


**MINUTES**  
of the  
**149th Annual Session**  
of  
**OLD MOUNT ZION**  
**ASSOCIATION**  
OF  
**FREE WILL BAPTISTS**

Convened At  
**Association Building**  
**May 3 - May 5, 1990**

The next session of Old Mount Zion Association will convene at the Association Building on the first Thursday night of May, 1991. May 2, 3, and 4, 1991 evening services are at 7:30 p.m.; morning services begin at 9:30 a.m. First service Thursday, May 2, 1991, at 7:30 p.m.

  
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**ELD. ERNEST JOHNSON**  
To Deliver the Introductory Sermon  
**ELD. ELLIS DOYLE**  
Alternate

*Re-elected*  
*Ernest Johnson, Assistant Moderator*

*Debra Haywood*  
*Ernest Johnson*  
*Assistant*

## ORDER OF BUSINESS

1. Association called to order by the Moderator and in his absence, by the Clerk.
2. Introductory Sermon.
3. Appointment of Committee on Committees by the Moderator.
4. Letters from churches composing the Association called for, read, and messengers invited to seats.
5. Corresponding Associations.
6. Right hand of fellowship.
7. Call for letters from newly organized churches.
8. Reading of the Rules of Order by the Moderator or Clerk.
9. Election of permanent officers.
10. Reports of committees appointed last Association and other unfinished business.
11. Report of new committees.
12. New business.
13. Reading and adopting minutes.
14. Adjournment.

Union Ass'n - in Sept.  
State Ass'n - Aug. 13-14

## PROCEEDINGS THURSDAY EVENING

The 149th annual session of Old Mount Zion Association of Free Will Baptists was called together by the Moderator, Elder Paul Payne. Elder O.D. Winfrey of Wynne, Arkansas led in prayer. Elder Eldon Bagwell led the congregational singing with Sister Shirley Sizemore at the piano. Songs were *Amazing Grace* and *When We All Get to Heaven*.

A word of appreciation was given Westside Freewill Baptist Church for donating song books to the Association.

A short devotional was given by the Moderator using Galations 6:1-7.

The congregation sang *Oh, How I Love Jesus*, led by Elder Eldon Bagwell with Sister Shirley Sizemore at the piano.

Elder Ernest Johnson, Assistant Moderator, introduced the speaker for the evening message, the speaker being Elder Tommy Day. Elder Day rendered a solo before his message entitled, "I'm So Glad I Found My Jesus." An article taken from a recent teacher's quarterly was read just before the message. The message was entitled, "The Secret of the Early Church." Four points were emphasized: preaching, praying, powerful and productive. Scriptures used were from Acts 10:34-36; Acts 4:31; Acts 4:4; Acts 2:41; Acts 5:29-32; Acts 16:5; and II Timothy 4:1. The closing song was *I Want to Be a Worker*. All ministers present were requested to gather around the altar for prayer.

Visitors from other areas, Elder O.D. Winfrey and Brother Terry Eagleton were recognized and welcomed by the Moderator.

COMMITTEE ON COMMITTEES was appointed as follows: Elders Norman Cline, Cecil Case, Earl Dean Morris, Noel Easterling and Cecil Garrison. Elder Norman Cline was appointed chairman.

An offering of \$209.35 was taken during the singing of *When the Saints Go Marching In*.

A motion carried to adjourn until 9:30 a.m. Friday, May 4, 1990.

Benediction was given by Elder Glen Faulkner.

## FRIDAY MORNING SESSION

Service opened with prayer by Bro. Terry Eagleton from Randall House Publications. Elder Eldon Bagwell led the congregation in singing, with Sister Shirley Sizemore at the piano. Songs were *Since He Gave Me This Heart of Love* and *In the Shadow of the Cross*. Rules of Order were read by the Moderator, Elder Paul Payne. A short devotion was given by the Moderator using scripture from Daniel 1:1-16.

Letters from the churches were read. Delegates were asked to gather in front of the altars, and they were seated by prayer led by the Moderator. The Committee on Committees was dismissed for their meeting.

A letter from the Arkansas Valley Association recommending Elder Deryl Hodges was read. Elder Hodges had been accepted into the Old Mt. Zion Association during the Quarterly Council Meeting on February 3, 1990.

A letter of thanks from Bro. David Joslin, Promotional Director of the Arkansas Free Will Baptists, was read.

### **Election of Permanent Officers**

Moderator--Elder Eldon Bagwell

Assistant Moderator--Elder Ernest Johnson

Clerk--Dorothy Lathrop

Assistant Clerk--Ann Johnson

Youth Camp report was read by the Clerk, and it was accepted as read. Elder Deryl Hodges was elected to the Youth Camp Board for a term of five years.

Newsletter report given by Sister Gayla Haywood, accepted as read. Sister Gayla was re-elected as Editor of the Newsletter; Elder Lowell Bradley, advisor.

Women's Auxiliary report read by the Clerk. Report accepted as read.

Bro. Terry Eagleton gave a few comments about Randall House Publications and thanked the churches for all their support in the past.

### **COMMITTEE ON COMMITTEES**

Report as Follows:

(Brothers and Sisters)

OBITUARIES: Judy Payne, Velma Cline, Judy Bowen, Mildred Shepherd, and Jewell Walden.

FINANCE: Gayla Haywood, Shirley Sizemore, Mildred Hale, Jim Crocker, and Ruby Cline.

RESOLUTION COMMITTEE: Claude Hendrix, Scott Marrs, Gordon Bradshaw, Eldon Bagwell, and Arthur Lee Galloway.

NON-REPRESENTED CHURCHES: Roy Edgmon, Tom Lathrop, Leonard Harrison, William McGarrah, and Buster Harrell.

DIVINE SERVICE: Cecil Garrison, Loy Counts, Cecil Case, Rickey Grimes, and Lester Harp.

Elder Norman Cline, Chairperson

Business session dismissed until 1:00 p.m. this date.

Elder Gordon Bradshaw dismissed in prayer.

### **FRIDAY MORNING SERVICE**

Congregational singing conducted by Bro. Steve Reeves with Sister Shirley Sizemore at the piano. Songs were *Just a Little Talk With Jesus* and *Joy Unspeakable*.

Special song rendered by Sister Geneva Faulkner entitled *Satisfied*.

Elder Eldon Bagwell brought the message, reading scripture from Jude 1-4. A portion of Chapter 13 from the Free Will Baptist Treatise was read. This chapter deals with the Preserverance of the Saints and also Salvation a Present Possession. Scripture from II Peter 1:4-10 was also read.

The congregation sang *Just As I Am*.

Elder Ernest Johnson dismissed in prayer.

## **FRIDAY AFTERNOON BUSINESS SESSION**

Moderator Elder Paul Payne called the session to order. Elder Noel Easterling led in prayer.

Elder Arthur Lee Galloway talked about the Old Mt. Zion Association praying about some type of support for Evangelist Elder Lonnie Burks.

Elder O.D. Winfrey, State Evangelist from Wynne, Arkansas, spoke about their work in Wynne.

Christian Education Board report given by Elder Lester Harp; report accepted as read. Bro. Lloyd Jones re-elected to the Christian Education Board for a term of five years. Bro. Jones had not served a full five year term on this board; therefore, Amendment No. 1 to Article 5 of the Constitution was waived.

Radio report was given by Elder Noel Easterling, and it was accepted as read. Elder Easterling was re-elected as radio pastor. Sister Hazel Easterling re-elected as secretary-treasurer for the radio program.

Home Mission Board Report given by Elder Terry Mudd and accepted as given. Elder Paul Payne resigned from the Home Mission Board due to a conflict with other duties. Elder Finas Kendig was elected to fill the three year term vacated by Elder Payne. Elder Norman Cline was elected for a term of five years.

Brother Scott Marrs was elected to the Board of Trustees for a term of five years. Brother Marrs had only filled a portion of the term as he had been elected to fill a vacancy created by the resignation of Brother Fred Archer in 1988.

Divine Service Committee report was given by Elder Cecil Garrison and accepted as given.

The Clerk gave the balance on hand in the Emergency Mission Fund as \$367.99. Motion made and carried that we give \$100.00 from this fund to help with the work at Wynne.

Finance Committee report given by Sister Gayla Haywood and accepted as read.

Elder Eldon Bagwell gave an oral report of the Executive Board, written report to be mailed to the Clerk. Report accepted as given. Rickey Grimes elected for a term of five years. Elder Paul Payne



elected for a term of two years to fill the remaining two years vacated by Elder Eldon Bagwell as he was elected as Moderator.

Obituary report read by the Clerk; report accepted as read.

Delegates to the State Association at Conway are Sisters Ann Johnson, Judy Payne, Mary Johnson, Mary Lee Reeves, Bro. Alton Reeves, and Sister Willie Bohannon, alternate.

Delegates to the United Baptists Old Union Association are Brother Roy Edgmon, Elder Gordon Bradshaw and Elder Norman Cline.

Delegates to the Northwest Association of Free Will Baptists are Brother Tom and Sister Dorothy Lathrop.

Congregation sang *I Love to Walk With Jesus*, led by Elder Eldon Bagwell with Sister Mable Phillips at the piano. Meeting adjourned until 9:30 a.m. Saturday morning.

### FRIDAY NIGHT SERVICE

Meeting was opened with prayer by Elder Cecil Case. Brother Tom Lathrop led the singing with Sister Dorothy Lathrop at the piano. Songs were *Stand Up For Jesus* and *It Won't Be Very Long*.

The Lathrops rendered a song and recitation entitled *This is Just What Heaven Means to Me*.

A word of thanks and appreciation was given the Pea Ridge Church for their preparation for the Communion and Feet Washing service.

A mixed group from Victory Free Will Baptist Church sang a special entitled *Victory*.

Assistant Moderator Elder Ernest Johnson introduced the speaker for the evening, Elder Dale Kester. Bro. Kester's message was entitled, "A Man With Clean Feet and a Dirty Heart." Passages of scripture were read from I Corinthians 11:26 and John 13:6-27. An invitation was given to those who felt a need for prayer. Invitational song was *Near the Cross*. Several gathered at the altar for a season of prayer.

The moderator gave a few words of thought and then led in prayer. Elder Payne asked for four men who felt led to come for the serving of the Communion. Elders Loy Counts, Norman Cline, Cecil Case and Ernest Johnson came forward to serve. Elder Loy Counts prayed the blessing on the breaking of the bread. Elder Norman Cline prayed the blessing on the cup.

After the Communion service was completed, the feet washing service was conducted with 22 women and 36 men participating in this service.

Elder Eldon Bagwell led the song, *What a Savior*.

Service was dismissed with an old fashioned handshake, while singing *I'll Have a New Life*.

## SATURDAY MORNING SESSION

Service was opened by welcoming our visitors. Elder George Harvey, missionary to Phoenix, Arizona; Wendell Leckbee, Masters Men of North Little Rock; and Bro. James C. Kelley from Rock House Free Will Baptist Church at Berryville. Elder Randy Burris led in prayer.

Elder Cecil Garrison led the singing with Sister Shirley Sizemore at the piano. Songs were *When the Roll is Called Up Yonder, I'll Be Satisfied*, and *That's Why I Love Him So*.

Quarterly Council meeting report read by Sister Shirley Sizemore, and it was accepted as read.

The Victory Free Will Baptist Church is to be responsible for the Communion Service in 1991.

Bro. Carl Johnson, Elder Rickey Grimes and Sister Shirley Sizemore are to direct the registration of deacons, delegates, and ministers on Thursday, May 2, 1991, and Friday, May 3, 1991. It is requested that they arrive early.

The Clerk read the report from the Non-Represented Churches Committee. Report accepted as read.

Motion carried to order 1,000 minutes printed, 50 to be sent to the Union Association of United Baptists and 50 to Northwest Association of Free Will Baptists.

Elder George Harvey gave a few comments about going to Phoenix, Arizona as missionaries and the work there.

Bro. Wendell Leckbee spoke about the work of the Masters Men.

The Newsletter will change time of printing to coincide with the regular Quarterly Council Meetings.

Resolution Committee Report read by Elder Claude Hendrix, accepted as read. Each resolution was voted upon individually. Resolution 1 through 5 were all passed. Committee dismissed.

Divine Service Committee of 1989 were called back into session as both speakers scheduled for the 1990 Memorial Service were unable to be present. It was recommended after a season of prayer by the Committee that Elder Arthur Lee Galloway bring the Memorial Service message. Divine Service Committee of 1989 now dismissed.

Elder Glen Faulkner of the Home Mission Board presented a motion that \$500.00 each be given to Elder O.D. Winfrey, Mission Work, and Elder George Harvey, Mission Work. Motion passed that this be given from the Home Mission Board funds.

Sealed bids are to be given to the Board of Trustees on the antique piano stool at the Association. This will be handled at the next Quarterly meeting.

All business having been taken care of, motion carried to adjourn until May 2, 1991, at 7:30 p.m. Elder George Harvey dismissed in prayer.

## MEMORIAL SERVICE

Service was opened with singing led by Elder Cecil Garrison, Sister Shirley Sizemore at the piano. Songs were *The Glory-land Way* and *The Unclouded Day*.

Elder Glen Faulkner rendered a special entitled *I Want Us to Be Together in Heaven*.

The Moderator introduced Elder Arthur Lee Galloway as message bearer. Brother Galloway asked that anyone who wished to would gather at the altar for a season of prayer before the message. The Clerk read the names of those who have been called home this past year.

Elder Galloway read the following scriptures throughout his message: Rev. 14:12; Genesis 3:19; Ecclesiastes 12:7; Psalms 39:4; Psalms 9:10; Psalms 23; John 14:1; II Thessalonians 4:13; Rev. 7:4-9; I Corinthians 15:16-23; Acts 26:8; John 11:20-26.

In closing Bro. Galloway requested the audience stand for prayer, and then Elder Glen Faulkner sang one stanza of *I Want Us to be Together in Heaven*.

Bro. Wendell Leckbee dismissed in prayer.

## SATURDAY NIGHT SERVICE

(By Our Youth)

Elder Greig Caswell, Youth Camp Board member, had charge of the Old Mt. Zion Association Youth Service on Saturday night. The service was opened with singing led by Bro. Caswell with Sister Diana Caswell at the piano. Songs were *We Have Come Into His House to Worship Him, Sanctuary*, and *Surely the Presence of the Lord is in This Place*.

Youth from Phillips Chapel presented a skit entitled "Souls of the Blind" and a monologue entitled "Man Out of Time." Youth from Freedom sang *No Other Name, Jesus is Coming Soon, Knock, Knock, Knock, I Heard Jesus Knockin'* and *Made in His Image*. Youth from Clifty Chapel sang *Sing Hallelujah* and *Father We Worship You As One*. Brian Bowerman led in prayer.

There were seven of our churches represented in attendance.

Elder Greig Caswell brought the message entitled "Who in the History of Mankind is the Only Person That Jesus Refused to Save." Scripture was read from Matthew 15. Announcements were made of future events concerning the youth. Bro. Jared Peterson dismissed in prayer.

Refreshments were served to the youth prior to the service. The crowd was small this year, but the spirit was good.



## DELEGATES BY CHURCHES

(Brothers and Sisters)

MT. ZION: By Letter Only

HICKORY GROVE: By Letter Only

CHRISTIAN HOME: Afton Sisco, Edith Sisco, Linda Lane

PILGRIM'S REST: Gustie Reynolds, Verlone Harrison, Sue Taylor

FARMER: Gayla Haywood, Della Mitchell, Jewell Walden

HOPE: Elsie Vaughan, Mildred Hale, Ann Kendrick

FREEDOM: Edward Doyle, Jerry Woods, Donna Doyle

HICKORY FLATT: Glenn E. West

HUNTSVILLE: Geneva Faulkner, Naomi Spurlock, Steve Reeves

PHILLIPS CHAPEL: Ozella Smith, Velma Cline, Pearl Day

ROGERS: Buster Harrell, Zella Vanhook, Leta Mae Scott

FAYETTEVILLE FIRST: Dixie Easterling

CLIFTY CHAPEL: Mildred Shepherd, Reba Gilmer, Dorothy Comer

NEW SULPHUR: William Coyle, Sheila Coyle, Jim Crockett

EUREKA SPRINGS: Richard Kelley, Mildred Kelley, Mattie Glocksien

FAITH: Phyllis Johnson, Betty McKinney, Judy Bowen

WEST RIDGE: By Letter Only

PEA RIDGE: Linda Grimes

VICTORY: Melvin Martin, Sherry Martin, Erma Marrs

CALVARY: Jo Ann Maze, Hazel Easterling

MIDWAY: By Letter Only

GREENLAND: Bennie Lewis, June Lewis

BENTONVILLE: By Letter Only

WESTSIDE: Judy Payne, Dorothy Bloyed, Ruby Cline

DURHAM: By Letter Only

EASTGATE: Jeff Morris

UNITY: By Letter Only

## DIVINE SERVICE COMMITTEE

We, your Divine Service Committee, make the following selections for the 150th Session:

Thursday Evening: (Introductory Message)--Elder Ernest Johnson; Alternate, Elder Ellis Doyle.

Friday Morning: Elder Loy Counts; Alternate, Elder Lowell Bradley

Friday Evening: (Communion & Feet Washing)--Elder Cecil Case; Alternate, Elder Anthony Lane.

Saturday Morning: (Memorial Service)--Elder Cecil Garrison; Alternate, Elder Claude Hendrix.

Bro. Cecil Garrison, Chairman

OK'd

For 1992 { Ellis Doyle Ellis  
Lowell Bradley Wayne Lane  
Anthony Lane —7— Jim Seais  
Claude Hendrix David Watson

## EXECUTIVE BOARD REPORT

We, the Executive Board, submit the following report.

We met and elected Elder Ernest Johnson as Chairman and Elder Gordon Bradshaw as Clerk.

We examined Elder Johnnie Chaffin and found him sound in doctrine and recommend him for ordination.

Gordon Bradshaw, Clerk

## HOME MISSION BOARD REPORT

Balance on hand May 5, 1989 .....	\$4,839.30
Received from May 5, 1989 to May 4, 1990 .....	1,649.57
Paid out .....	2,994.00
Interest earned .....	29.44
Bank shows an additional in account of .....	33.05
Receipts at annual Association .....	466.63
Balance on hand .....	\$4,023.99

Bro. Paul Payne, Chairman

Bro. Terry Mudd, Secretary-Treasurer

## RADIO FUND REPORT

May 4, 1989 to May 3, 1990

Contributions .....	\$3,509.01
Paid out for programs .....	3,740.00
Receipts at annual Association .....	641.48
Balance on hand May 5, 1990 .....	\$1,857.65

Rev. Noel Easterling, Radio Pastor

Sister Hazel Easterling, Secretary-Treasurer

## NON-REPRESENTED CHURCHES

We, your Committee on Non-Represented Churches, find all churches in Old Mt. Zion Association have reported by letter except three, with the promise of sending their letters.

"So we, being many, are one body in Christ, and every one members one of another," Romans 12:5.

Bro. Roy Edgmon, Chairman

## FINANCE REPORT OF YOUTH CAMP AND ASSOCIATION

Balance on hand June 9, 1989 .....	\$1,654.26
Quarterly Receipts .....	\$2,187.29
Churches and Individuals .....	1,077.66
Camp Receipts .....	1,780.25
Concession Receipts .....	211.54
Cook Book Sales .....	15.00
Left Over Groceries from Youth Camp Sold ....	80.80

Youth Retreat Fund Raiser .....	117.53
Total .....	\$7,124.33
Expenses:	
Ozark Electric .....	\$ 554.97
White River Water Assoc. ....	178.01
Southwestern Bell Telephone .....	329.40
Synergy Gas .....	222.62
Northwest Landfill .....	30.00
Farmers Mutual Ins. ....	216.00
Checkbook .....	8.44
Alice Galloway .....	252.18
Groceries .....	1,928.18
Youth Camp Supplies .....	167.18
Youth Camp Banquet .....	160.54
Larry Garrett (pictures) .....	50.00
Mutual Security Life Ins. ....	209.88
Youth Retreat .....	215.37
Salvation Army (TV for Youth Camp) .....	50.00
Skating Promotion .....	20.00
Springdale Tractor .....	31.72
Postage and Printing .....	53.15
Antifreeze .....	12.00
Total .....	\$4,689.64
Balance on hand May 3, 1990 .....	\$2,434.69
Lowell Bradley, Treasurer	

### YOUTH CAMP SPECIAL PROJECT FUND May 3, 1990

Receipts:	
District Women's Auxiliary .....	\$1,506.91
Lowell Bradley, Treasurer	

### QUARTERLY COUNCIL MEETING REPORT Saturday, August 5, 1989

Motion carried to send a letter of recommendation to Mission Association, Missouri concerning Bro. Gary Mitchener.

There were 5 pastors, 40 delegates, 11 ministers, 9 deacons, and 8 visitors registered, making a total of 73 present.

### Saturday, November 4, 1989

Motion carried to broadcast the radio program through station Sweet 16. Motion carried to allow Bro. Noel Easterling to choose either to go directly to station or broadcast from Calvary Church. Motion carried to receive offering for a computer for the State Office. Motion carried to receive Bro. Jesse Carothers back into Old Mt. Zion Association. Motion carried to elect the following officers for the 1989-1990 year: Bro. Ernest Johnson, Moderator; Bro. Randy Burris,

Assistant Moderator; Sis. Shirley Sizemore, Secretary; and Sis. Ann Johnson, Assistant Secretary.

There were 12 pastors, 44 delegates, 10 ministers, 10 deacons, and no visitors registered, making a total of 76 present.

**Saturday, January 27, 1990**

All boards met to complete calendar of events for the coming year with 17 present.

**Saturday, February 3, 1990**

We enjoyed a visit with Bro. Stan Bunch, Missionary to Panama, and Bro. Ron Parker, Missionary to Shreveport, Louisiana. Motion carried to accept Bros. Rue Dell Smith (Phillips Chapel) and Deryl Hodges (Eastgate) into Old Mt. Zion Association. Motion carried to accept Bro. Glen Faulkner to the Home Mission Board. After Bro. Butch Bolinger resigned, motion carried to accept Bro. Jesse Carothers to the Youth Camp Board. Motion carried to give missionaries Bunch and Parker \$250.00 each taken from Home Mission Fund Account. There were 14 pastors, 43 delegates, 15 ministers, 10 deacons, and 5 visitors registered, making a total of 87 present.

Elder Ernest Johnson, Moderator  
Shirley Sizemore, Secretary

*OK reported by Stu*

**DISTRICT WOMAN'S AUXILIARY REPORT  
1989-90**

The Old Mt. Zion Free Will Baptist Woman's Auxiliary consists of eight local auxiliaries: Fayetteville First, Huntsville, New Sulphur, Pilgrim's Rest, Rogers, Victory, West Ridge and West Side with 128 members.

During the 1989-90 associational year, through offerings and special projects, the District Auxiliary disbursed the following: Membership Dues, \$384.00; WNAC Minutes, \$8.00; WNAC Representative and Entertainment Fees, \$40.00; WNAC Emphasis Offering, \$83.00; Home Missions Offering, \$268.02; Foreign Missions Offering, \$239.84; Missionary Accounts - Patsy Vanhook, \$340.00; Dan and Nina Huddleston, \$345.00; Tom and Patty McCullough, \$50.00; Bobby and Sue Aycock, \$43.50; State Project, \$644.44; National Project, \$145.00; FWB Children's Home, \$280.00; Student Loan Fund, \$222.00; Co-Laborer Fund, \$47.85; Special Offering to Sue Aycock, \$300.00; Annual District Commitment to Patsy Vanhook Account, \$300.00; Patsy Vanhook's Newsletters, \$260.06; District Woman's Auxiliary Expenses, \$286.66; Old Mount Zion Youth Camp, \$1,506.91; totaling \$5,794.28 for the period beginning April 30, 1989 and ending May 1, 1990.

Our fund raising project for this year was our annual Walk-a-thon. We held it on April 29 at War Eagle Boat Dock, where we covered seven miles of rolling hills among the lovely trees. We were able to



raise \$1,506.91 for the Old Mount Zion Youth Camp. We have a continuing project going for Patsy Vanhook through the sale of knives by our auxiliary ladies. Again, we wish to thank all of the Auxilaries for the work they do to keep these projects successful.

The 16th annual Woman's Auxiliary Retreat was held Sept. 22 and 23 at Mt. Sequoyah in Fayetteville, Arkansas with 35 ladies attending, which represented eight churches. Our theme was, "One World, One Lord, One Witness." Our guest speaker for the Friday evening program was Sue Aycock, our missionary from Brazil, who spoke on the theme topic. Our Vesper Service on Friday evening was led by Dixie Payne. Saturday morning at 6:00, fourteen ladies attended a Sunrise Service which was conducted by Debra Roach and Thelma Bromley. The morning session was very enlightening to all of us regarding life in Brazil as lived by our missionary, Sue Aycock, and her daughters, Debra and Rebecca. They helped her describe how it is to be missionary children during the question and answer session they presented. It was a very successful retreat and a blessing to all who attended.

Marie Scott, Treasurer  
Debra Roach, President

NEWSLETTER REPORT  
May 4, 1989 - May 3, 1990

Balance May 4, 1989 .....	\$ 340.71
Quarterly Offerings:	
May 1989 .....	317.04
August 1989 .....	332.04
November 1989 .....	332.08
February 1990 .....	333.09
West Ridge Church .....	15.00
Total Receipts .....	\$1,329.25
Expenses:	
Newsletter #83 .....	284.08
Newsletter #84 .....	284.08
Newsletter #85 .....	310.05
Newsletter #86 .....	354.04
Total Printing Costs .....	1,232.25
Supplies .....	42.81
Postage .....	59.92
Total Expenses .....	\$1,334.98
Balance May 3, 1990 .....	\$ 334.98

Gayla Haywood, Editor

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION BOARD REPORT

Balance on hand May 4, 1989 .....	\$ 550.45
Quarterly Receipts .....	1,286.30
Total Receipts .....	\$1,836.75
Expenses:	
Postage - Envelopes .....	50.00
Tax Seminar .....	132.21
Sunday School Seminar .....	30.66
CTS Youth Competition Rally .....	717.31
Service Charge on Checking Account .....	5.00
Total Expenses .....	\$ 935.18
Balance on hand May 3, 1990 .....	\$ 901.57*

\*\$135.00 of this balance is for the Christian School.

Jim Spurlock, Chairman

Lloyd Jones, Secretary-Treasurer

Res. *Foster Haywood*

**FINANCE COMMITTEE**

*Grace Coughlin*

We, your Finance Committee, submit the following report:

Church	Clerk	Minutes	State	National
Mt. Zion	\$ 10.00	\$ 45.00	\$ 25.00	\$ 10.00
Hickory Grove	10.00	12.00	25.00	10.00
Christian Home	10.00	37.50	25.00	10.00
Pilgrim's Rest	10.00	30.00	25.00	10.00
Farmer	10.00	15.00	25.00	10.00
Hope	10.00	45.00	25.00	10.00
Freedom	10.00	60.00	25.00	10.00
Hickory Flat	10.00	None	25.00	10.00
Huntsville	10.00	60.00	25.00	10.00
Phillips Chapel	10.00	112.50	25.00	10.00
Rogers	10.00	60.00	25.00	10.00
First Fayetteville	10.00	30.00	25.00	10.00
Clifty	10.00	45.00	25.00	10.00
New Sulphur	10.00	37.50	25.00	10.00
Eureka Springs	10.00	30.00	25.00	10.00
Faith	10.00	45.00	25.00	10.00
West Ridge	10.00	15.00	25.00	10.00
Pea Ridge	10.00	30.00	25.00	10.00
Victory	10.00	60.00	25.00	10.00
Calvary	10.00	67.50	25.00	10.00
Midway	10.00	18.00	25.00	10.00
Greenland Memorial	10.00	7.50	25.00	10.00
Bentonville	10.00	6.00	25.00	10.00
Durham	10.00	6.00	25.00	10.00
Westside	10.00	37.50	25.00	10.00
Eastgate	10.00	15.00	25.00	10.00
Unity	10.00	30.00	25.00	10.00
Total	\$270.00	\$957.00	\$675.00	\$270.00*
Grand Total				\$2,172.00

Gayla Haywood, Chairman

*Partial Report*

*Mon* *David Bailey* *Bennie McMillan*  
Breakdown of Receipts and Expenditures:

Balance on hand May 4, 1989 ..... \$ 214.96  
Received from Churches at Association ..... 2,128.00  
Interest ..... 31.55  
Total ..... \$2,374.91

Expenditures:

Arkansas State Association of FWB ..... 945.00  
Madison County Record for Printing ..... 963.81  
Dorothy Lathrop, Clerk ..... 270.00  
Phone Calls, Postage ..... 21.90  
Total Expenditures ..... 2,200.71  
Balance on hand May 5, 1990 ..... \$ 174.20

*Dee Arthur* Dorothy Lathrop, Clerk-Treasurer *Cecil Greene*  
*Burl Harrison*

**MISSION EMERGENCY FUND**

On hand as of May 4, 1989 ..... -0-  
Receipts from Churches ..... \$300.00  
Interest ..... 7.99  
Received at Annual Association from Churches ..... 60.00  
Total on hand as of May 5, 1990 ..... \$367.99

Dorothy Lathrop, Treasurer

**RESPONSIBILITIES OF ASSOCIATION TRUSTEE BOARD**

**(Building Committee)**

1. The maintenance and upkeep of the Associational property.
2. Any building additions or expansions.
3. Approval of activities in the building or on the grounds, being involved in the scheduling and follow-up of such.

*Elmer* *Joe* *Kendall* *Bennie Lewis*  
**OBITUARIES** *Edward Doyle*

We, your Obituary Committee, find that God in His infinite wisdom and love has called home 26 of our brothers and sisters from labor to their reward. "For the Lord Himself shall descend from heaven with a shout, with the voice of the archangel and with the trump of God: and the dead in Christ shall rise first." I Thessalonians 4:16.

Judy Payne, Chairperson

MT. ZION: Johnie Phillips

PILGRIM'S REST: Ode Ingraham and Rev. V.B. (Burl) True (Both By Request)

FARMER: Gladys Dailey (By Request) and Charlene Fitch

HOPE: Myrtle N. Bragg

HICKORY FLAT: Harmon Gibson

PHILLIPS CHAPEL: Theo Johnson, Ricky Goldsmith, Gilbert Henry, M.D. Boyd, G.E. Brewer

ROGERS: John Savage, Gola Powell, Florence Jordan, William Butler, Sweetie Wells

**FAYETTEVILLE FIRST:** James E. "Doc" Brink

**FAITH:** Fred Smith, Irene Hunton

**VICTORY:** Bonnie Lynch, Irene Wright, Ida Cooper, Edward Clark

**CALVARY:** Rev. Hosea Harrelson, Harold Fritts (By Request)

### **JOHNIE PHILLIPS**

Johnie W. Phillips, 93, of Hindsville died Nov. 7, 1989, at a Springdale nursing home. She was born March 14, 1896, in Spring Valley, the daughter of William and Catherine Bruner Hammons. Her husband, Doan Phillips, preceded her in death Dec. 24, 1948.

Survivors include one sister, Kate McGinnis of Springdale; one grandson, James Anderson of Hindsville; one granddaughter, Nancy Puryear of Hindsville; three great-grandchildren; and four great-great-grandchildren.

Services were Nov. 9 at Mt. Zion Free Will Baptist Church with the Rev. Eldon Bagwell and the Rev. Cecil Garrison officiating. Burial was in Elm Springs Cemetery under the direction of Brashears Funeral Home of Huntsville.

### **ODE INGRAHAM (by request)**

Ode Leroy Ingraham, 97, of Springdale died March 29, 1990, at St. Mary-Rogers Memorial Hospital. He was born Jan. 10, 1893, in Benton County, the son of Bert and Lee Elizabeth Macon Ingraham. He was a Baptist.

Survivors include one son, Carl Ingraham of Springdale; one daughter, Katie Henry of Eureka Springs; 7 grandchildren; 13 great-grandchildren; and 10 great-great-grandchildren.

Graveside services were April 1, 1990, at Burkshed Cemetery with the Rev. Tommy Day officiating. Arrangements were by Sisco Chapel of Springdale.

### **THEO JOHNSON**

Theo Johnson, 84, of Springdale died February 2, 1990, at Springdale Memorial Hospital. He was born April 17, 1905, in Sonora, the son of Calvin and Dora Harp Johnson. He was a member of Phillips Chapel Free Will Baptist Church.

Survivors include his wife, Maude Johnson of the home; three sons, Dean Johnson, John C. Johnson and Harold Johnson, all of Springdale; one daughter, Louise Farmer of Springdale; one brother, Hal Johnson of Sonora; two stepsons, Dale Hall of Fort Smith and Don Hall of Elm Springs; eight grandchildren; eleven great-grandchildren; and four step-grandchildren.

Services were February 6, 1990, at Phillips Chapel Free Will Baptist Church with Rev. Cecil Garrison, Rev. RueDell Smith and Rev. Loy Counts officiating. Burial was in the Sonora Cemetery under the direction of Nelson's Funeral Home of Fayetteville.



**REV. BURL TRUE (by request)**

Rev. V.B. (Burl) True, 82, went to be with the Lord Tuesday, September 12, 1989. Born November 30, 1906, in Bentonville, Arkansas, he married Wilma Johnson November 4, 1926, in Vaughn, Arkansas. He served as Free Will Baptist State Evangelist for the state of Arkansas in the 1950s. He pastored Capitol Hill Free Will Baptist Church of Oklahoma City and many other churches throughout the state of Oklahoma. He was a member of the Trinity Free Will Baptist Church of Oklahoma City.

He is survived by his wife of 63 years, Wilma; two daughters and sons-in-law, Kathryn and Ivan Layton, and Pat and N.L. Pritchard; a brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Ed True; a sister-in-law, Mrs. Glen True, all of Bentonville; four grandsons; and six great-grandchildren.

Services were Friday, September 16, 1989, at Trinity Free Will Baptist Church with Vondel L. Smith and Son Mortuary in charge.

“Even death has a wonderful mission  
Tho it robs us of these we love.  
It draws us from the things here on earth  
To long for the meeting above.  
No matter how heavy our loss is here,  
No matter how heavy our cross to bear,  
Heaven seems a little nearer and bright  
To know our loved ones are there.”

**HARMON FRANKLIN GIBSON**

Harmon F. Gibson, 84, of the Hickory Flat Free Will Baptist Church died March 17, 1990, at his daughter and son in law's home of Route 6, Fayetteville. He was born December 15, 1905, in Avoka, the son of Andrew Jackson and Delana Miller Gibson.

He is survived by his wife, Stella Davis Gibson; one son, Oloy Harmon Gibson of Sachse, Texas; one daughter, Ruby Lou Baumgardner of Fayetteville; three sisters, Lou Anna Morris and Esther Stephens of Springdale, and Jessie Crowley of California; 7 grandchildren; and 16 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were at Memorial Funeral Home of Springdale March 21, 1990. Rev. Preston Baumgardner and Rev. Cecil Garrison officiated. Interment was in the Friendship Cemetery.

**GLADYS DAILEY (by request)**

Gladys Elma Dailey, 74, of Elkins died March 7, 1990, at Fayetteville City Hospital. She was born December 25, 1915, in Reeds Creek, the daughter of James Marion and Josephine Jones Bolinger. She was a member of Kingston Assembly of God.

Survivors include one son, James Larry Dailey of Lowell; two daughters, Nadine F. Swaim of Oklahoma City and Gladys J. West of

West Fork; one brother, Ewen Bolinger of Huntsville; one sister, Jewell Waldon of Huntsville; five grandchildren; and one great-grandchild.

Services were March 10, 1990, at Brashears Funeral Home of Huntsville with the Rev. Willie Foster officiating. Burial was in Kingston Cemetery.

### **MYRTLE N. BRAGG**

Myrtle N. Bragg, 91, of Peoria, Illinois, formerly of Fayetteville, died February 22, 1990, at Peoria, Illinois. She was born October 9, 1898, in Washington County, the daughter of Cort and Frances Morris Jones. She was a member of the Buckeye Baptist Church.

Survivors include one son, Roy L. Bragg of DeKalb, Illinois; three daughters, Mrs. Ward (Ruby) Wolber of Peoria, Illinois, Mrs. Frank (Hazel) Sager of Tucson, Arizona, and Mrs. Elmer (Mary Jo) Sexton of Dover, Tennessee; one brother, Ezra Jones of Ventura, California; ten grandchildren; and six great-grandchildren.

Memorial services were held March 10, 1990, at the Hope Freewill Baptist Church with the Rev. Earl Dean Morris and the Rev. Jack Morris officiating. Cremation was under the direction of Brashears Funeral Home.

### **CHARLENE FITCH**

Charlene Fitch, 52, of Hindsville died January 26, 1990, at Huntsville Memorial Hospital. She was born October 6, 1937, the daughter of Myrl and Maxine Smith Jones. She was a member of the Farmer Freewill Baptist Church.

Survivors include her husband, Frank Fitch of the home; one son, Nevada Fitch of Hindsville; one daughter, Latonda Linker of Springdale; her parents, Myrl and Maxine Jones of Hindsville; two sisters, Myrlene Grigg and Pearlene Parker, both of Hindsville; and three grandchildren.

Services were January 30, 1990, at Brashears Funeral Chapel in Huntsville with the Rev. Butch Bolinger and the Rev. Earl Dean Morris officiating. Burial was in Buckeye Cemetery.

### **RICKY GOLDSMITH**

Ricky Lynn Goldsmith, 26, of Seligman, Missouri died December 24, 1989, as the result of an automobile accident. He was born August 25, 1963, in Springdale. He was a member of Phillips Chapel Free Will Baptist Church.

Survivors include his parents, Jerry and Dorothy Corter of Rogers; one daughter, Ashley Goldsmith of Bentonville; one brother, the Rev. Michael D. Goldsmith of Siloam Springs; one sister, Theresa Smith of Rogers; his grandparents, Robert and Juanita Corter of Rogers, and

Gladys Broyles of Springdale, and Ida Goldsmith of Rogers; one nephew; and two nieces.

Services were December 27, 1989, at Rollins Funeral Home of Rogers with Rev. Clyde Brumett officiating. Burial was in Zion Cemetery in Springdale.

### **GILBERT HENRY**

Gilbert (Mack) Henry, 81, of Lincoln died November 6, 1989, at Washington Regional Medical Center in Fayetteville. He was born February 14, 1908, in Grandin, Missouri, the son of Samuel and Lizzie Reed Henry. He was a charter member of Phillips Chapel Free Will Baptist Church.

Survivors include his wife, Ethel Henry of the home; one son, Gilbert Henry Jr. of Tulsa; one daughter, Virginia Elem of Catoosa, Oklahoma; his mother of Waldron; one brother, Erman Henry of Waldron; one sister, Vergie Ray of Waldron; 12 grandchildren; and 10 great-grandchildren.

Services were November 9, 1989, at Phillips Chapel Free Will Baptist Church with Rev. Loy Counts and Rev. David Johnson officiating. Burial was in the Oakland Cemetery under the direction of Memorial Funeral Home of Springdale.

### **M.D. BOYD**

M.D. (Doyle) Boyd, 63, of Springdale died August 27, 1989, in Springdale. He was born July 31, 1926, in Holcomb, Missouri, the son of Henry and Alpha Mae Wright Boyd. He was a member of the Phillips Chapel Free Will Baptist Church, where he was choir director and director of the bus ministry.

Survivors include his wife, Dorothy Cunningham Boyd of the home; his mother, Alpha Mae Wright Boyd of St. Louis, Missouri; three sons, Galen and Jeff Boyd, both of Springdale; Dennis Boyd of Russellville; eight brothers, Donald Ray Boyd and Jimmy Boyd of Wright City, Missouri, Wincel Boyd of Millington, Michigan, Benny Boyd of Hillsboro, Missouri, Billy Boyd of Ferguson, Missouri, Kenneth Boyd of Festus, Missouri, Charles Boyd of Arnold, Missouri, and Rick Boyd of Foristell, Missouri; three sisters, Mrs. Glenda Rainwater of Imperial, Missouri, Mrs. Lil Rapert of Hillsboro, Missouri, and Mrs. Carolyn Hancock of Hazelwood, Missouri; and three grandchildren.

Services were August 29, 1989, at Sisco Chapel of Springdale with Rev. Cecil Garrison and Rev. Don Elmore officiating. Burial was in the Friendship Cemetery.

### **G.E. BREWER**

G.E. Brewer, 49, of Springdale died August 25, 1989, at Springdale Memorial Hospital. He was born August 20, 1940, in Pottsville, the



son of Jake and Pearl Rogers Brewer. He was a member of Phillips Chapel Free Will Baptist Church.

Survivors include his wife, Helen Brewer of the home; one son, Mailen Brewer of Arkadelphia; two daughters, Debbie Evans of Springdale and Lisa Sizemore of Fayetteville; three sisters, Angie Kisling of Dardanelle, Julior Stroud of Visalia, California, and Joyce Dickard of Springdale; and eight grandchildren.

Services were August 28, 1989, at Sisco Chapel in Springdale with Rev. Cecil Garrison and Rev. John Ballard officiating. Burial was in Bluff Cemetery.

### **JOHN SAVAGE**

John Ivan Savage, 83, of Pea Ridge died at his home. Born August 27, 1905, at Spring Valley to Thomas Savage and Myrtle Holmesley Savage, he spent most of his life in Washington County, moving to Pea Ridge in 1971. He attended the Rogers Free Will Baptist Church.

He is survived by a sister, Wynema Smith of Pea Ridge. Funeral services were Monday at Rogers Freewill Baptist Church with Rev. Loy Counts and Rev. Cecil Garrison officiating. Burial was in the Joyce Cemetery east of Springdale.

### **GOLA POWELL**

Gola Mae Trew Powell, 88, of Rogers died December 27, 1989, at St. Mary-Rogers Memorial Hospital. Born November 5, 1901, in Kentucky, to Lee Rigsby and Ellen Sikes Rigsby, she had lived in Rogers since 1925. She was a member of the Free Will Baptist Church.

Survivors are a son, Dewey Lee Trew of Little Elm, Texas; two daughters, Eula Mae Dempsey of Rogers and Bobbie Marie Oakley of Los Fresnos, Texas; two grandsons, Brig. Gen. Harold Rhoden of Ramstein, Germany, and O.H. "Skip" Oakley of Reseda, California; and three great-grandchildren.

Graveside services were January 2, 1990, at Benton County Memorial Park Cemetery with Rev. Loy Counts officiating. Cremation arrangements were by Rollins Funeral Home of Rogers.

### **FLORENCE JORDAN**

Florence Jordan, 78, of Rogers died July 16, 1989, at St. Mary-Rogers Memorial Hospital. She was born September 27, 1910, in Pleasant Valley Community to Thomas Benton and Ara Bell Nelson Smith. She was a member of Rogers Free Will Baptist Church.

Survivors are two sons, Dale Jordan of Rogers and Cecil Jordan of Decatur; two daughters, Macine Boyd of Rogers and Brenda K. Fields of Portland, Oregon; three brothers, Clifford Smith of Wichita, Kansas, Delbert Smith of Lee Summit, Missouri, and Orville Smith of Clifty; 16 grandchildren; and 26 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were at Rogers Freewill Baptist Church with Rev. Loy Counts and Rev. Cecil Garrison officiating. Burial was in Benton



County Memorial Park under the direction of Burns Funeral Home of Rogers.

### **WILLIAM BUTLER**

William Frank Butler, 74, of Rogers died June 25, 1989, at St. Mary's Hospital in Rogers. He was born December 13, 1914, at LaRue, the son of Dave and Minnie B. Shaddox Butler. He was a member of Rogers Free Will Baptist Church.

Survivors are his wife, Dee Butler; two sons, David Butler of San Bernardino, California, and Danny Byrd of Houston, Texas; two daughters, Virginia Collins of Springdale and Chris Fowler of Redlands, California; a brother, Claude Butler of Tulsa, Oklahoma; a sister, Francis Allshire of Butler, Missouri; 12 grandchildren; and 9 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were June 29, 1989, at Callison-Lough Funeral Chapel of Rogers with Rev. Loy Counts and Rev. Cecil Garrison officiating. Burial was in Oakley Chapel Cemetery.

### **SWEETIE WELLS**

Sweetie Elizabeth Boydstun Wells, 85, died July 9, 1989, at St. Mary's Hospital in Rogers. She was the daughter of John Wesley and Emily May Allred of Larue. Her father was a Free Will Baptist minister. She was a member of Rogers Free Will Baptist Church.

Survivors are two step-daughters, Ruth Carson of Springdale and Edna Robbins of Rogers; four step-grandchildren; four nieces, Velma Smith and Oma Morey, both of Fayetteville, Ruby Matthew of Garfield and Dot Watkins of Springdale; three nephews, Elbert Boydstun of Cleveland, Ohio, Everett Allred of Purdy, Missouri, and Kenneth Allred of Monett, Missouri.

Funeral services were at Callison-Lough Funeral Chapel in Rogers with Rev. Loy Counts officiating.

### **JAMES E. "DOC" BRINK**

James E. "Doc" Brink, 83, of Huntsville died December 30, 1989, at a Fayetteville hospital. Born October 23, 1906, at Coal Hill, the son of William and Della Patty Brink, he was a retired pipe fitter, a member of the Fayetteville First Free Will Baptist Church, and a lifetime resident of the area.

Survivors are three sons, Harold L. Brink of Lexington, North Carolina, Billy Joe Brink and Richard W. Brink, both of Huntsville; a daughter, Betty L. Ward of Fayetteville; a sister, Iren Falvo of Danberry, Connecticut; 13 grandchildren; and 14 great-grandchildren.

Services were held January 2, 1990, at the Fayetteville First Free Will Baptist Church with Rev. Dennis Artman officiating. Interment was in the McCord Cemetery under the direction of Moore's Chapel.

### **FRED SMITH**

Fred A. Smith, 88, of Springdale died December 27, 1989, at Springdale Memorial Hospital. He was born November 8, 1901, at Pilgrim's Rest, the son of John L. and Anna Ragsdale Smith. He was a member of Faith Free Will Baptist Church.

Survivors include his wife, Minnie Whittle Smith of the home; four sons, John Smith and Jack Smith of Springdale, Joe Smith of Huntsville, and Fred Smith of Dardanelle; five daughters, Maxine Bookout of Rogers, Violet McGowan of Hindsville, Lois Misener of Siloam Springs, Sherry Stevens of Elm Springs, and Marilyn Hale of Springdale; 29 grandchildren; 52 great-grandchildren; and 18 great-great-grandchildren.

Services were December 29 at Sisco Chapel of Springdale with Rev. Rufus Young and Rev. Johnny Sisemore officiating. Burial was in Friendship Cemetery.

### **IRENE HUNTON**

Irene V. Hunton, 76, of Springdale died May 23, 1989, at Springdale Memorial Hospital. She was born May 21, 1913, in Benton County, the daughter of Elza and Ollie Phipps Roberts. She was a member of the Free Will Baptist Church and a lifelong resident of the Siloam Springs area.

Survivors include her husband, Raymond Hunton of the home; one daughter, Joyce Hunton of the home; one sister, Juanita Ayling of Siloam Springs; and one brother, Claude Roberts of Siloam Springs.

Graveside services were May 26, 1989, at Wedington Cemetery with Rev. Rufus Young officiating. Arrangements were by Wasson Funeral Home of Siloam Springs.

### **BONNIE LYNCH**

Bonnie Sue Lynch, 33, of Springdale died June 3, 1989, at Springdale Memorial Hospital. She was born June 29, 1955, in Newton County, the daughter of George Wilburn and Goldie Mae Pitcher Gibbs. She was a member of the Victory Free Will Baptist Church. She was a lifelong resident of Springdale.

Survivors include her husband, Charles A. Lynch of the home; one son, Kevin Lynch of the home; two daughters, Mistie Lynch and Kristie Lynch, both of the home; five brothers, Will Gibbs of Denton, Texas, Richard Gibbs, Roy Lee Gibbs, Lonnie Gibbs and Larry Gibbs, all of Springdale; six sisters, Eula Hipp of Salinas, California, Christine Emmett of Berryville, Pearl Clayton of Slidell, Texas, Wanda McChristian of Enterprise, Alabama, Pauline Conner and Darlene White, both of Springdale.

Services were June 6, 1989, at Sisco Chapel of Springdale with the Rev. Arthur Galloway officiating. Burial was in Friendship Cemetery.

## **IRENA WRIGHT**

Irena Wright, 87, of Springdale died September 15, 1989, in a Rogers nursing home. She was born September 3, 1902, in Seattle, Washington, the daughter of George and Melissa Savage Been. She had lived in this area most of her life and was a member of Victory Free Will Baptist Church.

Survivors include one son, Arlis Wright of Springdale; one daughter, Mrs. Dub (Arelene) Farmer of Rogers; 6 grandchildren; and 11 great-grandchildren.

Services were September 18, 1989, at Sisco Chapel in Springdale with the Rev. Arthur Lee Galloway and Rev. Cecil Garrison officiating. Burial was in Joyce Cemetery.

## **IDA COOPER**

Ida S. Cooper, 82, of Springdale died December 4, 1989, at Fayetteville City Hospital. She was born August 23, 1907, in Sonora, the daughter of Ross Meridith and Virgie L. Henson Sanders. She was a member of Victory Free Will Baptist Church.

Survivors include two sons, Harry Cooper of Beaumont, Texas, and Tom Cooper of Springdale; one daughter, Frances Wilson of Springdale; two brothers, Herman Sanders of Pea Ridge and Claude Sanders of Anaheim, California; two sisters, Harriet Hanson of Pauls Valley, Oklahoma, and Eula Smith of Torrance, California; 8 grandchildren; and 15 great-grandchildren.

Services were December 6, 1989, at Sisco Chapel of Springdale with Rev. Arthur Galloway officiating. Burial was in Sonora Cemetery.

## **EDWARD CLARK**

Edward W. (Bill) Clark, 69, of Springdale died March 14, 1990, at his home. He was born August 2, 1920, in Goshen, the son of Elmer and Pearl Clark.

Survivors include his wife, Uldine Clark of the home; one son, Harold Dean Clark of Wichita, Kansas; four daughters, Mary Jarnagan of Bentonville, Carolyn Poplin and Earline Barrett, both of Springdale, and Peggy Graham of Fayetteville; one brother, Neal Clark of Burbank, California; two sisters, Opal Key of Farmington and Ardyth Wilkins of Ojai, California; 12 grandchildren; and 4 great-grandchildren.

Services were March 17, 1990, at Backstrom-Pyeatte Funeral Home of Springdale with Rev. Arthur Lee Galloway officiating. Burial was in Friendship Cemetery.

## **REV. HOSEA HARRELSON**

Rev. Hosea Garfield Harrelson, 80, of Springdale died November 30, 1989, at Springdale Memorial Hospital. He was born February 1, 1909, in Zinc (Boone County), the son of John G. and Della Ivy Harrelson. He was an ordained Free Will Baptist minister. He

pastored Hickory Flat Free Will Baptist Church and Mayfield Free Will Baptist Church and was a member of Calvary Free Will Baptist Church.

Survivors include his wife, Mamie Musteen Harrelson of the home, to whom he was married 59 years; one son, Horace W. (Sonny) Harrelson of Ontario, California; four daughters, Leona Jones, Deloris Mounce, Bernice Tisdale and Donna Holman, all of Springdale; two brothers, Bill Harrelson of Sand Springs, Oklahoma, and John Harrelson of Springdale; one sister, Irene Collins of Springdale; 15 grandchildren; 18 great-grandchildren; and 1 great-great-grandchild.

Services were at 2 p.m. December 2, 1989, at Sisco Chapel of Springdale with Rev. Cecil Garrison and Rev. Noel Easterling officiating. Burial was in the Bluff Cemetery.

#### **HAROLD FRITTS (by request)**

Harold Lloyd Fritts, 61, of Springdale died January 1, 1990, at Springdale. He was born April 7, 1928, in Goshen, the son of Elvis Walker and Esther Larkin Fritts.

Survivors include his wife, Ida Harvison Fritts of the home; two sons, Charles Fritts of Hinesville, Georgia, and Barry Fritts of Knoxville, Tennessee; two grandchildren; and two step-grandchildren.

Services were January 4, 1990, at Backstrom-Pyeatte Funeral Home of Springdale with the Rev. Noel Easterling and Rev. Dale Kester officiating. Burial was in the Elm Springs Cemetery.



#### **RESOLUTION COMMITTEE REPORT**

We, the Resolution Committee, submit the following report:

**Resolution No. 1:** The Resolution Committee recommends that the Trustees of the Association property build a Nursery in the building.

**Resolution No. 2:** Be it resolved that Resolution No. 1 of the 1988 minutes, page 23, be permanently printed in our minutes.

**Resolution No. 3:** Be it resolved that Resolution No. 1 of the 1989 Minutes, page 24, be permanently printed in our minutes.

**Resolution No. 4:** Be it resolved that we amend No. 2 of Rules of Order by inserting the word Ordained ministers, deacons, etc.

**Resolution No. 5:** Be it resolved that we amend Articles of Faith No. 4 by inserting the word inerrant—to read—and the only infallible and inerrant rule of faith and practice.

Elder Claud Hendrix, Chairman



## **RESOLUTIONS: (Permanently Printed)**

Resolution No. 1: Be it resolved that the Association set aside Saturday night of the conference each year for the youth of our churches to make their reports concerning their work and to be in charge of the worship service for that night, with privilege of selecting a speaker or speakers for the service.

Resolution No. 2: That attention be called to Article 3 of the Constitution of this Association, as terms of receiving members into the local church as, namely: (1) profession of faith; (2) by letter of recommendation; (3) by restoration; (4) by denominational choice.

Resolution No. 3: That Article 1, Membership, be amended to read: All regularly ordained ministers and deacons of this Association becoming properly credentialed and in full fellowship and good standing in the church of which they are members shall be entitled to seats as a delegate, by virtue of their office.

Resolution No. 4: Be it resolved that we give adequate support and approval to Home Mission work in the bounds of the Old Mt. Zion Association such as assisting in organizing and establishing new churches. Said work to be under the supervision of the Home Mission Board (amended August, 1979), consisting of five ordained ministers or deacons in good standing.

Resolution No. 5: Be it resolved that the churches of Old Mt. Zion Association go on record as denouncing the modern doctrine of a second work of grace (following regeneration and calling it the Baptism of the Holy Ghost), as heresy, and unsound doctrine. We warn any church (endorsing such, or having members in their church advocating such) to purge out such or stand risk of losing their place in this Association.

Resolution No. 6: Be it resolved, "Any church desiring a resolution to be voted on at setting of Association, send a copy of proposed resolution to each church of Old Mt. Zion Association before Association convenes; that is, if possible."

Resolution No. 7: (amended) In view of the fact that our Youth Camp has become a reality, we recommend that "all churches" support both the Youth Camp and the Home Mission Board.

Resolution No. 8: Be it resolved that the moderator appoint three persons to direct the registration on Thursday night and Friday morning and that they arrive early.

Resolution No. 9: That it be recorded in the minutes which church will be responsible for the Communion Service. They shall be responsible for the juice, bread and cleaning of supplies. If said church cannot serve, they must contact the moderator in time to get another.

Resolution No. 10: Be it resolved, "Any Free Will Baptist minister coming from a sister Association must present a letter of good standing from the Association from which he is coming.

Resolution No. 11: (Resolution No. 4 of 1977 Minutes) Be it resolved that the Old Mt. Zion Council Meeting be changed to a quarterly meeting convening on the first Saturday in November, February and May with three (3) elected delegates from each church attending to conduct any business necessary between annual sessions of the Association in August. (Annual Association now meets in May, therefore, quarterly meetings fall on the first Saturday in August. November and February.) Services to begin at 9 a.m.

Resolution No. 12: We believe that Sunday School plays a very important part in the training of our people. Our churches need dedicated teachers who will follow II Timothy 2:15, and we recommend that our churches, who use literature, use Freewill Baptist literature.

Resolution No. 13: Be it resolved that all church letters in the Annual Association be mailed to the Clerk a week prior to the date of the Association, if possible.

Resolution No. 14: Be it resolved that any event, function, or activity to take place on the Association properties be supported by one of our Free Will Baptist Churches, being a member in good standing with our Old Mt. Zion Association, or Associational committees, and be approved by the Board of Trustees.

### CHURCH COVENANT

Having been brought, as we believe, by the divine grace to accept the Lord Jesus Christ as our Saviour and Preserver, we do now solemnly and joyfully covenant and agree by God's help to walk together in brotherly love.

*James 1:27* We, therefore, enter into covenant as members of this church, and *Heb. 1:3* as Christians, that we will watch over each other in love, sharing *1 Cor. 12:13* together each other's joys and sorrows; that we will not forsake the *Heb. 10:25* assembling of ourselves together, nor omit the great duty of prayer *1 Thes. 5:17* for ourselves and others; that by Divine assistance we will endeavor to *1 Tim. 4:12* bring up those under our care in the nurture and admonition of the Lord; that in all things we will strive to exemplify our profession by a *1 Pet. 2:11* corresponding practice to abstain from all sinful conformity to the world to be just in our dealings, faithful in our agreements, and exemplary in all our deportment; that we will abstain from the sale and use of intoxicating liquor as beverage; that we will contribute cheerfully according to our ability, to support of the ministry the *1 Cor. 13:13* expense of the church, the relief of the poor and the general spread of the Gospel. *1 Cor. 13:13*

In keeping this solemn covenant, may we ever enjoy the blessings and presence of the Great Head of the church, which is Jesus Christ the Saviour.

## RULES OF ORDER

1. At every sitting of the Association, business shall be opened and concluded by prayer by the Moderator or whomsoever he may request.

2. Ordained ministers, deacons, and delegates of Old Mt. Zion Association, when present, are invited to seats, allowed to take part in debates on all subjects, and to vote. Visiting ministers, deacons and delegates are invited to seats, allowed to take part in debates on all subjects, but not to vote.

3. Those who speak shall arise and address the Moderator. Personal reflections shall be avoided in all debates.

4. No motion shall be discussed without a second.

5. When a motion has been made and seconded, and a member opposes its discussion, the Moderator shall put the question, "Shall it be discussed?" If negative, the question shall be dismissed.

6. If any proposition or motion under debate contains two or more points, it shall be divided at the request of any member, and the vote taken separately.

7. Motions made and lost shall not be recorded.

8. No one shall speak more than twice on the same subject without special leave of the Moderator.

9. All questions shall be decided by a majority vote of all members voting.

10. No member shall absent himself without special leave of the Moderator.

(12, 13, 14) 11. Minutes shall be leisurely read and corrected if necessary before the close of the Association.

12. At all future sessions of the Association, arrangements shall be made to insure two sermons, or other devotional exercises equivalent thereto, during each day of the session, and the chair shall announce just before adjournment, who shall preach.

13. These Rules of Order shall be distinctly read from the chair immediately after the organization of the Association.

14. Alterations may be made in these rules at any regular session of the Association.

## CONSTITUTION

From long experience, we, the members of the Church of God (denominated Free Will Baptists) being regularly baptized upon profession of our faith in our Lord Jesus Christ, and being convinced of the necessity of a combination of churches to perpetuate a union among us, and to preserve and maintain correspondence with each other, do therefore, ordain this Constitution for our better Church government.

**Article 1. Membership**--This Association shall be composed of members chosen by the different churches of our union, not exceeding three messengers from each church, and upon producing letters, they



shall be entitled to seats. All regularly ordained ministers and deacons of this Association becoming properly credentialed and in full fellowship and good standing in the church of which they are members, shall be entitled to seats as a delegate, when present, by virtue of their office.

**Article 2. Name--**The members thus chosen and assembled with the ministers and deacons, to be denominated the Old Mt. Zion Association of Free Will Baptists being composed of the several churches of our union, the Association having no power over the churches reserving the right of withdrawing from any church becoming disorderly.

**Article 3. Letters--**Letters from the different churches representing are to express their number in fellowship including the names and addresses of ordained and licensed ministers, the number of members received upon profession of faith, by letter of recommendation, by restoration or denominational choice; the number of members dismissed by letter, excluded, and those having died since last Association. Churches, in sending their letters, may send obituaries of anyone who died during the year, that we may keep up the memorial to our dead.

**Article 4. Dismissing Members--**Our churches, upon granting letters of dismission to any of its members, shall require a notice from the church receiving said letter that it has been received.

**Article 5: Officers--**The Association to have a Moderator and an Assistant Moderator, Clerk-Treasurer, and an Assistant Clerk-Treasurer, elected annually for a term of one year by the suffrage, and an executive committee of five, one member chosen each year for a term of five years, and that each member be an Ordained Minister in good standing of the Old Mt. Zion Association, who shall have the authority to transact any business transactions of the Association between sessions of the Association and make a report to the Association annually.

**Amendment No. 1 to Article 5**

Be it resolved that we amend Article 5 to read that no person can serve two consecutive terms on any standing board.

**Amendment No. 2 to Article 5**

Be it resolved that current Officers of the Association be retained through the present Association and any new Officers assume responsibilities immediately thereafter.

**Article 6. New Churches--**Newly organized churches may be admitted to the Association, which are to petition by letter and delegates, and if, upon examination, they are found to be orthodox and orderly, they may be received into the Association, the Moderator giving the right hand of fellowship.

**Article 7. Questions--**No resolution from any church shall come



under consideration of the Association unless it has been first considered in its own church and, if possible, a copy be sent to each church before the Association.

**Article 8. Motions--**Every motion made and seconded shall come under the consideration of the Association except it be withdrawn by the member who made it.

**Article 9. Minutes--**The Association is to endeavor to furnish the churches the minutes of the Association in proportion to the amount paid by each church, the distribution to be made at the discretion of the Association.

**Article 10. Clerk--**It shall be the duty of the Clerk to keep a regular file of the minutes of the Association in a book to be kept by the Association for that purpose.

**Article 11. Signatures--**The minutes of the Association shall be read and corrected, if needed, and signed by the Moderator and Clerk before the close of the Association.

**Article 12. Amendments--**Amendments of this Constitution may be made, when necessary, by a two-thirds vote of the members present at any regular session.

**Article 13. Non-Attendance--**The Association, in case of failure of any church to attend, shall inquire into the case.

**Amendment No. 1 to Article 13**

Be it resolved that churches that fail to be represented by delegation, or letter, for two consecutive years, be notified they will be dropped from our Association.

**Article 14. Ordination of Ministers--**Old Mt. Zion Association of Free Will Baptists accepts the wording of Epistles I Timothy 3:1-7, and Titus 1:6-9 as authoritative for guidelines to Ordaining Ministers.

**Amendment No. 1 to Article 14**

Be it therefore resolved that we amend Article 14 of our Constitution in compliance of our State Constitution. That Old Mt. Zion Association of Free Will Baptists accept the wording of the Epistles to Timothy and Titus as authoritative, namely the interpretation of the phrase, "the husband of one wife," to mean that divorced personnel should not be ordained. (I Timothy 3:2, 12; Titus 1:6)

**Amendment No. 3 to Article 14**

Be it further resolved that no woman be ordained as a minister or a deaconness.

**Amendment No. 4 to Article 14**

Be it further resolved that we recommend to the Executive Board of this Association in their examination of candidates for ordination, to observe greater caution, and in agreement with the instructions of the apostles, "To lay hands suddenly on no man." (I Timothy 4:22)

When a Church member acknowledges their call to the Ministry,

they should be licensed by the Church of which they are a member for the period of one year prior to Ordination; or, until they have proved themselves to the Church. When the member has proven himself, the Church should call for his Ordination.

That all Churches of Old Mt. Zion Association, in all Ordination services of Ministers, comply strictly with the rules and regulations laid down by the Free Will Baptist denominations. Said procedure to be conducted by the Local Church.

#### **Amendment No. 5 to Article 14**

If any ordained minister of the Old Mt. Zion Association of Free Will Baptists at anytime be found guilty of misconduct, or disregard of any rule or ordinance set forth and practiced by the Constitution of the Old Mt. Zion Association, the said party shall be dealt with according to "Article 14" of the Constitution of the Old Mt. Zion Association as follows:

1. After the local church has made a full and complete investigation as to the misconduct or other charges and the evidence proves to be true--he shall surrender his credentials to the local church or association until said misconduct or other charges have been investigated by the local church or Executive Board. (The local church clerk or associational clerk to hold said credentials.)

2. If after the period of not more than one year after the surrender of his credentials, the said party shall be contacted by the local church of which he is a member or by the Executive Board to try and make restitution. If the local church fails to deal with the charges, then the Executive Board will have the authority to deal with the charges. The Executive Board shall make this report to the regular session of the associational body which will vote on the report as whether to revoke or return the credentials to said party.

#### **Amendment No. 6 to Article 14**

Be it resolved that no minister be ordained without written approval of the Executive Board.

#### **Amendment No. 7 to Article 14**

Be it resolved that the Association instruct the Executive Board not to approve any minister for ordination who uses tobacco in any form.

### **"ARTICLES OF FAITH"**

1. **God**--We believe in one true and living Triune God; composed of the Father, Son and Holy Spirit, equal in divine Essence, Purpose, Power and Glory. St. John 1:1; I Cor. 8:6; St. John 10:30; I John 5:7.

2. **Christ**--We believe that Jesus Christ is the divine Son of God, was with the Father and the Holy Spirit at the time of creation, left the Courts of Heaven and came to earth, took upon Himself the form of humanity, sin excepted, by being born of the Virgin Mary, manifested His power, was crucified, placed in Joseph's tomb, rose again the third day, completed the great plan of salvation, walked and talked with his disciples, publicly ascended to Heaven, and that He will

descend again to gather His jewels home.--Isaiah 9:6; St. John 1:14; Luke 1:26-28; Matt. 14:13-21; Mark 16:9-19; Luke 24:50-53; Acts 1:9-12; Mark 15:22-41.

**3. Holy Spirit--**We believe that the Holy Spirit has visited true believers in all ages, and especially since the ascension of the Son back to the Father, and his coming on the day of Pentecost. Has taken up His office work among all nations of people, as a Divine Reprover, Comforter and Guide.--Judges 6:34; 11:29; St. John 16:8-14; Isaiah 63:10-12; Ephesians 4:30; Acts 8:17-20.

**4. The Bible--**We believe the Bible, which is composed of the Scriptures of the Old and New Testaments was given by inspiration of God, is our way-bill from earth to heaven, and the only infallible and inerrant rule of faith and practice.--II Peter 1:19-21; II Tim. 3:14-17; Daniel 10:21; Acts 1:16-17; Matt. 21-42.

**5. The Fall of Man--**We believe that God created man good, gave a just law by which he should be governed, with the promise of reward for faithfulness and with penalties of punishment for disobedience. Gave man power of free moral agency to choose the right and reject the wrong. But our first parents heeded the voice of the great enemy of souls, voluntarily transgressed the law of God, fell with their posterity under the just penalty of the same, and were unable of their own power to extricate or save themselves from the great dilemma into which they had fallen. God gave them the hope of salvation through the coming of Christ.--Gen. 1:27, 2:16-17; Rom. 11:11-35; Rom. 5:18; Psalms 37:23-24.

**6. Redemption, Salvation, Adoption--**We believe that Jesus Christ by His birth, death, burial, resurrection and ascension paid the purchase price for the redemption of the whole human race, arranged a pardon for all who came upon Gospel terms; and a law of adoption into the Kingdom of Heaven and eternal inheritance into the glorified Kingdom above.--Heb. 9:12; Gal. 3:13, 4:4-5; Titus 2:14; Heb. 1:4; St. John 3:16; Isaiah 45:22.

**7. Conditions of Salvation--**We believe that all persons dying in infancy and all idiots are saved by the Atoning merits of the Son of God without any act on their part, that persons coming to the years of accountability, transgressing the law of God, must upon their part, exercise faith in Jesus Christ through repentance toward God, at the completion of which pardon takes place in the mind of the Father and by the Holy Spirit they pass through the ordeal of regeneration, are washed in the blood of the Lamb and are planted in the Kingdom of Christ.--John 3; Matt. 19:13-22; II Cor. 7:10; Luke 18:17; St. John 4:11-16; Psalms 98:3.

**8. Salvation Free--**We believe that God desires the salvation of all; Christ died for all; the Gospel invites all; the Holy Spirit strives for all; and whosoever will may come and be saved on the terms of the Gospel.--Rev. 22:17; I Peter 1:9-13; I Peter 2:9-24; Rom. 3:24.



**9. Baptism--**We believe that Christian baptism is the immersion of believers in water, in the name of the Father, the Son, and the Holy Ghost, in which are represented the burial and resurrection of Christ; also represents our death to sin, and only those who have come under the presbytery of the elders are qualified to administer the same.--Matt. 3:14-16, 3:5-6; I Peter 3:21; St. John 3:23; Acts 10:47; Matt. 28:19.

**10. Communion and Feet Washing--**We believe that the Lord's Supper and the washing of the saints' feet are ordinances of the Gospel of Christ; The Lord's Supper was instituted by our Savior to commemorate His broken body and shed blood for the sins of the world and to show our remembrance of Him till He comes.

All Christians have a right to the Lord's Supper and should be invited. "Let a man examine himself and so let him eat."

The washing of feet was instituted by our Lord at the same time that Supper was instituted as an act of humility to show our love for each other, and both ordinances should be perpetuated by all Christians until His second coming.--Luke 22:19-20; I Cor. 11:20-29; St. John 13:1-18; Matt. 26:26-29.

**11. The Sabbath--**We believe that the Christian Sabbath should be observed as a day of rest and for the worship of God; that we should abstain from all sinful amusements and secular employments, works of mercy and piety excepted.--Exodus 20:11, 31:12-18; Deut. 5:12-15; Ezek. 20:12; Matt. 28:1; Luke 23:56; Acts 13:42-48; Mark 2:27.

**12. Call to the Ministry--**We believe in a Divine call of the ministry; that God in His goodness and power of grace, impresses His ministers with the burden of lost souls to the extent that the call becomes irresistible with personal contentment; that when they yield to the call and exercise the native gifts according to the Scriptures, with full reliance upon Him, He accompanies them in person of the Holy Spirit to guide them in the way of truth and to bless their labors according to His purposes.--Jonah 1:1; Jer. 1:5; Mark 3:14; Acts 1:22-26; Matt. 28:19.

**13. The Invisible Church--**We believe that the Invisible or Spiritual Church is the redeemed in the aggregate, is the family of God, is composed of all true Christians of every congregation from righteous Abel to the restitution of all things from every kindred, nation, tongue and people.--Eph. 3:16-21; Heb. 12:22-23; I Peter 2:5; Eph. 2:20-22; Acts 2:47; Matt. 16:18.

**14. The Visible Church--**We believe that a visible church of Christ is a congregation of faithful men and women, having obtained fellowship with the Lord and with each other, agreeing to keep up a good discipline and doctrine according to the rules of the Gospel.--II Thess. 1:1; Acts 16:5; III John 1:10; Matt. 18:17; Acts 20:28; Rev. 1:4, 11, 20.



**15. Perseverance.** We believe that all true believers in Christ should persevere in divine graces, and in the knowledge of the truth and that God's grace is sufficient to help them to overcome all the obstacles of life and that all the combined forces of the great enemy of souls on earth and in Hell (or in his eternal abode) are not able to pluck them from his hand so long as they walk in the path of duty; but those who sidestep and willfully refuse or neglect to perform their duty, they would backslide and if persistently continued, would be eternally lost.--II Cor. 9:10; II Peter 1:4-8; II Peter 1:12; I Peter 2:2; Rom. 8:35-39, Apostasy; II Peter 1:8-9; I Cor. 10:1-13; Heb. 12:15-17; I John 5:16; Heb. 6:1-6; I Tim. 4:1-2; Heb. 3:12; St. John 15:1-7; Matt. 12:31-32.

**16. Christ the Head of the Church**--We believe that Christ is the Great Head of the Church and that the government of the local church is with the body.--Col. 1:18-19; Matt. 16:18; Heb. 12:23; Matt. 21:42; Eph. 1:22; Acts. 16:4-5.

**17. Sanctification**--Sanctification is work of God's grace, by which the soul is cleansed from all sins and wholly consecrated to Christ. It takes place in regeneration, and the Christian can and should abide in this state to the end of life constantly growing in the grace the knowledge of our Lord Jesus Christ.--I Cor. 6:11; II Thess. 2:13; Heb. 12:14; Phil. 3:21; St. John 17:17-19; II Tim. 2:20; I Thess. 5:19-23.

**18. The Resurrection**--We believe in the resurrection of the dead, both of the righteous and the wicked. When the resurrection shall take place, the soul and body shall be reunited, the righteous shall be received into everlasting happiness to reign with God forever, but the wicked shall go away into everlasting punishment.--Matt. 28:6; St. John 5:28-29; I Cor. 15:51-58.

**19. The Soul**--The soul is endless, hence does not die with the body, but immediately after death enters into a conscious state of happiness or misery, according to spiritual character here possessed.--Phil. 1:23; Luke 23:43; Rev. 6:9; Luke 16:19-25; Matt. 10:28.

**20. Judgment**--We believe that there will be a general, universal judgment, when all men shall be judged according to their works whether they be good or bad, and that immediately thereafter, the wicked shall enter into everlasting punishment and the righteous into eternal happiness.--II Thess. 1:4-9; Rev. 14:9-13; Luke 16:23; Rev. 21:8; II Cor. 5:10; Matt. 12:36-37; Rev. 20:12-13; Acts 17:31.

## STATISTICAL REPORT

### MEMBERSHIP INFORMATION

Church	Baptisms	Members Added	Members Lost	Total Membership
Mt. Zion	0	0	1	92
Hickory Grove	0	0	0	18
Christian Home	5	17	0	35
Pilgrim's Rest	0	0	0	45
Farmer	0	0	1	40
Hope	0	2	3	77
Freedom	15	19	3	122
Hickory Flatt	0	0	0	25
Huntsville	2	6	0	211
Phillips Chapel	4	12	8	423
Rogers	21	9	8	87
First Fayetteville	0	0	1	55
Clifty Chapel	0	2	0	67
New Sulphur	12	15	1	239
Eureka Springs	0	2	1	74
Faith	2	8	2	68
West Ridge	6	8	1	68
Pea Ridge	0	0	1	102
Victory	10	25	5	168
Calvary	10	13	36	147
Midway	2	1	0	82
Greenland	1	3	6	101
Bentonville	0	4	1	43
Westside	10	16	30	88
Eastgate	6	7	0	53
Durham Gospel House	0	0	1	15
Unity	12	6	2	48

Church	Organized	Retiring Pastor	Pastor Elect
Mt. Zion	1866	David Watson	David Watson
Hickory Grove	1886 & 1969	Kenneth Lynch	Kenneth Lynch
Christian Home	1892	None	Earl Dean Morris
Pilgrim's Rest	1911	Gary (Butch) Bolinger	Gary (Butch) Bolinger
Farmer	1945	None	Lowell Bradley (Interim)
Hope	1945	Eldon Bagwell	Eldon Bagwell
Freedom	1950	Ellis Doyle	Ellis Doyle
Hickory Flat	1951	Finas Kendig	Jim Middleton <i>Bill</i>
Huntsville	1952	Jim Spurlock	Jim Spurlock
Phillips Chapel	1952	Cecil Garrison (Interim)	Rue Dell Smith
Rogers	1953	Loy Counts	Loy Counts
First Fayetteville	1956	Dennis Artman	Dennis Artman
Clifty Chapel	1958	Dwayne Lane	Dwayne Lane
New Sulphur	1958	Glen Faulkner	Glen Faulkner
Eureka Springs	1962	None	Donnie Villines <i>Bruce Doyle</i>
Faith	1962	Jack Morris	Jack Morris
West Ridge	1965	Loyd Thomas	Loyd Thomas
Pea Ridge	1967	Ernest Johnson	Ernest Johnson
Victory	1967	Arthur Lee Galloway	Arthur Lee Galloway
Calvary	1971	Dale Kester	Dale Kester
Midway	1973	Luther Jones	Luther Jones <i>Daron Reel</i>
Greenland Memorial Chapel	1973	Dwayne Goforth	Dwayne Goforth
Bentonville	1978	Ace Ferguson	Ace Ferguson <i>Anthony Lane</i>
Durham Gospel House	1981	Lloyd Ray Henry	Lloyd Ray Henry
Westside	1985	Paul Payne	Paul Payne
Eastgate	1986	Leon Hodges (Interim)	Deryl Hodges
Unity	1987	Randy Burris	Randy Burris
Jerusalem			Cecil Case

Church	Clerk	Telephone	Address
Mt. Zion	Willie Ann Puryear	501-789-2413	Rt. 2, Box 308, Springdale, AR 72764
Hickory Grove	Kendall Bohlen	501-789-5467	Rt. 1, Hindsville, AR 72738
Christian Home	Evelyn Harrison	501-789-5293	Rt. 1, Box 252, Hindsville, AR 72738
Pilgrim's Rest	James Harrison	501-789-5392	Rt. 2, Box 235, Springdale, AR 72764
Farmer	Gayla Haywood	501-789-5349	Rt. 2, Box 197, Hindsville, AR 72738
Hope	A.J. Bowerman	501-789-5348	Rt. 1, Box 266, Fayetteville, AR 72703
Freedom	Lora Grimes	None	Rt. 1, Box 278, Pineville, MO 64856
Hickory Flat	Melba Cowan	None	501 Cleveland, Springdale, AR 72764
Huntsville	Norma Chancellor	501-738-2814	Rt. 1, Box 110A, Huntsville, AR 72740
Phillips Chapel	J.E. Clark	501-751-9644	2004 Pin Oak, Springdale, AR 72764
Rogers	Zandra Mangrum	501-631-7621	2705 W. Magnolia, Rogers, AR 72756
First Fayetteville	Betty Sone	501-442-5245	2021 Erstan, Fayetteville, AR 72701
Clifty Chapel	Wilma L. Obenshain	501-789-5411	Rt. 5, Box 486, Rogers, AR 72756
New Sulphur	LaVerne Sargent	501-846-2473	Rt. 2, Box 386, Prairie Grove, AR 72753
Eureka Springs	Katy Hennig	501-253-8488	Rt. 1, Box 522, Eureka Springs, AR 72632
Faith	Betty McKinney	501-248-7451	Rt. 1, Box 208C, Springdale, AR 72764
West Ridge	Paula Martin	501-521-6320	P.O. Box 781, Fayetteville, AR 72702
Pea Ridge	Karen Lombard	501-273-2303	2302 S.E. 16th, Bentonville, AR 72712
Victory	Joan Watkins	501-756-6893	3400 Cheryl, Springdale, AR 72764
Calvary	Jo Ann Maze	501-248-1379	744 E. Lake Rd., Springdale, AR 72764
Midway	Janice Smith	501-636-5343	Rt. 4, Box 155, Rogers, AR 72756
Greenland Memorial Chapel	Charline Sherman	501-839-2395	Rt. 8, Box 208, Fayetteville, AR 72701
Bentonville	Alta Barnard	501-925-2632	Rt. 3, Box 650, Rogers, AR 72756
Durham Gospel House	Deloris Paschall	501-643-2501	Rt. 2, Box 190, Elkins, AR 72727
Westside	Garry Rhodes	501-751-0607	4605 Hickory, Springdale, AR 72764
Eastgate	Etta Crittenden	918-723-5299	Rt. 2, Box 141, Westville, OK 74965
Unity	Audry Paden	501-761-3467	Rt. 1, Box 73B-1, West Fork, AR 72774

Jerusalem ——— Howell  
Eureka Spgs.



Ordained Ministers	Age	Address	Telephone
Artman, Dennis	34	1814 Taylor, Springdale, AR 72764	756-0297
Bagwell, Eldon	53	Rt. 1, Hindsville, AR 72738	789-5713
Barnes, Glenn	74	303 E. Robinson, Springdale, AR 72764	756-3159
Bearden, Curtis	80	612 N. Jefferson, Springdale, AR 72764	751-7707
Benson, Dean	60	2409 Dogwood, Springdale, AR 72764	751-8444
Bolinger, Gary (Butch)	45	P.O. Box 703, Huntsville, AR 72740	738-6402
Boyd, Jack	73	1906 Patti, Springdale, AR 72764	756-6623
Bradley, Lowell	58	1604 S. West End, Springdale, AR 72764	756-3978
Bradshaw, Gordon	73	Rt. 8, Box 342, Springdale, AR 72764	756-6004
Burris, Randy	47	Rt. 1, Box 23A, West Fork, AR 72774	839-2132
Carothers, Jesse	35	Rt. 10, 1906 Lee St., Fayetteville, AR 72701	444-8523
Case, Cecil	48	Rt. 6, Box 426, Fayetteville, AR 72703	361-2743
Casey, Mark	28	P.O. Box 493, Pea Ridge, AR 72751	None
Caswell, Greig	31	602 Catlett, Prairie Grove, AR 72753	846-3951
Cline, Norman	68	1301 S. Dyer, Springdale, AR 72764	751-5407
Colville, Charles	63	1706 Horseshoe, Springdale, AR 72764	756-6438
Counts, Loy	52	1004 Sherman, Springdale, AR 72764	751-3075
Coyle, Bruce	51	P.O. Box 53, Creede, Colo.	Unknown
David, Ross	41	Rt. 2, Pea Ridge, AR 72751	451-8433
Day, Tommy	79	1800 Carley Rd., Apt. 43, Springdale, AR 72764	756-6405
Doyle, Ellis	44	Rt. 1, Box 279, Pineville, MO 64856	435-2544
Doty, Austin, Jr.	46	Rt. 4, Berryville, AR 72616	749-2494
Easterling, Noel	74	2707 Tracee Way, Springdale, AR 72764	751-7696
Faulkner, Glen	46	905 Dogwood, Prairie Grove, AR 72764	846-2978
Ferguson, Ace	78	Rt. 12, Bentonville, AR 72712	273-2052
Galloway, Arthur Lee	56	604 Curtis, Springdale, AR 72764	751-6980
Garrison, Cecil O.	80	606 Curtis, Springdale, AR 72764	751-2003

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Goforth, Dwayne .....		1614 Christian, Springdale, AR 72764 .....	751-5052
Grimes, Jerry .....	46	Rt. 1, Box 278, Pineville, MO 64856 .....	None
Grimes, Ricky .....	41	Rt. 1, Garfield, AR 72732 .....	451-1254
Haffelder, Roy .....	46	Rt. 5, Huntsville, AR 72740 .....	665-2860
Harp, Boyd .....	67	Rt. 2, Springdale, AR 72764 .....	789-5770
Harp, Lester .....	40	Rt. 2, Box 410A3, Springdale, AR 72764 .....	756-5734
Hendrix, Claude .....	68	3506 N. Second, Rogers, AR 72756 .....	636-2843
Henry, Ray .....	64	Rt. 7, Fayetteville, AR 72701 .....	643-3472
Henshaw, Jerry .....	38	Rt. 2, Box 337K, Springdale, AR 72764 .....	756-9004
Hodge, Leon .....	51	123 N. 40th, Springdale, AR 72764 .....	756-5096
Hodges, Deryl .....		1103 E. Tahlequah, Siloam Springs, AR 72761 .....	524-3954
Hunton, Raymond .....	78	3400 Old Wire Road, Springdale, AR 72764 .....	751-8269
Johnson, Ernest .....	55	Rt. 3, Box 274, Springdale, AR 72764 .....	751-2570
Jones, Glen .....	78	Rt. 1, Box 35A, West Fork, AR 72774 .....	846-3505
Jones, Luther .....	83	Rt. 4, Box 153, Rogers, AR 72756 .....	636-5694
Kendig, Finas .....		Rt. 2, #42 Lakeshore Drive, Springdale, AR 72764 .....	750-4848
Kester, Dale .....	37	910 Gutensohn, Springdale, AR 72764 .....	751-8546
Lane, Anthony .....	54	1003 Moberly Lane, Bentonville, AR 72712 .....	273-5549
Lynch, George .....	80	Rt. 1, Hindsville, AR 72738 \.....	789-5535
Lynch, Kenneth .....	51	Rt. 1, Hindsville, AR 72738 /.....	789-5535
Madden, Greg .....	34	Rt. 2, Box 443, Prairie Grove, AR 72753 .....	846-3845
Middleton, Jim .....		507 E. Central, Bentonville, AR 72712 .....	273-3704
Morris, Earl Dean .....	54	Rt. 1, Hindsville, AR 72738 .....	789-2701
Morris, Jack .....	57	1307 Mission, Fayetteville, AR 72701 .....	442-2588
Mudd, Terry .....	37	1008 N. 9th St., Rogers, AR 72756 .....	636-6016
Paschal, Jerry .....		Rt. 2, Box 190, Elkins, AR 72727 .....	643-2501
Payne, Paul .....	48	3403 Cheryl, Springdale, AR 72764 .....	751-3047

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Phillips, Bruce .....	87	1015 N. Mill St., Springdale, AR 72764 .....	751-7585
Porter, Layton .....	66	HCR 66, Box 60, Witter, AR 72776 .....	232-5768
Roach, David .....	31	Rt. 4, Box 483B, Fayetteville, AR 72701 .....	442-5549
Seals, Charles .....	72	210 E. Sunset, Springdale, AR 72764 .....	756-9293
Siler, Lonnie .....	35	Unknown .....	
Smith, Rue Dell .....	57	209 E. Robinson, Springdale, AR 72764 .....	756-8862
Smith, William S. ....	61	Unknown .....	
Snoderly, Henry .....	38	1520 Oak Tree Lane, Little Flock, Rogers, AR 72756 .....	636-2774
Spurlock, Jim .....	51	Route 6, Huntsville, AR 72740 .....	232-5864
Thomas, Loyd .....	54	1115 Oak, Fayetteville, AR 72701 .....	521-2679
Watson, David .....	36	3400 Edward St., Springdale, AR 72764 .....	751-3279
Young, Rufus .....	72	Rt. 7, Box 312, Springdale, AR 72764 .....	756-3725

Licensed Ministers	Age	Address	Phone
Chaffin, Johnnie .....		Twin Springs Rd., Siloam Springs, AR 72761 .....	
Franklin, Sammie Joe .....	55	Rt. 4, Box 120, Berryville, AR 72616 .....	423-6519
Holder, Isaac .....		P.O. Box 918, Lowell, AR 72745 .....	
Holder, Kenneth .....	33	P.O. Box 295, Lowell, AR 72745 .....	
Lane, Dwayne .....		3615 N. 2nd St., Rogers, AR 72756 .....	636-8182
Peterson, Jared .....		Rt. 2, Box 2730B, Garfield, AR 72732 .....	
McCully, Scott .....	27	606 Rustic Dr., Apt. 1, Rogers, AR 72756 .....	636-5799
Woods, Jerry .....	41	P.O. Box 102, Avoca, AR 72711 .....	451-8920

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 Clerk/Treasurer - *Gayla Hayward* Dorothy Lathrop  
 Assistant Moderator - Ernest Johnson  
 Assistant Clerk - Ann Johnson

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 4051 Butterfield Coach Rd.  
 Springdale, AR 72764  
 Route 3, Box 274  
 Springdale, AR 72764  
 Route 2  
 Hindsville, AR 72738

EXECUTIVE BOARD

Cecil Case - 1 Year  
 Paul Payne - 2 Years  
 Ernest Johnson - 3 Years  
 Gordon Bradshaw - 4 Years  
 Ricky Grimes - 5 Years

Fayetteville, AR 72703  
 Springdale, AR 72764  
 Springdale, AR 72764  
 Springdale, AR 72764  
 Garfield, AR 72732

*Resigned*  
*Anthony Lane*

HOME MISSION BOARD

Terry Mudd - 1 Year  
 Dale Kester - 2 Years  
 Finas Kendig - 3 Years  
 Glen Faulkner - 4 Years  
 Norman Cline - 5 Years

Rogers, AR 72756  
 Springdale, AR 72764  
 Springdale, AR 72764  
 Prairie Grove, AR 72753  
 Springdale, AR 72764

*Scott McCulley*

YOUTH CAMP BOARD

Jesse Carothers - 1 Year  
 Greig Caswell - 2 Years  
 Lowell Bradley - 3 Years  
 Randy Bradley - 4 Years  
 Deryl Hodges - 5 Years

Fayetteville, AR 72703  
 Prairie Grove, AR 72753  
 Springdale, AR 72764  
 Siloam Springs, AR 72761  
 Siloam Springs, AR 72761

*re-elected - 5 yr*

TRUSTEES OF ASSOCIATION PROPERTY

David Watson - 1 Year  
 James Harrison - 2 Years  
 Tom Lathrop - 3 Years  
 Carl Johnson - 4 Years  
 Scott Marrs - 5 Years

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