

Quarterly Meeting Of The Social Band

Association Of Free Will Baptist

At The

Alice Brooks Free Will Baptist Church

January 2-3, 1970

FRIDAY EVENING

7:30 Singing, Scripture and Prayer

8:00 Devotional - Rev. Millard Ehrhardt

8:30 Sermon - Rev. Melvin Shelton (Alt. Rev. Grady Linebaugh)

SATURDAY MORNING

9:00 Singing, Scripture and Prayer

9:25 Reading of Church Letters (Sisters Betty Bowers and Estalene Winfrey)

9:45 Appointment of Committees

10:15 Welcome - Bro. Marvin Riggs

10:20 Response - Rev. Henry Pauley

10:30 Woman's Auxiliary - O'Kean Auxiliary (Alt. Jonesboro Auxiliary)

11:00 Sermon - Rev. Ernest Kennedy (Alt. Rev. O.D. Winfrey)

12:00 NOON

SATURDAY AFTERNOON

1:30 Devotional - Rev. Johnny Williams (Alt. Rev. Claude Harmon)

2:00 Reports of Boards and Committees

3:00 Ordination

4:00 Adjournment

Committee: Sisters Lola Jarrett; Bros. Frank Palmer and Wiley Ricker.

**MINUTES OF THE QUARTERLY MEETING
HELD AT THE
Pirtle Free Will Baptist Church
October 3-4, 1969**

The Friday evening service assembled together with singing, directed by Bros. Edgar Moler and Frank Palmer. Prayers were offered by Bro. Jimmy Robbins, Sister Agnes Palmer, Bro. Joe Gates and Bro. Edgar Moler. The moderator read Scriptures from Ephesians 3: 13-21. Rev. Johnny Hales directed the devotional.

Rev. Wayne House brought the evening message. He used Scriptures from 2 Timothy 4: 1-8; Text, "Arm ourselves with the Power of the Gospel."

The service was dismissed by Rev. Ira Gates.

The Saturday morning service was called together by the moderator, Rev. Carl High. Singing was directed by Rev. Carl High and Rev. Dewey Thompson. Prayers were offered by Rev. Claud Harmon and Bro. Frank Palmer. Rev. Joe Henderson read Scriptures from Romans 1: 16-17. The church letters were read by Sisters Betty Bowers and Virgie Simpson. The delegates from various churches were seated with prayer by Rev. Jim Surles. Committees were appointed. (See Reports).

The welcome was given by Sister Abbie Williams. The response was by Rev. Johnny Hales.

The election of officers for ensuing year: Moderator - Rev. Carl High; Assistant Moderator - Rev. Joe Henderson; Clerk - Alta Lee Miller.

The Woman's Auxiliary from Pocahontas Church presented a play, "Prayer Letters," which was enjoyed by all. The moderator declared a 15-minute intermission.

The morning service continued with singing, directed by Rev. Carl High and Bro. Raymond McNutt. Prayer by Rev. Johnny Williams.

Rev. Zane Kirkland brought the 11 o'clock message. Scriptures used were 1 Cor. 3-18; Acts 3-4; Theme: "How Wise are We?" Benediction by Rev. Henry Pauley and offering of thanks on the noon meal by Rev. Millard Ehrhardt.

Alice Brooks Church will be host to the January Meeting.

The afternoon service began with singing, directed by Rev. Carl High; prayer by Bro. Wiley Ricker; devotional by Bro. J.A. Ring. Several witnessed for the Lord.

Visitors in our meeting were Bro. Willingham from General Baptist Church in Corning and Rev. and Mrs. Ira Gates from Mississippi. Visitors are always welcome.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

SUNDAY SCHOOL AND C.T.S. - We, your committee, find out of 21 churches represented, all have Sunday School, 13 have C.T.S., 2 have Bible Study. We recommend that each church that does not have a C.T.S. should try to organize one.

Committee: Natalie Shepherd, Orela Kennedy, Retha Edington and Mazie Lee.

OBITUARY - We, your committee, find God has seen fit to call from our midst this quarter Sister Ruth Barham from O'Kean Church, Sister Martha Davis from Old Reyno Church, Brother Henry Oldham from Walnut Ridge Church. The bereaved families have our deepest sympathy.

Committee: Sister Stella Pauley, Zuma Rickey and Rickie Pratt.

PRESBYTERY BOARD - Rev. Johnny Williams was accepted in Social Band Association. Rev. Johnny Hales was elected to serve on Home Mission Board to fill the vacancy of Rev. Jimmy Bundy.

RESOLUTION OF THANKS - Be it resolved, this body give a rising vote of thanks to the Pirtle Church for their hospitality shown in entertaining this session of this quarterly meeting.

Announcements were made and the meeting adjourned with prayer by Rev. Willingham.

FINANCIAL REPORT

CHURCHES	MINUTES CLERK FEE	HOME MISSION	FOREIGN. MISSION	YOUTH CAMP	BIBLE COLLEGE	COOP. PLAN	ERNIE DEEDS	NORMAN RICHARDS
Pocahontas	5.00	139.62	162.00	15.00	51.50	251.64		
Walnut Ridge	5.00		40.00			237.65		
Jonesboro	5.00		15.00			379.50	15.00	
Alice Brooks	5.00	5.00		9.57	5.00		18.00	15.00
O'Kean	5.00							
Pruett Chapel	5.00						10.00	
New Covenant	5.00	2.50						
Rickey Chapel	2.50							
Poplar Valley	5.00					5.00	15.00	15.00
Pirtle	5.00	300.00		10.00			15.00	15.00
Elnora	5.00			5.00			15.00	
Sutton	5.00	20.00	20.00	10.00				
Grandview	5.00	2.00						
Mt. Home	5.00	16.00	15.00			160.19	30.00	45.00
Arbor Grove	5.00	23.50	23.50	9.00				
Warm Springs	5.00							
Oldham Chapel	2.00							
Corning	5.00							
North Side	2.50							
Thorn Grove	5.00	1.00	1.00	4.00				
Old Reyno	5.00							
	97.00	509.62	276.50	62.57	56.50	1033.99	118.00	90.00

Thorn Grove sent \$30.00 to Keith Johnson Fund and \$20.00 to Robert Francis Fund.

Committee: Leora High, Wilma Whitlow and Alta Miller