

**Minutes  
of the**

**SOUTH GEORGIA  
ASSOCIATION**

**OF**

**Free  
Will**

**Baptists**

**1994**

# **DIRECTORY OF THE SOUTH GEORGIA ASSOCIATION OF FREE WILL BAPTISTS 1994**

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Wayne Miracle, Rt. 4 Box 57, Alma GA 31510 (912) 632-5240

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## **EXECUTIVE BOARD**

The Executive Board consists of the above named officers and  
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The first listed name is the chairman of each board.

## **MISSION BOARD**

1998 William Morris, 303 Marvin Ave., Statesboro, GA 30478	(912) 681-1335
1997 Tommy DuBose, 106 Glendale Ave., Baxley, GA 31513	(912) 367-7633
1999 Danny Dinkins, Folkston, GA 31527	
1996 Wayne Miracle, Rt. 4 Box 57, Alma, GA 31510	(912) 632-5240
1995 Glenn Poston, P.O. Box 15935, Savannah, GA 31416-0935	(912) 354-0971

## **ORDAINING BOARD**

1999 Roy Woods, 204 Walton Way, Hazlehurst, GA 31539	(912) 375-5052
1998 Steve Hutchinson, Rt. 2 Box 147, Alma, GA 31510	(912) 632-6814
1997 Percy Cunningham, Rt. 2 Box 416, Lake Butler, FL 32054	(904) 496-3553
1996 Amos McMillian, Rt. 2 Box 410, Folkston, GA 31527	(912) 496-2655
1995 Jeff Cockrell, Rt. 4 Box 1070, Hazlehurst, GA 31539	(912) 375-5481

## **YOUTH BOARD**

1996 Steve Hutchinson, Rt. 2 Box 147, Alma, GA 31510	(912) 632-6814
1995 Trent Walley, 5 St. Johns Ave., Savannah, GA 31404	(912) 353-9994
1997 John Rentz, 2106 Mayfair Place, Waycross, GA 31501	(912) 283-1407
1998 David Griffin, 510 Linwood Ave., Waycross, GA 31501	(912) 285-3866
1999 Tommy Lewis, 112 Pinewood Dr., Brunswick, GA 31525	(912) 262-9743

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1997 Tony Trott, P.O. Box 345, Glennville, GA 30427 (912) 654-2621

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1995 Benny Lairsey, Rt. 3 Box 727, Waycross, GA 31503 (912) 283-1670

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1995 Wayne Miracle, Rt. 4 Box 57, Alma, GA 31510 (912) 632-5240

### **FREE WILL BAPTIST BIBLE COLLEGE BOARD OF TRUSTEES**

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### **ORDAINED PRESBYTERY**

Thomas J. Barnard

Gerald Baxley

Roger Beecher

Preston Bryan

Virgil Carter

Samuel Clay

Jeff Cockrell

Jimmy Coursey

Percy Cunningham

C.B. Dowdney

Tommy DuBose

Jerry Endres

David Griffin

Wilfred Harden

Steve Hutchinson

Barnard Shiver

Phillip Jones

Dennis Keen

Larry Langford

Tommy Lewis

Tom Lightsey

Rex Lynn

Amos McMillan

Walter Minor

Wayne Miracle

William Morris

Ken Murphy

Glen Poston

C.D. Rentz

John Rentz

Kerry Steedley

Tony Trott

Roy Woods

## CHURCHES AND PASTORS

**Alabaha Free Will Baptist Church**  
Rt. 1 Hwy. 206  
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(912) 449-3684

**Baxley Free Will Baptist Church**  
Corner of Fair & Plyer Street  
Baxley, GA 31513  
(912) 367-7177

**Bethany Free Will Baptist Church**  
P.O. Box 895  
Hazlehurst, GA 31539  
(912) 375-9967

**Bethel Free Will Baptist Church**  
Rt. 3 Box 314  
Baxley, GA 31513

**Corinth Free Will Baptist Church**  
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Alma, GA 31510  
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**Ebenezer Free Will Baptist Church**  
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**First Free Will Baptist Church**  
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**New Hope Free Will Baptist Church**  
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### **MISSION CHURCH**

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Kingsland, GA 31548

**Pete Minor**  
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Woodbine, GA 31569  
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### **CHURCHES AND CLERKS**

**Alabaha Free Will Baptist Church**

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**Baxley Free Will Baptist Church**

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**Bethany Free Will Baptist Church**

**Rose Cooper**  
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Hazlehurst, GA 31539  
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**Bethel Free Will Baptist Church**

**Edna Vaughn**  
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Baxley, GA 31513  
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**Corinth Free Will Baptist Church**

**Jan O'Steen**  
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**Ebenezer Free Will Baptist Church**

**Charles Dasher**  
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Jesup, GA 31545

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**MINUTES OF THE SOUTH GEORGIA ASSOCIATION OF  
FREE WILL BAPTISTS  
CONVENING AT THE BETHANY FREE WILL BAPTIST CHURCH  
Hazelhurst, Georgia     January 22, 1994**

The quarterly conference of the South Georgia Association of Free Will Baptists met Saturday, January 22, 1994 at the Bethany Free Will Baptist Church, Hazelhurst, Georgia. This meeting began with Trent Walley leading the congregation in "Victory In Jesus." Tom Lightsey prayed the invocation. The host pastor, Roy Woods gave the welcome and instructions.

The meeting was called to order by the Clerk, who introduced the Assistant Moderator, Roy Harris, who moderated the meeting in the absence of the Moderator, Amos McMillan.

C.B. Dowdney gave the morning devotion from Revelation 3:15, 16 on the "Characteristics of a Lukewarm Church." After the devotion he closed with prayer.

The Roll Call of Ministers and Churches were given, with a total of 18 ministers, and 19 churches being represented. M/S/C to seat all the delegates, and the visitors were recognized. M/S/C to accept the minutes of the previous quarterly meeting as printed.

The minutes of the Executive Board were read by the Clerk. M/S/C to accept the minutes as read.

The following Obituary report was given by the Clerk:

Memorial	- Ruth Herndon
Philadelphia	- J.E. Turner
	- Nancy Rodenbury
Piney Grove	- Lorace Eunice
	- Jo Byson

After a moment of silence, Steve Hutchinson gave a memorial prayer.

The Assistant Moderator appointed the following committees:

- 1.) Finance: Galen Dunbar, Loren Hughes and Tom Lightsey
- 2.) Resolutions: Bob White, Nelson Pursell, Roger Beecher

The Assistant Moderator asked for Miscellaneous Business. Pete Minor dismissed with prayer for a brief recess.

The meeting reconvened with Trent Walley leading the congregation in "Stand Up For Jesus." The Boards and Committees gave the following reports:

**MISSION BOARD REPORT**

The General Fund for the Camden work is very low, Missionary, Pete Minor will need to obtain secular employment to help meet his financial needs. Several challenges were given by the delegates to encourage financial support of the Camden work.

The Mission Board is asking all the churches of the SGA to give two \$500 donations (\$1,000 total) above their regular giving over the next three years to help cover the construction of the Camden Church.

The Mission Board is also requesting the authority to borrow \$50,000 to begin the construction on the Camden Church. This will not complete the con-

struction, but it will take it a long way toward completion. Borrowing the money from the National Home Missions office is being considered at 8 1/2% interest. The Georgia State Mission Board is also being considered at no interest. However, the State Mission Board is limited in funds.

Mission Board member Tommy DuBose gave a report on the upcoming Missions Conference. Churches are urged to send their Mission Conference offerings directly to Troy Dykes.

Work on the building in Douglas needs to be completed.

M/S/C was given to receive this report.

M/S/C was made to authorize the Executive Committee, along with Buddy Morris to renegotiate a lease with the current tenants.

M/S/C was made to authorize the Executive Board to negotiate a loan up to \$50,000 with the best institution at the best interest rate for the construction of the Camden Church.

M/S/C was made to amend this previous motion to authorize the Executive Board to borrow enough money to complete the church construction. It was noted that volunteer labor would be heavily depended upon in order to keep construction costs to a minimum.

M/S/C to make February 8th and 10th as workdays at the Douglas Church.

#### YOUTH BOARD REPORT

The Youth Board report was given by board member Steve Hutchinson in the absence of the Chairman, Tony Trott..

1. The Laura Belle Barnard Scholarship was awarded this year to Joey McGlashan of the Glennville Church.
2. District Youth competition will be April 16, 1994 at the Savannah Church. March 26, is the deadline for receiving applications.
3. Reconstruction on Camp Mt. Bethel is awaiting approval of the building plans by the County Health Department. March 13 is being set aside for a special offering to help raise necessary funds for rebuilding the camp.

A detailed file report is on file with the clerk.

M/S/C was made to receive this report.

#### ORDAINING BOARD REPORT

The Ordaining Board report was given by Chairman, Ken Murphy.

1. There is great concern by the Board over the lax attendance records of some ministers of the SGA.
2. Duane Cassida, newly elected Pastor of the Piney Grove Church is recommended to be accepted into the SGA pending a letter of recommendation from the Blue Ridge Association of North Carolina.
3. Board member Sam Clay is moving. Galen Dunbar is recommended to replace this term that expires in 1995.
4. Board member Malone Cobb has moved. Roy Woods is being recommended to replace him in his term that expires in 1994.

M/S/C was made to receive this report item by item.

### FINANCE COMMITTEE

The Finance Committee report was given by Galen Dunbar, and is on file with the Clerk.

M/S/C was made to receive this report.

### WOMAN'S AUXILIARY

The Woman's Auxiliary report was given by the President, Betty Henderson. The district workshop will be held March 5 at Pine Level Church. The State Woman's Auxiliary Retreat will be March 18-19. A detailed report is on file with the clerk.

M/S/C was made to receive this report.

### RESOLUTIONS COMMITTEE REPORT

The Resolution Committee report was given by Tommy DuBose.

1. We resolve to pray and help those who have been affected by the national disasters of the earthquake in Los Angeles, and the sever storms in the North.
2. We resolve to give the Bethany Church a standing vote of appreciation for hosting the SGA.

M/S/C was made to receive this report item by item.

### MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS

Pete Minor reported that the Camden Mission was in need of a piano and would like someone to donate one. Danny Dinkins agreed to meet this request by donating a piano to the work.

### WORSHIP SERVICE

The worship service began with Trent Walley leading the congregation in singing "Power In The Blood." Barbara Dunbar served as the pianist. An offering was received with Ken Murphy giving the offertory prayer. Wayne and Debbie Miracle sang just before the message. Roy Woods brought the morning messages from Acts 2:41 on the "Power Principles of the Early Church." After the message Roy Woods gave the instructions for the noon meal. Roy Harris asked Duane Cassida to pronounce the benediction, and blessing on the meal.

Respectfully Submitted,

Wayne Miracle  
Clerk

**SOUTH GEORGIA ASSOCIATION OF FREE WILL BAPTISTS  
FINANCIAL REPORT**

**Church: Bethany    Date: January 22, 1994**

<b>BALANCE BROUGHT FORWARD</b>		<b>\$6,674.27</b>
	<b>RECEIPTS</b>	
Dues from Churches	\$705.00	
Late Dues		
Offerings	\$78.00	
Special Gifts		
<u>Interest / Checking</u>	\$17.96	
<u>Douglas Rent</u>	\$900.00	
<b>TOTAL RECEIPTS</b>		<b>\$8,375.23</b>
	<b>DISBURSEMENTS</b>	
Moderator	\$30.00	
Clerk	\$60.00	
Treasurer	\$30.00	
Moderator's Expense		
Clerk's Expense	\$38.34	
Executive Board Expense	\$170.39	
Christian Book Store (Bulletins)	\$29.47	
<u>Douglas Property (Insurance)</u>	\$349.50	
<u>Douglas Property (Travel &amp; Meals)</u>	\$114.00	
<u>Douglas Property (Repairs)</u>	\$3,001.33	
Georgia State Association of FWB	\$350.00	
<u>Walker Office Supply (92 Minutes)</u>	\$476.45	
Treasurer's Expense	\$5.22	
<b>TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS</b>		<b>\$4,654.70</b>
<b>BALANCE CARRIED FORWARD</b>		<b>\$3,720.53</b>



# SOUTH GEORGIA ASSOCIATION OF FREE WILL BAPTISTS

## MISSION BOARD FINANCIAL REPORT

January 1, 1994 - March 31, 1994    Troy Dykes, Treasurer

SOURCE	GENERAL FUND	MISSION CONF.	OTHER	TOTAL	BUILDING FUND
Alabaha	\$	\$ 300.00	\$	\$ 300.00	\$
Brunswick	646.70	38.00		684.70	
Camden	828.75	500.00		1328.75	
Ebenezer		1247.42		1247.42	975.00
Gleenville	280.00	610.94		890.94	50.00
First Jesup		150.00		150.00	
Harmony	108.51	1677.00		1785.51	
Mamie Tyre Circle	30.00			30.00	
Liberty		200.00		200.00	
New Hope	40.00	1230.00		1270.00	
Memorial		565.00		565.00	
Oak Hill		1475.00	389.02	1864.02	
Philadelphia		168.78		168.78	
Pine Level	415.75	852.60		1268.35	
Piney Grove	20.00	619.15		639.15	
Satilla		150.00		150.00	
Savannah	595.68			595.68	
Spring Grove	396.00		10.00	406.00	
Statesboro	478.95			478.95	100.00
Surrency	246.60	634.00	35.00	915.60	
Swainsboro	45.00	210.00		255.00	
Interest Rec.	25.45			25.45	
Total	4157.35	10627.89	434.02	15219.30	1264.03

Given Through State Office: GWAC - \$ 110.85    Baxley - 15.00    1st Jesup - 1794.00    Liberty - 240.00    Ogeechee - 30.00  
 Philadelphia - 295.00    Piney Grove - 5.00    Satilla 192.00    Total Receipts: 17856.15 / Bldg. fund: 1309.03

### Disbursements for the period

Walter Minor	\$ 4,511.00	Withheld Income Balance, December 31-1993	\$947.00
Withheld Income	200.00	Building Fund Balance, December 31, 1993	\$20573.73
Rent on Building	1,350.00	Total Balance, December 31, 1993	\$4067.19
Mission Board Expense	128.53	Receipts: Miss. Conf. 10627.89 / Other-434.02 / Bldg. Fund-1309.03 / Total 17,856.15	
State	424.02		
Walter Minor	1047.00	Balance, 3-31-94: W/H Income-100.00 / Gen. Fund-4671.90 / Missn. Conf.-10627.89 /	
Total	100.00 / 6613.55	Other-10.00 / Bldg. Fund- 21882.76 / Total-15409.79	

**SOUTH GEORGIA ASSOCIATION OF FREE WILL BAPTISTS**  
**MISSION CONFERENCE FINANCIAL REPORT**  
**January 1, 1994 - July 31, 1994**

<u>SOURCE</u>	<u>CASH</u>	<u>FAITH PROMISES</u>
Alabaha	\$ 300.00	
Baxley	192.15	
Bethany	125.00	
Brunswick	38.00	
Camden	500.00	
Ebenezer	1247.42	
Glennville	610.94	
First Jesup	150.00	
Harmony	1677.00	
Liberty	200.00	
New Hope	1230.00	
Memorial	565.00	
Oak Hill	1475.00	
Ogeechee	216.00	
Philadelphia	168.78	
Pine Level	852.60	
Piney Grove	619.15	
Satilla	150.00	
Savannah	450.00	
Spring Grove	500.00	
Statesboro	2136.77	
Surrency	634.00	
Swainsboro	210.00	
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>\$14247.81</b>	<b>\$50,000</b>

**DISTRIBUTION**

Rex Lynn - 1174.30    \* Nat'l Home Missions - 3992.62    \* Foreign Missions - 5519.21  
 So. GA Mission - 3561.68    **TOTALS: 14247.81** \*Breakdown of Missionary Accts.

	<u>SERVICES</u>	<u>APRIL Distribution</u>	<u>JULY Distribution</u>	<u>TOTAL Distribution</u>
Rex Lynn	10	1126.90	47.40	1174.30
Mark Barber	11	1239.59	52.14	1291.73
Luther Burns	8	901.52	37.92	939.44
Bill Regan	7	788.83	33.18	822.01
Larry Williams	8	901.52	37.92	939.44
Paul Creech	7	788.83	33.18	822.01
Dwain Crosby	9	1014.21	42.66	1056.87
Derrel Nichols	13	1464.97	61.62	1526.59
Bobby Poole	13	1464.97	61.62	1526.59
Fred Warner	5	563.45	23.70	587.15
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>91</b>	<b>10254.79</b>	<b>431.34</b>	<b>10686.13</b>
<i>So. GA Missions</i>	<i>25%</i>			<i>3561.68</i>

**MINUTES OF THE SOUTH GEORGIA ASSOCIATION OF  
FREE WILL BAPTISTS  
CONVENING AT THE EBENEZER FREE WILL BAPTIST CHURCH  
Glenville, Georgia    April 23, 1994**

The quarterly conference of the South Georgia Association of Free Will Baptists began with Trent Walley leading the congregation in "To God Be the Glory." Tommy Lewis gave the invocation just before the host pastor, Galen Dunbar welcomed the assembly and gave the instructions.

The meeting was called to order by the Clerk who introduced the Moderator, Amos McMillan.

Mrs. Barbara Dunbar sang, followed by William Morris giving the morning devotion on "Doing the Father's business" from Luke Chapter 2.

The Roll Call of Ministers and Churches was given, with a total of 19 churches and 20 ministers being present. M/S/C to seat the delegates, and visitors were recognized. M/S/C to accept the minutes of the previous quarterly meeting as printed.

The minutes of the Executive Board were read by the Clerk. M/S/C to receive the report as read.

Assistant Moderator, Roy Harris moved on behalf of the Executive board to replace the vacated position on the Mission Board left by Bob White, with Wayne Miracle. M/S/C. Roy Harris also reported that the Bethel Free Will Baptist Church has requested to reestablish their member of good standing status with the South Georgia Association. After J.M. Vaughn, Chairman of Deacon Board of Bethel Free Will Baptist church, gave greetings and a statement from the church to regain good standing status, a M/S/C to readmit the Church was given with a standing vote of approval.

The following Obituary report was given by the Clerk:

Satilla                      - Earlie Holton and Thelma Lord

The family of former President of the United States, Richard M. Nixon was also asked to be remembered. After several other requests for the sick were made, Bill Travis offered the memorial and benevolent prayer.

The Moderator appointed the following committees:

- 1.) Finance: Barbara Dunbar, Tommy Lewis and Shelia Woods
- 2.) Resolutions: Jesse Cowart, Shirley Hutchinson and Trent Walley
- 3.) Galen Dunbar (Chairman), Danny Dinkins and Calfry Harris

There being no miscellaneous business, the Moderator dismissed the delegation for a brief recess. The meeting reconvened with the congregation singing "Since I Have Been Redeemed." The Boards and Committees gave the following reports:

Before the reports were given a question was raised concerning the chronic absenteeism of the SGA Treasurer, and whether proper disbursements have been made. The Moderator requested that the Executive Board be allowed to take care of the matter immediately after the meeting.

### MISSION BOARD

The Mission Board report was given by the Chairman, William Morris.

1. Comments were made concerning the Mission Board Finance Report.
2. The Missions Conference went well, however a complete report can not be given due to the fact that five churches have failed to report.
3. There has been some difficulty in getting the building plans for the Camden Church. Several contacts are in the process of being made now. A construction loan has been secured with the GA State Mission Board for \$25,000 with 0% interest. The term of the loan is for 10 years making the monthly installments of \$210.00 per month. When additional funds are needed the National Home Missions Board has indicated their willingness to help. A challenge was given to financially support the work with Vacation Bible School and Sunday School.
4. The Executive Committee met with the tenants of the Douglas church. A new six month lease was signed, and the monthly rent was increased to \$400.00. The tenants are interested in purchasing the building, but are not willing to meet our price. William Morris asked to be relieved from this committee dealing with the Douglas property.

M/S/C to accept this report.

### YOUTH BOARD

The Youth Board report was given by the Chairman Tony Trott.

1. The District Competition was very good this year. There were 41 entries. All the winners were announced. State Competition will be May 13 & 14 at the First Church, Albany.
2. Junior Camp will take place July 3-8 if construction on the camp can be completed. Please pray for Camp Mt. Bethel and its reconstruction.

M/S/C to receive this report.

### ORDAINING BOARD REPORT

The Ordaining Board report was given by the Chairman, Ken Murphy.

1. We have received requests for letters of good standing for the following ministers:

Rev. Dwight Fletcher - South Mississippi Association

Rev. David Hutchinson - Palmer Association of North Carolina

Rev. Malone Cobb - Protrusive Association of Alabama

We recommend that letters of good standing be sent for these three men.

2. Having examined Brother John Rentz, who has been called to pastor Liberty FWB Church in Waycross, we recommend Brother Rentz for ordination.
3. Having met with Brother Terry Hennecke, who has been called to the Brunswick FWB Church, we recommend him to the association pending a letter of good standing from the Tri-State Conference in Kentucky.

### FINANCE COMMITTEE

The Assistant Treasurer, Galen Dunbar reported that the Treasurer is absent and has not sent a report to be given.

### WOMAN'S AUXILIARY

The Woman's Auxiliary report was given by Barbara Dunbar. The District meeting at Pine Level was very good.

The next district meeting will be September 24th at Piney Grove.

M/S/C to accept this report.

### RESOLUTIONS COMMITTEE

We resolve to give the host church a standing vote of thanks for hosting the SGA.

M/S/C to receive this report.

### WORSHIP SERVICE

The worship service began with Trent Walley leading the congregation in singing, "The Lily of the Valley." Mrs. Fran Bland served as the pianist. An offering was taken with Roy Woods giving the offertory prayer. Lynette Waters and Fran Bland ministered to the delegation in song just before the morning message.

Dennis Keen delivered the morning message from I Tim. 4:12-16 on the subject of "The Ministers Selfwatch." The meeting concluded with Galen Dunbar giving the instructions for the noon meal and pronouncing the benediction and blessing.

Respectfully Submitted,

Wayne Miracle, Clerk



# SOUTH GEORGIA ASSOCIATION OF FREE WILL BAPTISTS

## MISSION BOARD FINANCIAL REPORT

April 1, 1994 - June 30, 1994    Troy Dykes, Treasurer

SOURCE	GENERAL KINGS BAY MINOR	MISSIONS CONF.	OTHERS	TOTAL COLUMNS 1-4	BLDG. FUND ACCT.
Baxley	\$	\$ 192.15	\$	\$ 192.15	\$
Bethany		125.00		125.00	
Brunswick	955.90			955.90	
Camden	425.00			425.00	
Ebenezer			500.00	500.00	770.00
Glenville	270.00			270.00	50.00
Harmony	83.04			83.04	
Mamie Tyre Circle	30.00			30.00	
New Hope	70.00			70.00	
Memorial	100.00			100.00	
Ogeechee		216.00		216.00	
Pine Level	783.15			783.15	
Savannah	510.35	450.00		960.35	
Spring Grove	311.00	500.00	15.00	826.00	
Statesboro	286.71	2136.77		2423.48	1150.00
Surrency	92.00			92.00	
Swainsboro	33.00			33.00	
Interest Received	88.56			88.56	154.20
<b>TOTALS:</b>	<b>\$ 4038.71</b>	<b>\$ 3619.92</b>	<b>\$ 515.00</b>	<b>\$ 8173.63</b>	<b>\$ 2124.20</b>

Given Through State Office: First Jesup - \$330.00    Liberty - 30.00/Bldg. Fund-30.00    Ogeechee - Bldg. Fund-30.00    Philadelphai-160.00  
Piney Grove - 5.00    Satilla - 225.00    So. GA. W.A. - 20.00 =TOTAL770.00 / Bldg. Fund 60.00

**TOTAL RECEIPTS:**                      \$ 4808.71                      \$ 3619.92                      \$ 515.00                      \$ 8943.63                      \$ 2184.20

**RECAP /Balance on hand,**  
3-31-1994                      \$14247.81  
   9380.61  
   525.00  
   200.00  
   24353.42  
   24066.96

**Disbursements**

Walter Minor	4675.00	Mission Bd. Exp.	177.40
W/H Income	200.00	Bank chg. Ptd Cks.	15.25
Walter Minor-Travel St.	222.20	Office-Others	520.00
Rent on Bldg.	1350.00	Missions Conf.	10254.79
Baxley Printing	164.01		

**Total:**Missions Conf.-1025.79 /General-6603.86  
Others-520.00 /W/H Income-200.00 /Totals: \$17578.65  
Balance 6-30-94- Mission Conf.-\$3993.02  
General-\$2776.75 Others-\$500.00  
Totals-\$6774.77 Bldg. Fund \$24066.96

\* Distribution for Missions Conf. was made on 5-12-94 with \$13,672.81 received. \$575.00 came in later. \$431.34 distributed in July So. GA Missions portion from Missions Conf. will be \$3561.68

# SGA Youth Board Financial Information

Beginning June 1994

6-22-94	New Account Opening Balance		\$2,106.23
Expenses for June:			
	Competition Supplies	\$526.95	
	Board Mileage and Expenses	158.97	
	<b>Total Expenses for June</b>		<u>685.92</u>
<i>7-1-94</i>	<i>Beginning balance for July</i>		<i>\$1,420.31</i>
Deposits for July:			
	Total camp registration fees and canteen		<u>2,673.06</u>
			<b>\$4,093.37</b>
Expenses for July:			
	Camp Kicklighter rental fee	\$700.00	
	Camp food, canteen supplies		
	and game supplies	1,381.88	
	Camp cook honorarium	200.00	
	Check printing fee	13..00	
	<b>Total expenses for July</b>		<u>2,294.88</u>
<i>8-1-94</i>	<i>Ending balance</i>		<i>\$1,798.49</i>

## IMPORTANT YOUTH DATES

Teen Retreat (grades 6-12) - October 14-16  
(Preregister by October 8!)

1995 SGA District Competition - April 8, 1995

*Be looking for more important dates for our youth!*

**MINUTES OF THE SOUTH GEORGIA ASSOCIATION OF  
FREE WILL BAPTISTS  
CONVENING AT THE FIRST BRUNSWICK  
FREE WILL BAPTIST CHURCH  
Brunswick, Georgia    August 6, 1994**

The quarterly conference of the South Georgia Association of Free Will Baptists began with Trent Walley leading the congregation in singing "Leaning On The Everlasting Arms." Dennis Keen gave the invocation just before the host pastor, Terry Hennecke welcomed the assembly and gave the instructions.

The Assistant Clerk, Galan Dunbar called the meeting to order and introduced Wayne Miracle who was serving as the Moderator. Before the morning devotion Mrs. Faye Sparre sang. Tommy Lewis of the First Brunswick Church gave the morning devotion from Gen. 39:1-12.

The Roll Call of Ministers and Churches was taken, with a total of 16 ministers and 20 churches being present. M/S/C to approve the minutes of the previous quarterly meeting as printed.

The minutes of the Executive Board were read by the Assistant Clerk. M/S/C to receive this report.

The following Obituary report was given by the Clerk:

Corinth Church	- Mrs. Creola Smart
Harmony Church	- Rev. Kenneth Crawford
	- Mrs. Mable Looker
	- Mrs. Myrtle Crawford
Pine Level Church	- Mr. C.H. Wheeler

Tom Lightsey offered the memorial and benevolent prayer.

The acting Moderator appointed the following committees:

- 1.) Finance: Pete Peterson, Willard Taylor and Faye Dinkins
  - 2.) Resolutions: Roger Beecher, Tommy DuBose and Calfry Harris
- (The Resolutions Committee will serve at the next quarterly meeting.)

Their being no miscellaneous business the acting Moderator dismissed the delegation for a brief recess. The meeting reconvened with the congregation singing "Higher Ground." The Boards and Committees gave the following reports:

**YOUTH BOARD**

The Youth Board report was given by the Chairman, Tony Trott.

The Teen Retreat will be held October 14-16.

The 1995 SGA District Competition will be held on April 8, 1995.

The Financial report is on file with the clerk. M/S/C to receive this report.

**MISSION BOARD REPORT**

The Mission Board report was given by the Chairman, William Morris.

1. This year's Mission Conference was very successful. A total of \$14,247.81 was received plus another \$50,00 was given in faith pledges.
2. Pete Minor is still working some to help his account, plus the Camden Church is helping him also. There is a total of \$24,066.96 in the Camden Church building Fund. The Mission Board has secured a \$25,000 loan from the Georgia

State Mission Board. The plans are now being completed by Fred Curlin and Associate Architects.

M/S/C to receive this report.

### ORDAINING BOARD

The Ordaining Board report was given by the Chairman, Ken Murphy.

1. We have met with Brother Glen Polston the new pastor of Savannah FWB Church. We recommend him to the Association pending a letter of good standing from the West TN Association.
2. We have met with Brother Jeff Cockrell the new pastor of Satilla FWB Church. We recommend him pending a letter of good standing from the Randall Association, NC.
3. We have received a request for letter of good standing from:  
David Sanderson - Blue Ridge Association, NC  
Chris Jackson - Progressive Association, AL

We recommend that a letter of good standing be granted to both of the above.

M/S/C to accept this report.

### FINANCE COMMITTEE

The Finance Committee report was given by the Treasurer Galen Dunbar and is on record with the Clerk. M/S/C was made to accept this report, and to accept the recommendations item by item.

1. To approve Finance report. M/S/C
2. To give \$1,000.00 from the SGA General Fund to the National Office Building Fund. M/S/C.

My report was given by Mrs. Betty Henderson.

### WOMAN'S AUXILIARY

The Woman's Auxiliary report was given by the President, Betty Henderson.

South Georgia District Woman Nationally Active for Christ. We want to encourage all women to come to Piney Grove FWB Church on September 24, 1994 to our district meeting. Murial Gainer will be our guest speaker. She is a missionary to Japan.

Also our State retreat will be at Ridgecrest, Ashville, NC, September 15-17. The theme will be "Back To Basics."

State meeting will be November 16-17 at Norman Park, GA.

M/S/C to accept this report.

### RESOLUTIONS COMMITTEE REPORT

The Resolutions Committee report was given by Trent Walley.

We resolve to give the host Church a standing vote of thanks.

M/S/C to receive this report

### NOMINATING COMMITTEE REPORT

The Nominating Committee report was given by the Chairman, Galen Dunbar. After this report was given a M/S/C was made to receive this report and to vote on the offices item by item. The following offices were elected:

Moderator	-Wayne Miracle
Assistant Moderator	- Ken Murphy
Clerk	- Tony Trott
Treasurer	- Galen Dunbar
Assistant Clerk/Treasurer	- Terry Hennecke
Mission Board	- Danny Dinkins '99
Ordaining Board	- Roy Woods '99
	-Amos McMillan '96 (replacing Roy Harris)
Youth Board	- Tommy Lewis '99
	-John Rentz '97 (replacing Tony Trott)

M/S/C to give Bro. Troy Dykes a standing vote of thanks for his years of service on the Mission Board.

### MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS

Georgia State Executive Secretary Herbert Waid gave a report on the State Association work.

### WORSHIP SERVICE

The worship service began with Trent Walley leading the congregation in singing "Joy Unspeakable." The offering was taken followed by another congregational hymn "Heavenly Sunlight." Bro. Richard Rentz from the 1st Brunswick Church delivered the message in song. William Morris introduced the morning speaker Rev. Ralph Lightsey. After the message Terry Hennecke gave the noon meal instructions. As the association was dismissed, Wayne Miracle asked the delegation close the meeting with a special altar of prayer for the seriously ill Linda McMillan, and Bill Travis. Dennis Keen led the delegation in prayer.

Respectfully Submitted,

Wayne Miracle

Galen Dunbar Acting Clerk



**SOUTH GEORGIA ASSOCIATION OF FREE WILL BAPTISTS  
FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE FIRST QUARTER OF 1994  
(January 1, 1994 through March 31, 1994)  
GIVEN AT FIRST FREE WILL BAPTIST CHURCH BRUNSWICK,  
GEORGIA ON AUGUST 6, 1994**

**SOUTH GEORGIA ASSOCIATION GENERAL FUND**

Balance Brought Forward January 1, 1994 \$2,593.72

**INCOME**

Church Dues	\$560.00	
Offering at the Association Meeting	61.00	
Late Dues (Glennville Church)	32.50	
Interest on checking (Glennville Bank & Trust)	5.39	
Interest on checking (Folkston)	22.55	
	\$681.44	\$681.44
<b>Total Income</b>		<b>\$3,275.16</b>

**EXPENDITURES**

Executive Board (mileage and meal)	\$195.99	
Checks Printed	8.96	
Ordaining Board Expense	18.00	
Moderator	30.00	
Clerk	60.00	
Treasurer	30.00	
South GEO. Youth Board (LBB Scholarship Fund)	250.00	
Postage	2.90	
<b>Total Expenditures</b>	<b>\$595.85</b>	<b>\$595.85</b>
<b><i>Balance In General Fund To Be Accounted For</i></b>		<b><i>\$2,679.31</i></b>

**DOUGLAS PROPERTY FUND**

Balance Brought Forward January 1, 1994 \$1,126.81

**INCOME**

Rent (January)	\$300.00	300.00
<b><i>Total To Be Accounted For In Douglas Prop. Fund</i></b>		<b><i>\$1,426.81</i></b>

**EXPENDITURES**

Property Insurance	\$174.75	\$174.75
<b><i>Total To Be Accounted For In Douglas Prop. Fund</i></b>		<b><i>\$1,252.06</i></b>

Balance in Association General Fund \$2,679.31

Balance in Douglas Property Fund \$1,252.06

***Total in the checkbook on March 31, 1994*** ***\$3,931.37***

**SOUTH GEORGIA ASSOCIATION OF FREE WILL BAPTISTS  
FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE SECOND QUARTER OF 1994  
GIVEN AT st. FREE WILL BAPTIST CHURCH, BRUNSWICK, GA,  
AUGUST 6, 1994**

**SOUTH GEORGIA. ASSOCIATION GENERAL FUND**

Balance brought forward April 1, 1994		<u>\$2,679.31</u>
<b><u>INCOME</u></b> (4-1-94 to 5-27-94)		
Church Dues	\$105.00	
Interest on Checking	<u>8.28</u>	
<b>Total Income</b>	<b>\$113.28</b>	<u>\$113.28</u>
<b><i>Total To Be Accounted For (5-27-94)</i></b>		<b><u>\$2,792.59</u></b>

**EXPENDITURES** (4-1-94 to 5-27-94)

None Balance in the Treasury		\$2,792.59
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**DOUGLAS PROPERTY**

Balance forwarded April 1, 1994		\$1,252.06
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**INCOME** (4-1-94 to 5-27-94)

Rent (Feb., March, April)	\$1,000.00	<u>\$1,000.00</u>
<b><i>Total to be accounted for in Douglas Fund 5-27-94</i></b>		<b><u>\$2,252.06</u></b>

**EXPENDITURES** (4-1-94 to 5-27-94)

Ceiling Repair	\$441.00	
Church Mutual Ins. Co.	<u>174.75</u>	
	\$615.75	<u>\$615.75</u>
<b><i>Balance in Douglas Fund to be accounted for 5-27-94</i></b>		<b><u>\$1,636.31</u></b>

Balance In Association General Fund 5-27-94	\$2,792.59
Balance In Douglas Property Fund 5-27-94	1,636.31
<b><i>Total to be accounted for and is in the Checkbook</i></b>	<b>\$4,428.90</b>

<b>Cashier's Check sent to So. GA Assoc. in Glennville</b>	<b>\$4,428.90</b>
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**Re-Opened Account at Glennville Bank and Trust**

**So. Georgia Association General Fund Income**

Dues from Churches	\$617.50	
Morning Off. at Association meeting	69.50	
Late Dues	240.00	
Cashier's Check from Kile McDowell (Folkston)	2,792.59	
(Gen. Fund \$2,792.59) (Douglas Fund \$1,636.31)	<u></u>	
<b><i>Total to be accounted for</i></b>	<b>\$3,719.59</b>	<b><u>\$3,719.59</u></b>

*Financial report for the second quarter of 1994 (continued)*

EXPENDITURES (4-29-94 to 6-30-94)

Executive Board (travel and meal)	\$167.20	
Rev. Roy Harris (combination of mileage for Exec. Board, Exec. Comm. and Ordaining Board)	92.82	
Postage-50.16 Ordaining Board mileage	72.40	
Meal (called joint meeting with missions board and executive board)	110.00	
	<u>\$492.56</u>	<u>\$492.56</u>
<i>Total in general fund to be accounted for (6-30-94)</i>		<u><b>\$3,227.03</b></u>

DOUGLAS PROPERTY FUND (4-25-94 to 6-30-94)

INCOME

Rent for May and June	\$800.00	
Cashier's Check from Folkston (Douglas Property Portion)	1,636.31	
<b>Total Income</b>	<u><b>\$2,436.31</b></u>	<u><b>\$2,436.31</b></u>

EXPENDITURES

Travel, Telephone, Meal	\$88.98	
Repair Materials	74.51	
<b>Total Expenditures</b>	<u>163.49</u>	<u>\$163.49</u>
<b>Balance in Douglas property fund</b>		<u><b>\$2,272.82</b></u>

Balance in the Assoc. Gen. Fund 6-30-94	\$3,227.03
Balance in the Douglas Property Fund 6-30-94	<u>\$2,272.82</u>
<b>Total to be accounted for and in Checkbook 6-30-94</b>	<u><b>\$5,499.85</b></u>

Galen T. Dunbar  
Treasurer

# **MINUTES OF THE SOUTH GEORGIA ASSOCIATION OF FREE WILL BAPTISTS**

**Convening at the First Savannah Free Will Baptist Church  
October, 22, 1994**

The quarterly conference of the South Georgia Association of Free Will Baptists began with Trent Walley leading the congregation in singing "I Love To Tell The Story". The meeting was opened in prayer and the host pastor Glenn Poston welcomed the assembly and gave instructions.

The Clerk, Tony Trott, called the meeting to order and introduced the moderator, Wayne Miracle who opened the session. Before the morning devotion, Beth Miles from the Savannah church provided special music. The moderator Wayne Miracle, gave the morning devotion from Gelatins 6:9 entitled "The Lord of the Harvest." I. The Harvest depends on Perseverance II. The Harvest depends on Spiritual Living III. The Harvest depends on the LORD. Brother Wayne then led in prayer.

The roll call of Ministers and Churches was taken with a total of 15 ministers and 16 churches being present. M/S/C to seat the delegates, visitors were recognized. M/S/C to approve the minutes of the previous quarterly meeting as printed.

The minutes of the Executive Board were read by the Clerk. M/S/C to receive the report.

The obituary report was given and Gerald Baxley rendered a prayer of memorial.

The moderator appointed the committees for the meeting.

The Georgia State Association Meeting was announced for November 16-19 at First Church Albany, Georgia.

Delegates were selected for that meeting. M/S/C to approve delegates and empower the moderator to appoint delegates as necessary.

A report was given by Galen Dunbar on the Victory Campaign to settle indebtedness on the National office building. Georgia has given 72 percent of their state goal so far. Churches were commended for their giving and encouraged to give more if they are able.

Brother Dunbar, being a foreign mission board member, gave a report about foreign missions as follows: Steve and Linda Reeves have resigned. (Steve has hypoglycemia). Eugene Waddell is under stress and under a doctor's care from his last surgery. Single Missionary Glenda Leatherbury, died in Ivory Coast.

Miss Leatherbury's mother's address was provided. Mike Johnson resigned as treasurer. June Wilkinson will be married to Fred Hersey in January.

### GEORGIA STATE OFFICE

Georgia State Promotional Secretary Herbert Waid gave a report for the state office as follows:

The state meeting will be in Albany.

FWBBC alumni meeting will be held.

There is a crisis at Camp Mt. Bethel.

Junior camp must be held by local associations.

Teen camp will be held by the state.

Options for Camp Mt. Bethel are as follows:

1. build back camp as it was

2. rent facilities

3. quit

4. new property

Alabama Children's home emphasis is November 8th.

Bill Barksdale is the Georgia representative and has had heart surgery.

The Board of Christian Education gives \$25 dollars a month to FWBBC students every month.

Missionaries to Japan, Dale and Sandra Bishop are on furlough.

Double in a Decade meeting was held September 16 at Camp Mt. Bethel.

Lifeline long distance- some have signed up

Money is still coming in for National Office building.

There being no miscellaneous business the Moderator dismissed the delegation for a brief recess. The meeting reconvened with the congregation singing "Love Lifted Me".

The Boards and Committees gave the following reports:

### YOUTH BOARD REPORT

The Youth Board report was given by the chairman, Steve Hutchinson.

The fall retreat was held on October 14 and 15 with 21 youth, 6 adults and 1 baby.

South Georgia youth competition will be held April 8, 1995.

The Laura Belle Barnard Scholarship information will be sent.

The financial report is on file with the clerk.

M/S.C to receive the report.

### MISSION BOARD REPORT

The Mission Board report was given by the chairman, Buddy Morris.

The Benjamin Randall offering for home missions is in November.

A Financial report was given.

Giving to ministries is encouraged.

Plans for the Camden church are in hand.

A sports bar is proposed near the church- pray it won't be built.

Board member Bill Travis is sick and in the hospital in Augusta

M/S/C to receive the report.



### ORDAINING BOARD REPORT

The Ordaining Board report was given by Chairman, Ken Murphy. Tommy Lewis of Brunswick is recommended to be ordained. Having received the resignation of Ken Murphy, Percy Cunningham is recommended to be new board member to fill the unexpired term vacated by Brother Murphy. This term will end in 1997. Roy Woods is recommended for new chairman. M/S/C to ordain Tommy Lewis  
M/S/C to accept the resignation of Ken Murphy  
The report is on file with the clerk.

### FINANCE COMMITTEE REPORT

The Finance Committee report was given by the treasurer Galen Dunbar. M/S/C to receive the report which is on file with the clerk.

### WOMAN'S AUXILIARY

The Woman's Auxiliary report was given by the President, Betty Henderson. Two (2) Woman's Auxiliaries in the South Georgia Association have disbanded. There are a total of 143 members among the local auxiliaries. Members lost is 16.. Gifts given- \$8,243.77 Disbursements- \$8,199.23  
M/S/C to receive the report.

### RESOLUTIONS COMMITTEE

The Resolutions Committee report was given by Roger Beecher:

1. We resolve to ask our people to commit themselves to pray for our national leaders.
2. We resolve to ask our people to commit themselves to pray for our church leaders.
3. We resolve to give the host church a rising vote of thanks for their hospitality.

M/S/C to accept the report.

### WORSHIP SERVICE

The worship service began with Trent Walley leading the congregation singing "Down at the Cross". Barbara Dunbar was the pianist. The offering was taken with Leroy Smith and Calfrey Harris serving as ushers. Calfrey Harris led in prayer. Following the offering the congregation sang "Praise Him, Praise Him". Special music was presented by Faye Anderson.

The Speaker, Glenn Poston, pastor of the Savannah church, used as his text Acts 14:19-22. His message was entitled "We must Suffer."

Three things we must have to enter the kingdom of God:

1. Patience
2. Perception

"No man is used greatly until he is hurt deeply" --A. W. Tozer

3. Preserverance

The message was closed with a poem about diamonds coming from coal.

Instructions about the meal were given by the host pastor Glenn Poston.

Tony Trott gave a blessing over the food and closed in prayer.

During the mealtime, it was brought to the delegation's attention that a letter had been sent requesting a letter of good standing for Ken Murphy by the Georgia Union Association since he would be moving go that association. M/S/C to send a letter of good standing to the Georgia Union Association.

**SOUTH GEORGIA ASSOCIATION OF FREE WILL BAPTISTS  
FINANCIAL REPORT  
GIVEN AT CORINTH FREE WILL BAPTIST CHURCH  
SAVANNAH, GEORGIA     /     October 22, 1994**

**SOUTH GEORGIA ASSOC. GENERAL FUND**

Balance brought forward July 1, 1994		\$3,227.03
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**INCOME**

Dues from the Churches	\$747.50		
Morning Worship Offering	78.38		
Interest on checking account	14.70		
Total Income	\$840.58		840.58
<b>Total to be accounted for</b>			<b>\$4,067.61</b>

**EXPENDITURES**

Moderator (2 Sessions)	\$60.00		
Clerk (2 Sessions)	120.00		
Treasurer (2 Sessions)	60.00		
Clerk's Expense (Postage)	29.00		
Executive Board Expense	217.71		
Gift to Nat'l Office Bldg. Debt	1,000.00		
Printing of Assoc. Minutes	477.00		
Total Expenditures	\$1,963.71		1,963.71
<b>Balance to be accounted for</b>			<b>\$2,103.90</b>

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**DOUGLAS PROPERTY FUND**

Balance brought forward July 1, 1994		\$2,272.82
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**INCOME**

Rent for July, August, September		1,200.00
<b>Total to be accounted for</b>		<b>\$3,472.82</b>

**EXPENDITURES**

Church Mutual Ins. Co.	\$367.00		
Mileage for meeting in Douglas	10.00		
Total Expenditures	\$377.00		377.00
<b>Balance to be accounted for</b>			<b>\$3,095.82</b>

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Balance in South GEO. ASSOC. General Fund		\$2,103.90
Balance in Douglas Property Fund		3,095.82
<b>Total in checking account September 30, 1994</b>		<b>\$5,199.72</b>

Wayne Miracle, Moderator  
Galen F. Dunbar, Treasurer

# SGA Youth Board Financial Information

August 1 - October 22, 1994

## CHECKING ACCOUNT

8-1-94                      Balance brought forward                      \$1,798.49

### Expenses for August:

Board Mileage and Exp. Meeting on 8-2-94                      \$88.47

Board Mileage and Exp. Meeting on 8-11-94                      158.22

Bank Service Charge                      4.75

Postage-Retreat Information                      8.70

**Total Expenses for August:**                      **\$260.14**

***9-1-94 Balance brought forward***                      **\$,153.35**

### Deposits for September:

Gloria Holmes-Harmony                      \$100.00

**Total deposits for September**                      **100.00**

***\$1,638.35***

### Expenses for September:

Bank Service Charge                      \$4.75

**Total Expenses for September**                      **4.75**

***10-1-94 Balance brought forward***                      **\$1,633.60**

### Deposits for October:

Retreat REgistration Fees                      \$302.93

**Total Deposits for October**                      **302.93**

***\$1,956.53***

### Expenses for October:

Camp Kicklighter rental fee                      \$250.00

Retreat food and supplies                      213.06

Retreat speaker honorarium                      125.00

Bank Service Charge                      4.75

**Total Expenses for October**                      **592.81**

***10-22-94 Ending Balance***                      **\$1,343.72**

## FWBBC STUDENT LOAN FUND ACCOUNT

As of June 6, 1994 the Youth Board had a total of \$6,168.77 invested in the Student Loan Fund at FWBBC.                      **Total Amount: \$7,512.49**

**SOUTH GEORGIA ASSOCIATION OF FREE WILL BAPTISTS  
FINANCIAL REPORT  
GIVEN AT CORINTH FREE WILL BAPTIST CHURCH  
ALMA, GEORGIA**

(This is a revision of the report given at the Corinth Church session.)  
October 23, 1993

Balance brought forward on July 1, 1993		\$2,514.68
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**SOUTH GEORGIA ASSOC. GENERAL FUND**

<b><u>INCOME</u></b>	<b>\$755.00</b>	
Offering at the Association meeting	74.00	
Interest on checking	28.67	
Total Income	\$857.67	857.67
<b>Total to be accounted for</b>		<b>\$3,372.35</b>

**EXPENDITURES**

Moderator	\$30.00	
Clerk	60.00	
Treasurer	30.00	
Clerk's Expense	42.20	
Executive Board Expense (Travel and meal)	227.52	
Total Expenditures	\$389.72	389.72
<b>Total to be accounted for in General Fund</b>		<b>\$2,982.63</b>

**ACCOUNTING FOR DOUGLAS PROPERTY FUND**

No Balance forward

**INCOME**

Rent (July-September)	\$900.00	
Insurance check for roof damage	2,329.85	
Insurance check for interior damage	1,237.50	
<b>Total Income</b>	<b>\$4,467.35</b>	<b>\$4,467.35</b>

**EXPENDITURES**

Roach and Bradley Law Firm	\$613.00	
Meals and mileage relating to Douglas	162.71	
Total Expenditures	\$775.71	775.71
<b>Total be accounted for in Douglas Fund</b>		<b>\$3,691.64</b>

Balance in the Assoc. General Fund		\$2,982.63
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Balance in the Douglas Property Fund		3,691.64
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<b>Total balance in the checkbook on September 30, 1993</b>		<b>\$6,674.27</b>
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(NOTE! This revision involves only in making a separation between the association general fund and the Douglas property fund. The actual balances are the same as reported to the association.) Galen Dunbar, Treasurer



**SOUTH GEORGIA ASSOCIATION OF FREE WILL BAPTISTS FINAN-  
CIAL REPORT FOR THE FOURTH QUARTER OF 1993  
(October 1, 1993 through December 31, 1993)**

**SOUTH GEORGIA GENERAL FUND**

Balance brought forward October 1-93		\$2,982.63
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**INCOME** (10-1 through 10-31-93)

Interest for October	\$17.96	17.96
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Total to be accounted for \$3,000.59

**EXPENDITURES** (10-1-93 - 10-31-93)

Moderator	\$30.00	
Clerk	60.00	
Treasurer	30.00	
Clerk's exp. & Christian Bookstore	38.81	
Executive Committee (Travel and Meal)	170.39	
Walker Office Supply (Minutes for 1992)	469.41	
Total Expenditures	<u>\$798.61</u>	<u>\$798.61</u>
<i>Total To Account For In the Gen. Fund (10-31-93)</i>		<u><b>\$2,201.98</b></u>

**DOUGLAS PROPERTY FUND** (Oct. 1-1993 through Oct. 31, 1993)

Balance brought forward October 1, 1993	\$3,691.64
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**INCOME**

Rent (October)	<u>300.00</u>
<i>Total to be accounted for October 31, 1993</i>	<u><b>\$3,991.64</b></u>

**EXPENDITURES**

J.H. Smith (Roof repair)	\$2,340.00	
Church Mutual Ins. Co.	349.50	
Travel, meals, telephone	<u>114.00</u>	
Total Expenditures	<u>\$2,803.50</u>	<u>\$2,803.50</u>
<i>Balance to be accounted for in Douglas fund (10-31-93)</i>		<u><b>\$1,188.14</b></u>

Balance in the Gen. fund 10-31-93	\$2,201.98
Balance in the Douglas fund 10-31-93	<u>1,188.14</u>
<b>Total in the checkbook 10-31-93</b>	<u><b>\$3,390.12</b></u>

November 17, 1993 wrote check and sent to Kile McDowell for this amount (closed out account at Glennville Bank)	\$3,390.12
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Fourth Quarter So. Geo. Assoc. From Nov. 16/ 1993 through Dec. 31, 1993

Account open up in Folkston, GEO. by Kile McDowell

## FINANCIAL REPORT TO SO. GEO. ASSOC. FOURTH QUARTER, 1993

(General fund \$783.00 and Douglas Fund \$300.00=\$1,083.00)

(Accounting for these figures in income below)

INCOME (Nov. 16 through Dec. 31, 1993)

Church dues (no breakdown as to churches available)	\$705.00	
Morning offering at Assoc.	78.00	
Check from Glennville Bank and Trust	2,201.98	
(Gen. Fund \$2,201.98 and Douglas fund \$1,188.14)		
<b>Total to be accounted for in Gen. fund</b>	<b>\$2,984.98</b>	<b>\$2,984.98</b>

EXPENDITURES (Nov. 16 through Dec. 31, 1993)

Geo. State Assoc. -- Dues for National	\$350.00	
Clerk's expenses (Stamps and Office)	41.26	
Total Expenditures	\$391.26	\$391.26
<b>Balance in the Gen. fund Dec. 31, 1993</b>		<b>\$2,593.72</b>

DOUGLAS FUND (Nov. 16 through Dec. 31, 1993)INCOME

Transfer from Glennville Bank and Trust	\$1,188.14	
Rent for November and December	600.00	
	\$1,788.14	\$1,788.14

EXPENDITURES

Travel and meal (meeting with U.P.C. to negotiate lease agreement)	31.80	
Materials for repair to Douglas Property	629.53	
	\$661.33	\$661.33
Balance in the Douglas fund December 31, 1993		1,126.81

Balance in the Gen. fund Dec. 31, 1993	\$2,593.72
Balance in the Douglas fund Dec. 31, 1993	1,126.81
Total in checkbook and to be accounted for 12-31-93	\$3,720.53

**AN ORDINATION STANDARD**  
**SOUTH GEORGIA ASSOCIATION OF FREE WILL BAPTIST**

**THE LICENSED MINISTER:**

1. A person must be licensed for a period of one year before he can be ordained. He must also be called to the care of one or more churches, or into other services which would require ordination.

**QUALIFICATIONS OF MINISTERS:**

2. They must possess good, natural and acquired abilities, deep and ardent piety, be especially called of God to the work, and ordained by prayer and the laying on of hands.

**DUTIES OF MINISTERS:**

3. These are to preach the word, administer the ordinances of the Gospel, visit their people, and otherwise perform the work of faithful ministers.

**THE QUESTION OF DIVORCE:**

4. No individual shall be ordained to the Gospel ministry who has been married and divorced, and in the process has more than one living companion. No individual shall be ordained whose wife has been previously married and divorced.

**NOTE:** These regulations are set forth to comply with the Biblical standard for ministers found in I Timothy 3:1-7.

**THE ORDINATION OF WOMEN:**

5. Traditionally and historically Free Will Baptist in the State of Georgia have not ordained women to the Gospel ministry, So far as we are able to discern, this is still the true sentiment over the state. Therefor, until the thinking of our Free Will Baptist constituency becomes more definitive on this matter, we do not ordain women.

**THE AUTHORITY TO ORDAIN:**

6. Free Will Baptists, committed to the doctrine of congregational church government, understand that the authority to ordain ministers is in the local church.

In practice , however, the Free Will Baptist churches in Georgia work together in the matter of ordination by delegating the authority for ordination to the association of churches in which the local church holds membership. The true source of this authority should never be lost sight of.

## **CLARIFICATION STATEMENT CONCERNING THE FOLLOWING ITEMS:**

- I. Pastor leaving the South Georgia Association.
- II. Pastor entering the South Georgia Association
- III. Responsibility of the new Pastor accepting a church in the South Georgia Association.
- IV. Minister's attendance at the Associational meetings.
- V. Local church calling a new Pastor.
- VI. Amendments that were adopted January 26, 1980 at the Satilla Free Will Baptist Church.
- VII. Additional suggestions added to the guidelines under the application for ordination to the ministry, page 8.

### **I. PASTOR LEAVING THE SOUTH GEORGIA ASSOCIATION**

If Rev. John Anybody is pasturing a church in the South Georgia Association and resigns that church to pastor another church in another Association besides the South Georgia, then the South Georgia Association Ordaining Board cannot grant a letter of "good standing" or other wise until the South Georgia Association Ordaining Board receives a request from the new association the pastor joined.

Once a letter is received from that Association, then the South Georgia Association Ordaining Board reviews his standing and grants a letter of their findings.

### **II. PASTOR ENTERING THE SOUTH GEORGIA ASSOCIATION**

If Rev. John Anybody has been called to pastor a church in the South Georgia Association, then the church who called him must meet in church conference and direct a member of the church, preferable the Clerk of the Association, before the next quarterly meeting, (if possible), requesting that Rev. Anybody be granted membership into the South Georgia Association. After sufficient council with the Pastor, granted membership into the Association upon receipt of a letter of "good standing" from his previous Association.

### **III. RESPONSIBILITY OF THE NEW PASTOR ACCEPTING A CHURCH IN THE SOUTH GEORGIA ASSOCIATION**

A treatise of the Faith and Practices of the Original Free Will Baptists; Part IV, The Practices Of Free Will Baptists; Chapter II, The Minister; Section III, His Relationships, page 62, Letter B.

"To the association. When the minister becomes pastor of a given local church, it is his responsibility to obtain good standing in the association of which that

church is a member if he is not already in good standing therein."

Whereas, it is the responsibility of the Pastor of a given local church to obtain a good standing in the Association of which that church is a member;

And whereas, the South Georgia Association has no jurisdiction over the church in its selecting a Pastor because this particular phase is left entirely into the hands of the local church;

Be it therefore resolved, that any Pastor who desires to be a delegate, or have the full voting rights and privileges of an ordained minister, cannot do so because he is not a member of the Association.

Of course, when the Pastor decides to become a member of the Association, then he would be granted these privileges.

#### IV. LOCAL CHURCH CALLING A NEW PASTOR

Since the South Georgia Association has no jurisdiction over the church in its selecting a Pastor, because this particular phase is left entirely into the hands of the local church. The only time that the Association would be involved would be when that individual would be presented for membership into the Association by the local church he is called to pastor.

It is hoped that when the church calls a pastor, they would take into consideration their examining him sufficiently and thoroughly so there would be no need for the Ordaining Board to have to deny him membership because of some technicality the church has overlooked.

For example: if the Ordaining Board found or discovered that the Pastor did not meet the guidelines that are upheld by the South Georgia Association, then he would be denied membership and it would leave the local church in a predicament as what to do about their new Pastor. Of course, if he meets these requirements, there would be no problem.

#### V. Minister's attendance at the Associational Meetings

The South Georgia Association has voted and passed the following rulings stated in the 1979 Minutes, page 17, of the South Georgia Association:

"We recommend that all Ministers of the South Georgia Association who do not represent at the district meeting in person or by letter within three (3) consecutive meetings that his name be dropped from the roll call of Ministers. In order to be reinstated he must meet with the Ordaining Board for their recommendation back to the Association.



Be it also understood, that when a Ministers name has been dropped from the roll, he then becomes ineligible to be a delegate for his local church, he does not have the voting rights and privileges of an ordained minister until he has been reinstated by the Ordaining Board and Association.

## **VI. AMENDMENTS THAT WERE ADOPTED JANUARY 26, 1980 AT THE SATILLA FREE WILL BAPTIST CHURCH**

Item #1: Because of the pressing need of clearer guidelines in regard to the ordination of women; we the South Georgia Association Of Free Will Baptists believe that the Bible clearly teaches that the office of the pastorate is God's role to man as given in such passages as I Timothy 2:11-15; I Cor. 11:3-15; I Cor. 14:34-35; Eph. 5:22-24, 33b.

Therefore, in keeping with the teaching of God's word, the ordination of women will be prohibited in the South Georgia Association Of Free Will Baptists. (M/S/ C to adopt amendment.)

Item #3: We the South Georgia Association Of Free Will Baptists believe that tongues, which is the speaking in ascetic utterances or any unspiritual phenomena advocated by the Charismatic movement is to be considered as unbiblical for practice in our local churches and should be emphatically discouraged. (M/S/ C to adopt the amendment.)

## **VII. ADDITIONAL SUGGESTIONS ADDED TO THE GUIDELINES UNDER THE APPLICATION FOR ORDINATION TO THE MINIS TRY, PAGE 8**

Item #15; What is your position concerning Homosexuality?

Item #17b; What is your position concerning addictive drugs?

Item #22; Do Free Will Baptists believe in Congregational Government?  
A. Define Congregational Government.  
B. Define Connectional Government.

Item #23; Is the Holy Spirit resistible or irresistible? Explain.

# **SOUTH GEORGIA ASSOCIATION OF FREE WILL BAPTISTS CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS**

## **PREAMBLE**

The object and purpose of this Organization shall be to unify the people and strengthen the work of the various churches composing the South Georgia Association of Free Will Baptists, and to devise and recommend measures for the extension of the Kingdom of God in association with the various churches which do now and may hereafter comprise this Organization.

## **ARTICLE I**

This fellowship of churches shall be known as the South Georgia Association of Free Will Baptists.

## **ARTICLE II**

### **SECTION 1: MEMBERSHIP**

- A. Membership in this Association shall consist of such regularly organized churches that adhere to the doctrines and practices of Free Will Baptists as set forth in the Treatise of the National Association of Free Will Baptists.
- B. Missions endorsed by the Missions Board of this Association may be received under the watchcare of the Association until duly organized and have complied with the aforesaid statement relative to membership.

### **SECTION 2: REPRESENTATION**

- A. Voting representation shall be by delegates duly authorized by the local churches comprising the South Georgia Association, and upon payment of fees described in SECTION 4 of this article.
- B. The number of delegates shall be determined on the basis of two (2) per church and one (1) additional delegate for each one hundred (100) members or fraction thereof, based on the active membership roll.
- C. Standing delegates will consist of all ordained ministers, deacons active on the Board, missionaries, general officers and standing Board members in good standing with the South Georgia Association. \*See article regarding requirements for ministers and deacons for good standing located in the By-Laws.

### **SECTION 3: DISCIPLINE**

The Association's only "power" over the local church is limited to dealing with the church's rights as a member of the Association. At the request of a church or an aggrieved minority within a local church the Association may act only as an advisory council to give advice in matters of difficulty. All matters involving discipline shall be handled according to the Treatise of the National Association of Free Will Baptists.

## SECTION 4: FEES

Representation fees must be paid in order for delegates to be seated (elective and standing) at any regular session of this Association. Representation fees shall be determined by the budget adopted by this Association in its April session each year. The budget will cover a period from September 1 through August 31 of each year.

## ARTICLE III

### SECTION 1: GENERAL OFFICERS

The General Officers of this Association shall consist of a Moderator, Assistant Moderator, Clerk, Treasurer and an Assistant Clerk/Treasurer, each of whom shall be elected at the close of the August session. The Moderator shall serve a period of two (2) years and may succeed himself for only one term.

### SECTION 2: COMMITTEES

- A. Executive Committee: The Executive Committee shall consist of the General Officers stated in SECTION 1 of this article.
- B. Other Committees: Committees, as necessary, shall be appointed by the Moderator unless otherwise provided for in this document and shall hold office until their work is completed or until their successors are named.

### SECTION 3: BOARDS

- A. Executive Board: The Executive Board shall consist of the General Officers, the Chairman of each of the Standing Boards, and the previous Moderator for one (1) year following his term of office.
- B. Board of Missions: The Board of Missions shall consist of five (5) members, so elected that one (1) member will be elected each year.
- C. Youth Board: The Youth Board shall consist of five (5) members, so elected that one (1) member shall be elected each year.
- D. Ordaining Board: The Ordaining Board shall consist of five (5) members, so elected that one (1) member will be elected each year.

### SECTION 4: COMPLIANCE

Any person/s elected to a Board or Committee

- A. May not serve on more than one Standing Board at any one time, with the exception of the Executive Board.
- B. Must make every effort to attend each Board or Committee meeting.
- C. In the event of any hindrance/s, he is asked to either send a proxy or contact the Chairman by telephone or letter. Failure to comply with the above means that his position may be declared vacant and that the Board or Committee is open to recommend a replacement at the next Quarterly Meeting.

## ARTICLE IV

**MEETINGS:** The meetings of the South Georgia Association shall be held on the fourth Saturdays of October, January, April and the first Saturday in August, unless otherwise agreed upon.

## ARTICLE V

**AFFILIATION:** By a voluntary act of this Body, this Association shall be a member of the Georgia State Association of Free Will Baptists. Membership with the State Body also gives us affiliation with the National Association of Free Will Baptists.

## ARTICLE VI

**AMENDMENTS:** This Constitution may be amended by a majority vote at any regular session. Notice of intended amendment must be given in writing to the Clerk, and must be read to the Association Body at the beginning of the session, to be voted on after the worship hour.

## BY-LAWS

### SECTION 1: GENERAL OFFICERS

- A. Moderator: The Moderator shall preside at the meetings of the Association and the Executive Committee/Board, and shall serve as Chairman of the Executive Committee/Board.
- B. Assistant Moderator: The Assistant Moderator serves as Moderator in the absence of or at the request of the Moderator.
- C. Clerk: The Clerk shall keep accurate records of the Association and the Executive Committee/Board meetings. He shall call the Association into order and introduce the Moderator; and shall carry out the instructions of the Association or Executive Committee/Board in correspondence, etc.
- D. Treasurer: The Treasurer receives all Association funds and disburses them as instructed by the Association or Executive Committee/Board.
- E. Assistant Clerk/Treasurer: The Assistant Clerk/Treasurer shall serve in the absence of or at the request of the Clerk or Treasurer. The Assistant Clerk/Treasurer shall be able to sign checks in the event the Treasurer is incapacitated.

### SECTION 2: COMMITTEE/BOARD FUNCTIONS AND MEETINGS

- A. Executive Committee/Board: The Executive Committee/Board gives general leadership to the Association, serves as the Association between sessions of the Association, and makes reports to the Association for adoption.

This Committee/Board shall meet quarterly to plan and approve the Association program, to hear reports from the Standing Boards and/or Committees, and to take care of any business which may claim its attention. These meetings will be at a time and place selected by the Committee/Board or Moderator.

- B. Board of Missions: The Board of Missions shall offer leadership in areas of local as well as world-wide Missions. It shall meet at its discretion.



C. Ordaining Board: The Ordaining Board shall examine candidates for licensing and/or ordination who have been recommended by his local church. They shall assist the candidate in planning and conducting his ordination service as the need arises. They shall examine ministers petitioning the Association for membership and make recommendations relative to the petition. It shall meet at its discretion.

D. Youth Board: The Youth Board shall have general oversight of youth related activities as approved by the Association such as Christian Camping, Youth Rallies and CTS Competitive Activities. It shall meet at its discretion.

### SECTION 3: REQUIREMENTS FOR MINISTERS AND DEACONS AT THE ASSOCIATIONAL MEETINGS.

A. Ministers: Ordained Ministers of the South Georgia Association who do not represent at the District Meeting in person, by letter, by telephone, etc., within three (3) consecutive meetings will be dropped from the roll call of Ministers. In order to be re-instated he must meet with the Ordaining Board for their recommendation back to the Association.

Be it also understood, that when a Minister's name has been dropped from this roll, he does not have the voting rights and privileges of an Ordained Minister as a "standing delegate" until he has been re-instated.

B. Deacons: Deacons of the South Georgia Association's member churches who do not represent at the district meeting in person, by letter, by telephone, etc., within three (3) consecutive meetings will lose his "standing delegate" status. He must attend two (2) consecutive meetings in order to be re-instated to voting privileges as a "standing delegate".

### SECTION 4: AMENDMENTS

These By-Laws may be amended by a majority vote at any regular session. Notice of intended amendment must be given, in writing, to the Clerk, and must be read to the Association Body at the beginning of the session, to be voted on after the morning worship hour.