

MINUTES OF THE NO. 2 QUARTERLY MEETING OF THE  
SOUTHERN ASSOCIATION OF FREE WILL BAPTISTS

FRIDAY Feb. 7, 1975

CONGRGATIONAL SINGING: Led by Rev. Ron Young - "Send the Light" and  
"Jesus, Jesus, Jesus".

PRAYER: By Bro. Joe Cluck. CONGRGATIONAL SINGING: "When the Roll is  
Called Up Yonder", and "Kneel at the Cross".

The meeting was called to order by the Moderator Rev. Bob Leeds  
with Rev. Richard Horner acting as assistant moderator.

The congregation then sang "Give of Your Best to the Master".

The evening message was presented by Rev. James Mosley , of Lompoc  
using scripture from Luke 6:38.

BENEDICTION: Rev Charles Roam.

SATURDAY, Feb. 8, 1975

CONGREGATIONAL SINGING: Led by Rev. Ron Young. "Joy Unspeakable"  
and "The Wonderous Story"

The Meeting was called to order by the Moderator Rev. Bob Leeds .  
Scripture reading was given by Rev. Newell Bonner using the second Chap.  
of first Corinthians, followed by prayer.

WELCOME: Given by Bro. Fred Session. RESPONSE: Rev. Charles Roam.

LETTERS WERE READ from eight churches and the Wasco mission. They  
were accepted as read except that the South Union Church asked for  
a replacement for one of their alternates. The delegates were welcomed.

PULPIT COMMITTEE: Jim Mosley, C.E. Hames, Sis. Ekles.

The minutes were read and accepted as read.

The pulpit committee reported that Rev. Jack Craven was to present the  
morning message and Rev. Jerry Webb the afternoon message.

TREASURERS REPORT: Read and accepted.

A motion carried for the chair to appoint the committees. They were:

RESOLUTION

Fred Session, Chair.  
Sparkey Roberts  
John Hutchinson

FINANCE

Glen Williams

OBITUARY

Sis, Hunter, Chair.  
Sis. Schey  
Sis. Bowden

The executive board member whose term expires in 1980 was selected.  
He is Rev. Ron Young.

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EXECUTIVE BOARD MEMBERS ARE: Rev. J.C. Armstrong (1976), Rev. Charles Roam (1977), Rev. M.J. Wilson (1978), Rev. C.E. Hames (1979) and Rev. Ron Young (1980).

(Ron Young, Alt. Speaker)

MEETINGS FOR 1975: August: Shafter (J. Armstrong Speaker)  
November: South Union  
February: (1976) Bakersfield  
recess

Motion carried to adjourn the morning session until 11:00 AM.

11:00 AM Rev. Richard Horner, the assistant moderator took charge of the meeting -- Prayer by Rev. C.E. Hames -- The congregation sang "Higher Ground" and "The Solid Rock". The missionary offering was given in the amount of \$40.10.. Congregation sang: "Standing on the Promises". Margie and Debbie Schey sang "The Family of God".

MESSAGE: By Rev. Jack Craven. I st. John Chap. 5 vs. 17 "All Unrighteousness is Sin".

Benediction and blessing on noon meal by Rev. Ron Young.

----- LUNCH AT THE CHURCH -----

1:00 PM/ Congregational singing by: Bro. Glen Williams. "Whosever meanenth Me". Message by Rev. Jerry Webb. I Corinthians 16:13

MOTION CARRIED TO ACCEPT THE FINANCE COMMITTEE REPORT AND FINANCIAL PLAN FOR 1975:

1) Host Church \$100 2) Dues \$1.25/member 3) Clerk expenses \$10/meeting 4) Treasurer \$10/meeting 5) Nursery attendant \$5/meeting 6) Missionary offerings ~~for Jerry~~ <sup>1975</sup> to go to Jerry Webb 7) Recommend that all churches "round off" the figures on their financial reports to the nearest dollar, and that only the blanks called for be filled in. 9) Mileage allowance for the executive board be increased from six cents to ten cents per mile.

EXECUTIVE BOARD REPORT #1 Recommended Rev. Jack Craven to fellowship of this quarterly meeting. # 2 Recommend that Bro. John Story be relicensed for one year.

RESOLUTION COMMITTEE REPORT: Recommended that we give the host church a standing vote of thanks for their hospitality.

OBITUARY COMMITTEE REPORT: The following have deceased this year: Ed Ward, Pearl Branch, Mary Haworth, Lena Berkhoff, Noble Daugherty, Lawrence Nash and Bro. Bennet. Also Urshell Burkett.

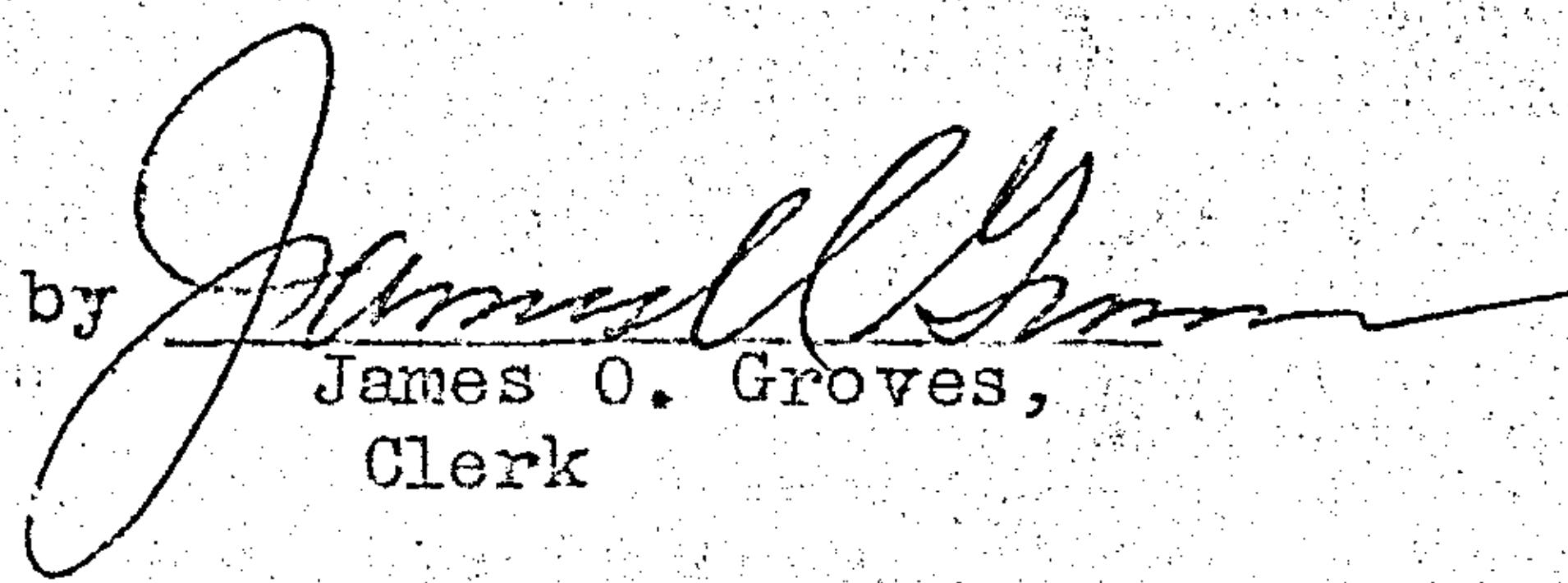
DELEGATES WERE CHOSEN FOR THE MAY MEETING FROM THE LETTERS PRESENTED AT THIS MEETING.

OFFICERS ELECTED: Moderator: Rev. Bob Leeds, Assistant  
Moderator: Rev. Richard Horner Clerk: Jim Groves  
Assistant Clerk-Treas. Wanda Williams.

Benediction: Rev. Bob Leeds.

Minutes by

James O. Groves,  
Clerk



MINUTES OF THE NO. 2 QUARTERLY MEETING OF THE  
SOUTHERN ASSOCIATION OF FREE WILL BAPTISTS

August 9, 1975 Arvin, Ca.

Meeting called to order by Moderator, Rev. Bob Leeds.

Congregational singing was led by Joe Cluck, opening song "Standing On The Promises."

Scripture and Prayer by Rev. Jack Craven, Psalms 133.

Welcome: J.B. Smith, response: Ron Young.

A motion carried to accept the printed program as a guide for this meeting.

Letters from 7 churches were read (Lompoc letter not received)

A motion carried to accept the letters and seat the delegates.  
Prayer by Rev. Richard Horner.

Minutes of the Feb. 1975 meeting were read and accepted.

Treasurers report read and accepted. \$397;60 was the balance.

Committees: Pulpit: Richard Horner, chairman- C.E. Hames,  
appointed, David Minyard.

Resolution: Fred Session, Chairman, Sis. Iva Slusser, Dutch  
McCullar, Bro. Hutchison, Sis. Bethel.

Obituary: Sister Cleo Akles, Sister Hutchison, Karen Hibbard.

Speaker chosen for the Nov. 7th. Rev. Ron Young, alternate M.J. Wilson.

Jerry Webb spoke on their trip to France, departure date will be August 28.

Pulpit comm. Rept: Bob Leeds morning speaker, John Hibbard in afternoon.

Prayer: Fred Session, recess to 10:30 A.M.

10:30 A.M. Glen Williams led the congregation in singing "All Hail the Power".

Reports received as follows;

Resolution: Vote of thanks to the host church.

Obituary: James Rector, Jean Richardson, Ira Pender, Zola Davis, Joe Lightle and Della White deceased since our last meeting. Congregation stood in silent meditation followed in prayer by Nuel Bonner.

Executive: The Board recommends that Johnny Hibbard, being found sound in doctrine be relicensed for 1 year.

Motion carried to accept Richard Horner's letter of resignation. Fred Session was elected as assistant moderator.

Motion carried to recess business. Prayer by Brother L.B. Blair.

Congregational singing was led by Glen Williams. "I Know Whom I Have Believed."

Scripture, Galatians 2:20 was read by Richard Horner.

Missionary offering of \$72.86 was received for Jerry Webb.

Special singing: "Something Beautiful" by Mike Craven and wife.

Solo by Joe Cluck "Blessed Redeemer"

Message: Bob Leeds using Galatians 2 -verses 11-20. "Consistent Living"

Prayer and Blessing on noon meal, Bro. M.J. Wilson.

Afternoon Session: Congregational singing led by David Minyard.

Special Singing: Glen and Wanda Williams, "Jesus Held onto My Hand"  
Br. and Sis. Mike Craven "Because He Lives"

Message: John Hibbard, "What is a Christian?" Acts 11:26, I Peter 4:16.

Host Church was given a standing vote of thanks,

Benediction: Joe Cluck.

Minutes by

James O. Groves

Clerk

MINUTES OF THE NO. 2 QUARTERLY MEETING OF THE FREE WILL BAPTISTS  
SOUTHERN ASSOCIATION.

FRIDAY Night August 8, 1975, Arvin Free Will Baptist Church.

Meeting called to order: By Rev. Bob Leeds, Moderator.

Prayer: By Bro. McCullar.

Congregation Singing: "Since I Have Been Redeemed" and "Sweet Bye and Bye" led by Bro. Glen Williams.

Prayer: By Rev. M.J. Wilson.

Congregational singing: "The Old Account was Settled"/ "A Shelter in the Time of Storm".

Special Singing: Glen and Wanda Williams. "That Day is almost Here".

Message: Rev. J.C. Armstrong. Jude Verse 3. "Earnestly Contend for the Faith".

Announcements.

Benediction. Rev. Ron Young.

Adjourned to Saturday morning August 9, 1975.

Prayer: Vernon Weese.

Rev. Wade Jernigan spoke on California Christian College finance,  
The "Dormettes" sang one song.

Congregational singing: Led By Rev. Ron Young.

Special singing: Rev. and Sis. Jack Craven sang "He's My everything"  
Dormettes sang two songs.

Prayer: Jess Cowan.

MESSAGE: REV. Jim Mosley, Lompoc. Eph. Chap. 5 vs. 7  
Missionary offering was taken., ~~XXXXXXXXXXXXXX~~.  
Rev. Wade Jernigan asked the blessing on the noon meal.

----- LUNCH -----

Congregational singing: Led by David Minyard.

Prayer: Sam Hensley.

Special singing: "The Dormettes" then Bro. John Hutehison and  
his Sister-in-law sang "The Love of God".

MESSAGE: Rev. C.E. Hames, Mat. Chap. 16, vs. 13-20

EXECUTIVE BOARD REPORTS ACCEPTED:

No. 1 Rev. Gerald Meyer recommended to full fellowship.

No. 2 Bro. Sam Hensley be licensed to preach for one year.

No. 3 Recommendation that five to ten minutes be allotted for  
all persons who have been approved for license to preach to give  
their own testimony and burden of their heart.

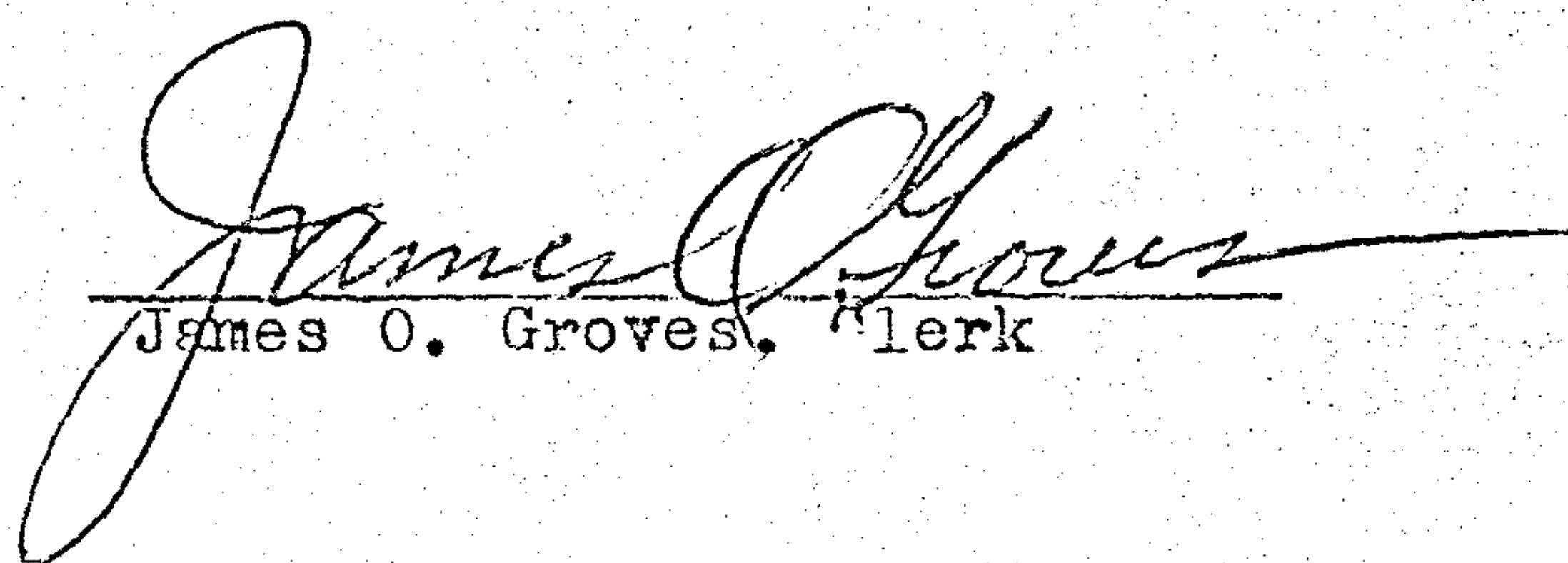
Bro. Sam Hensley spoke.

OBITUARY COMMITTEE REPORT: No deaths reported this quarter.

Motion carried that Rev. C.E. Hames Tape the message he gave today,  
with possibly a 100 tapes to be made for distribution. This matter  
was referred to the executive board.

RESOLUTION COMMITTEE REPORT: Carried to give the host church a  
standing vote of thanks.

Announcements. ----- Benediction: Rev. Ron Young

  
James O. Groves  
James O. Groves, Clerk

MINUTES OF THE NO. 2 QUARTERLY MEETING OF THE FREE WILL BAPTISTS

FRIDAY, Nov. 7, 1975 - So. Union Ave. Free Will Baptist Church

Called to order: Moderator Rev. Bob Leeds.

Prayer: Rev. Charles Roam.

Congregational singing: Led by David Minyard.

Prayer: Fred Session.

Special singing: Bro. & Sis. Mike Craven sang "Sheltered in the Arms of God".

Scripture: Rev. Bob Leeds, Galatians Chap 5.

Message: Rev. Ron Young, II Cor. 4 th. Chap. Vs 1-6

Dismissed by alter of prayer.

SATURDAY, Nov. 8, 1975

Called to order: Rev. Bob Leeds, Moderator.

Congregational singing: Led by Rev. Ron Young.

Scripture reading by Rev. Charles Roam, reading from II Tim.

Welcome: Rev. Gerald Meyer.

Response: J.B. Smith.

A motion carried to adopt the program for this meeting.

The church letters were read and the delegates seated.

Prayer: Fred Session.

Minutes of last meeting read and accepted.

Motion carried to accept executive board report on accepting Rev. Gerald Meyer into full fellowship of the quarterly meeting.

Treasurer's report: Read and accepted as read.

Motion carried for the moderator to appoint the committees:

Appointed were:

PULPIT

RESOLUTION

OBITUARY

David Minyard

Jim Dobbs

Margie Sehey

L.B. Blair

Cleo Ackles

Lou Groves

Randall Seroggins.

Alva Ratliff

Iva Slusser

Mike Craven

Ruby Fowler

Vernon Weese

Sister Smith

PULPIT COMMITTEE reported Rev. Jim Mosley would preach the morning sermon and Rev. C.E. Hames the afternoon sermon.

OLD BUSINESS: None was presented.

NEW BUSINESS: Rev. Gerald Meyer was elected to preach the Friday evening sermon at the February meeting and Rev. Charles Roam was chosen as the alternate.

Rev. Gerald Meyer was elected to take H.J. Wilson's place on the executive board.

Motion carried to recess until 10:45 AM.

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Resolution #2 Passed

Be it resolved that in order for a person to be elected to any office in this Quartley Meeting, they must be present. This is retro-active for today.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS

Executive Board	<u>Five year expires 1980</u>	<u>Bob Leeds Elected</u>
	four year "	1979 C.E. Hames
	Three "	1978 Gerald Myer
	two "	1977 Charles Roam
	<u>one "</u>	<u>1976 Ron Young</u>

Business & Finance Board

	<u>one year expires 1976</u>	<u>L.B. Blair</u>
	two year "	1977 Mike Craven
	three Year "	1978 Ed Cramer
Elected	<u>four year</u>	<u>1979 Herman Young</u>
Elected	<u>five year</u>	<u>1980 Mike Rigdon</u>

Sunday School Representative Elected Ron Young

Moderator Elected Bro. Fred Session

Ass't. Moderator Elected Bro. Bob Leeds

Clerk Elected Bro. David Minyard

Clerk-treasurer Elected Bro. Vernon Weese

Missionary Offering \$50.01

Delegates appointed by the chair as follows:

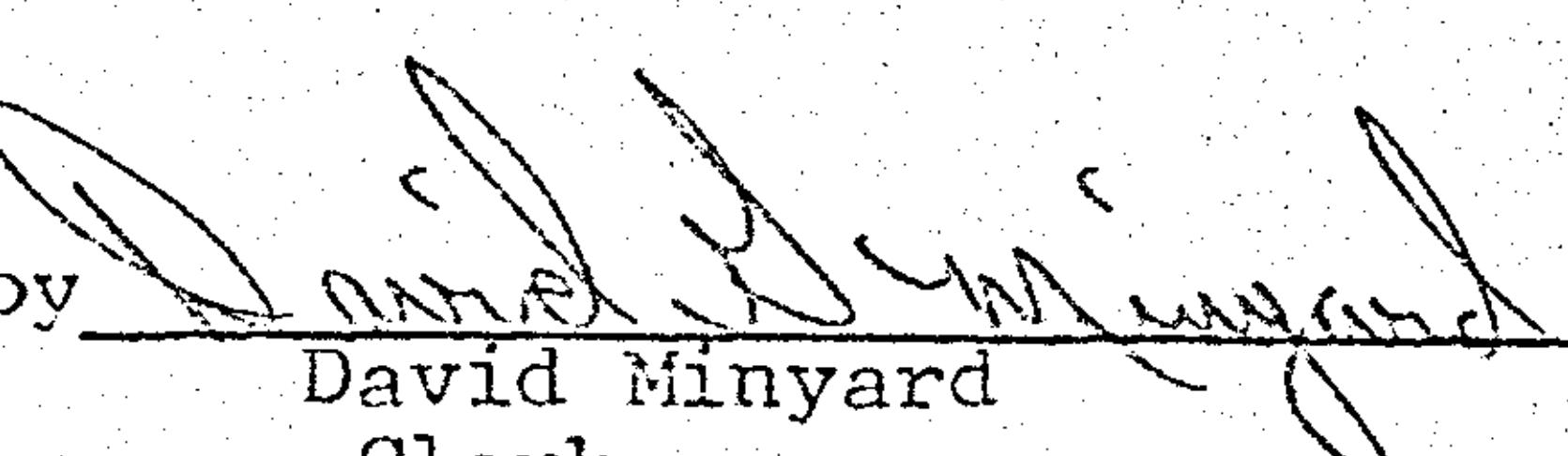
Sam Hensley, Shirley Weese, Rick Sullivan, Vernon Weese,  
Dee Beam, Shirley Sullivan, Hulene Bowden, Ruby Fowler,  
Jim Dobbs, Jaunita Dobbs, Peggy Van Tassell, Dixie Young  
These will be the delegates to the combined Southern  
Association of Free Will Baptist meeting at Corcoran,  
California on April 30 & May 1, 1976

Motion made to have the Clerk serve as the ass't treasurer.  
Passed.

Letter from our Brother Gerald Webb, on the mission field  
in France.

Benediction by Bro. Arville Nelson

Minutes by

  
David Minyard  
Clerk

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Lamont church asked that the next Quarterly Meeting in, August 1976, be held at their church. Motion made and carried to be their. The speaker for the friday night service will be Bro. Ron Young with the alternate as Bro. Jack Craven.

Report from Bro. Butch Johns by Rev. C.E. Hames.  
Report from Youth Camp by Rev. Charles Roam.

Motion to recess.

MORNING WORSHIP 11:00 a.m.

Call to Order by Bro. Fred Session

Congregation singing led by Bro. Ron Young  
Special Singing by the Bakersfield Teen Choir

Message by Bro. Charles Roam using Matt. 16:18 "Going Forward in the Local Church"

Blessing on the lunch by Bro Gerald Myer

AFTERNOON WORSHIP

Congregational singing led by David Minyard  
Special singing Bro. Gerald Adams BECAUSE OF CALVARY, David & Louise Minyard, and Gerald Adams sang THE TOUCH OF HIS HAND

Message by Bro. Sam Hensley using Matt. 24:36

Obituary report as follows:

The following brothers and sisters have deceased since our last meeting, Sister Zola Davis and Brother Ira Pender of Arvin, Sister Della White of Taft, Bro. Gene Richardson, Bro. James Rector, and Sister Mamie Blair off Bakersfield, Bro. Tom Beam and Sister Iva Jackson of Shafter, Bro. Joe Lightle and Bro. Davis of Lamont Congregation stood in silent meditation followed in prayer.

Finance Committee report #1 as follows:

1976 Budget Host Church \$100.00, Clerk \$10.00, Treasurer 10.00, Nursery \$5.00 Dues to Association \$300.00, two more meetings with \$200.00 to host church, Misc. \$75.00 For a total of \$700.00. The missionary offering to go to Bro. Jerry Webb. Passed

Resolution Committee report #1 passed

Be it resolved that we give the host church a standing vote of thanks for their wonderful hospitality and the fine food prepared by the women.