holy Spirit, and that all things were created by them.

I John 5:7; Gen. 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> Chapters; Exo. 20:9-11; Psa. 33:6; Jer. 51:15; John 1:1-3; Acts 14:14-7; I Cor. 8:5, 6; Eph. 3:8-10; Col. 1:9-17; Rev. 4:9-11.

## Article III Man

We believe that God created Man innocent, but by disobedience he fell into a state of sin and death. His posterity therefore inherited a fallen nature of such tendencies that all who come to the years of accountability sin and become guilty before God.

Gen. 2:15-17; Gen 3:14-19; Isa. 53:6; Rom. 3:9-26; Rom 5:12-15; I Cor. 15:21, 22; Gal. 3:22, I John 1:10.

## Article IV Children Saved

We believe that children are born in a saved state and we must become like unto them if we enter into the Kingdom of Heaven.

Matt. 18:2, 3; Luke 18:16, 17.

## Article V General Atonement

We believe that Christ died for all and whosoever will may be saved.

Matt. 28:19, 20; Luke 24:45-47; John 3:16; I Tim. 2:1-6; Titus 2:11; Heb. 2:9; II Peter 3:9, I John 2:1, 2; Rev. 22:17.

## Article VI Terms of Salvation

We believe the terms of Salvation are:

1<sup>st</sup>. Repentance and sincere sorrow for sin and a hearty renunciation of it.

2<sup>nd</sup>. Faith, or the unreserved committal of one's self to God through faith in Christ with purpose to love and obey him in all things.

Luke 13:3-5; Luke 14:25-27; Luke 24:45-47; John 3:16; Acts 10:43; Acts 15:8, 9; Acts 16:31; Rom. 5:1, 2; Rom. 10:8-13; Gal. 3:26; Eph. 2:8-9; Heb. 11:6.

## Article VII Divine Call to the Ministry

We believe that God in his wisdom and goodness displays his power of Grace in a great degree in calling and qualifying his servants by the teaching of the Holy Spirit to go forth and proclaim life and salvation. Yet those who are called are commanded to study to show themselves approved unto God, etc.

John 5:39; John 1:16, 17; Acts 3:22; Acts 13:1-4; Acts 18:27, 28; Acts 20:28; Acts 22:14, 15; Rom. 10:14, 15; Gal. 1:11-23; II Tim. 2:15, Titus 1:7-9.

## Article VIII The Church

We believe that the Church of God, or Christ is the whole body of Christians throughout the World.

Matt. 18:15-17; Acts 2:46, 47; I Cor. 12:13-20; Eph. 1:22, 23; Eph. 4:406; Col. 1:18-24; I Tim. 3:14, 15; Heb. 3:6.

## Article IX A Church of God

We believe that a Church of God is an organized body of believers in Christ who stately assemble to worship God and keep the Ordinances of the Gospel according to the scriptures.

Matt. 18:15-17; Matt. 28:18, 20; Acts 8:1; Acts 13:1-3; Acts 14:23; Rom. 16:1-5; I Cor. 11:12; I Cor. 11:23-28; I Cor. 16:19; Col. 4:15, 16; Titus 1:5; I Peter 5:13; Rev. 1:11.

## Article X Ordinances

We believe that the Baptism, Communion, and feet washing are Gospel Ordinances and should be observed by the people of God.

Matt. 26:26-28; Mark 14:22-24; Luke 22:18, 20; John 13:4-17; Matt. 28:19, 20; Acts 2:41; Acts 8:12; Acts 8:35-38; Acts 9:18; Acts 10:47, 48; Acts 16:33; I Cor. 11:23-26; I Tim. 5: 9, 19.

## Article XI Baptism

We believe that immersion is the scriptural mode of baptism.

Matt. 3:5, 6; Matt. 3:13-17; Mark 1:5-11; John 3:22, 23; Acts 8:36-39; Rom. 6:3, 4.

## Article XII Open Communion

We believe that the Lord's people are one in him therefore should be one at His table.

John 15:5; John 17:11-21; I Cor. 11:23-29; I Cor. 12:13-31; Gal. 3:26-29.

## Article XIII The Christian Sabbath

We believe that the Divine Law requires that one day in seven be set apart for the worship of God and that no work of worldly nature should be done on that day. Work of piety, mercy, and necessity excepted.

Mark 16:1, 2; John 20:1, 19, 26; Acts 13:27; Acts 20:7; I Cor. 16:1, 2; Rev. 1:10, 11.

## Article XIV Apostasy

We believe that only those Christians who through grace and patience endure unto the end have promise of eternal salvation.

Ezek. 18:24-26; Matt. 10:22; Matt. 24:12, 13; Matt. 24:48-51; Matt. 25: 14-30; Mark 13:13; Luke 12:45; John 15:1-6; Rom. 11:21; I Cor. 10:11, 12; I Cor. 15:1, 2; I Thes. 3:4, 5; Heb 3:1-6, Heb. 6:4-6; Heb. 10:24-30; II Peter 1:9-11; II Peter 2:12-16; II Peter 2:20-22; Rev. 2:10; Rev. 3:5.

## Article XV Resurrection

We believe in the resurrection of all men. They that have done good unto the resurrection of life and they that have done evil unto the resurrection of damnation.

John 5:28, 29; Acts 4:1, 2; Acts 17:18; Acts 23:6; Acts 24:14, 15; Acts 26:6-8; I Cor. 15:12, 22; I Thes. 4:15-17; Rev. 20:12-15.

Article XVI  
The Judgement

We believe that there will be a general or universal judgment when all nations will be gathered before the Judgement Seat of Christ, to be judged according to their works. The wicked shall go away into everlasting punishment, but the righteous into life eternal.

Eccl. 11:9; Eccl. 12:14; Matt. 12:36, 37; Matt.13:27-43; Mark 9:43-48; John 5:28, 29; Acts 17:30, 31; Rom. 14:10-12, II Cor. 5:10; Heb. 9:27, 28; Rev. 20:12-15; Rev. 21:7, 8; Matt. 25:31-46.

## FIRST QUARTERLY MEETING

November 11, 2006

Calvary

Service opened with prayer led by Bro. J. R. Shade.

Songs led by Bro. Joe Layne with Bonita Hanes at the piano.

Song: "I'll Fly Away".

Devotion by Bro. Tom Schulze reading from Hebrews 13:10. "We have left the altar".

Body called into conference by moderator, Bro. Tom Schulze.

Letters read by Bro. Forrest Hanes. Churches reporting were Calvary, Central, Collinsville, Dawson, Dewey, Faith, Miami, Vinita, and Wagoner. Motion made and properly sustained to accept the letters and to seat the delegates. Carried. Delegates stood to be recognized.

By-laws read by Bro. Jimmy Layne.

Visiting brethren invited to a seat as advisory council. Bro. John Hewitt representing Arms of Compassion. Also, the Lewis Avenue Church.

Appointment of committees.

Resolution Committee: Bro. Rex Hester (chr.), Bro. Kevin Lewis, and Sis. Dorothy Peace.

Petitionary letter read from the Lewis Avenue Free Will Baptist Church. Motion made and properly sustained to accept them into full fellowship and to send their ordained officials before the Credential Board and to seat their delegates. Carried.

Treasurer's report given by Sis. Bonita Hanes. Motion made and properly sustained to accept the report as given. Carried.

Letter of resignation from the Trustee Board from Bro. Leroy Oberg stating he is no longer a member of a church in the Association. Motion made and properly sustained to accept his resignation. Carried.

Nominations in order for the one (1) year position on the Trustee Board. Bro. Joe Layne nominated. Motion made and properly sustained nominations cease and to elect by acclamation. Carried.

Service turned to Bro. John Hewitt. The Arms of Compassion is doing a lot of good things.

Building report given by Bro. Hermon Wood. The building is ready for partitions. Work day will be Friday after Thanksgiving.

Bro. Tom Schulze talked about the White Earth Minnesota Indian Reservation. Bro. Tom is taking food and clothing to the Free Will Baptist Church there. Also, Christmas gifts for the children associated with the church.

Recessed for 10 minutes. Dismissed in prayer by Bro. Danny Hester.

Business reconvened. Singing led by Bro. Joe Layne with Sis. Bonita Hanes at the piano. Song: "Victory in Jesus".

No unfinished business.

Resolution Committee report.

1. Be it resolved that we give Arms of Compassion \$1,000.00 and \$200.00 per month for 12 months.
2. Be it resolved we give Bro. Tom Schulze and family \$800.00 for the trip expenses to White Earth Indian Reservation.
3. Be it resolved we give the White Earth Mission Church a gift of \$1,000.00 to be taken to them with the food boxes.

Motion made and properly sustained to accept this report and vote on it item by item. Carried. #1 carried. #2 carried. #3 carried.

Credential Board report.

"We, the Credential Board, do hereby recommend the following men be accepted into the Northeast Association as ordained deacons: Warren G. Nelson, Arthur McAfee, and Charles Nelson". Motion made and properly sustained to accept the Credential Board's recommendation. Carried.

Four (4) churches made commitments to give \$1,000.00 each toward the principal of the loan for the new dormitory. They are Calvary, Collinsville, Lewis Avenue, and Wagoner.

Motion made and properly sustained to adjourn business. Carried.

## WORSHIP SERVICE

Service led by Bro. Jimmy Layne.

Prayer led by Bro. Rex Hester.

Special song by Joe and Kristin Layne. "Count Your Blessings".  
Special song by Allie Raper. "He Saw It All".

Service turned to Bro. Donnie Bowman for the message.  
Scripture Ez. 22:23-30, Rev. 3:1, Matt. 7:21. The Church will never be any more spiritual than the pastor. We must be either hot or cold, never lukewarm.

We had a time of testimonies and an altar of prayer.

Dismissed in prayer and the blessing asked on the noon meal by Bro. Jimmy Layne.

Clerk: Bonita Hanes

## SECOND QUARTERLY MEETING

February 10, 2007

Wagoner

Meeting called to order by Moderator Bro. Tom Schulze.

Prayer led by Bro. Donnie Bowman.

Devotion by Bro. Jimmy Layne reading from Judges 7:7. "Where is the Spirit leading you?"

Letters called for. Sis. Zaundra Peace read them: Motion made and properly sustained to accept the letters and to seat the delegates. Carried. Delegates asked to stand. Churches reporting were Calvary, Central, Collinsville, Dawson, Dewey, Faith, Miami, Vinita, and Wagoner.

Visiting brethren invited to a seat as advisory council. Bro. Bob Thompson, Bro. James Forlines, Bro. Brad Ransom, and Bro. Thomas and Sis. Leanne Ballard.

Appointment of Resolution Committee: Bro. Donnie Bowman, Sis.

Kristin Layne, and Bro. Rex Hester.

By-laws read by Bro. Jimmy Layne.

Treasurer's report given by Sis. Bonita Hanes. Motion made and properly sustained to accept the report as given. Carried.

Election of officers.

Motion made and properly sustained to declare the 3-year position on the Credential Board open. Carried. Nominations for the 3-year position on the Credential Board. Bro. Donnie Bowman nominated. Motion made and properly sustained nominations cease and to elect by acclamation. Carried.

Building report by Bro. Hermon Wood. There will be a work day on March 10, 2007.

Clerk read a card from the Harvest Free Will Baptist Church in White Earth, Minnesota thanking the Association for their generous gift, also for the food boxes, clothing, and Christmas gifts for the children.

Bro. Bill Haynes spoke concerning his counseling service and radio program.

Bro. Bob Thompson spoke to us about Hillsdale. There are several events coming up - Pastor's Day, Senior Saints Day, and the annual auction. He encouraged everyone to support all of the events. Please do not forget "Have A Heart".

Bro. Brad Ransom, our new State Missions Director, spoke about our state mission work. He asked that we pray that the Lord would send forth laborers.

Bro. James Forlines, representing International Missions, showed slides about our international work. The churches have reproduced tremendously. There is a wave of Free Will Baptists answering the call to missions!

Motion made and properly sustained to buy a table for the auction at Hillsdale on April 28, 2007. Carried.

Motion made and properly sustained to give Casey Jones \$500.00 for his trip to Russia. Carried. This is to be taken out of the General Fund.

Ten minute recess. Dismissed in prayer by Bro. Mark Goode.

Business reconvened.

Prayer by Bro. Rex Hester.

Motion made and properly sustained to give \$1,000.00 to Have A Heart in memory of Bro. Wade Jernigan. Carried.

Motion made and properly sustained to declare the following offices vacant: 3-year position on the Trustee Board, 1-year position on the Trustee Board, 3-year position on the Christian Education Board., 1-year position on the Missionary Board. Carried.

Nominations for the 3-year position on the Trustee Board. Bro. Bill Haynes. Motion made and properly sustained nominations cease and to elect by acclamation. Carried.

Nominations for the 1-year position on the Trustee Board. Bro. Hermon Wood. Motion made and properly sustained nominations cease and to elect by acclamation. Carried.

Nominations for the 3-year position on the Christian Education Board. Bro. Danny Hester. Motion made and properly sustained nominations cease and to elect by acclamation. Carried.

Nominations for the 1-year position on the Missionary Board. Sis. Shawna Schulze. Motion made and properly sustained nominations cease and to elect by acclamation. Carried.

Motion made and properly sustained to adjourn business. Carried.

## WORSHIP SERVICE

Worship service led by Bro. Jimmy Layne.

Prayer led by Bro. Bob Thompson.

Song led by Bro. Jimmy Layne. "I Shall Not Be Moved".

Special by Bro. Mark Goode. "They'll Never Take Jesus Out of My Heart".

Special by Sis. Kristin Layne. "Still on Time".

Service turned to Bro. Tom Schulze for the message. Scripture – Numbers 11:4-6. "The mixed multitude – a promiscuous assemblage".

They longed for what they once had never looking toward what they could have. We need to follow hard after God. Good message.

We sang "Amazing Grace" as the invitation was given.

Dismissed in prayer and the blessing asked on the noon meal by Bro. Danny Hester.

Clerk: Bonita Hanes

### **THIRD QUARTERLY MEETING**

May 12, 2007

Central, Tulsa, OK

Service opened with prayer by Bro. Max Campbell.

Special by Bro. Mark Goode: "Drinking From My Saucer".

Devotion by Bro. Donnie Bowman. He read from Matthew 22:7-9.

Body called into conference by Bro. Tom Schulze.

Letters called for. Sis. Lisa Goode read them. Delegates added to Dawson's letter. Churches reporting were Calvary, Central, Collinsville, Dawson, Dewey, Faith, Miami, and Wagoner. Motion made and properly sustained to accept the letters and to seat the delegates. Carried.

Appointment of Resolution Committee. Sis. Zaundra Peace, Sis. Ida Belle Long, and Sis. Mary Jones.

Visiting brethren invited to a seat as advisory council. Bro. Mike Wade, who is our new Executive Director, and Bro. Tim Eaton, President of Hillsdale.

By-laws read by Bro. Everett Peace.

Treasurer's report given by Sis. Bonita Hanes. Motion made and properly sustained to accept the report as given. Carried.

Letter of resignation from Bro. Kevin Lewis. "To the Northeast Association. I, Kevin Lewis, resign my position on the Credential Board and the Trustee Board. I have accepted the pastorate at

Heartland Free Will Baptist Church in Elizabethtown, Kentucky. Thanks. Bro. Kevin Lewis". Motion made and properly sustained to accept this resignation. Carried.

Letter of resignation from Bro. Jack Mercer. "To the Free Will Baptist Northeast Association; I, Jack Mercer, wish to resign from the Credential Board as of May 12, 2007. Signed Jack Mercer". Motion made and properly sustained to accept this resignation. Carried.

Trustee Board report by Bro. Hermon Wood. Dormitory is coming along well. There is a work day May 26. Also clean-up day will be June 7.

Service turned to Bro. Mike Wade. He brought greetings from Bro. Earnest Harrison. Bro. Mike said he is looking forward to getting acquainted with the people of Oklahoma.

Service turned to Bro. Tim Eaton. He said Hillsdale needs extra funds to help them through the summer.

Credential Board report. "We, the Credential Board, do hereby recommend the following men: Bro. Roy Crutchfield to be ordained as a Free Will Baptist Deacon and Bro. Mark Goode to be ordained as a Free Will Baptist Minister." Motion made and properly sustained to accept the Board's recommendation concerning Bro. Roy Crutchfield. Carried. Motion made and properly sustained to accept the Board's recommendation concerning Bro. Mark Goode. Carried.

Recess for ten minutes.

Prayer by Bro. Tom Schulze.

Resolution Committee report.

1. Be it resolved that we give Hillsdale \$1,000 in memory of Bro. Wade Jernigan, \$500 to be taken from the Christian Education Fund and \$500 to be taken from the General Fund. Motion made and properly sustained to accept this resolution. Carried.
2. Be it resolved that the Northeast Oklahoma Association of Free Will Baptists adopt a dissolution clause as follows: "In the event that the Northeast Oklahoma Association of Free Will Baptists ever becomes anything other than Free Will Baptist in doctrine or that it becomes disorganized to the point that it can no longer function financially and upon its dissolution, all property and all assets will be designated as property of the Oklahoma State Association of Free Will

Baptists.” Motion made to table until the Annual meeting in August. Motion and second rescinded. Motion made and properly sustained to adopt #2 as temporary until August 2007. Carried.

Election of Officers.

Trustee Board 4-year position. Bro. Nathan Jones nominated. Motion made and properly sustained to elect Bro. Nathan Jones by acclamation. Carried.

Credential Board 4-year position. Bro. Dale Long and Bro. Bill Haynes nominated. Motion made and properly sustained nominations cease and to elect. Carried. Bro. Dale Long elected.

Bro. Bill Haynes resigned his position on the Trustee Board. Motion made and properly sustained to accept this resignation. Carried.

Credential Board 2-year position. Bro. Bill Haynes nominated. Motion made and properly sustained nominations cease and to elect by acclamation. Carried.

Trustee Board 3-year position. Bro. Blake Borgerson nominated. Motion made and properly sustained nominations cease and to elect by acclamation. Carried.

Motion made and properly sustained to adjourn business. Carried.

## WORSHIP SERVICE

Singing lead by Bro. Mark Goode with Sis. Teno at the piano. Songs: “Leaning on the Everlasting Arms” and “I Know Who Holds Tomorrow”. Special by Allie Raper – “Saved By Grace”. Special by Nancy Lawson – “I’d Rather Have Jesus”.

Service turned to Bro. Everett Peace for the message. Song by Bro. Everett Peace – “A Beautiful Life”.

Scriptures: Gen 3:1-6 “God said don’t, but they did”.

2 Samuel 11:1-5 “Lust fulfilled. God said don’t, but he did”;

Acts 5:1-11 “They could have kept it all, but they didn’t. God said don’t, the devil said it’s okay”.

1 Cor. 3:9-15 “The Word says build on Jesus, the world says don’t”.

1 John 2:15-17 “Take the light of Jesus out of our life and the darkness of the world will take His place”. Invitation given.

Dismissed in prayer and blessing asked on the noon meal by Bro. Hermon Wood.

Clerk: Bonita Hanes

## FIFTY-SEVENTH ANNUAL MEETING

August 11, 2007

Faith, Bartlesville, OK

Service led by Bro. Tom Schulze.

Devotion by Bro. Danny Hester.

Letters called for. They were read by Bro. Forrest Hanes. Motion made and properly sustained to accept the letters and to seat the delegates. Carried.

Visiting brethren invited to a seat as advisory council. Bro. Darrell Nichols, Bro. Ben Shaffer, and the Step family from Harvest Child Care Ministries.

By-laws read by Bro. Everett Peace.

Appointment of committees.

Resolution Committee: Sis. Georgia Sanders, Sis. Beverly Anderson, and Bro. Rex Hester.

Obituary Committee: Bro. Danny Bowman, Sis. Dorothy Peace, and Bro. Jack Metcalf.

Treasurer's report given by Bro. Forrest Hanes. Motion made and properly sustained to accept the report as given. Carried.

Petitionary letter read from the Unity Free Will Baptist church in Mazie, OK. Motion made and properly sustained to remand this to the Executive Board. Carried.

Bro. Forrest Hanes read a letter of resignation from Bro. Fred Redfearn. It reads as follows: "To the Executive Board of the Northeast Oklahoma Association of Free Will Baptists; Dear fellow members, It is with great regret that I must inform you of my resignation from the Executive Board. Because of a recent health problem that has arisen, I

cannon serve as a member of the Board at this time. It has been a privilege to serve with each of you. I desire your prayers for my family and me. Yours in Christ, Fred Redfearn." Bro. Redfearn was the 2-year person on the Executive Board. Motion made and properly sustained to accept this resignation. Carried.

Bro. Darrell Nichols gave an informational talk on mission work and TSP.

Bro. Ben Shaffer spoke on his work in old Mexico.

The Step family spoke concerning Harvest Child Care Ministries in Duffield, Virginia.

Nominations in order to fill Bro. Redfearn's position on the Executive Board. Bro. Roy Crutchfield nominated. Motion made and properly sustained nominations cease and to elect by acclamation. Carried.

Bro. Nathan Jones replaced Bro. Rex Hester on the Resolution Committee due to Bro. Hester being needed in the Executive Board meeting.

Bro. Hermon Wood replaced Bro. Donnie Bowman on the Obituary Committee while Bro. Donnie served on the Credential Board.

Prayer by Bro. Darrell Nichols.

Recess.

Business reconvened.

Executive Board report. "We, the Executive Board, do hereby recommend the following: #1. That the Unity Free Will Baptist Church of Mazie, OK be accepted into the Northeast Oklahoma Association of Free Will Baptists. #2. That we accept a dissolution clause as follows: "Upon the dissolution of the Northeast Oklahoma Association of Free Will Baptists, the Trustees shall , after paying or making provision for payment of all liabilities of the Northeast Oklahoma Association of Free Will Baptists, dispose of all the assets of the Northeast Oklahoma Association of Free Will Baptists to such organization (The Free Will Baptist Association to which the Northeast Oklahoma Association belongs) or organizations formed and operated exclusively for religious purposes as shall at the time qualify as an exempt organization or organizations under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (or corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue law) as the Trustees shall determine. Assets may be

distributed only to organizations which agree with the Northeast Oklahoma Association of Free Will Baptists' statement of faith." Motion made and properly sustained to accept recommendation #1. Carried. Motion made and properly sustained to accept recommendation #2. Carried. It shall be item #7 in the constitution.

Motion made and properly sustained to seat the delegates from Unity Free Will Baptist and First Free Will Baptist of Vinita. Carried.

Motion made and properly sustained to purchase a gas grill and a commercial refrigerator for the camp kitchen as funds become available. Carried.

Credential Board report. "We, the Credential Board, do hereby recommend that Bro. Aaron Shaffer be licensed to preach the gospel for a period of one year." Motion made and properly sustained to accept this recommendation. Carried.

The Credential Board asked for a 30-day notice of persons needing to be examined by the Credential Board. This notice will give time for a background check needed for insurance purposes. Motion made and properly sustained to grant this request. Carried.

Obituary Committee report: Betty Chapman from Central; Ruby Burgey from Miami. There were three that were missed on Wagoner's letter – Ed Fleming, Dennis (Denny) Hood, and Roxie Keeton. These three to be recognized next quarter.

Resolution Committee report:

1. Be it resolved we give financial support to the Central Free Will Baptist Church in the amount of \$1,000.00.
2. Be it resolved we give \$500.00 to TSP. Take from the Christian Education Fund.
3. Be it resolved we give \$500.00 to Harvest Child Care Ministries. Take from the Christian Education Fund.
4. Be it resolved we give \$500.00 to House and Food Mission in Mexico. Step Into the Water Ministries earmarked Ben Shaffer.
5. Where as in the 1950's the Northeast Oklahoma Association of Free Will Baptists purchased the Oak Grove School and camp grounds to further the cause of Christ, there have been several families who have given of themselves to the furtherance of the Gospel. It is our desire to honor these families with plaques that will be prominently displayed on their behalf and will also represent all those who have served. The families to be honored with plaques would be the Peace

family, the Wood family, and the Shade family. The plaques may read as follows – The Peace Dining Hall, The Hermon Wood Dormitory, and The Dick Shade Dormitory.

We ask that further planning on this endeavor be handled by the Christian Education Board. Motion made and properly sustained to accept this report and to vote on it item by item. Carried. #1 carried. #2 carried. #3 carried. #4 carried. #4 carried. Please note that the new dormitory is already named in honor of Bro. Wade Jernigan.

Election of officers.

Moderator: Bro. Tom Schulze nominated. Motion made and properly sustained nominations cease and to elect by acclamation. Carried.

Assistant Moderator: Bro. Everett Peace nominated. Motion made and properly sustained nominations cease and to elect by acclamation. Carried.

Clerk: Sis. Bonita Hanes nominated. Motion made and properly sustained nominations cease and to elect by acclamation. Carried.

Assistant Clerk: Bro. Forrest Hanes nominated. Motion made and properly sustained nominations cease and to elect by acclamation. Carried.

Executive Board (5-year position): Bro. Jack Metcalf nominated. Motion made and properly sustained nominations cease and to elect by acclamation. Carried.

Trustee Board (5-year position): Bro. Hermon Wood nominated. Motion made and properly sustained nominations cease and to elect by acclamation. Carried.

Credential Board (5-year position): Bro. Everett Peace nominated. Motion made and properly sustained nominations cease and to elect by acclamation. Carried.

Christian Education Board (5-year position): Bro. Tom Schulze nominated. Motion made and properly sustained nominations cease and to elect by acclamation. Carried.

Christian Education Board (1-year position): Bro. Jay Yaws nominated. Motion made and properly sustained nominations cease and to elect by acclamation. Carried.

Missionary Board (4-year position) – Sis. Mary Jones nominated. Motion made and properly sustained nominations cease and to elect by acclamation. Carried.

Parliamentarian: Bro. Bill Haynes nominated. Motion made and properly sustained nominations cease and to elect by acclamation. Carried.

State General Board Member 2008 - Bro. Rex Hester nominated. Motion made and properly sustained to elect by acclamation. Carried.

Alternate State General Board Member 2008: Bro. Hermon Wood nominated. Motion made and properly sustained nominations cease and to elect by acclamation. Carried.

Quarterly Meetings:

November 10, 2007 – Wagoner

February 9, 2008 – Collinsville

May 10, 2008 – Miami

August 9, 2008 – Faith

Motion made and properly sustained that the Credential Board and the Executive Board meet a week before the quarterly meeting to take care of any business that might be before them. Carried.

Motion made and properly sustained to adjourn business. Carried.

Dismissed in prayer by Bro. Tom Schulze.

## WORSHIP SERVICE

Song: “Revive Us Again”

Sis. Kristen Layne sang “Beulah Land”

Bro. Chris Hester sang “The Cross” and “Another Valley Left Behind”

The Ballard family sang “Praise God, It’s Settled” and “I’m Saved”.

Rex, Danny, and Chris Hester and Thomas Ballard sang “Just A Little Talk With Jesus”

Service turned to Alfredo Botello for the morning message. He read from I Cor. 1:21. Sis. Kim Rivera interpreted.

The body was called back into conference by Bro. Tom Schulze.

Credential Board report: “We, the Credential Board, do hereby recommend the following men be accepted into the Northeast

Association as ordained ministers – Bro. Spirl Hawkins and Bro. Wilburn Clark. Motion made and properly sustained to accept this recommendation. Carried.

Motion made and properly sustained to adjourn. Carried.

Dismissed in prayer and the blessing asked on the noon meal by Bro. Everett Peace.

Minutes taken by Sis. Kaye Raper  
Recorded by Bonita Hanes

**NORTHEAST OKLAHOMA ASSOCIATION OF  
FREE WILL BAPTISTS  
ANNUAL FINANCIAL STATEMENT**

August 1, 2006

July 31, 2007

**INCOME:**

**CALVARY:**

Delegate fee	\$75.00
State Delegate fee	\$50.00
National fee	\$100.00
Minutes	\$20.00
Coop	\$5,950.00
TSP	\$3,125.00
Hillsdale	\$1,759.50
Loan principal	\$1,000.00
Camp fees	\$280.00

**CENTRAL:**

Delegate fee	\$75.00
State Delegate fee	\$50.00
National fee	\$100.00
Minutes	\$20.00
Coop	\$1,665.45
Camp fees	\$280.00

**COLLINSVILLE:**

Delegate fee	\$100.00
State Delegate fee	\$50.00
National Delegate fee	\$100.00
Minutes	\$20.00
Coop	\$11,267.79
TSP	\$5,535.00
Hillsdale	\$2,945.00
Family Ministries	\$90.00
Loan principal	\$1,000.00
Have A Heart	\$40.00
Metcalf Scholarship	\$190.00
Camp fees	\$680.00

**DAWSON:**

Delegate fees	\$100.00
State Delegate fee	\$50.00
National Delegate fee	\$100.00
Minutes	\$20.00

Coop	\$2,387.00
TSP	\$3,025.00
Hillsdale	\$1,100.00

DEWEY:

Delegate fees	\$100.00
State Delegate fee	\$50.00
National Delegate fee	\$100.00
Minutes	\$20.00
Coop	\$600.00
Hillsdale	\$180.00

FAITH:

Delegate fees	\$100.00
State Delegate fee	\$50.00
National Delegate fee	\$100.00
Minutes	\$20.00
Coop	\$1,400.00
TSP	\$1,125.00
Jeff Cates	\$2,000.00
Camp fees	\$585.00

JUBILEE:

Delegate fees	\$25.00
State Delegate fee	\$50.00
National Delegate fee	\$100.00
Minutes	\$20.00

LEWIS AVENUE

Delegate fees	\$25.00
Coop	\$200.00
TSP	\$200.00
Loan principal	\$1,000.00
Camp fees	\$200.00

MIAMI:

Delegate fees	\$100.00
State Delegate fee	\$50.00
National Delegate fee	\$100.00
Minutes	\$20.00
Coop	\$2,024.80
Paul Hammonds	\$100.00
Loan principal	\$200.00
Howard R. Gwartney	\$130.00

**VINITA:**

Delegate fees	\$75.00
State Delegate fee	\$50.00
National Delegate fee	\$100.00
Minutes	\$20.00
Coop	\$3,565.01

**WAGONER:**

Delegate fees	\$75.00
State Delegate fee	\$50.00
National Delegate fee	\$100.00
Minutes	\$20.00
Coop	\$600.00
TSP	\$900.00
Dorm fund	\$916.50
Loan principal	\$1,000.00

**MISCELLANEOUS:**

Fugate Realty (rent)	\$10,609.00
Stephens (donation)	\$150.00
Glenn Stephens (Shade Scholarship)	\$50.00
Boyd (donation)	\$200.00
RCB (loan)	\$80,000.00
CK #2569 to Jubilee (never cashed)	\$123.01
Mary Wood (Sam's card)	\$35.00
Forrest Hanes (Sam's card)	\$35.00
Antioch Christian Fellowship (donation)	\$2,400.00
Camp fees	\$4,505.00
Concessions	\$872.50
Faith Temple (donation)	\$600.00
Joni Hart (donation)	\$75.00

TOTAL INCOME \$161,450.56

BALANCE FORWARD \$19,876.04

TOTAL \$181,326.60

**PAID OUT:****STATE ASSOCIATION:**

Coop	\$2,966.10
Hillsdale	\$7,108.91
TSP	\$16,789.49

State Delegate fee	\$500.00
National Delegate fee	\$1,000.00
Paul Hammonds	\$100.00
Hillsdale (memory of W. T. Jernigan)	\$1,000.00
Family Ministries	\$90.00
Have A Heart	\$1,040.00
Jernigan Scholarship	\$1,000.00
Metcalf Scholarship	\$190.00
Shade Scholarship	\$50.00
Arms of Compassion	\$2,800.00
Howard R. Gwartney	\$130.00
Jeff Cates	\$2,000.00

#### MISCELLANEOUS:

Danny Pavey	\$200.00
Miami (delegate fee for May)	\$25.00
Collinsville (lunch)	\$200.00
Allie Raper (nursery)	\$25.00
Harvest Child Care	\$1,000.00
Forrest Hanes (gift)	\$1,000.00
Steel Service	\$21,761.44
Everett Peace (mowing)	\$3,200.00
Risley Trash Service	\$180.00
Rogers County Planning Commission	\$605.00
VVEC	\$2,377.36
Rogers County (file deed)	\$13.00
RCB (closing costs)	\$1,814.00
Church Mutual	\$3,525.00
Hermon Wood (copying plans)	\$9.77
Vinco Concrete Construction	\$15,000.00
Sills Plumbing	\$13,750.00
Jerry Joplin (erection of building)	\$8,437.50
RCB (payment)	\$16,714.70
Office Depot	\$213.18
Calvary (lunch)	\$200.00
Shawna Schulze (nursery)	\$25.00
Tom Schulze (gift)	\$800.00
Harvest F.W.B. Church	\$1,000.00
Burns Propane	\$259.40
RCB (stop payment)	\$25.00
Rogers County Treasurer	\$1,145.80
Lowe's	\$3,777.08
Water Dist. #4	\$778.58
Hermon Wood (supplies)	\$49.87
Hillsdale (Casey Jones tuition)	\$900.00
Wagoner (lunch)	\$200.00

Hillsdale (auction table)	\$600.00
RCB (deposit box)	\$28.00
Casey Jones (mission trip)	\$500.00
Sam's (card renewal)	\$70.00
Hermon Wood	\$58.61
Postmaster (stamps)	\$41.00
Check Unlimited	\$123.70
A.OK Sign	\$75.00
Adam Leichner (evangelist)	\$500.00
Central F.W.B.	\$1,500.00
Central (lunch)	\$175.00
Collinsville (returned camp fees)	\$80.00
Coppedge Septic	\$100.00
Danny Ledbetter	\$1,000.00
Darrell Koenig (lateral lines)	\$850.00
Dollar General	\$78.00
Dorothy Peace (shower head)	\$80.87
Everett Peace	\$53.00
Everett Peace (oven)	\$760.00
Everett Peace (stove)	\$301.40
Expression T-Shirts	\$750.00
Fugate Trucking (gravel)	\$370.00
G & M Building Center	\$1,257.05
Grant Ledbetter (evangelist)	\$500.00
J.L's Electric	\$8,817.81
Locke Supply	\$5,282.19
Office Everything	\$53.35
Paul's Heat & Air	\$8,000.00
Reasor's	\$797.35
Returned check	\$20.00
Russell Smith (sheet rock)	\$2,000.00
Sam's	\$3,135.54
Suzi Campion (craft supplies)	\$88.92
Thomas Ballard (paint)	\$176.11
Thomason A/C	\$465.00
Wal-Mart	\$130.81

TOTAL PAID OUT \$174,794.89

BALANCE \$6,531.71

BALANCE IN FUNDS:

General	\$1,520.29
Christian Education	\$2,857.79
Trustee	\$1,393.65

Tuition	\$600.00
Camp Repair	\$159.98
Dorm	<u>\$0.00</u>
	\$6,531.71

**NORTHEAST OKLAHOMA ASSOCIATION  
OF FREE WILL BAPTISTS  
DISTRICT WOMAN'S AUXILIARY**

**FIRST QUARTERLY MEETING**

November 9, 2006

Collinsville

Meeting called to order by Sister Betty Meeks, District President. Meeting opened in prayer by Sister Bonita Hanes. Sister Allie Raper led the group in singing "He Set Me Free" and "Stand Up, Stand Up for Jesus" with Sister Mary Jones at the piano.

Sister Dorothy Etheredge gave the welcome and read Psalm 90:17. The devotional was given by Sister Kaye Raper.

The following committees were appointed:

Registration Committee: Sisters Ida Belle Long and Bonita Hanes

Resolution Committee: Sisters Cindy Frisbie, Hellen Henry, and Mary Wood

Finance Committee: Sisters Kaye Raper and Janell Heath

An offering was taken and the Finance Committee reported \$46.75 was received.

Following a ten-minute recess, Sister Mary Jones read the minutes of the August 17, 2006 meeting. Motion was made and properly sustained to accept the minutes as read.

Sister Kaye Raper read the Treasurer's Report. Motion was made and properly sustained to accept the Treasurer's Report as read.

Sister Mary Jones read letters from Calvary, Collinsville, Miami, and Wagoner. Motion was made and properly sustained to accept the letters as read.

The Registration Committee reported 26 members and 4 visitors present for a total of 30. Calvary won the trophy with 6 members present.

The Resolution Committee reported the following resolutions:

1. Be it resolved that we accept Jordan Duncan as a quarterly project. Jordan is an 8 year old with an inoperable brain tumor.
2. Be it resolved that we accept the White Earth Indian Reservation as a quarterly project.

3. Be it resolved that we encourage each other.

Motion made and properly sustained to accept Resolution #1 and #3. Resolution #2 was withdrawn for amendment.

Motion made and properly sustained to give \$300 to the White Earth Indian Reservation.

Prayer Chairman Sister Ida Belle Long distributed prayer requests and asked all to pray for each request.

Sister Hellen Henry sang "Amazing Grace: in Cherokee.

Sister Mary Jones read the State projects which are:

1. The mission church in Grove, Oklahoma
2. Additional lighting at Hillsdale campus.

Motion made and properly sustained to accept the State projects.

The meeting was turned over to Sister Buffy Lewis who gave her personal testimony.

Motion made and properly sustained to adjourn. The meeting was adjourned with prayer and blessing of the food.

Respectfully submitted,

Respectfully submitted,

Mary Jones, District Secretary

## SECOND QUARTERLY MEETING

February 8, 2007

Calvary

Meeting called to order by Sister Betty Meeks, District President. Meeting opened in prayer by Bro. Tom Schulze. "Power in the Blood" and "Heavenly Sunlight" were led by Sister Hellen Henry with Sister Bonita Hanes at the piano.

Minutes of the November 9, 2006 meeting were read with a correction of Sister Hellen Henry's name noted. Motion made and properly sustained to accept the minutes as corrected.

Sister Wanda Metcalf read the Treasurer's report. Motion made and properly sustained to accept the report as read.

Sister Georgia Sanders welcomed the group.

The following committees were appointed:

Registration Committee: Sisters Patricia Clinton and Bonita Hanes

Resolution Committee: Sisters Shawna Schulze, Mary Wood, and Judy Battenfield

Finance Committee: Sisters Wanda Metcalf and Janell Heath

An offering was collected followed by a ten-minute recess.

The Registration Committee reported 18 members and 6 visitors present. Calvary was awarded the trophy with 9 members attending.

The Finance Committee reported the offering received was \$63.67.

The Resolution Committee reported the following resolutions:

1. Be it resolved that Jordan Duncan be accepted as the quarterly project.
2. Be it resolved that the Missionary Provision Closet be accepted as the quarterly project.
3. Be it resolved that we send \$100 to the Panama Project.
4. Be it resolved that we give \$100 to tonight's speaker.

Motion made and properly sustained to vote on resolutions by item.  
Motion made and properly sustained to accept each resolution.

Letters from Calvary and Collinsville were ready by Sister Mary Jones.  
Motion was made and properly sustained to accept the letters as read.

Study Chairman Hellen Henry gave a devotional and distributed study material titled "A Sample of Scriptural Sins to Read Before Confessing Sins in Prayer".

Special music was presented by Sister Allie Raper who sang "Unfailing Love" and Sister Hellen Henry who sang "I Believe Jesus".

The service was then turned over to Brother Tom Schulze. Brother Tom gave an update on the White Earth Indian Reservation project and brought a sermon titled "Pleasing God". Scripture from Hebrews 11:1 & 5, Jude 14, and Proverbs 17:1 were read.

Prayer requests were taken by Sister Betty Meeks.

Motion made and properly sustained to adjourn. The meeting was adjourned with prayer and blessing of the food by Sister Wanda Metcalf.

Respectfully submitted,

Mary Jones, District Secretary

### THIRD QUARTERLY MEETING

May 10, 2007

Miami

Meeting called to order by Sister Betty Meeks, District President. Meeting opened in prayer by Bro. Hermon Wood. Sister Judy Battenfield led the group in singing "Lily of the Valley" and "I Want to Know More" with Sister Mary Jones at the piano.

The offering was received and committees were appointed.

Resolution Committee: Sisters Judy Battenfield and Lisa Goode.  
Finance Committee: Sisters Wanda Metcalf and Janell Heath  
Registration Committee: Sister Bonita Hanes

The minutes of the February 8, 2007 meeting were read by Sister Mary Jones. Motion was made and properly sustained to accept the minutes with a correction to add the offering amount.

Motion made and properly sustained to accept the Treasurer's Report as read by Sister Wanda Metcalf.

Letters were read from Collinsville and Miami. Motion made and properly sustained to accept the letters.

The meeting resumed after a brief recess.

The Resolution Committee reported the following resolutions:

1. Be it hereby resolved that we give \$200 to the district campgrounds.
2. Be it hereby resolved that the quarterly project will be to raise money for the Missionary's Provision Closet.

Motion made and properly sustained to vote on each resolution separately. Motion made and properly sustained to accept resolution #1. Motion made and properly sustained to accept resolution #2.

The Finance Committee reported the offering received was \$50.00.

An announcement was made that a meeting of the nominating committee will be scheduled. The nominating committee will include the President and 1 member from each local group.

Sister Kaye Raper reviewed the calendar of events. Sister Wanda Metcalf requested prayer for Jordan and prayer was led by Bro. Mark Goode.

The meeting was adjourned from business and the service was turned to Bro. Kevin Lewis who opened in prayer. Sister Allie Raper sang "Saved by Grace" and Bro. Mark Goode sang "Sometimes".

The message, titled "I Will Praise Thee", was given by Bro Kevin. Scripture read from Psalm 9:1-2.

A motion from the floor was made and properly sustained to give the speaker \$100.

Dismissed in prayer and blessing of the food by Sister Lisa Goode.

Respectfully submitted,

Mary Jones, District Secretary

## ANNUAL DISTRICT MEETING

August 9, 2007

Wagoner

Meeting called to order by Sister Betty Meeks, District President. Meeting opened in prayer by Bro. Hermon Wood. Sister Judy Battenfield led the group in singing "I Know Who Holds Tomorrow" and "When We All Get to Heaven" with Sister Mary Jones at the piano.

The following committees were appointed:

Resolution Committee: Sisters Mary Wood, Hellen Henry, Betty Gotcher

Finance Committee: Sisters Wanda Metcalf and Janell Heath

Registration Committee: Sisters Judy Battenfield, Ida Belle Long, Kaye Raper

Letters were read from Claremore, Collinsville, Miami, and Wagoner. Motion made and properly sustained to accept the letters.

The meeting resumed after a brief recess.

The Registration Committee reported 30 members and 6 visitors present with Wagoner winning the trophy.

The minutes of the May 10, 2007 meeting were ready by Sister Mary Jones. Motion was made and properly sustained to accept the minutes as read.

The Treasurer's Report was read by Sister Wanda Metcalf. Motion made and properly sustained to accept the Treasurer's Report as read.

The Resolution Committee reported the following resolutions:

1. Be it hereby resolved that we raise money for the Panama Project in the next quarter.
2. Be it hereby resolved that F.W.B. Family Ministries will be our quarterly project.
3. Be it hereby resolved that we give Bro. Darrell Nichols \$300.00.

Motion made and properly sustained to vote on each resolution separately. Motion made and properly sustained to accept resolution #1. Motion made and properly sustained to table resolution #2. Motion made and properly sustained to accept resolution #3.

Prayer Chairman, Sister Ida Belle Long, asked for prayer requests and she led the group in prayer.

The Watch Word devotional was given by Sister Mary Jones from II Cor. 4:8-10.

The Nominating Committee report was read by Sister Mary Jones. Motion was made and properly sustained to vote on each office and officers were elected as follows:

President: Sister Kaye Raper  
Vice President: Sister Bonita Hanes  
Secretary: Sister Mary Jones  
Assistant Secretary: Sister Cindy Frisbie  
Treasurer: Sister Wanda Metcalf

Assistant Treasurer: Sister Rita Hallett  
Study Chairman: Sister Hellen Henry  
Prayer Chairman: Sister Ida Belle Long

Motion was made and properly sustained to adjourn from business and the service was turned to Bro. Darrell Nichols, Missionary and Hillsdale professor.

Respectfully submitted,

Mary Jones, District Secretary

**NORTHEAST DISTRICT OW AFC AUXILIARY  
ANNUAL FINANCIAL STATEMENT  
AUGUST 1, 2006 THROUGH JULY 31, 2007**

Paid In	\$2,498.90
Paid Out:	
Missions	890.22
Children Home	321.90
Colleges	209.00
Scholarships	119.00
Campground	120.50
Benevolent	460.00
Rep Fee	335.50
Miss.	<u>321.63</u>
 TOTAL	 \$2,777.75
 Bank Balance	 \$1,325.77

Wanda Metcalf, District Treasurer

## **DISTRICT WOMAN'S AUXILIARY PROGRAM 2007- 2008**

Theme – "Signs of the Time"

Date: November 8, 2007  
Place: Collinsville  
Welcome: Dorothy Etheredge  
Watchword: Mark 13:33 – Take ye heed  
Speaker: Missionary or Pastor

Date: February 7, 2008  
Place: Calvary  
Welcome: Adalade Wilson  
Watchword: Matthew 24:12, 13 – Love shall wax cold  
Speaker: Missionary or Pastor

Date: May 8, 2008  
Place: Wagoner  
Welcome: Sharon Marsey  
Watchword: Matthew 24:50 – Be aware  
Speaker: Missionary or Pastor

Date: August 7, 2008  
Place: Miami  
Welcome: Cindy Frisbie  
Watchword: Luke 17:34-36 – Two taken, two left  
Speaker: Missionary or Pastor

## Banquet

Date: March 29, 2008

Place: Collinsville

Time: 6:00pm

### Menu:

Ham – Collinsville

Turkey – Wagoner

Mashed potatoes – Calvary

Green beans – Collinsville

Corn – Collinsville

Salad – Miami

Bread & butter – Miami

Dessert: Cobblers – Wagoner, Sugar-free cobbler – Bonita Hanes

All churches invited.

## CHURCHES

<u>Calvary Free Will Baptist</u> 1921 Holly Road Claremore, OK 74017 Pastor: Tom Schulze 10605 S. 4240 Rd., Chelsea, OK 74016 Clerk: Ida Belle Long 14390 S. 4210 Rd., Claremore, OK 74017	341-6296   341-6393  341-3625
<u>Central Free Will Baptist</u> 835 E. 46 <sup>th</sup> St. N. Tulsa, OK 74126 Pastor: Clerk: Joyce Yaws 6263 E. King Pl., Tulsa, OK 74115	425-1111    619-9721
<u>Collinsville Free Will Baptist</u> 15320 N. 169 Hwy. Collinsville, OK 74021 Pastor: Hermon Wood 15317 N. 137 <sup>th</sup> E. Ave., Collinsville, OK 74021 Clerk: Bob Shoate 8813 E. 176 <sup>th</sup> St. N., Collinsville, OK 74021	371-2730   371-6416  630-4013
<u>Dawson Free Will Baptist</u> 2044 N. Darlington Pl. Tulsa, OK 74115 Pastor: Max Campbell 9905 N. Harvard, Sperry, OK 74073 Clerk: Bernice Shepherd 2015 N. Fulton Ave., Tulsa, OK 74115	835-1794   288-6110  838-3736
<u>Dewey First Free Will Baptist</u> 418 7 <sup>th</sup> St. Dewey, OK 74029 Pastor: Everett Peace 1223 N. Front St., Dewey, OK 74029 Clerk: Zandra Peace 1223 N. Front St., Dewey, OK 74029	534-1699   534-1618  534-1618

<u>Faith Free Will Baptist</u> 5210 S.E. Washington Blvd. Bartlesville, OK 74006	333-3773
Pastor: Danny Hester 24228 N. 3965 Rd, Bartlesville, OK 74006	333-7590
Clerk: Joyce Ropp 1690 Durham Rd., Bartlesville, OK 74006	534-3160
<u>Miami First Free Will Baptist</u> 2336 N. Main St. Miami, OK 74354	542-5889
Pastor: Mark Goode 28 E. Church Ave, Fairland, OK 74343	676-5381
Clerk: Cindy Frisbie 936 Pine St., Miami, OK 74354	542-6066
<u>Unity Free Will Baptist</u> 208 W. Broadway Mazie, OK 74337	260-7951
Pastor: Jimmy Layne 305 E. Second, Wagoner, OK 74467	485-4267
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