RANDALL ASSOCIATION OF FREE WILL BAPTISTS



ANNUAL REPORT 2005 - 2006

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CONSTITUTION & BY-LAWS of the RANDALL ASSOCIATION of FREE WILL BAPTISTS

PREAMBLE

As members of the Free Will Baptist denomination, being regularly baptized upon profession of faith in Jesus Christ, and realizing the necessity for a bond of union and fellowship, we do hereby ordain this Constitution for our mutual edification and inspiration, hoping to accomplish cooperatively what we could not individually.

ARTICLE I. NAME

This organization shall be known as the Randall Association of Free Will Baptists.

ARTICLE II. MEMBERSHIP

- **SECTION 1.** This Association shall be composed of Free Will Baptist churches which maintain Gospel order and agree with denominational doctrines and practices expressed in <u>A Treatise of Faith and Practices of Free Will Baptists</u> as adopted by the National Association of Free Will Baptists.
- **SECTION 2.** Churches desiring membership in this Association shall present a petitionary letter. They shall then be examined by the Executive Board to determine whether they are in compliance with Section 1 of the Article. Upon recommendation of the Executive Board, they shall be received by a majority vote of the Association.
- SECTION 3. Member churches are requested to participate in all the meetings of the Association. Member churches must show representation in at least one quarterly meeting per year and must report by letter to the Association at its annual meeting. Failure to so report for a period of two years shall forfeit that church's membership in this Association. Churches who have absented themselves for up to two years but wishing to remain in good standing in the Association will be expected to pay all dues in arrears.

ARTICLE III. REPRESENTATION

- **SECTION 1.** Voting representation at any session shall be by standing delegates of the Association, and lay delegates who are elected representatives of the various churches comprising this Association.
- **SECTION 2.** Standing delegates shall be the members of the various boards of the Association ordained ministers and deacons who are members in good standing with this Association.
- **SECTION 3.** Each church shall be entitled to represent at any session of this Association with five lay delegates. Churches having memberships of 500 or more are entitled to one additional delegate for every 200 members or fraction thereof above 500.

ARTICLE IV. MEETINGS

This association shall hold regular meetings quarterly in the various member churches. These meetings shall be held on the third Friday nights of February, May, August, and November, respectively, with the May meeting being designated as the Annual Meeting. Annual church report forms and dues will be collected at the February meeting.

ARTICLE V. GENERAL OFFICERS

The general officers of this Association shall consist of a moderator, an assistant moderator, a clerk, and a treasurer, each of whom shall be elected for a term of two years beginning at the close of the session at which they were elected.

ARTICLE VI. BOARDS

SECTION 1. The Executive Board shall consist of the general officers of the Association together with one member elected at large for a term of two years. The Executive Board shall have the power to act in behalf of this Association when not in session only as provided for in this Constitution and By-Laws, or, as specifically directed by the Association. This Board shall have the responsibility for the program of each session of this Association and the planning of special joint services and/or Bible Conferences for the edification of our people.

SECTION 2. The Board of Ministerial Standing shall consist of five members elected for terms of five years, the term of one expiring each year. The Board of Ministerial Standing shall examine any licensed or ordained minister who, as a member of one of the several churches of the Randall Association, is presented by said church as a candidate for acceptance as a minister in good standing with this Association. In the case of licensed minister, this examination shall include a written examination (see Appendix I). In the case of newly ordained minister, this examination shall include a written examination (see Appendix II), and an oral examination in which the candidate must satisfy the concerning: any errors or weaknesses revealed in the written examination, personal salvation, assurance of a call from God to preach, doctrinal purity, agreement with the beliefs of the Free Will Baptist denomination, purity of testimony and holiness of life, knowledge of the Scriptures, and willingness to accept guidance and supervision of the Board in remedying any deficiencies.

ARTICLE VII. MINISTERIAL STANDING

SECTION 1. This Association, while viewing the licensing and ordination of ministers as the prerogative of the local church, does reserve to itself the authority to grant or withhold its official sanction and approval of ministers who belong to several churches comprising this Association. Only such candidates as meet the standards of the Association shall be granted that approval and sanction or consideration to be ministers in good standing with this Association.

SECTION 2. In order to attain ministerial standing in this Association, a minister must be approved and recommended by the Board of Ministerial Standing and accepted by the majority vote of this Association.

SECTION 3. Ministers are expected to attend all meetings of the Association. All ordained and licensed ministers must attend at least one quarterly meeting per year unless physically hindered. Failure to do so for a period of two years will forfeit their standing within the Association.

SECTION 4. At any time that a minister in good standing with this Association is found to no longer meet the standards of this Association in either doctrine or practice, the Association shall, in writing, notify the church of which he is a member of this action.

ARTICLE VIII. DISCIPLINE

SECTION 1. This Randall Association shall have the right to settle any question of discipline, doctrine, or practice that may properly come before it from any of the churches of the Association, or act upon any appeal made by a member of said church. Said appeal shall be submitted in writing to the clerk of the Association, being properly signed. Such appeals shall be submitted to the Executive Board and, at their discretion, they shall hear the appeal and make recommendation to the Association as to the course of action they deem best. If the Executive Board does not hear any appeal, or makes no recommendation, such an appeal may be brought before the Association itself.

SECTION 2. Any action which the Association may take cannot reverse the action of any member church, although it may act in a hortatory and advisory capacity toward that end. Actual disciplinary action upon a member church or minister can deal only with their rights as a member of the Association. In this vein, the Association may refuse to seat delegates from a member church for a session of the Association or may ultimately withdraw fellowship from the church.

ARTICLE IX. PROPERTY

This Association lays no claim whatever to the property, real or personal, of any of the several churches which comprise the Association. Under no circumstances does any such property automatically revert to the Association. Such property may come into possession of the Association only by the specific action of the member church.

ARTICLE X. SUBSIDIARY ORGANIZATIONS

The Women Nationally Active For Christ of the Randall Association shall be recognized as a subordinate to the Association; but shall organize at its own discretion and have power to create and adopt a Constitution and By-Laws and maintain complete management of the work and shall conform to the general program and promotional plan of the Association. It shall report accomplishments and financial operations annually to the Association.

ARTICLE XI. DISSOLUTION

In the event of the dissolution of this Association, any assets of the organization then remaining shall be conveyed to such denominational agencies then existing which are dedicated to similar objectives to those of this organization. Said agency shall be selected by the Association at the time of dissolution.

ARTICLE XII. AMENDMENTS

This Constitution may be amended at any regular session of the Association by a two-thirds (2/3) vote of the delegates present.

BY-LAWS

REPRESENTATION

SECTION 1. It is requested that each church send an offering with its letter at each session.

OFFICERS

- SECTION 2. The duties of the Moderator shall include presiding at the meetings of the Randall Association and the Executive Board; calling special meetings of the Executive Board when they may be necessary to the carrying out of the duties given to that Board under the provisions of the Constitution and By-Laws; appointing such committees as are created without provision for their selection; and in general, to fulfill whatever responsibilities may be commensurate with his office or delegated to him by the body.
- **SECTION 3.** The duties of the Assistant Moderator shall include presiding at the request of, or in the absence of, the Moderator and assisting him in such ways as may be necessary.
- **SECTION 4.** The duties of the Clerk shall include recording the proceedings of all sessions of the Association and the Executive Board and preserving an accurate record of said proceedings; preparing and causing to be published minutes of the sessions of the Association; handling such official correspondence for the Association as he may be directed; and holding in trust all documents not otherwise preserved, and surrendering same at the direction of the Association.
- **SECTION 5.** The duties of the Treasurer shall include the holding in trust of all monies belonging to the Association and the paying out of the same as he is directed by the Association.
- SECTION 6. No person shall fill more than one elected office at the same time.
- **SECTION 7.** No officer or board member shall succeed himself more than once in the same office or on the same board.

COMMISSIONS AND COMMITTEES

- **SECTION 8.** The following committees, consisting of three (3) members each, shall be used in the annual session of this Association:
 - A. The Resolutions Committee, who shall receive and present worthwhile resolutions to the Association;

- B. The Finance Committee, who shall receive a report from the Treasurer of the Association as to the total of all monies on hand and all outstanding obligations and make recommendations to the Association as to the allocation of all said monies;
- C. The Nominating Committee, who shall nominate a candidate for every vacant office.

SECTION 9. When the Association deems it wise, committees may be constituted for a definite period of time in a specified area. The number of members of any such committee shall be determined by the assembly. Committee members shall be appointed by the Moderator unless otherwise provided by the action creating the committee; and they shall hold office for the length of time provided, or until their work is completed, or until they are released, or the successors chosen.

HONORARIA

SECTION 10. The clerk shall receive an honorarium of \$200.00 annually.

PARLIAMENTARY AUTHORITY

SECTION 11. The meetings of the Randall Association shall be governed by the rules of parliamentary law as set forth in <u>Robert's Rules of Order</u>, except in those cases where these rules are superseded by some rule of this organization.

STANDING RULES

SECTION 12. Each of the standing boards may temporarily fill vacancies which occur in their own boards until the next session of the Randall Association.

SECTION 13. The opportunity to make nominations from the floor shall accompany each report of a nomination committee.

AMENDMENTS

SECTION 14. These By-Laws may be amended at any regular session of the association by a two-thirds (2/3) vote of the delegates present.

RANDALL MEMBER CHURCHES & PASTORS

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	Church	<u>Pastor</u>	Church	Pastor
	Beacon 2110 Trawick Rd. Raleigh, NC 27604 (919) 872-2215 pastorrabon@homeforyou	Rev. Tim Rabon 4205 Willow Oak Raleigh, NC 27604 (919) 250-0207 urfamily.com	Garner PO Box 326 Garner, NC 27529 (919) 772-6093 garnerfwb@juno.com	Rev. Fred Scott 128 Rynal Dr. Garner, NC 27529 919-553-7723
	Calvary 808 W. Club Blvd. Durham, NC 27701 (919) 682-1491 preacher110@juno.com	Rev. Virgil Nolen 3832 Hermine St. Durham, NC 27701 (919) 477-3908	Glad Tidings PO Box 8 Asheboro, NC 27204 (336) 629-2414 brobob@gladtidingsfwbc.co	Rev. Bob Edmonson 1412 Shamrock Rd. Asheboro, NC 27205 (336) 625-3406 com
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	Charity 1850 Wendell Blvd. Wendell, NC 27591 (919) 365-8135	Rev. Ben Gibson 13 Deer Lake Trail Wendell, NC 27591	Haven 5408 Tryon Rd. Raleigh, NC 27606 (919) 233-2233 summy4@juno.com	Rev. Jim Summerson 1208 Shakentown St. Knightdale, NC 27545 (919) 217-3798
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Peace PO Box 2326 Henderson, NC 27536 (919) 438-2447	Rev. Willie Coleman	Tippett's Chapel 2530 Shotwell Rd. Clayton, NC 27520 (919) 553-7037 elmoody@mindspring.com	Rev. Eddie Moody 24 Creeks Edge Ct. Durham, NC 27713 (919) 359-2797
Prospect 873 Prospect Church Rd. Dunn, NC 28334 (910) 897-8858 REVPWD@surrealnet.ne	Rev. Phil Davis	Unity P. O. Box 1012 Smithfield, NC 27577 (919) 934-3577 mcauley104@netzero.com	Rev. Mike McCauley 136 Jesse Drive Smithfield, NC 27577
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RANDALL ASSOCIATION OFFICERS

Executive Board

Office -	Name	Term Expires
Moderator	Rev. Rick Cason	2007
Assistant Moderator	Rev. Jim Turnbough	2007
Clerk	Rev. Brent Patrick	2007
Treasurer	Rev. Joe Wallis	2007
Member-at-Large	Rev. Harvey Stewart	2007

Board of Ministerial Standing

Rev. Billy Keith	2007
Rev. Eddie Moody	2008
Rev. Virgil Nolen	2009
Rev. Jason Hurt	2010
Rev. Mike McCauley	2011

First Quarterly Meeting Minutes August 19, 2005 Prospect FWB Church – Dunn, NC

The meeting began with the call to worship provided by the host church choir singing "There is a Fountain." A brief welcome was given by the host pastor Rev. Phil Davis followed by the congregational singing of "The Windows of Heaven," "Shout to the Lord," and "He's My Lord." Prayer was led by Rev. Davis, and special music was provided by Johnny and Almeta Allen singing "Jesus and Me."

In the absence of Association Moderator Rev. Rick Cason, Assistant Moderator Rev. Jim Turnbough opened the Business Session of the meeting. The standing delegates of the association were recognized and a M/S/C was made to seat these delegates from the member churches.

The following items of business were brought before the association:

- 1. Executive Board Report Given by Clerk Rev. Brent Patrick
 - a) It was reported that the Executive Board met on June 20, 2005.
 - b) In that meeting it was noted that a check of \$175 for 2005 dues was received from Sheraton Park FWB Church, Greensboro. However, no annual report was received from the church.
 - c) Also, in that meeting, the following 2005 2006 Randall Association Meetings were approved:

1)	August 19, 2005	Prospect FWB, Dunn
	Speaker: Jim Marcum	
2)	November 18, 2005	Faith FWB, Rockingham
	Speaker: Mike McCauley	
3)	February 17, 2006	Fellowship FWB, Dunn
	Speaker: Brent Patrick	·
4)	May 12, 2006	Fellowship FWB, Micro
-	Speaker: Willie Coleman	(Annual Meeting)

- d) The 2004 2005 Annual Randall Association Reports are now available for each pastor.
- e) The Executive Board Report was received as information by the Moderator.
- 2. Treasurer's Report Given by Treasurer Rev. Joe Wallis
 - a) The balance as of July 31, 2005 was \$3,329.13.
 - b) See attached for the Treasurer's Report detail listing.
 - c) M/S/C to receive the Treasurer's Report.
- 3. Board of Ministerial Standing No report was given.

4. Youth Board - Given by Chairman Rev. Jason Hurt

- a) The Youth Board Treasurer's Report was given with a balance of \$1,777.45 as of July 31, 2005. (See attached for detail listing.)
- b) A good summer youth camp was reported with approximately 50 young people from the Randall Association attending the Harvest Bible Camp in Shelby, NC.
- c) Bro. Hurt also offered information pertaining to future youth camps and youth activities for the Randall youth.
- d) M/S/C to receive the Youth Board Report.

5. Bible Book Store Report – Given by representative Rev. Billy Keith

- a) Information was given about the CLEAR Sunday School Curriculum and several books being published by Randall House Publications.
- b) Bro. Keith also noted that the Bible Book Store now carries home-schooling material.

6. Announcements – Given by Assistant Moderator Jim Turnbough

- a) This meeting's offering would be received in memory of Rev. Ronald Creech.
- b) The Free Will Baptist Bible College Fellowship Dinner will be Thursday, September 15 at the Garner FWB Church in Garner.
- c) Bro. Turnbough also reminded the congregation that September is Pastor Appreciation Month and encouraged everyone to honor their pastor.
- d) M/S/C to dismiss from the Business Session.

The worship service resumed with the congregational singing of "Mansion Over the Hilltop." The offering was received followed by the host church choir singing "Heaven Medley." Pastor Davis then led the congregation in singing "One Day Jesus Will Call My Name," "What a Day that will Be," "Going Home," and "Beulah Land." Assistant Moderator Jim Turnbough explained to the congregation that Rev. Jim Marcum was scheduled to preach this meeting but was unable because he was attending the funeral of Rev. Ronald Creech in Nashville, TN. Thus, in Bro. Marcum's absence, host pastor Rev. Phil Davis had agreed to preach. Rev. Davis brought a message from John 2 entitled "Worshipping the Lord." He pointed out that when contamination becomes common, when correction becomes challenged, and when confession becomes careless worship will be spoiled. The challenge for the church in worship is to maintain our focus on the Lord!

The benediction prayer, along with the blessing over the food, was given by Rev. Charles Keith. The meeting was dismissed, and a time of food and fellowship was provided by the host church. There were approximately 95 in attendance.

Respectfully submitted, Rev. Brent Patrick, Clerk

Randall Association Treasurers Report

First Quarter Report May 2005 - July 2005

Balance brought forward 4 - 30 - 05 ----- \$ 3299.10

Deposits

5-15-05	Deposit of Association Offering	\$ 85.00
5-15-05	Deposit of late Church's Dues	175.00
	Total Deposits	\$ 260.00

Withdrawals

Check #1020 on 6/20/05 to Jim Turnbough for Clerk's honorarium \$ 200.00 Check #1021 on 6/20/05 to McColl's BBQ for Exec. Board Meeting 29.97

Total Withdrawals

\$ 229.97

\$3,299.10 Beginning Balance

260.00 Total Deposits

\$ 3,559.10 Total in Account

229.97 Total Withdrawn

\$ 3,329.13 New Balance

Balance as of 7-31-05 ----- \$3,329.13

This balance matches the BB&T Bank Statement for 07-29-05

Respectively Submitted

Joseph R. Wallis

Joseph R. Wallis

Treasurer's Report

To the **Youth Board** Of the **Randall Association of Free Will Baptist**

Reporting: May – July 2005

Checking Account - RBC Centura

Beginning Balance, May 1, 2005

\$1,233.45

Income

Deposits:

Church Contributions – 5/14

\$274.00

Randall Youth Camp – 6/21

\$2,820.00

Total Income

\$4,327.45

Expenses

Debit:

Harvest Time Camp-6/23

\$2,550.00

Ending Balance, July 30, 2005

\$1,777.45

Submitted by:

Rev. Richard Dickens, Treasurer

Second Quarterly Meeting Minutes November 18, 2005 Faith FWB Church – Rockingham, NC

The meeting began with a brief welcome from host pastor Rev. Jerry Hall followed by the congregational singing of "I'll Fly Away." Prayer was led by Rev. Jason Hurt, and special music was provided by a ladies' duet singing "Lord, Reach Them Through Me."

Association Moderator Rev. Rick Cason opened the Business Session of the meeting. The standing delegates of the association were recognized and a M/S/C was made to seat these delegates from the member churches.

The following items of business were brought before the association:

- 1. Executive Board Report Given by Clerk Rev. Brent Patrick
 - a) It was reported that the Executive Board met on October 17, 2005.
 - b) In that meeting, the following 2005 2006 Randall Association Meetings were verified:

1)	November 18, 2005	Faith FWB, Rockingham	
	Speaker: Mike McCauley		
2)	February 17, 2006	Fellowship FWB, Dunn	
	Speaker: Brent Patrick		
3)	May 12, 2006	Fellowship FWB, Micro	
	Speaker: Willie Coleman	(Annual Meeting)	

c) Also, in that meeting, discussion was held about the lack of attendance from Ministers in the yearly associational meetings. From that discussion, the following Constitutional changes were recommended to the Association at the November Associational Meeting:

Article II – Membership

Section 3 — It is recommended that the first sentence be changed. Currently it reads, "Member churches are requested to participate in all the meetings of the Association and to report by letter to the Association at its annual business meeting." The proposed change would read, "Member churches are requested to participate in all the meetings of the Association. Member churches must show representation in at least one quarterly meeting per year and must report by letter to the Association at its annual business meeting."

Article VII - Ministerial Standing

Section 3 – It was recommended that the second sentence be changed from "Ministers must attend or be accounted for at the annual meeting"

to "All ordained and licensed ministers must attend at least one quarterly meeting per year unless physically hindered." (The first and last sentences of Section 3 remain the same.)

If approved, the Constitutional changes would take effect with the August 2006 quarterly meeting.

- d) M/S/C to table the Constitutional changes until the Annual Meeting in May 2006.
- e) The 2004 2005 Annual Randall Association Reports are now available for each pastor.
- f) The Executive Board Report was received as information by the Moderator.
- 2. Treasurer's Report Given by Treasurer Rev. Joe Wallis
 - a) The balance as of October 31, 2005 was \$3,290.18.
 - b) See attached for the Treasurer's Report detail listing.
 - c) M/S/C to receive the Treasurer's Report.
- 3. Board of Ministerial Standing No report was given.
- 4. Youth Board Given by Chairman Rev. Jason Hurt
 - a) The Youth Board Treasurer's Report was given with a balance of \$1,972.45 as of November 18, 2005. (See attached for detail listing.)
 - b) Bro. Hurt reported that the upcoming youth lock-in was canceled due to a lack of participation.
 - c) Bro. Hurt also offered information pertaining to a future bowling activity and the 2006 summer youth camp.
 - d) M/S/C to receive the Youth Board Report.

5. Miscellaneous Business and Reports

- a) Mike Allison gave a report from FWB Family Ministries in Greenville, TN. He brought information about the care of FWB Family Ministries, reported that anywhere from 85-100 children are ministered to on a daily basis, and encouraged churches and individuals to get involved in the \$1,000,000 fundraising campaign.
- b) NC Missionary Rev. Bob Edmonson gave a report about the mission work in Asheboro, NC. He provided flyers to each pastor announcing "Bob Edmonson Day" that was declared by the NC Home Mission Board in an effort to help erase some of the debt in the Asheboro project. This special day is to take place Sunday, March 6, 2006.
- c) Rev. Jim Marcum gave a report from the NC FWB Promotional Office. He provided information about the NC FWB website that is now operational, announced that the next Minister's Retreat would be held September 18-20, 2006, and encouraged everyone to pray for churches that had pastoral vacancies. He concluded by announcing that the 2006

NC FWB State Meeting would be held in June at Parker's Chapel FWB Church in Greenville, NC.

M/S/C to dismiss from the Business Session.

Following a brief time of testimonies, the worship service resumed with the congregational singing of "Joy Unspeakable." The offering was received followed by the special music of Kassie Nance singing "Thanks for What You Took from Me." Rev. Mike McCauley, Pastor of Unity FWB Church in Smithfield, NC, was introduced as the speaker for the meeting. Rev. McCauley brought a message from Romans 13:11-14 entitled "One Day at a Time with the Lord." He pointed to this passage as an aid in helping us to walk with the Lord on a daily basis. He encouraged us to wake up, get dressed, and have something to do for the Lord each day. The challenge for the church was to be a testimony for the Lord by our daily actions.

The benediction prayer, along with the blessing over the food, was given by Rev. Conrad Williford. The meeting was dismissed, and a time of food and fellowship was provided by the host church. There were approximately 50 in attendance.

Respectfully submitted, Rev. Brent Patrick, Clerk

Randall Association Treasurers Report

Second Quarter Report August 2005 - October 2005

Balance brought forward 7 - 31 - 05 - \$ 3,329.13 **Deposits** \$ 231.15 **Deposit of Association Offering** 8-19-05 \$ 231.15 **Total Deposits** Withdrawals Check #1022 on 8/20/05 to FWB Bible College - Ronald Creech Mem. Fund \$ 231.15 Check #1023 on 10/17/05 to McColl's BBQ for Exec. Board Meeting 38.95 \$ 270.10 **Total Withdrawals** \$3,329.13 Beginning Balance 231.15 Total Deposits \$3,560.28 Total in Account 270.10 Total Withdrawn \$3,290.18 New Balance Balance as of 10-31-05 ----\$ 3,290.18 This balance matches the BB&T Bank Statement for 10-31-05 Respectively Submitted

Treasurer's Report

To the Youth Board Of the Randall Association of Free Will Baptist

Reporting: August- November 2005

Checking Account- RBC Centura

Beginning Balance, August 1, 2005

1,777.45

Income -

Deposits:

Church Contributions- 11/09

\$195.00

Total Income

\$195.00

Expenses

Debit:

N/A

Ending Balance, November 18, 2005

\$1,972.45

Submitted by:

Rev. Richard Dickens, Treasurer

Third Quarterly Meeting Minutes February 17, 2006 Fellowship FWB Church – Dunn, NC

The meeting began with a brief welcome from host pastor Rev. Doug Snipes. Bro. Adam Hinson followed by leading the congregational singing of "He Keeps Me Singing." Prayer was led by Rev. Mike McCauley, and special music was provided by Teresa Snipes singing "He Looked Beyond My Fault and Saw My Need."

Association Moderator Rev. Rick Cason opened the Business Session of the meeting. The standing delegates of the association were recognized, and a M/S/C was made to seat these delegates from the member churches.

The following items of business were brought before the Association:

- 1. Executive Board Report Given by Clerk Rev. Brent Patrick
 - a) It was reported that the Executive Board met on January 16, 2006.
 - b) In that meeting, the following 2006 Randall Association Meetings were verified:

1) February 17, 2006 Fellowship FWB, Dunn Speaker: Brent Patrick

2) May 12, 2006 Fellowship FWB, Micro Speaker: Willie Coleman (Annual Meeting)

- c) Also, in that meeting, discussion was held concerning the Randall Youth Board. It was noted that the Youth Board had been struggling functionally with low Board Member participation and low local church participation. It was recommended to the Executive Board from Youth Board Chairman Rev. Jason Hurt to dissolve the Youth Board completely, citing that the Youth Board was no longer serving the purpose for which it was originally created. From this discussion, further discussion was held concerning the distribution of the money that currently resides in the Youth Board account. It was recommended that the money go into the main Randall Account with that money to be set-aside and designated to pay the entry fee for youth participating in the NC State CTS Competition. This money would continue to be distributed until the funds no longer are available.
 - M/S/C to consider dissolving the Randall Youth Board. This recommendation is to be presented at the February Randall Meeting and to be tabled until the May Annual Randall Meeting where this proposal will be voted upon.
- d) Discussion was further held about the proposed Constitutional changes pertaining to minister and church participation in the association. It was noted that "ministers" includes both ordained and licensed ministers. It

- was also noted that the attendance issues presented in the proposed Constitutional changes would effect standing in the Association.
- e) Discussion was held about possible candidates for the Nominating Committee to be appointed at the February Randall Meeting for the Annual Meeting in May.
- f) It was noted that the Annual Church Letters and Dues need to be submitted by the February Meeting.
- g) The Executive Board Report was received as information by the Moderator.
- h) M/S/C to table the dissolving of the Randall Youth Board until the Annual Meeting in May 2006.

2. Treasurer's Report – Given by Treasurer Rev. Joe Wallis

- a) The balance as of January 31, 2006 was \$3,293.31.
- b) See attached for the Treasurer's Report detail listing.
- c) M/S/C to receive the Treasurer's Report.
- 3. Board of Ministerial Standing No report was given.
- 4. Youth Board Given by Chairman Rev. Jason Hurt
 - a) The Youth Board Treasurer's Report was given with a balance of \$1,972.45 as of January 31, 2006.
 - b) Bro. Hurt reported no further activity pending the tabled vote to dissolve the Randall Youth Board in May.
 - c) The Youth Board Report was received as information by the Moderator.

5. Miscellaneous Business and Reports

- a) Moderator Rev. Rick Cason appointed the following individuals to serve on the Nominating Committee to report to the Association in the May Meeting:
 - 1) Rev. Jim Turnbough Chairman
 - 2) Rev. Bobby Bryan
 - 3) Rev. Virgil Nolen.
- b) Rev. Jim Marcum gave a report from the NC FWB Promotional Office. He announced that the 2006 NC FWB State Meeting would be held June 5-6 at the Parker's Chapel FWB Church in Greenville, NC. He also announced that the next Minister's Retreat would be held September 18-20, 2006.
- c) Mike Allison gave a report about the overall operations and ministries of FWB Family Ministries in Greenville, TN.
- d) Rev. James Stepps provided information about the overall operations and ministries of Harvest Child Care Ministries in Duffield, VA.
- e) NC Missionary Rev. Bob Edmonson gave a report about the mission work in Asheboro, NC. He reminded pastors and attendees about "Bob Edmonson Day" that was declared by the NC Home Mission Board in an

effort to help erase some of the debt in the Asheboro project. This special day is to take place Sunday, March 6, 2006.

M/S/C to dismiss from the Business Session.

The worship service resumed with Bro. Adam Hinson leading the congregational singing of "Victory in Jesus." The offering was received followed by the special music of Teresa Snipes singing "Soul Desire." Rev. Brent Patrick, Pastor of Shady Grove FWB Church in Durham, NC, was introduced as the speaker for the meeting. Rev. Patrick brought a message from Ephesians 4:17-32 entitled "Be Angry and Sin Not." He pointed to this passage as an aid in helping us to better control our anger. He encouraged us to understand the nature of anger, to face the sin of anger, and to humble ourselves to the resolve of anger. The challenge for the church was to have the right kind of testimony in our daily actions by controlling our anger.

The benediction prayer, along with the blessing over the food, was given by Rev. Jim Marcum. The meeting was dismissed, and a time of food and fellowship was provided by the host church. There were approximately 75 in attendance.

Respectfully submitted, Rev. Brent Patrick, Clerk

Randall Association Treasurers Report

Third Quarter Report November 2005 – January 2006

Balance brought forward 10-31-05 ----- \$ 3,290.18

Deposits

11-22-05 Association Offering

\$ 71.00

Total Deposits

\$ 71.00

Withdrawals

Check #1024 on 11/18/05 to Brent Patrick Clerk for Postage

\$ 26.56

Check #1025 on 1/16/06 to McColl's BBQ for Exec. Board Meeting

\$ 41.31

Total Withdrawals

\$ 67.87

\$3,290.18 Beginning Balance + 71.00 Total Deposits

\$ 3,361.18 Total in Account

- 67.87 Total Withdrawn

Joseph R. Wallis

\$ 3,293.31 New Balance

Balance as of 1-31-06 ----- \$3,293.31

This balance matches the BB&T Bank Statement for 01-31-06

Respectively Submitted

Joseph R. Wallis

Fourth Quarterly Meeting Minutes May 19, 2006 Fellowship FWB Church – Micro, NC

The 2005-2006 Annual Meeting began with a brief welcome from host pastor Rev. Willie Summerlin followed by the congregational singing of "This World is Not My Home." Prayer was led by Rev. Jason Hurt, and special music was provided by Janice Jones singing "God of the Valley."

Association Moderator Rev. Rick Cason opened the Business Session of the meeting. The standing delegates of the association were recognized, and a M/S/C was made to seat these delegates from the member churches.

The following items of business were brought before the Association:

- 1. Executive Board Report Given by Assistant Moderator Rev. Jim Turnbough in the absence of Clerk Rev. Brent Patrick
 - a) The following Constitutional changes were removed from the table and presented for a vote:

ARTICLE II. MEMBERSHIP – Section 3

Current Reading:

"Member churches are requested to participate in all the meetings of the Association and to report by letter to the Association at its annual business meeting. Failure to so report for a period of two years shall forfeit that church's membership in this Association. Churches who have absented themselves for up to two years but wishing to remain in good standing in the Association will be expected to pay all dues in arrears."

Proposed Reading: (Change highlighted in bold.)

"Member churches are requested to participate in all the meetings of the Association. Member churches must show representation in at least one quarterly meeting per year and must report by letter to the Association at its annual meeting. Failure to so report for a period of two years shall forfeit that church's membership in this Association. Churches who have absented themselves for up to two years but wishing to remain in good standing in the Association will be expected to pay all dues in arrears."

ARTICLE VII. MINISTERIAL STANDING - Section 3

Current Reading:

"Ministers are expected to attend all meetings of the Association. Ministers must attend or be accounted for at the annual meeting. Failure to do so for a period of two years will forfeit their standing within the Association."

Proposed Reading: (Change highlighted in bold.)

"Ministers are expected to attend all meetings of the Association. All ordained and licensed ministers must attend at least one quarterly meeting per year unless physically hindered. Failure to do so for a period of two years will forfeit their standing within the Association."

ARTICLE VI. BOARDS - Section 3: The Youth Activities Board

Current Reading:

"The Youth Activities Board ... shall promote and coordinate all Associational youth activities within the Randall Association ... shall plan, promote, and conduct all the activities of the Church Training Service program at the Associational level; plan and conduct special youth rally services and other related activities which they deem prudent, and conduct a yearly camp."

Proposed Change:

It is recommended that the Randall Youth Board be dissolved, citing that the Youth

Board was no longer serving the purpose for which it was originally created.

It is further recommended that the money currently residing in the Youth Board account go into the main Randall Account with that money to be set-aside and designated to pay the entry fee for youth participating in the NC State CTS Competition. This money would continue to be distributed until the funds no longer are available.

- b) M/S/C to approve these Constitutional changes effective with the August 2006 Quarterly Meeting.
- 2. Treasurer's Report Given by Treasurer Rev. Joe Wallis
 - a) The balance as of April 28, 2006 was \$4,111.19.
 - b) See attached for the Treasurer's Report detail listing.
 - c) It was reported that all Associational Dues had been submitted for the Randall Association churches except for Calvary FWB Church in Fayetteville.
 - d) M/S/C to receive the Treasurer's Report.
- 3. Board of Ministerial Standing Given by Chairman Rev. Fred Scott
 - a) It was recommended that a letter of good standing for Rev. George Hyatt be sent to the Western Quarterly of the Union Association in Tennessee.
 - b) M/S/C to approve this recommendation.
 - c) **Youth Board** No report given as the result of the approved Constitutional changes.

4. Miscellaneous Business and Reports

a) As Chairman of the Nominating Committee, Rev. Jim Turnbough submitted the following names from the Nominating Committee for the Board of Ministerial Standing: Rev. Jason Hurt (Replacing Rev. Willie Summerlin) with a term expiring 2010 and Rev. Michael McCauley

- (Replacing Rev. Fred Scott) with a term expiring 2011. M/S/C to approve these nominations.
- b) Mrs. Joan Peterson gave the Annual Report for the Randall Association Women Active for Christ. (See attached for a detail listing of this report.)
- c) Greetings and informational reports were given by Rev. James Stepps representing Harvest Child Care Ministries, Rev. James Stancil representing the Bible Book Store, and Rev. Jim Marcum representing the NC FWB Promotional Office.
- d) Greetings and informational reports were also given by Rev. Fred Carraway, NC missionary to Roanoke Rapids, and Dr. & Mrs. Allen and Jenny Hall, FWB missionaries to York, PA.
- e) Moderator Rev. Rick Cason announced that this meeting's offering would be divided between missionaries Rev. Fred Carraway and Dr. Allen Hall. The total offering would be rounded up to \$200 for each missionary from the associational treasury.

M/S/C to dismiss from the Business Session.

The worship service resumed with the congregational singing of "Burdens are Lifted at Calvary." The offering was received followed by the special music of Janice Jones singing "My Child, I'm Going Home." Rev. Willie Coleman, Pastor of Peace FWB Church in Henderson, NC, was introduced as the speaker for the meeting. Rev. Coleman brought a message from Mark 9:17-27 entitled "Saving and Sustaining." He pointed to the fact that we need Christ in our families, in our church, and in our personal lives.

The benediction prayer, along with the blessing over the food, was given by Rev. Troy Daniel. The meeting was dismissed, and a time of food and fellowship was provided by the host church. There were approximately 75 in attendance.

Respectfully submitted, Rev. Brent Patrick, Clerk

Randall Association Treasurers Report

Fourth Quarter Report February 2006 – April 2006

Balance brought forward 1-31-06 ----- \$ 3,293.31

Deposits

2 - 17 - 06	Association Offering	149.05
2 - 17 - 06	Association Dues Pd. by 19 Churches	3325.00
3 - 09 - 06	Association Dues Pd. by 3 Churches	525.00
4 - 06 - 06	Association Dues Pd. by 2 Churches	350.00
4 – 11 – 06	Association Dues Pd. by 2 Churches	350.00

Total Deposits

\$4699.05

Withdrawals

Check #1026 on State and National dues to Jim Marcum

\$ 3830.00

Check #1027 on 4/10/06 to McColl's BBQ for Exec. Board Meeting

51.17

Total Withdrawals

\$ 3881.17

\$	3293.31	Beginning Balance
-	+ <u>4699.05</u>	Total Deposits
\$	7992.36	Total in Account
	- 3881.17	Total Withdrawn
\$	4111.19	New Balance

Joseph R. Walles

Balance as of 1-31-06 ----- \$ 4,111.19

This balance matches the BB&T Bank Statement for 04 - 28 - 06

Respectively Submitted

Joseph R. Wallis

RANDALL DISTRICT WOMEN ACTIVE FOR CHRIST ANNUAL REPORT

North Carolina State Project Giving: Vision Building Fund – Uruguay Shane Wilson – Purchase Church Building FWBBC – renovations Southeastern – salad bar		\$1,107.51 \$743.81 \$457.75 \$17.50	
Southeastern — Salad bar	Total	\$17.50	\$2,326.57
Co-Laborer Offering and WNAC Expense	Total		283.05
Emphasis Month Offering			117.00
Foreign Student Scholarship Fund			52.00
Memorial Student Loan Fund			25.00
Provision Closet Offering			165.00
MK Provision Closet			25.00
Kids in Central Asia Christmas Box			150.00
Cleo Pursell Offering			25.00
Foreign Missions	•		1,442.86
Home Missions			417.56
North Carolina State Missions			100.00
FWBBC			228.50
Southeastern FWB College			72.00
Leah Waddell Scholarship			52.00
TN Children's Home			25.00
Harvest Children's Home			200.00
State Promotional Department	•		42.00
2006 Per Capita Dues (155 Members)			2,402.50
Love Offering for 2006 Delegates			50.00
Special Emphasis Offering 2006			234.50
Special Emphasis Offering 2000		Total	8,435.54
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Local auxiliaries reported some of the following ministries during the past year:

5-Church Delivery to Harvest	Hosted State Meeting	Sponsored Camp for Child		
Children's Home-\$1450.	Christmas Gifts – Ken. children	Gift Boxes for Soldiers		
Mother's/Father's Days Emphasis	Financially Assisted Widows	Senior Citizens Ministry		
Calls, cards, meals for those in need	Contributed to 50/50 Project -	Hygiene Products-Katrina		
Offering Volena Wilson Institute	(Cent. Asia Women's Retreat)	Fin. Assistance - Widows		
Helped families at Christmas	Fall Festival	Mother/Daughter Banquets		
Gift Bags for College Students	Soups Labels-Children's Home	Honored Veterans		
Raised \$1075 – yard sales, sale of aluminum cans for missions & expenses				

As you can see, the primary focus of WNAC (promoting missions and services) has been well met during the past year. However, as shown above, we have also concentrated our efforts on several other areas of our ministry as WNAC members. These include emphasis on the home, community, areas of service in our church ministry, and serving as mentors for our younger members. All of these areas are integral parts of our identity as WNAC members. While our efforts sometimes seem small as local groups, it is amazing how effective we can be when we see our district, state, and national reports!

EXECUTIVE BOARD MEETING June 20, 2005

The Executive Board met at McCall's Restaurant in Clayton following the monthly minister's meeting. Present were Rick Cason, Joe Wallis, and Jim Turnbough.

1. It was noted that a check of \$175 for 2005 dues was received from Sheraton Park FWB Church, Greensboro. No annual report was received.

2. The following program for the 2005 Randall Meetings was approved:

Date	<u>Location</u>	<u>Speaker</u>
a. August 19, 2005	Prospect FWB, Dunn	Jim Marcum
b. November 18, 2005	Faith FWB, Rockingham	Mike McCauley
c. February 17,2006	Fellowship FWB, Dunn	Brent Patrick
d. May 12, 2006	Fellowship FWB, Micro	Willie Coleman

Executive Board Meeting Minutes October 17, 2005

The Executive Board met at the McCall's Restaurant in Clayton following the October monthly Minister's Present were members Rev. Rick Cason (Moderator), Rev. Jim Turnbough (Assistant Moderator), Rev. Brent Patrick (Clerk), and Rev. Joe Wallis (Treasurer).

The following items of business were brought before the board:

1. Discussion was held to verify the upcoming Randall Association Meetings.

a) November 18, 2005

Faith FWB, Rockingham Rev. Mike McCauley

b) February 17, 2006

Fellowship FWB, Dunn Rev. Brent Patrick

c) May 12, 2006

Fellowship FWB, Micro Rev. Willie Coleman

- Discussion was also held concerning First FWB Church in Raleigh changing the name of the church to Beacon Baptist Church. It was recommended that a letter be sent to Pastor Tim Rabon requesting a response as to what the intentions of the church would be to remain Free Will Baptist doctrinally and to remain a member of the Randall Association, State Association, and National Association of Free Will Baptists. Information from this inquiry would be obtained to adequately respond to potential questions that would be brought before the Executive Board from the association.
- Discussion was further held about the lack of attendance from Ministers in the yearly associational meetings. From this discussion, the following Constitutional changes are recommended to the Association at the next upcoming meeting to be held in November:

Article II - Membership

Section 3 – It is recommended that the first sentence be changed. Currently it reads, "Member churches are requested to participate in all the meetings of the Association and to report by letter to the Association at its annual business meeting." The proposed change would read, "Member churches are requested to participate in all the meetings of the Association. Member churches must show representation in at least one quarterly meeting per year and must report by letter to the Association at its annual business meeting."

Article VII - Ministerial Standing

Section 3 - It was recommended that the second sentence be changed from "Ministers must attend or be accounted for at the annual meeting" to "All ordained and licensed ministers must attend at least one quarterly meeting per year unless physically hindered." (The first and last sentences of Section 3 remain the same.)

If approved, the Constitutional changes would take effect with the August 2006 quarterly meeting.

The meeting was concluded with discussion about whether to have the monthly Minister's Meeting in November and December. A decision would be made at the November Randall Meeting from the determined participation.

Executive Board Meeting Minutes January 16, 2006

The Executive Board met at the McCall's Restaurant in Clayton following the January monthly Minister's Meeting. Present were members Rev. Rick Cason (Moderator), Rev. Jim Turnbough (Assistant Moderator), Rev. Brent Patrick (Clerk), and Rev. Joe Wallis (Treasurer).

The following items of business were brought before the board:

1. Discussion was held to verify the upcoming Randall Association Meetings.

a) February 17, 2006

Fellowship FWB, Dunn Rev. Brent Patrick

b) May 12, 2006

Fellowship FWB, Micro Rev. Willie Coleman

2. Discussion was also held concerning the Randall Youth Board. It was noted that the Youth Board had been struggling functionally with low Board Member participation and low local church participation. It was recommended to the Executive Board from Youth Board Chairman Rev. Jason Hurt to dissolve the Youth Board completely, citing that the Youth Board was no longer serving the purpose for which it was originally created.

From this discussion, further discussion was held concerning the distribution of the money that currently resides in the Youth Board account. It was recommended that the money go into the main Randall Account with that money to be set-aside and designated to pay the entry fee for youth participating in the NC State CTS Competition. This money would continue to be distributed until the funds no longer are available.

M/S/C to consider dissolving the Randall Youth Board. This recommendation is to be presented at the February Randall Meeting and to be tabled until the May Annual Randall Meeting where this proposal will be voted upon.

- 3. Discussion was further held about the proposed Constitutional changes pertaining to minister and church participation in the association. It was noted that "ministers" includes both ordained and licensed ministers. It was also noted that the attendance issues presented in the proposed Constitutional changes would effect standing in the Association.
- 4. Discussion was held about possible candidates for the Nominating Committee to be appointed at the February Randall Meeting for the Annual Meeting in May.
- 5. It was noted that the Annual Church Letters and Dues need to be submitted by the February Meeting.

Executive Board Meeting Minutes April 10, 2006

The Executive Board met at the McCall's Restaurant in Clayton for a special called meeting. Present were members Rev. Rick Cason (Moderator), Rev. Jim Turnbough (Assistant Moderator), Rev. Brent Patrick (Clerk), Rev. Joe Wallis (Treasurer), and Rev. Harvey Stewart (Member-at-Large).

The following items of business were brought before the board:

- Discussion was held to verify the location and speaker for the upcoming Annual Meeting of the Randall Association.
- 2. Concerning the Annual Report Letter and the Annual Church Dues, Clerk Brent Patrick reported that 20 of the 28 member churches had submitted their letters. To date, letters for Calvary (Fayetteville), Charity, Fellowship (Dunn), Glad Tidings, Glenwood, Haven, Lighthouse, and Unity had not been received. Clerk Joe Wallis reported that 27 of the 28 member churches had submitted their dues. To date, annual dues for Calvary (Fayetteville) had not been received.
- 3. Discussion was held concerning all new pastors and ministers coming before the Board of Ministerial Standing to have credentials in the Randall Association.
- 4. Moderator Rick Cason reported that the Nominating Committee, consisting of Rev. Jim Turnbough, Rev. Virgil Nolen, and Rev. Bobby Bryan, had submitted the name of Rev. Mike McCauley to replace the outgoing Rev. Fred Scott from the Board of Ministerial Standing.
- 5. Discussion was further held concerning the dates and locations of the upcoming 2006-2007 Associational Meetings, along with designated speakers for each meeting.
- 6. Final discussion was held concerning the Constitutional changes that are to be taken off of the table and voted upon at the Annual Meeting in May.

WRITTEN EXAMINATION – ORDAINED MINISTER

I. General Information

- 1. Give your name, address, age, marital status, present occupation, and church affiliation.
- 2. Give testimony concerning your salvation. How do you know that you are saved? Under what conditions were you saved?
- 3. Give testimony concerning your call to the Gospel ministry and the conditions thereof. To what phase of the Lord's work do you feel called? Why?
- 4. Why do you want to be ordained in the Free Will Baptist denomination?
- 5. Is your immediate family in complete accord with your call to the ministry? Are they willing to share in your work?
- 6. What kind of training do you feel you should pursue to better prepare yourself for the Gospel ministry? Where do you plan to receive this training?
- 7. What do you know about the program of the Randall Association? Explain why you are, or are not, in accord with this program?
- 8. How will you, personally, be advantaged by being ordained at this time?
- 9. What are your feelings concerning a minister's personal life, devotions, dress, etc.
- 10. What are your convictions concerning liquor, dancing, movie-going, mixed-bathing, and smoking?
- 11. Name at least three ministers you know personally.

II. History

- 1. What is the earliest known date of the beginning for Free Will Baptists in this country?
- 2. Who was the outstanding leader in this movement?
- 3. What is the earliest known date for the Northern movements?
- 4. Who was the leader in this movement?
- 5. Name the place of the early beginning and the Northern beginning.
- 6. Discuss the circumstances surrounding the origin of the name Free Will Baptists.
- 7. Discuss briefly the significance of the date 1911.
- 8. How far back can we date our present day National Association?
- 9. How many Free Will Baptists are there estimated today?

III. Church Government and Organization

- 1. What form of church government do Free Will Baptists follow--congregational or connectional? (explain)
- 2. What relation does the local church have with the Randall Association and the State Meeting?
- 3. How is the local group of believers organized into a church? Name the steps involved.
- 4. Name the officers of a local church and their duties.
- 5. How are members received into a local church?
- 6. How are members dismissed?

- 7. What relationship does the minister have with the local church?
- 8. How do churches obtain Pastors? How do you terminate the pastoral relationship?
- 9. Name the different conferences in the state of North Carolina.
- 10. What is the relationship of the local church to the National Association?
- 11. What are the qualifications of a minister? Of a deacon? Give Scriptures.

IV. Bible

- 1. How many books are there in the Bible? How are they divided between the Old and New Testaments?
- 2. What is the Pentateuch?
- 3. Name from memory the books of the Bible.
- 4. What is the difference between the Major and Minor Prophets?
- 5. Name three translations of the Bible which you have used and which you approve.
- 6. What are the Gospels? Give their general content.
- 7. What part does the Bible play in the life of the believer?
- 8. Are there any conflicts in the Bible? If so, name them.
- 9. In what language was the New Testament originally written? The Old Testament?
- 10. How many epistles are there in the New Testament?

V. Doctrine (Give appropriate Scripture for each question.)

- 1. Outline the plan of salvation.
- 2. Show how you would deal with a sinner at the altar.
- 3. Define "plenary verbal inspiration." Do you hold this view?
- 4. Outline your views concerning the creation.
- 5. Who are the angels and what do they do?
- 6. What is meant by the "total depravity" of man? Do you hold this belief?
- 7. Define the following:
 - a. The Gospel Call
 - b. Repentance
 - c. Faith
 - d. Regeneration
 - e. Sanctification
 - f. Justification
- 8. State your view on the perseverance of the saints.
- 9. What ordinances do Free Will Baptists practice? (explain)
- 10. Is salvation offered to all or just to an elect few?
- 11. What happens to the soul after death?
- 12. What does the Bible teach concerning Heaven and Hell?
- 13. What does the Bible teach concerning judgment and retribution?
- 14. What makes a man a sinner?
- 15. What is grace and why is it extended?
- 16. What is salvation?
- 17. When does a sinner receive forgiveness of sins?

VI. Theology (Give appropriate Scripture for each question.)

- 1. Name the different attributes of God.
- 2. Name the different attributes of Jesus Christ.
- 3. Name the different attributes of the Holy Spirit.
- 4. What is meant by the "free will" of man?
- 5. What are some of the titles the Bible ascribes to Christ?
- 6. What is meant by the incarnation of Christ?
- 7. Why did Christ die for the sins of man?
- 8. Outline the differences between "atonement" and "mediation."
- 9. When does a child reach the "age of accountability?"
- 10. What is meant by the term "Trinity" when speaking of God?
- 11. Make a difference in the work of each member of the Godhead.
- 12. At what time does a person receive the Holy Spirit?
- 13. Explain what is meant by the "humanity" of Christ.

VIII. Homiletics

- 1. Outline a sermon using an assigned text.
- 2. How would you extend a Gospel invitation?
- 3. Is it important to study for a sermon? Why?
- 4. What method do you use in preparing a sermon for delivery?
- 5. What is a preacher?
- 6. Is proper grammar important in delivering a message? Why?
- 7. What is the responsibility that a minister has when delivering a message?

IX. Ministerial Ethics

- 1. What is the Pastor's relationship to another Pastor?
- 2. How should you treat an evangelist?
- 3. If a member of another church came and complained to you about their Pastor, what would you do?
- 4. What would be your attitude when serving as an evangelist in another church?
- 5. If a fellow-minister departs from the faith, what should be your course of action?
- 6. What should be the relationship of a man aspiring to the ministry and the Ordination Board?

X. Soul-Winning

- 1. What is "soul-winning?"
- 2. List the methods of soul-winning.
- 3. Give several Scripture references that challenge us to be soul-winners.
- 4. How would you deal with a backslider?
- 5. Who is a backslider?
- 6. Give two complete Scriptural ways of dealing with lost sinners.
- 7. How would you promote a church visitation program? List the values of this type of program.
- 8. How would you follow-up in helping someone who had accepted Christ?

WRITTEN EXAMINATION – LICENSED MINISTER

- 1. Give three reasons why you fill you were called to preach the Gospel.
- 2. Please give in detail your matrimonial relations, telling whether or not you are married, divorced, number of children, etc.
- 3. Are your parents Christians? To what church do they belong?
- 4. Do you believe that the call to ministry is a call to preparation? If so, through what channel or way do you plan to better prepare yourself? When do you plan to start?
- 5. Please state the extent of your education.
- 6. Will you take advantage of every opportunity to study and attend such meetings that may be designed to aid you in your Gospel work?
- 7. If you are married, is your wife in full accord and sympathy with your call?
- 8. Do you believe in Verbal Inspiration of the Bible? (explain)
- 9. Is the Bible the "all sufficient rule of faith and practice?" (explain)
- 10. What is the Gospel? (explain)
- 11. What is Salvation? (explain)
- 12. What are the conditions of Salvation? (explain)
- 13. What is repentance? (explain)
- 14. What is faith? (explain)
- 15. Do you believe in water baptism? (explain)
- 16. Must one be baptized in order to be saved? Or should one be saved before he or she is baptized in water? (explain)
- 17. What is the Scriptural mode of baptism? (give Scripture reference)
- 18. What ceremony should be used when one is baptized? (give Scripture reference)
- 19. What ordinances are to be kept after one is saved and baptized? (give Scripture references)
- 20. How many persons are there in the Godhead? (name them)
- 21. Is salvation offered to all? Or just to a fore-ordained elect few? (give Scripture references)
- 22. Can one apostatize and be lost if he has once been saved?
- 23. Who receives the Holy Spirit? (give Scripture references)
- 24. When does one receive the Holy Spirit? (give Scripture references)
- 25. Do you believe in sanctification? (explain sanctification)
- 26. Does it take a second, definite work of grace to sanctify? (explain)
- 27. Do you believe in bodily resurrection of both the just and unjust? (give Scripture references)
- 28. Do you believe in a day of judgment, when all men shall stand before God and be judged according to the deeds he has done in the body? (give Scriptures references)
- 29. Do you believe in an eternal Heaven of rest and glory for the righteous, and an eternal Hell of torment for the wicked? (give Scripture references)
- 30. Give three things connected to the life of Christ that are essential to our salvation. (give Scripture references)
- 31. Are you faithful to your local church? (explain in what way)
- 32. Present record of your tithes for the past year.

