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of the
EIGHTY-NINTH ANNUAL SESSION
of the
STATE LINE ASSOCIATION OF FREE WILL BAPTISTS
When Convened At
HOWARD GROVE AND MAGNOLIA
FREE WILL BAPTIST CHURCHES
October 11 & 12, 1974

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CALENDAR OF EVENTS

GENERAL THEME: "... Laborer's in the Vineyard". . ." Mathew 20:4

FIRST QUARTERLY SESSION: Corinth - Saturday, January 11, 1975

Morning Devotion: Brother Harvey Windham

Message - "Layman in the Vineyard"

Speaker: Brother Almon Calvert (Praiseman)

Afternoon Speaker: Rev. J. D. O'Donnell

SECOND QUARTERLY SESSION: First, Enterprise - Saturday, April
12, 1975

Morning Devotion: Tim Rabon

Message — "Missionary in the Vineyard"

Speaker: Rev. Lynn Miley

Afternoon Devotion: Brother James Pickett

THIRD QUARTERLY SESSION: Panther Creek - Saturday, June 28, 1975

Morning Devotion: Rev. Johnny Sexton

Message - "Senior Citizen in the Vineyard"

Speaker: Rev. Herman Hersey

Afternoon Devotion: Rev. Joe Murkerson

ANNUAL SESSION: First day - Springfield - Friday, October 10, 1975

Morning Devotion: Brother Walter Baxley

Message - "The Harvest of the Vineyard"

Speaker: Rev. Gordon Sebastian (Rev. Dale Burden)

Afternoon Devotion: Rev. Harry Ludmun

SECOND DAY - Faith - Saturday, October 11, 1975

Morning Devotion: Rev. Horace Herndon

Message - "The Harvest of the Vineyard"

Speaker: Rev. Gordon Sebastian (Rev. Dale Burden)

Afternoon Devotion: Brother Otho Dykes

OFFICERS

MODERATOR	Rev. Dean Dobbs, 1704 Landau Ct., Dothan, Ala. 36301
ASSISTANT MODERATOR	Rev. E. R. Mayo, 305 South Main St., Enterprise, Ala. 36330
CLERK	Mrs. Bobby Kennedy, Rt. 1, Ashford, Ala. 36312
ASSISTANT CLERK	Miss Ann Jones, Rt. 1, Midland City, Ala. 36350
TREASURER	Mrs. Billy Ammons, Rt. 1, Midland City, Ala. 36350

GENERAL BOARD

Moderator	Rev. Dean Dobbs
Assistant Moderator	Rev. E. R. Mayo
Clerk	Mrs. Bobby Kennedy
Treasurer	Mrs. Billy Ammons
Antioch	Rev. John Pettis
Bethel	Boyd Glover
Corinth	Joel Mallory
Cowarts Creek	James Mullis
First, Dothan	Eston Cook
First, Enterprise	Travis Dunn
First, Samson	Gordon Spear
First, Slocomb	No Name
Faith	Louie Floyd
Howard Grove	Glenn Jones
Magnolia	Robert Owens
Mims Hill	No Name
New Harmony	No Name
New Hope	Rev. Joe Murkerson
Panther Creek	Burlie Peters
Pleasant Ridge	Larry Rodgers
Shiloh	Rudolph Lanton
Springfield	Walter Baxley
Spring Hill	Don Etheridge
Union Hill	Heyward Butler
Union Springs	Maxwell Sims

STATE LINE PRESBYTERY

Rev. Aubrey Brannon - Rt. 4, Box 94, DeFuniak Springs, Fla. 32433
 Rev. Herman Calloway - 120 Donna Dr., Dothan, Ala. 36301
 Rev. Dean Dobbs - 1704 Landau Ct., Dothan, Ala. 36301
 Rev. Larry Dykes - 708 East Lafayette St., Dothan, Ala. 36301
 Rev. Gerald Fowler - Nashville, Tennessee
 Rev. W. W. Hall - 1203 Ziglar St., Dothan, Ala. 36301
 Rev. Horace Herndon Rt. 5, Dothan, Ala. 36301
 Rev. Donnie Hussey - Rt. 1, Box 550, Marianna, Fla. 32446
 Rev. David Isaac - Rt. 2, Slocomb, Ala. 36375
 Rev. Arthur Isaac - Rt. 2, Box 159, Graceville, Fla. 32440
 Rev. Thomas Kirkland - P. O. Box K, Ashford, Ala. 36312
 Rev. E. R. Mayo - 305 South Main St., Enterprise, Ala. 36330
 Rev. Joe Murkerson - 320 Lee St., Blakely, Ga. 31723
 Rev. S. E. Newberry - Rt. 5, Box 228, Quincy, Fla. 32351
 Rev. Bobby Parker- Rt. 1 Cottonwood, Ala. 36320
 Rev. Bobby Peters - Rt. 1, Slocomb, Ala. 36375
 Rev. John Pettis - Rt. 4, Graceville, Fla. 32440
 Rev. Johnny Sexton - General Delivery, Gordon, Ala. 36343
 Rev. Earl Stevens - Rt. 1, Midland City, Ala. 36350
 Rev. Madison Taylor - 809 Meridian St., Dothan, Ala. 36301
 Rev. Jim Woods - Rt. 1, Box 243-A, Hartford, Ala. 36344

LICENSED

Rev. Jack Cox - Rt. 2, Box 407 A-3, Enterprise, Ala. 36330
Rev. Bobby Early - Jackson St., Slocomb, Ala. 36375
Rev. Harry Ludlum - Samson, Ala. 36477

EXECUTIVE BOARD

CHAIRMAN - Brother Travis Dunn, 202 Barbara Ct., Dothan, Alabama 36301
Brother Glenn Jones, Brother Maxwell Sims, Brother Rudolph Lanton,
Rev. Joe Murkerson

HOME MISSION BOARD

CHAIRMAN - Brother Harold Womack, Rt. 1, Ashford, Ala. 36312 (1976)
Rev. Dean Dobbs (1975) Brother Bobby Kennedy (1977)

BOARD OF RETIREMENT AND INSURANCE

CHAIRMAN - Mrs. Bobby Peters, Rt. 1, Slocomb, Alabama 36375 (1975)
Mrs. Lurie McNeil (1976) Mrs. Sam Morris (1977)

ORDAINING COUNCIL

CHAIRMAN - Brother Lewis Mallory, Rt. 1, Ashford, Ala. 36312 (1975)
Rev. Bobby Parker (1976) Rev. Thomas Kirkland (1977)

BOARD OF CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

CHAIRMAN - Rev. Bobby Peters, Rt. 1, Slocomb, Ala. 36375 (1976)
Brother Eugene Jones (1975) Brother Jerry Dixon (1977)

YOUTH CAMP BOARD

CHAIRMAN - Brother Byron Mallory, Rt. 1, Midland City, Ala. 36350 (1975)
Mrs. Bobby Peters (1976) Mrs. Rudolph Cox (1977)

CHILDREN'S HOME TRUSTEE

Rev. Johnny Sexton - General Delivery, Gordon, Alabama 36343

GENERAL BOARD MEETING

The General Board met at Cowarts Creek Free Will Baptist Church on November 9, 1973 with 13 churches represented.

MSC to adopt this program

THEME "...Even So Send I You..." St. John 17:18

FIRST QUARTERLY SESSION: Howard Grove - Saturday, January 12, 1974

Morning Devotion: Brother Eugene Jones

Message - "Missions in the local Church (Jerusalem)"

Speaker: Rev. E. R. Mayo

Afternoon Devotion: Brother Rudolph Duke

SECOND QUARTERLY SESSION: Spring Hill - Saturday, April 13, 1974

Morning Devotion: Rev. Johnny Sexton

Message - "Missions in the District Association (Judaea)"

Speaker: Rev. Kenneth Walker

Afternoon Devotion: Rev. David Isaac

THIRD QUARTERLY SESSION: Bethel - Saturday, June 29, 1974

Morning Devotion: Brother Maxwell Sims

Message - "Missions in the State Association (Samaria)"

Speaker: Rev. Roy Thomas

Afternoon Devotion: Brother Joel Casey

ANNUAL SESSION: FIRST DAY - First, Dothan, Friday, October 11, 1974

Morning Devotion: Brother Dorman Deal

Message - "Missions in the National Association (Uttermost Part of the World)"

Speaker: Rev. Joe Ange (Henry Van Kluyve)

Afternoon Devotion: Rev. Thomas Kirkland

SECOND DAY: Magnolia, Saturday, October 12, 1974

Morning Devotion: Rev. David Williford

Message - "Missions in the National Association (Uttermost Part of the World)"

Speaker: Rev. Joe Ange (Henry Van Kluyve)

Afternoon Devotion: Rev. Bobby Early

The next item of business was to elect the Executive Board. The following were elected: Rev. Herman Calloway, Chairman, Rev. Kenneth Driggers, Rev. Thomas Kirkland, Rev. Dean Dobbs and Brother James Mullis.

The General Board was then dismissed with prayer.

**PROCEEDINGS OF THE FIRST QUARTERLY SESSION
FIRST FREE WILL BAPTIST CHURCH, DOTHAN
JANUARY 12, 1974**

The First Quarterly Session of the State Line Association met at First Church, Dothan. The Session opened with the congregation singing, "There is power in the blood". Prayer was offered by Rev. Herman Calloway.

The welcome was given by Rev. Dean Dobbs, pastor of the host church. The response was by Rev. David Williford, pastor of Union Hill Church.

The session was officially opened by the clerk.

Rev. Herman Calloway, Assistant Moderator, moderated the session. In his opening remark he said, "Pray for me as I moderate this session. I hope each one came seeking a blessing."

A call for petitionary letters was made. There were none.

The Credentials Committee was appointed as follows: Brother Dorman Deal, Rev. Larry Dykes, and Rev. Bobby Peters.

The morning devotion was given by Brother Eugene Jones, deacon of New Hope Church. His scripture was taken from Matthew 20:17. He said, "There is a great demand for laborer's in God work. Why do we stand idle."

Call for correspondence from Sister Associations: There were none.

Ministers, Deacons and Visitors were recognized. We had 16 ministers, 16 deacons and 1 visitor.

MSC to accept the Credentials Committee report and seat the delegates of the 19 churches reporting.

The Finance Committee was appointed as follows: Mrs. Billy Ammons, Chairman, Mrs. Mary Franklin, Mrs. Mary Calloway and Mrs. Vernell Crowley.

Rev. Dean Dobbs led in prayer.

After a short recess the session resumed with the congregation singing, "Send the Light".

MSC that the offering go to the Alabama State Home Mission Board for state mission work. Travis Dunn prayed the offertory prayer.

Just before the morning message the State Line Youth Choir sung several songs.

The morning message was brought by Rev. E. R. Mayo, pastor of the First Free Will Baptist Mission, Enterprise, Alabama. His scripture was taken from Luke 7:42. He said, "Love is the greatest commandment. We must have love in our churches. We must pay our debt of sin. Just ask and God forgives."

We were then dismissed for the noon hour. Prayer was by Van Clements, Jr.

The afternoon session opened with the congregation singing, "He brought me out."

The afternoon devotion was brought by Rev. Herman Calloway. His scripture was taken from Matthew 20:28. He said, "We are to be a faithful minister to the

lost. We are to minister to the lost not ourselves."

MSC to accept the report of the Ordaining Council.

MSC to accept the report of the Home Mission Board.

MSC to accept the report of the Board of Christian Education.

MSC to accept the report of the Board of Retirement and Insurance.

MSC to accept the report of the Finance Committee.

MSC to accept the Treasurer's report.

MSC to accept the report of the Youth Camp Board.

MSC to accept the report of the Registration Committee.

MSC to give the host church a rising vote of thanks for their hospitality.

MSC to adjourn.

We were dismissed with prayer by Rev. E. R. Mayo.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE SECOND QUARTERLY SESSION SPRING HILL FREE WILL BAPTIST CHURCH APRIL 13, 1974

The Second Quarterly Session of the State Line Association met at Spring Hill Free Will Baptist Church. The session opened with congregational singing. Prayer was offered by Rev. David Isaac.

The welcome was given by Rev. Johnny Sexon, Pastor of Spring Hill Church.

The response was by Rev. Jack Cox.

The session was officially opened by the Clerk.

In his opening remarks the moderator said, "Praise the Lord for your attendance. We are looking forward to a wonderful day."

A call for petitionary letters was made. There were none.

The Credential's Committee was appointed as follows: Rev. Bobby Parker, Chairman, Rev. Jack Cox and Rev. David Isaac.

The morning devotion was given by Rev. Johnny Sexton. His scripture was taken from St. John 17:18. He said, "A man that has been called to preach may have to leave his business, house, and family. Remember we can do all things thru Christ which strengtheneth us."

Call for correspondence from sister associations. Rev. Bobby Register, from Liberty Association.

Ministers, Deacons and Visitors were recognized. We had 24 Ministers, 14 Deacons and 2 Visitors.

MSC to accept the partial report of the Credential's Committee and seat the delegates of the 19 churches reporting.

The Finance Committee was appointed as follows: Mrs. Billy Ammons, Chairman, Mrs. S. E. Newberry and Mrs. David Isaac.

After a short recess the session resumed with congregational singing. Prayer was by Rev. Thomas Kirkland.

MSC that the offering be given to the Mobile Mission. Rev. John Pettis prayed the offertory prayer.

Before the morning message Rev. and Mrs. Kenneth Driggers sang, "Ten Thousand Years".

The morning message was brought by Rev. Kenneth Walker, Missionary to Mobile, Alabama. His scripture was taken from Acts 1:8. He said, "In Acts 1:8 I see Power, Price and Prize. The Power is the Holy Spirit. There is a Price to pay

if you are to be an effective witness for Christ. The Prize is souls won."

Rev. Earl Stevens dismissed the session with prayer for the noon hour.

The afternoon session resumed with congregational singing. Prayer was by Rev. David Williford.

The afternoon devotion was brought by Rev. David Isaac. Brother Isaac used a poem he had written as a basis for his devotion.

"CHURCH ASLEEP"

The Church is falling asleep, asleep,

Who will awake her so she can reap.

Her ears are getting dull

Her eyes are getting dim,

The Lord keeps calling gently,

but she hearkens not to Him.

Who will sound the trumpet,

who will cry aloud,

as the thunder from a cloud,

and wake her from her slumber

Yet she dreams of promised cherished,

but while she sleeps poor souls have perished.

Who will wake her so she might share,

Salvation through Christ and the glory up there.

CHURCH AWAKE, so imprisoned souls can see

the glorious light and come to thee.

For if the church was wide awake,

She could mount upon the wings of faith,

and soar to lands both far and near,

to spread the gospel, the gospel people need to hear.

But the church is falling asleep, asleep,

who will wake her so she can reap.

MSC to accept the report of the Home Mission Board .

MSC to accept the report of the Board of Christian Education.

MSC to accept the report of the Board of Retirement and Insurance.

MSC to accept the report of the Finance Committee.

MSC to accept the report of the Treasurer.

MSC to accept the report of the Ordaining Council.

MSC to accept the report of the Youth Camp Board.

MSC to accept the report of the Registration Committee.

We then entered into miscellaneous business. MSC to give the host church a rising vote of thanks for their hospitality.

MSC to adjourn.

We were dismissed by Rev. Aubrey Brannon.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE THIRD QUARTERLY SESSION BETHEL FREE WILL BAPTIST CHURCH

JUNE 29, 1974

The Third Quarterly Session of the State Line Association met at Bethel Free Will Baptist Church. The session opened with congregational singing. Prayer was offered by Rev. Herman Calloway.

The Welcome was given by Rev. Bobby Peters, Pastor of the host church.

The Response was by Rev. Kenneth Driggers, Pastor of the Corinth Church.

The Session was officially opened by the Clerk.

In his opening remarks the Moderator said, "We praise the Lord for you coming today to worship God and carry on his business."

A call for petitionary letters was made. There were none.

The Credential's Committee was appointed as follows: Rev. Thomas Kirkland, Chairman, Rev. Herman Calloway and Rev. S. E. Newberry.

The morning devotion was given by Brother Maxwell Sims, Deacon of Union Springs Church. His scripture was taken from St. Luke 12:16-21. He said, "When you leave God out of your life you have missed the most important thing in life. We usually say give me Lord instead of thank you Lord."

Call for correspondence from Sister Associations. There were none.

Minister, Deacons and Visitors were recognized. We had 18 Ministers, 10 Deacons and 2 Visitors.

The Finance Committee was appointed as follows: Mrs. Billy Ammons, Chairman, Mrs. Rodney Fowler and Miss Loretta Long.

After a short recess the session resumed with congregational singing.

MSC that the morning offering be given to the National Home Missions Department.

Before the morning message Rev. and Mrs. Roy Thomas, from Nashville, Tennessee sang three special musical numbers.

The morning message was brought by Rev. Roy Thomas, Associate Director of the National Home Missions Department in Nashville, Tennessee. His scripture was taken from Joshua 13:1&2. He said, "We need to possess the land for God. We are to possess the cities, states, United States and other Countries. If we don't win the United States we are going to take the rest of the world to hell with us. The population and crime rate tell us time is running out. What can we do? We can go, pray and give."

Rev. Jack Cox dismissed the session with prayer for the noon hour.

The afternoon session resumed with no congregational singing. Prayer was by Rev. Aubrey Brannon.

The afternoon devotion was brought by Brother Joel Casey, Deacon of Corinth Church. His scripture was taken from Genesis 3:4. He said, "if we go to hell it will be our own doing. Prayer and love will defeat the devil every time."

The following committees were appointed to bring reports to the Annual Session:

Obituary....Springfield

Auxiliary....Spring Hill

Registration....Howard Grove

Suggestion....Magnolia

Temperance....First, Enterprise

Placement....Corinth

Nominating....Rev. Bobby Peters, Chairman, Maxwell Sims, Billy Ammons

MSC to accept the Home Mission Board's report.
MSC to accept the Board of Christian Education and Insurance's report.
MSC to accept the Finance Committee's report.
MSC to accept the Treasurer's report.
MSC to accept the Ordaining Council's report.
MSC to accept the Youth Camp Board's report.
MSC to accept the Registration Committee's report.
MSC to adjourn.
We were dismissed by Rev. David Isaac.

**PROCEEDINGS OF THE EIGHTY-NINTH
ANNUAL SESSION
HOWARD GROVE FREE WILL BAPTIST CHURCH
OCTOBER 11, 1974**

The Eighty-Ninth Annual Session of the State Line Association opened with the congregation singing, "I Love to Tell the Story". Rev. Davis Isaac led in prayer. The congregation then sung, "When I See the Blood".

The welcome was given by Rev. Bobby Parker, Pastor of the host church.

The response was given by Brother Eugene Jones.

The session was then officially opened by the Clerk, and then the Moderator gave some opening remarks. He said, "it is a pleasure to have you with us today." He also read Psalms 9:1&2.

There was a call for petitionary letters. There were none.

The Credentials Committee was appointed as follows: Rev. E. R. Mayo, Chairman, Rev. David Isaac and Rev. Johnny Sexton.

The morning devotion was given by Rev. Dean Dobbs, Pastor of the First Free Will Baptist Church in Dothan, Ala. His scripture was taken from Matthew chapter 28. He said, "here are four all's we need to remember. (1) Christ has All power. (2) Teach ALL nations. (3) Tell them ALL things. (4) Lo I am with you ALWAYS."

The congregation then sung, "The old account was settled".

Ministers, Deacons, and Visitors were then recognized. We had 19 Ministers, 7 Deacons, and 2 Visitors.

MSC to accept the Credentials Committee report and seat the delegates from the 21 churches reporting.

A Finance Committee was appointed as follows: Mrs. Billy Ammons, Chairman, Mrs. Lurie McNeil, and Mrs. Rudolph Cox.

After a short recess the session resumed with the congregation singing, "Victory in Jesus". Rev. Bill George led in prayer. The congregation then sung, "I would not be denied", and "Amazing Grace".

The offering was then taken and was designated to go to the Children's Home.

Just before the morning message Mrs. David Williford sung, "No one ever cared for me like Jesus".

The morning message was brought by Dr. Joe Ange, from Nashville, Tennessee. His scripture was taken from Nehemiah 1:1&2. He said, "I want you to see missions as seen in Nehemiah. Nisan said, (1) send me, (2) secure me, (3) supply me."

We were then dismissed for lunch by Rev. Thomas Kirkland.

The afternoon session resumed with the congregation singing, "Must Jesus bear the Cross Alone". Rev. E. R. Mayo led in prayer. The congregation then sung, "Higher Ground".

The afternoon devotion was given by Rev. Thomas Kirkland. His scripture was taken from Psalms 107:2. He said, "God's compassion is so great that he wants all men saved and calls upon the heart of all men."

The following delegates were appointed to attend the State Association: Mrs. Bobby Kennedy, Mrs. Lewis Mallory, Mrs. Herman Calloway, Mrs. Bobby Peters, Mrs. Bobby Parker, Mrs. Johnny Sexton, and Mr. Travis Dunn.

These delegates were appointed to attend Southeastern Association: Mrs. Rudolph Cox and Mrs. Willie Mae Barfield.

MSC to accept the report of the Board of Christian Education.

MSC to accept the report of the Youth Camp Board.

MSC to accept the report of the Registration Committee.

MSC to give Howard Grove Church a rising vote of thanks for their hospitality.

We were then dismissed with prayer by Rev. Bobby Peters.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE EIGHTY-NINTH ANNUAL SESSION MAGNOLIA FREE WILL BAPTIST CHURCH OCTOBER 12, 1974

The second day of the Annual Session of the State Line Association met at Magnolia Church. The meeting opened with the congregation singing, "Victory in Jesus". Rev. Aubrey Brannon led in prayer. The congregation then sung, "When the roll is called up Yonder".

The welcome was given by Rev. Horace Herndon, pastor of the host church.

The response was given by Brother Harold Womack.

The morning devotion was given by Rev. Donnie Hussey. His scripture was taken from St. John 4:35. He said, "We must make personal contacts if our churches are to grow".

Ministers, Deacons and Visitors were recognized. We had 22 Ministers, 19 Deacons, and 2 Visitors.

Call for petitionary letters. There were none.

MSC to accept the report of the Auxiliary Committee.

MSC to accept the report of the Placement Committee.

MSC to accept the report of the Suggestions Committee.

MSC to accept the report of the Temperance Committee.

After a short recess the session resumed with the congregation singing, "I feel like Traveling On".

The offering was taken and was designated to go to the Bible College. The offertory prayer was given by Rev. Horace Herndon.

The congregation then sung, "Sunlight".

Just before the morning message Rev. Calloway and Mrs. Joiner sung, "I cannot find the way alone".

The morning message was brought by Dr. Joe Ange. He preached on, "God Calls, and used several scriptures. He said, "God calls us to, (1) salvation, (2) discipleship, (3) preach."

We were then dismissed for the noon hour by Rev. Herman Calloway.

The afternoon session resumed with the congregation singing. "He keeps me Singing". Rev. Johnny Sexton led in prayer.

The afternoon devotion was brought by Rev. Bobby Early. His scripture was taken from St. Luke 5:4. He said, "Let us win the lost".

MSC to accept the report of the Home Mission Board.

MSC to accept the report of the Board of Retirement and Insurance.

MSC to accept the report of the Ordaining Council.

MSC to accept the names of the Nominating Committee submitted as the new officers for the coming year.

MSC to accept the report of the Obituary Committee. Rev. Thomas Kirkland the names of the 16 members of the various churches that had passed away since the last annual session. Brother Kirkland then read Revelation 21:1-4. We had a moment of silent prayer in memory of those members that had passed away with Rev. Kirkland concluding the prayer.

MSC to accept the report of the Treasurer.

MSC to accept the report of the Finance Committee.

MSC to accept the report of the Registration Committee.

MSC to give Rev. John Pettis a rising vote of thanks for the wonderful job he had done as Moderator for the past three years.

MSC to give Magnolia Church a rising vote of thanks for their hospitality.

MSC to adjourn.

After announcements we were dismissed in prayer by Bobby Kennedy.

WOMEN'S AUXILIARY CONVENTION

The State Line Woman's Auxiliary Convention convened Saturday, February 2, 1974 at New Hope Church. The theme for the day being, "Filled to Overflow."

Miss Ann Jones led the Convention in song. With prayer by Mrs. Johnnie Parsons.

Mrs. Niria Ammons from the host church gave the Welcome. With Mrs. Bobby Howell giving the Response.

The President appointed Mrs. Lewis Mallory Chairman, Mrs. Thelma Snell and Mrs. Annette Weed as the Credentials Committee.

Mrs. Bobby Parker gave the morning devotion.

The Credentials Committee gave the following report: Seven churches reporting with dues and membership. First Church, Dothan, Cowarts Creek, Union Hill, New Hope, Howard Grove, Springfield, and Faith. Five churches petitioned. Panter Creek, Magnolia, Shiloh, Corinth, and First Church, Enterprise. MSC to accept the committees report.

The pastor's, visitors, and Auxiliaries were recognized. Two pastor's were present.

The following committees were appointed:

FINANCE Mary Edna Cook, Chairman, Mary Calloway, Mrs. Elsie Morris

SUGGESTION Ann Jones, Chairman, Annette Tomlinson, Mrs. Horace Herndon

REGISTRATION Host Church

NOMINATING Mrs. Barbara Kirkland, Chairman, Mrs. Loretta Culpepper, Mrs. Pam Driggers.

The Convention then sang another hymn.

The host church then gave a skit, "Put on the Whole Armour of God." We were then dismissed for recess.

The morning worship began with group singing. Brother Herman Calloway led

in prayer. The morning offering was then received.
Special music was by five women from the First Church, Dothan: Mrs. Annette Weed, Mrs. Lynn Seymour, Mrs. Dean Dobbs, Mrs. Betty Deal and Mrs. Mada Anderson.
Mrs. Annette Tomlinson., from the Enterprise Church, brought the morning message.
We were then dismissed for the noon meal.
The afternoon session beginning with congregational singing. Mrs. E. R. Mayo led in prayer.
Mrs. Phyllis Parker, from the Howard Grove Church, sang a special song, "Fill My Cup."
Mrs. Pam Driggers brought the afternoon devotion.

REPORT ON COMMITTEES

FINANCE

Balance Brought Forward from last Convention,	\$ 210.33
Designated offerings Received	914.72
Balance left from food fund State W. A. Convention.	6.05
1973 Convention dues	
Total to account for	\$1,344.85
Convention offering	37.28
	<u>\$1,382.13</u>

DISBURSEMENTS

Designated offerings	\$ 914.72
1972 State Line Dues	100.00
1973 Convention Speaker	25.00
Printing Minutes	10.00
Film (District Workshop Union Hill)	11.73
	<u>\$1,061.45</u>

\$1,382.13
1,061.45
320.68 Balance in Treasure

FINANCE COMMITTEE REPORT — 1974

We your Finance Committee make the following report:

Cash in Treasure	\$283.40
	<u>37.28</u>
	\$320.68

We recommend the following expenditures:

\$171.00 State Convention dues
40.00 Enterprise Mission
<u>15.00 Printing Minutes</u>
\$226.00
\$320.68
<u>226.00</u>
\$ 94.68 Balance for General Fund

SUGGESTION

That each Auxiliary strive to raise \$100.00 or as much as possible as a mission project for the coming Convention year. MSC

REGISTRATION

28 delegates
40 visitors
2 ministers
70 Present

NOMINATING

President	Mrs. Bobby Kennedy
Vice President	Mrs. Bobby Parker
Secretary	Mrs. Lewis Mallory
Treasurer	Miss Ann Jones
Mission Prayer	Mrs. Frank Tomlinson
Mission Action.	Mrs. Bobby Howell
Mission Study	Mrs. Sam Morris
Historian	Mrs. Billy Ammons
Field Worker	Mrs. Rudolph Cox

REPORT OF CHAIRMANS

MISSION PRAYER	Pre-Easter	5
	Pre-Thanksgiving	5
	National Home Missions	<u>3</u>
		13 Total

MISSION STUDY

Study Courses	5
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MISSION ACTION

Held a workshop at Union Hill Church. Had a shower for the Provision Closet. A total of 30 bedspreads were received.

FIELD WORKER

Helped organize one Auxiliary

Appointed 12 delegates to the State Woman's Auxiliary Convention and 6 alts. Mrs. Lewis Mallory, Mrs. Kenneth Driggers, Mrs. Bobby Parker, Mrs. Byron Mallory, Mrs. J. C. Temple, Mrs. Bobby Howell, Mrs. Frank Tomlinson, Mrs. Sara Wells, Mrs. Earl Culpepper, Mrs. Junior Cook, Mrs. Elsie Morris, Mrs. Van Clements.

Alts: Mrs. Willie Mae Barfield, Mrs. Thelma Snell, Mrs. Johnnie Parsons, Miss Mildred Snell, Mrs. D. D. Vaughn, Mrs. Lucy Everette.

Mrs. Martha Clements installed the new officers.

Announcements were then made. Mrs. Willie Mae Barfield dismissed the 1974

convention is prayer.

Mrs. Bobby Kennedy, President
Mrs. Lewis Mallory, Secretary

BOARD OF CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

FIRST QUARTERLY SESSION: We your Board of Christian Education make the following report: Following the December lay off we plan now to continue the monthly rallies beginning next Saturday night at Springfield Church. We wish all our churches would come be a part of these rallies. Anyway we can help with starting a grade program, C. T. S. program or any other way please contact ythe Board. We have had good response to the skating socials, as long as the attendance continues to be good we plan to continue reserving the Rink each month. Plans are now underway for our youth revival, this year we hope to have a week in June so please wait until we know for sure before you plan something at your church in June. We have bought robes for our youth choir at a cost of just over \$1,000. We believe the choir to be one of the best thing's we've done for the teens of our Association. We said in the beginning that a choir would be expensive. They have been to quite a few of our churches for revival services, they have attended one church outside our Association in which they had a Sunday night service where God moved on hearts and they were richly blessed for their efforts. Plans are now to go to the Alabama State Youth Rally in Montgomery next Friday and Saturday where they are a part of the program both days. Plans are also being made for a trip to the Birmingham area in the spring for a Friday and Saturday night and a Sunday morning service. We hope you remember the choir in your prayers, and also in your plans for your coming revivials, or any special service you might like to have the choir in your church. We would perfer no service on Sunday, as this takes them away from their churches. We would also like to ask for permission to check into the possibility of buying a bus to use for choir transportation. As more of our churches are starting bus ministries this bus could also serve as a spare in case of break downs.

Respectfully submitted,

Rev. Bobby Peters
Eugene Jones
Gene Weed

SECOND QUARTERLY SESSION: We your Board of Christian Education make the following report: Plans are being made for our Youth Revival. Rev. Tim Young, from Memphis, Tennessee, will be the evangelist. The week of June 9 thru 15 will be the time for the revival if all goes well. We would like for all pastors to remember this week and not plan anything at your church during this time. We are planning to begin this year on Sunday night and would like for all churches to have their worship service on this Sunday night with the First Free Will Baptist Church of Dothan, which will host the youth revival on Sunday night,

June 9. We expect this to be the biggest night of the revival, so please make plans to come at 7:30. We would like to encourage you to begin praying for the revival now that God might do a wonderful work among our people during this week. Since our last meeting we have purchased a bus for transporting the Youth Choir. We are making this bus available for any church to use on special days. Churches with bus ministries will have first choice in case of breakdown of their bus for the purpose of running their route. Arrangements can be made to use this bus by contacting Brother Eugene Jones, Phone 795-3363 Echo, Alabama. We will ask that any church using the bus pay 15 cents per mile and furnish gas. We will be glad to answer any questions you may have about the bus.

Respectfully submitted,
Gene Weed
Eugene Jones
Bobby Ned Peters

THIRD QUARTERLY SESSION: We, your Board of Christian Education make the following report; June 9-15 we sponsored our Youth Revival, Brother Tim Young from Memphis, Tennessee was the Evangelist. We have very good support. Attendance was as follows Sunday-357, Monday-125, Tuesday-83, Wednesday-171, Thursday-125, Friday-78, Saturday-125, for an average of 152. 549 different people attended. Most important of all we had 2 first time decisions and 9 rededications. Bad news is that we had 7 churches that was not represented at all. Good news is that we had 8 churches that were represented every night.

August 10th, we are planning to have a picnic at Fort Rucker. The Air Museum will be opened at 9:00 A. M., then lunch at the lake, each church will need to bring enough sandwiches, drinks, and drinking water for the people from your church. After lunch we plan to have some games, with a prize for the best volleyball team.

We will continue to have our fellowship rallies each month continuing next on July 20th at Panther Creek.

We would also like to ask for \$1,000 additional budget for the remaining quarter of this year.

Respectfully submitted,
Rev. Bobby Ned Peters
Gene Weed
Eugene Jones

ANNUAL SESSION: We your Board of Christian Education make the following report: We have in the past year seen the Lord work through the efforts put forth by those involved in our Youth Choir. We now have a request that you help us pray that God will send us a replacement for our director. We believe that God has someone He can use in this way so please remember the Choir in your prayers.

Plans are to continue with the same program that we have been sponsoring for the coming year. We ask for a budget of \$3,000.00 for the coming year.

Respectfully submitted,
Rev. Bobby Peters
Eugene Jones
Gene Weed

BOARD OF RETIREMENT AND INSURANCE

FIRST QUARTERLY SESSION: We the Board of Retirement and Insurance make the following report: We gave \$25. 00 each to Mrs. Addie Hyman, Mrs. Ruby Nobles, Rev. Madison Taylor and Rev. W. W. Hall for the months of September, October, November. We spent \$6,30 for flowers for Mrs. Hyman.

Respectfully submitted,
Eunice Jones
Pam Driggers
Jackie Peters

SECOND QUARTERLY SESSION: We the Board of Retirement and Insurance make the following report: During the past quarter we sent a total of \$300.00 to Mrs. Hyman, Mrs. Nobles, Rev. W. W. Hall and Rev. Madison Taylor for donations.

Respectfully submitted,
Eunice Jones
Pam Driggers
Jackie Peters

THIRD QUARTERLY SESSION: We the Board of Retirement and Insurance make the following report: We gave Mrs. Addie Hyman, Mrs. Ruby Nobles, Rev. Madison Taylor and Rev. W. W. Hall \$75.00 each for the months of March, April and May, making a total of \$300.00 disbursed this quarter.

Respectfully submitted,
Eunice Jones
Pam Driggers
Jackie Peters

ANNUAL SESSION: We the Board of Retirement and Insurance make the following report: We gave \$25.00 a month for June, July and August to Mrs. Hyman, Mrs. Nobles, Rev. Taylor and Rev. Hall. This si a total of \$75.00 each and a total spent of \$300.00 for the quarter. We ask for a budget of \$4,000.00 for the coming year.

Respectfully submitted,
Eunice Jones
Jackie Peters
Pam Driggers

HOME MISSION BOARD

FIRST QUARTERLY SESSION: We the Home Mission Board make the following report: We spent \$600.00 to the State Home Mission Board for October, November and December toward the support of the Mission in Enterprise, Alabama. The Mission is doing real good. They had 61 last Sunday in Sunday School and 63 in Morning Worship with a \$1,000 offering

Respectfully submitted,
Bobby Kennedy
Rev. Dean Dobbs
Harold Womack

SECOND QUARTERLY SESSION: We the Home Mission Board make the following report: We are still giving \$200.00 toward the support of the Enterprise work. We are not receiving enough to continue this support. We are asking each church to send \$10.00 extra per month to be used for this purpose.

Respectfully submitted,
Bobby Kennedy
Rev. Dean Dobbs
Harold Womack

THIRD QUARTERLY SESSION: We the Home Mission Board make the following report: We are still supporting the Enterprise work in the amount of \$200.00 per month. The Mission now has 46 members and averaged 54 in Sunday School last quarter. We feel the work is progressing real good. We ask that you pray for this work.

Respectfully submitted,
Bobby Kennedy
Rev. Dean Dobbs
Harold Womack

ANNUAL SESSION: We the Home Mission Board make the following report: We supported the work in Enterprise, Alabama this past year and also supported other mission work in Alabama through the Alabama State Mission Board.

Enterprise received 47 members this year, averaged 50 in Sunday School, and received \$12,796.73.

We ask for a budget of \$3,000.00 for the coming year.

Respectfully submitted,
Bobby Kennedy
Rev. Dean Dobbs
Harold Womack

YOUTH CAMP BOARD

FIRST QUARTERLY SESSION: We the Youth Camp Board report that we have not received conformation on the date for camp. The date will be the same. Bids on the school buildings have not been issued and we cannot submit a bid.

Respectfully submitted,
Rev. Kenneth Driggers
Geraldine Cox
Byron Mallory

SECOND QUARTERLY SESSION: We the Youth Camp Board have looked for suitable camp and have failed to find one. All the camps that are suitable have already been taken. We thought we had found a camp back in January but there was a misunderstanding.

Respectfully submitted,
Rev. Kenneth Driggers
Geraldine Cox
Byron Mallory

THIRD QUARTERLY SESSION: We your Youth Camp Board have found a place to host our youth camp this year. The camp will be at Camp Mt. Bethel at Ashburn, Ga., Georgia State Youth Camp. I called this morning and the camp manager stated he was glad we would be able to come. The camp has a lake and other facilities. We have also contacted for a camp next year down at Bonifay, Fla. This camp will be ready next year. We have already put our name in for a week of camp. We ask that all our churches please support this camp. We have had a struggle in securing a place for our youth camp. I hope that each pastor will encourage your young people to attend this camp.

Respectfully submitted,
Rev. Kenneth Driggers
Geraldine Cox
Byron Mallory

ANNUAL SESSION: We your Youth Camp Board makes the following report: The Board has investigated camps for 1975 and we plan to have a week at Bonifay, Florida. We will have a week set by January. We ask for a budget of \$3,000.00 for the coming year.

Respectfully submitted,
Geraldine Cox
Byron Mallory
Rev. Kenneth Driggers

ORDAINING COUNCIL

FIRST QUARTERLY SESSION: The Ordaining Council met and makes the following recommendations: (1) that Rev. Johnny Sexton, coming from Jasper Association, be accepted into our fellowship (2) that Rev. Thomas Kirkland, coming from Southeastern Association, be accepted into our fellowship.

The Ordaining Council met October 13, 1973 at Faith Church and examined and Ordain William Ash and Wayne Taylor as deacons of Faith Free Will Baptist Church.

Respectfully submitted,
Lewis Mallory
Rev. Bobby Parker
Rev. S. E. Newberry

SECOND QUARTERLY SESSION: The Ordaining Council met and makes the following recommendations: (1) that Rev. David Isaac be accepted into our fellowship, coming from the West Florida Association. (2) that Rev. Joe Murkerson be accepted into our fellowship, come the Midway Association of Ga. Association of Ga.

(3) that we extend the license to preach to Brother Jack Cox for 1 more year.

(4) that we give a certificate of Ordination for the office of Deacon to Brother Billy Ammons of the New Hope Church. He was ordained in 1950 but didn't receive a certificate.

Respectfully submitted,
Lewis Mallory
Rev. S. E. Newberry
Rev. Bobby Parker

THIRD QUARTERLY SESSION: We, the Ordaining Council, met with the Union Hill Free Will Baptist Church of Slocumb, Alabama to ordain Rev. David Williford into the ministry.

Respectfully submitted,
Rev. S. E. Newberry
Lewis Mallory
Rev. Bobby Parker

ANNUAL SESSION: We the Ordaining Council make the following report: On July 7, 1974, the Ordaining Council examined and ordained Brother Hubert Glover as Deacon of Bethel Church.

On August 24, 1974, the Ordaining Council examined and ordained Brother Janatious Paul as Deacon of Samson Church. Also licensed Harry Ludlum to preach the gospel.

On September 1, 1974, the Ordaining Council met and approved Wayne Love, Anzel Granger, Buddy Branton, David Johnson and Don Hall as Deacons of Howard Grove Church.

A letter of recommendation from the Salem Association and a letter of request from Cowarts Creek Church has been received and approved on Rev. Donnie

Hussey and the Board recommends that we received him into our fellowship as an ordained minister.

Cards of good standing are being issued to the following ministers: Rev. Earl Stevens, Rev. Larry Dykes, Rev. Bobby Peters, Rev. Herman Calloway, Rev. E. R. Mayo, Rev. Aubrey Brannon, Rev. S. E. Newberry, Rev. Johnny Sexton, Rev. Joe Murkerson, Rev. David Isaac, Rev. Bobby Parker, Rev. Dean Dobbs, Rev. Donnie Hussey, Rev. Thomas Kirkland, Rev. Horace Herndon, Rev. John Pettis, Rev. W. W. Hall, Rev. Madison Taylor and Rev. Jim Woods.

We recommend that a letter of good standing be sent to the Salem Association for Rev. David Williford.

We received a letter requesting that Brother Bobby Early be ordained at this annual session. Before this can be done the Ordaining Council must look into this matter. We recommend that his license's be extended until this matter is cleared up.

Respectfully submitted,
Lewis Mallory
Rev. Bobby Parker
Rev. S. E. Newberry

SUGGESTION COMMITTEE

We your Suggestion Committee make the following report:

- (1) We suggest that the Association put forth a special effort to use and encourage the young people in service for Christ.
- (2) We suggest that the Association have a youth revival and let the youth of the churches be in charge.
- (3) We suggest that Pastor's, Deacon's, C. T. S. Directors, and Sunday School Superintendents make a greater effort to attend our youth rallies.

Respectfully submitted,
Magnolia Church

AUXILIARY COMMITTEE

We your Auxiliary Committee make the following report:

	Membership	Average Attendance
Number of Chruches Reporting . . . 21	2,846	
Number of Sunday Schools Reporting 20	1,569	1,349
Number of C. T. S. Reporting. . . 18	897	741
Number of Woman's Auxiliary . . . 15	237	150
Number of Master's Men 3	37	26
Number of Prayer Meetings 18		483

Respectfully submitted,
Spring Hill Church

PLACEMENT COMMITTEE

We your Placement Committee make the following report:

First Quarterly Session	Corinth
Second Quarterly Session	First, Enterprise
Third Quarterly Session	Panther Creek
Annual Session - First Day	Springfield
Annual Session - Second Day	Faith

Respectfully submitted,
Corinth Church

NOMINATING COMMITTEE

We your Nominating Committee make the following report:

Moderator	Rev. Dean Dobbs
Assistant Moderator	Rev. E. R. Mayo
Clerk	Mrs. Bobby Kennedy
Assistant Clerk	Miss Ann Jones
Treasurer	Mrs. Billy Ammons
Home Mission Board	Brother Bobby Kennedy
Board of Retirement and Insurance	Mrs. Sam Morris (3 yr. term)
	Mrs. Lurie McNeil (2 yr. term)
Ordaining Council	Rev. Thomas Kirkland
Board of Christian Education	Brother Jerry Dixon
Youth Camp Board	Mrs. Rudolph Cox (3 yr. term)
	Mrs. Bobby Peters (2 yr. term)
Children's Home Trustee	Rev. Johnny Sexton

Respectfully submitted,
Rev. Bobby Peters
Maxwell Sims
Billy Ammons

OBITUARY COMMITTEE

We the Obituary Committee make the following report: We have had 16 deceased members since our last Annual Session:

Corinth	Mrs. Hettie Roberts
First, Dothan.	Howard Blackmon
	Alice Cherry
Howard Grove	Lawson Gaylord
	H. A. Dickerson
	Albert Duke
	John Thomas Rodgers
New Harmony	Wyatt Pynes
	Lee Deese
Shiloh	Sterling Lanton
Springfield	Elisha Dickerson
	Genie Nobles

Spring Hill	Roy Jordon
Union Springs	Jim Applin
	Fannie Cook
Union Hill	A. T. Moss

Respectfully submitted,
 Springfield Church

TEMPERANCE COMMITTEE

We the Temperance Committee make the following report: “And every man that striveth for the mastery is temperate in all things. Now they do it to obtain a corruptible crown; but we an incorruptible.” I Corinthians 9:25. “And take heed to yourselves, lest at any time your hearts be overcharged with surfeiting, and drunkenness, and cares of this life, and so that day come upon you unawares.” Luke 21:34. We as Christians should abstain from (1) alcohol, (2) unprescribed drugs, (3) unfit literature, and (4) certain T. V. programs such as Maude, Mash, All in the Family, the Tonight Show and soap box operas.

Respectfully submitted,
 First Church, Enterprise

REGISTRATION COMMITTEE

FIRST QUARTERLY SESSION: We the Registration Committee make the following report:

Ministers	16
Deacons	16
Delegates	76
Visitors	73
Total	181

Respectfully submitted,
 Cowarts Creek Church

SECOND QUARTERLY SESSION: We the Registration Committee make the following report:

Ministers	24
Deacons	14
Delegates	62
Visitors	52
Total	152

Respectfully submitted,
 Cowarts Creek Church

THIRD QUARTERLY SESSION: We the Registration Committee make the

following report:

Ministers	18
Deacons	10
Delegates	57
Visitors	47
Total	132

Respectfully submitted
Cowarts Creek Church

ANNUAL SESSION: We the Registration Committee make the following report: First Day

Ministers	19
Deacons	7
Delegates	70
Visitors	42
Total	138

Second Day

Ministers	22
Deacons	19
Delegates	59
Visitors	28
Total	128

Respectfully submitted,
Howard Grove Church

FINANCE COMMITTEE

FIRST QUARTERLY SESSION: We your Finance Committee make the following report:

From the Churches	\$3,029.78
Rally offering for October	50.00
Rally offering for November	63.45
Bonds (Board of Christian Education)	569.00
Offering (State Home Missions)	<u>83.35</u>
Total	\$3,795.58

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. Billy Ammons
Mrs. Mary Franklin
Mrs. Mary Calloway
Mrs. Vernell Crowley

SECOND QUARTERLY SESSION: We your Finance Committee make the following report:

From the Churches	\$3,585.46
Offering (Mobile Mission)	76.04
February Rally Offering	45.71
March Rally Offering	89.94
District Woman's Auxiliary (Minutes)	<u>10.00</u>
Total	\$3,807.15

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. Billy Ammons
Mrs. David Isaac
Mrs. S. E. Newberry

THIRD QUARTERLY SESSION: We your Finance Committee make the following report.

From the Churches	\$3,662.12
Offering (Home Missions)	67.60
May Rally Offering	51.91
Youth Revival Offering	<u>230.70</u>
Total	\$4,012.33

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. Billy Ammons
Miss Loretta Long
Mrs. Rodney Fowler

ANNUAL SESSION: We your Finance Committee make the following report:

From the Churches	\$3,221.31
Offering (Children's Home)	87.13
Offering (Bible College)	71.89
Board of Christian Education (donations)	58.00
July Rally Offering	40.85
Woman's Auxiliary (printing of minutes)	<u>15.00</u>
Total	\$3,494.18

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. Billy Ammons
Mrs. Lurie McNeil
Mrs. Rudolph Cox

COOPERATIVE PLAN

Cooperative plan of Support:

1. Alabama Cooperative Plan	20%
2. Local Board of Retirement and Insurance	15%
3. Local Home Mission Board	20%
4. Local Board of Christian Education	20%
5. Youth Camp Board	10%
6. General Fund	15%
Total	100%

STATE LINE ASSOCIATION OF FREE WILL BAPTISTS
TREASURER'S REPORT FOR 1973 - 74

Balance on hand September 1, 1973 \$4,288.59

RECEIPTS FROM THE CHURCHES

1.	Antioch	\$ 60.00
2.	Bethel	180.63
3.	Corinth	800.32
4.	Cowarts Creek	797.84
5.	First Church, Dothan	3,261.00
6.	First Church, Enterprise	690.57
7.	First Church, Samson	353.47
8.	First Church, Slocumb	40.00
9.	Faith	1,854.45
10.	Howard Grove	2,087.38
11.	Magnolia	228.72
12.	Mims Hill	60.00
13.	New Harmony	15.00
14.	New Hope	648.06
15.	Panther Creek	237.45
16.	Pleasant Ridge	20.00
17.	Shiloh	40.00
18.	Springfield	526.88
19.	Spring Hill	357.89
20.	Union Hill	809.00
21.	Union Springs	125.74
22.	Rally Offerings	343.84
23.	Revival Offerings	469.55
24.	District Woman's Auxiliary (printing minutes)	10.00
25.	Bonds cashed for Board of Christian Education	569.00
26.	Refunds & Offerings for Board of Christian Education	360.52
27.	Association Offerings	372.80
Total Receipts		\$15,320.11

Total to account for \$19,608.70

DISBURSEMENTS

Local Home Missions	\$2,661.45
Local Board of Christian Education	3,537.16
Local Board of Retirement and Insurance	1,206.30
Alabama Cooperative Plan	3,388.25
General Fund	1,972.38

Total Disbursed \$12,765.54

MONEY IN DIFFERENT ACCOUNTS

Local Home Missions	\$1,074.88
Local Board of Christian Education	1,163.37
Local Board of Retirement and Insurance	666.16
Youth Camp	1,750.86
Alabama Cooperative Plan	
General Fund	2,187.89
Total in accounts	\$6,843.16

Balance in Bank September 1, 1974 \$6,843.16

STATE LINE ASSOCIATION CONSTITUTION

ADOPTED APRIL 7, 1962

Article I — Name

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

Article II — Composition

This Association shall be composed of such regularly organized and well-disciplined Free Will Baptist Churches, conveniently located as may embody themselves under this Constitution.

Article III — Representation

SECTION I: (Standing Delegates) All elected officers, Board members, licensed ministers, ordained ministers, and ordained deacons who are members of a member church shall be standing delegates.

SECTION II: (Elected Delegates) Each church shall be entitled one (1) delegate for every twenty-five (25) members and one (1) delegate for the fractional part of twenty-five (25). Provided any church has less than twenty-five ((25) members, it shall be entitled to two (2) delegates.

SECTION III: (Certification) No one will be seated as an elected delegate unless they are certified as such on their church letter.

Article IV — Admission

SECTION I: (Churches) Newly constituted or other churches maintaining gospel order and preaching, agreeing with the denomination in doctrine and practices, as are contained in the **National Treatise of Faith and Practice of the Original Free Will Baptist**, in favor of benevolent enterprises such as Sunday School, C. T. S., missions, and education, desiring admission into this union shall petition with delegates and letter at any session, and if, upon examination, are found to be orthodox and orderly, after not less than three (3) months under the watch-care of the Association, shall be received into the Association, and such reception shall be manifested by the right hand of Christian fellowship given by the chair.

SECTION II: (Ministers) Admission of ministers shall be subject to a recommendation of the Ordaining Council and approval of the Association.

Article V — Discipline

SECTION I: (Duties) Any church who shall fail to attend three successive sessions and whosoever shall be generally remiss, and whosoever shall fail to conform to the practices and adopt the doctrine of the Free Will Baptist Denomination, and whosoever shall fail to comply with the rules, regulations, and decisions of this Association shall be subject to discipline and exclusion.

SECTION II: (Dismissal) No church shall be granted a letter of recommendation from this Association, who withdraws from the Association without first assigning reason satisfactory to the Association

SECTION III: (Power) This Association shall have no authority and/or power in the internal affairs of any church in this Association, nor shall they have any power over the property of any church.

Article VI — General Officers

SECTION I: (Officers) The officers of this Association shall be a Moderator, Assistant Moderator, Clerk, Assistant Clerk, and Treasurer, who shall be elected annually, and who shall be a member of a member church.

SECTION II: (Duties of Moderator) The Moderator shall preside over all sessions and shall serve as chairman of the General Board.

SECTION III: (Duties of the Assistant Moderator) The Assistant Moderator shall assist the Moderator and act as Moderator in the Moderator's absence.

SECTION IV: (Duties of the Clerk) The clerk shall record and preserve the proceedings of the body when in session and shall record and preserve the proceedings of the General Board. He shall compile and have published the minutes of the Association. All records shall be delivered to his successor in office.

SECTION V: (Duties of the Treasurer) The treasurer shall receive all funds and shall be responsible to give a correct account of all funds received and disbursed, by him.

Article VII — Boards

SECTION I: (Standing Boards) Standing Boards of the Association shall include the General Board, Executive Board, Home Mission Board, Board of Retirement and Insurance, Ordaining Council, and the Board of Christian Education.

SECTION II: (Personnel) Standing Boards, exclusive of the General Board and Executive Board, shall be elected as follows: the first named for a term of one year, the second for a term of two years, and the third for a term of three years. Succession to office thereafter shall be as order requires.

SECTION III: (General Board) The General Board shall be composed of the Moderator, the Assistant Moderator, the Clerk, and the Treasurer, and one representative from each church. The names of the representatives shall be submitted by each church at the annual session and shall be elected by the body.

SECTION IV: (Duties of the General Board) The General Board shall have power to act in behalf of, and for the Association from one regular session to another, to carry out the plans and undertakings of the Association, to fill any irregular vacancies that may occur in any department between sessions of the Association, to plan a program of work for the Association, and to handle all matters coming within the scope of the work of the Association. It shall be the duty of this Board to make written reports of all its work to each of the Associational sessions for final approval.

SECTION V: (Executive Board) An Executive Board consists of five members shall be elected annually by the General Board from among its membership whose duty it shall be to act on any emergency matters within the scope of the Association. The Executive Board shall elect its own chairman. The Executive Board shall make a written report of its activities to each session for final approval.

SECTION VI: (Duties of Boards) It shall be the duty of the various standing Boards to plan a program and supervise its operation in their respective fields. They shall organize themselves and regulate their work as many become necessary and create such by-laws as may be deemed essential for their government, consistent with the constitution. It shall be the duty of such Board to make a written report at each session of the Association for final approval.

Article VIII — Finance

SECTION I: (Policy) The financial policy of the Association shall be the giving of tithes and offerings. It is suggested that each church pay 10 per cent of its income to the association.

SECTION II: (Offering) A free will offering shall be received at each session.

SECTION III: (Disbursements) All disbursements shall be made by check and all checks shall be signed by the moderator and the treasurer.

SECTION IV: (Budget) Each standing Board shall prepare a budget of its proposed financial expenditures at the beginning of each Associational year and present same for approval of the Association before any expenditures are made for the year.

SECTION V: (Unified Treasury) Funds of all departments shall be handled by the treasurer of the Association and may be disbursed from any account upon the demand of the Association, the General Board or the Board holding such account with the treasurer.

Article IX — Meeting

SECTION I: The Association shall convene quarterly. The quarterly sessions shall convene on Saturday before the second Sunday in January, April, and July. The fourth meeting shall be the annual session and shall convene for two days, which shall be on Friday and Saturday before the second Sunday in October.

Article X — Alteration

This constitution may be amended or altered at any regular session by a two-thirds vote of members present, provided proposed amendment or alteration has been presented in writing at the previous session.

BY-LAWS OF THE STATE LINE ASSOCIATION

ADOPTED APRIL 7, 1962

1. Each meeting shall be opened by reading a portion of the Bible and with prayer and shall be closed with prayer.

2. Questions of fellowship, expulsion, and all other items of business of the Association shall be settled according to the **National Treatise of Faith and Practices of the Original Free Will Baptists**.

3. All business of the Association shall be brought before the body by move and second and shall be disposed of according to **Robert's Rules of Order**.

4. The associational year shall begin September 1 and end August 31.

5. Churches and their pastors shall serve as committees and shall be named by the chair at least three months before the annual session.

6. Each church shall send a letter to each session certifying the election of their delegates and containing general, financial, and statistical information about their church and any other information that the Association may request.

7. No church shall be recognized in this body who does not commune and wash feet at least once a year.

8. By a two-thirds vote of all members present a ruling of the Moderator can be over-ruled.

9. It shall be the duty of the moderation to seat all delegates in a designated section of the assembly room at the beginning of each business session.

10. No member shall absent himself while the Association is in session without first obtaining permission from the moderator.

11. No person shall be allowed to speak more than ten minutes nor twice on the same subject without special permission from the moderator.

12. No person shall be allowed to nominate more than one member provided the person nominated is elected.

13. Ministers pastoring in the State Line Association of Free Will Baptists must be in good standing with a local Association of Free Will Baptists which is affiliated with a State Association of Free Will Baptists which is affiliated with the National Association of Free Will Baptists. A minister pastoring in the State Line Association and his wife if married must not have two living wives or husbands. Any church in the State Line Association that calls a pastor not meeting the above qualifications will automatically be out of fellowship with the State Line Association. (Anyone who has been divorced and remarried is considered as having two living wives or husbands).

14. These by-laws may be amended or altered at any regular session by a two-thirds vote of members present, provided proposed amendment or alteration is presented in writing.

STATE LINE ASSOCIATION

By-Laws of the Presbytery

MINISTERS

I. Admission and Standing:

(A) Candidates for licensing and Ordination

1. An individual shall first unite with a church that is a member of the Association.
2. This church shall petition the Association through the Ordaining Council of the Association for licensing and ordination of its candidate.

(B) Ordained and licensed ministers coming from other Associations.

1. He must unite with a church in the State Line Association.
2. His church must petition for his membership in the Association through the Ordaining Council of the Association. This must be done by the next Associational meeting after calling the pastor.
3. Any church who calls a pastor who does not wish to unite with the Association must be examined by the Ordaining Council. This must be done by the next Associational meeting after calling the pastor.

(C) Ministers coming from other denominations.

1. He must first unite with a church in the State Line Association.
2. This church must petition for his membership in the Association through the Ordaining Council of the Association.

(D) Certificate of Standing.

1. All Ministers who are members of the Association must make an annual report.
2. Ministers whose report is satisfactory will be issued a card certifying their membership in this Association.

II. Qualifications:

(A) Licensed

1. The individual must satisfactorily answer questions prepared by the Ordaining Council.
2. Candidates that are married must not have more than one living wife or candidates wife must not have more than one living husband.
3. He must be of sound character.

(B) Ordination

1. The individual must satisfactorily answer questions prepared by the Ordaining Council.
2. Candidates that are married must not have more than one living wife or candidates wife must not have more than one living husband.
3. He must be of sound character.
4. He must hold license for not less than one year before applying for ordination.
5. He must be called to A Christian work before applying for ordination.

(C) Ministers Making Application From Other Association:

1. Must present license or ordination certificate to Ordaining Council for ratification by Council.
2. He must present a letter of recommendation from Association from which he comes or from his licensing body which is affiliated with a State Association of Free Will Baptists which is affiliated with the National Association of Free Will Baptists, provided he was licensed or ordained by this licensing body.

(D) Ministers Making Applications From Other Denominations:

(a) Licensed

1. Must surrender license from denomination of which he was previously a member.
2. Must hold FWB license for one year before ordination.
3. He must answer questions prepared by ordaining Council.

(b) Ordained

1. Must have ordination papers ratified by Ordaining Council.
2. Must answer questions prepared by Ordaining Council for ordination.
3. He will not be re-ordained, but upon approval of the Ordaining, he will be granted a FWB Ordination Certificate.

DEACONS

I. Application for Ordination:

1. He must be a member of a church in the State Line Association.

2. He must have been elected by his church to the office of deacon.
3. The church shall petition the Association through the Ordaining Council of the Association for ordination of its candidate.

II. Qualifications:

1. He must be of sound character.
2. He must be the husband of one wife and candidates wife must be the wife of one husband.
3. He must believe and practice FWB doctrine.

CHURCH COVENANT

Having given ourselves to God, by faith in Christ, and adopted the Word of God as our rule of faith and practice, we now give ourselves to one another by the will of God in this solemn covenant. We promise, by His grace, to love and obey Him in all things, to avoid all appearance of evil, to abstain from all sinful amusements and unholy conformity to the world, from all sanction of the use and sale of intoxicating beverages, and to "provide things honest in the sight of all men."

We agree faithfully to discharge our obligations in reference to the study of the Scriptures, secret prayer, family devotions, and social worship; and by self-denial, faith, and good works endeavor to "grow in grace and the knowledge of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ."

We will not forsake the assembling of ourselves together for church conferences, public worship, and the observance of the ordinances of the Gospel; nor fail to pay according to our ability for the support of the church, or its poor, and all its benevolent work.

We agree to accept Christian admonition and reproof with meekness, and to watch over one another in love, endeavoring to "keep the unity of the Spirit" in the bonds of peace. To be careful of one another's happiness and reputation, and seek to strengthen the weak, encourage the afflicted, admonish the erring, and as far as we are able, promote the success of the church and of the Gospel. We will everywhere hold Christian principle sacred and Christian obligations and enterprises supreme; counting it our chief business in life to extend the influence of Christ in society, constantly praying and toiling that the Kingdom of God may come, and His will be done on earth as it is in Heaven.

To this end we agree to labor for the promotion of educational and denominational enterprises, the support of missions, the success of Sunday Schools, and evangelistic efforts for the salvation of the world. And may the God of peace sanctify us wholly, and preserve us blameless unto the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ.

STATISTICS OF THE ASSOCIATION

The State Line Association was organized at Howard Grove Church, November 20, 1886.

Year	Moderator	Clerk	Treasurer	Churches	Mem.
1886—	D. L. Chandler,	Calvin Dykes,	Howard Grove		449
1887—	D. L. Chandler,	Calvin Dykes,	Beulah		557
1888—	R. M. Gray,	Calvin Dykes,	Macedonia		403

1889—R. M. Gray, Calvin Dykes, Friendship	516
1890—R. M. Gray, Calvin Dykes, Lovewood	448
1891—R. M. Gray, Calvin Dykes, Prospect	339
1892—R. M. Gray, Calvin Dykes, Silver Run	444
1893—D. L. Chandler, J. D. Stephens, G. L. Love, Hickory Grove	456
1894—R. M. Gray, J. D. Stephens, Springhill	422
1895—D. L. Chandler, J. D. Stephens, Pittman Creek	503
1896—Calvin Dykes, J. D. Stephens, Howard Grove	568
1897—D. L. Chandler, J. D. Stephens, G. L. Love, New Hope	653
1898—D. L. Chandler, J. D. Stephens, G. L. Love, Rocky Grove	633
1899—D. L. Chandler, J. D. Stephens, G. L. Love, Prospect	671
1900—G. W. Cherry, J. D. Stephens, G. L. Love, Free Will Rest	803
1901—Calvin Dykes, J. W. D. Stephens, G. L. Love, Antioch	916
1902—Calvin Dykes, J. W. D. Stephens, G. L. Love, Union Springs	947
1903—J. D. Stephens, J. W. D. Stephens, G. L. Love, Hickory Grove	786
1904—J. D. Stephens, J. W. D. Stephens, G. L. Love, Howard Grove	786
1905—J. D. Stephens, J. W. D. Stephens, G. L. Love, New Pilgrim	745
1906—J. D. Stephens, J. W. D. Stephens, G. L. Love, Springfield	958
1907—R. L. Hunter, J. W. D. Stephens, R. L. Hunter, Rocky Grove	1099
1908—J. D. Stephens, J. W. D. Stephens, R. L. Hunter, Pleasant Home	1199
1909—J. D. Stephens, J. W. D. Stephens, R. L. Hunter, Free Will Rest	1315
1910—D. L. Chandler, J. W. D. Stephens, R. L. Hunter, Silver Run	1365
1911—D. L. Chandler, J. W. D. Stephens, R. L. Hunter, New Life	1442
1912—D. L. Chandler, J. W. D. Stephens, R. L. Hunter, Pittman Creek	1447
1913—J. M. Murdock, J. W. D. Stephens, R. L. Hunter, Spring Hill	1462
1914—G. W. Cherry, J. W. D. Stephens, H. G. Green, Union Springs	1553
1915—J. D. Stephens, J. W. D. Stephens, H. G. Green, Hickory Grove	1721
1916—W. S. Cook, J. W. D. Stephens, H. G. Green, Rocky Grove	1611
1917—W. S. Cook, J. W. D. Stephens, Long Branch	1715
1918—W. S. Cook, J. W. D. Stephens, W. H. Hayes, Magnolia	1456
1919—W. S. Cook, J. W. D. Stephens, R. B. Robinson, New Hope	1656
1920—G. W. Cherry, J. W. D. Stephens, R. B. Robinson, Prospect	1804
1921—G. W. Cherry, J. W. D. Stephens, R. B. Robinson, Howard Grove	2004
1922—G. W. Cherry, J. W. D. Stephens, R. B. Robinson, Pleasant Home	2043
1923—J. D. Stephens, J. W. D. Stephens, R. B. Robinson, N. Harmony	2039
1924—J. C. Howell, J. W. D. Stephens, R. B. Robinson, Corinth	2094
1925—J. C. Ingram, J. W. D. Stephens, R. B. Robinson, Magnolia	2042
1926—G. W. Cherry, C. B. Green, R. B. Robinson, Springfield	2392
1927—J. J. Burdeshaw, J. W. D. Stephens, R. B. Robinson, Hickory Grove	2344
1928—W. S. Cook, J. W. D. Stephens, R. B. Robinson, Prospect	2229
1929—J. W. D. Stephens, C. B. Green, R. B. Robinson, Rocky Grove	2875
1930—J. W. D. Stephens, C. B. Green, R. B. Robinson, Union Springs	2450
1931—J. W. D. Stephens, C. B. Green, R. B. Robinson, Howard Grove	2323
1932—J. W. D. Stephens, C. B. Green, R. B. Robinson, Free Will Rest	2374
1933—A. H. Godfrey, C. B. Green, A. J. Granger, Springhill	2360
1934—A. H. Godfrey, C. B. Green, A. J. Granger, Shiloh	2539
1935—W. S. Cook, C. B. Green, A. J. Granger, Pleasant Home	2495
1936—A. H. Godfrey, C. B. Green, A. J. Granger, New Harmony	2479
1937—G. W. Nobles, C. B. Green, A. J. Granger, Corinth	2447
1938—G. W. Nobles, C. B. Green, J. W. D. Stephens, Prospect	2536

1939—G. W. Nobles, C. B. Green, J. W. D. Stephens, Pleasant Ridge	2661
1940—G. W. Nobles, C. B. Green, J. W. D. Stephens, Hickory Grove	2619
1941—G. W. Nobles, C. B. Green, J. W. D. Stephens, Rocky Grove	2853
1942—J. C. Howell, C. B. Green, J. W. D. Stephens, Pleasant Home	2672
1943—G. W. Nobles, C. B. Green, J. W. D. Stephens, Pittman Creek	2727
1944—G. W. Nobles, C. B. Green, J. W. D. Stephens, Howards Grove	2788
1945—G. H. Jordan, C. B. Green, J. W. D. Stephens, Union Springs	2717
1946—G. H. Jordan, C. B. Green, J. W. D. Stephens, Cedar Grove	2756
1947—G. H. Jordan, C. B. Green, J. W. D. Stephens, Springfield	2756
1948—G. H. Jordan, C. B. Green, J. W. D. Stephens, Springhill	2743
1949—G. H. Jordan, C. B. Green, J. W. D. Stephens, New Harmony	2760
1950—G. H. Jordan, C. B. Green, J. W. D. Stephens, Prospect and Pleasant Ridge	3083
1951—G. H. Jordan, Mary Edna Cook, D. W. Poole, Pleasant Home and Pittman Creek	2761
1952—G. H. Jordan, Mary Edna Cook, D. W. Poole, Howards Grove and Cowarts Creek	2747
1953—G. H. Jordan, Mary Edna Cook, A. C. Womack, Springhill and Union Springs	2663
1954—G. H. Jordan, Mary Edna Cook, A. C. Womack, Corinth and Magnolia	2577
1955—G. H. Jordan, Mary Edna Cook, A. C. Womack, Pleasant Ridge and Grangerburg	2527
1956—G. H. Jordan, Mary Edna Cook, A. C. Womack, New Harmony and Springfield	2476
1957—G. H. Jordan, Wayne Love, Junior Ward, Shiloh and New Hope	2402
1958—Ralph Bell, Wayne Love, Junior Ward, First Church, Dothan and Pleasant Home	2415
1959—Ralph Bell, Wayne Love, Junior Ward, Springhill and Union Springs	2493
1960—Ralph Bell, Wayne Love, Junior Ward, Howard Grove and Corinth	2540
1961—Ralph Bell, Wayne Love, David Rabon, Union Hill and Cowarts Creek	2919
1962—Ralph Bell, Gerald Baxley, David Rabon, Pittman Creek and Panther Creek	2872
1963—John Edwards, Gerald Baxley, Billy Ammons, First Church, Dothan and Howards Grove	2703
1964—John Edwards Mrs. Ralph Bell, Billy Ammons, New Harmony and Slocomb	2685
1965—John Edwards, Mrs. Ralph Bell, Mrs. Betty Bradshaw, Samson and Union Springs	2710
1966—John Edwards, Mrs. Ralph Bell, Mrs. Maude Fowler, Corinth, Howard Grove	2287
1967—John Edwards, Mrs. Bobby Kennedy, Mrs. Billy Ammons Springhill, Samson	1983
1968—John Edwards, Mrs. Bobby Kennedy, Mrs. Billy Ammons, Cowarts Creek, Union Springs	2320

1970—John Edwards, Mrs. Bobby Kennedy, Mrs. Billy Ammons,	
Cowarts Creek, Springfield	2421
1971—John Edwards, Mrs. Bobby Kennedy, Mrs. Billy Ammons	
Howard Grove, First Church, Dothan	2410
1972—John Pettis, Mrs. Bobby Kennedy, Mrs. Billy Ammons,	
Corinth, Shiloh	2511
1973—John Pettis, Mrs. Bobby Kennedy, Mrs. Billy Ammons,	
New Hope, Union Springs	2609
1974—John Pettis, Mrs. Bobby Kennedy, Mrs. Billy Ammons,	
Howard Grove, Magnolia	2846

CHURCHES	Received by Profession	Received by Letter	Lost by letter	Deceased	Resident Mem.	Non-Resident Members	Sunday School Enrollment	S. S. Average Attendance	C. T. S. Enrollment	C.T.S.Average Attendance	Woman's Auxiliary Enrollment	W.A. Average Attendance	Master's Men Enrollment	M.M. Average Attendance	Prayer Meeting	Ordained Ministers	Licensed Ministers	Ordained Deacons
ANTIOCH	3	8			10	18	28	31	28	31					26	2		2
BETHEL	19	5	3		78	21	68	64	38	35	16	10			15	1		5
CORINTH	4	12	3	1	65	28	68	59	50	48	15	10			35	2		4
COWARTS CREEK	2	7	5		89	40	46	32	36	30	4	4			20	1		3
FIRST, DOTHAN	19	14	17	2	495	135	490	430	192	150	28	15			85	2		8
FIRST, ENTERPRISE	9	38			47	0	49	50	35	32	10	7	11	7	34	1	1	2
FIRST, SAMSON	2		2		35	2	35	28	33	26					20	1	2	4
FIRST SLOCOMB	1				26		30	22	30	20					14		1	2
FAITH	3	9	1	1	146	12	64	60	35	32	19	9	14	9	25	1	1	8
HOWARD GROVE	16	4	8	4	236	203	124	113	85	73	19	11			30	1		7
MAGNOLIA	17	14	7		82	6	78	71	42	36	26	13			25	2		5
MIMS HILL		3			29	29	48	39							15	2	2	1
NEW HARMONY				2	45	24												1
NEW HOPE	8	6	1		57	11	57	45	46	33	22	12			23	2		3
PANTHER CREEK	4	14	5		69	46	70	63	58	55	15	10			35	2		2
PLEASANT RIDGE					64		25	15										2
SHILOH	2	4	8	1	66	19	51	39	32	30	8	6				1		6
SPRINGFIELD	15	6	1	1	121	44	48	36	47	30	15	12	12	10	25	1		6
SPRING HILL	11	4	2	1	71	98	62	55	30	25	7	7			16	1		3
UNION HILL	10	6	1	1	86	3	85	57	45	30	18	12			20	1		6
UNION SPRINGS	2	10	5	2	90	62	43	40	27	25	15	12			20	1		3
TOTAL	147	164	69	16	2007	801	1569	1349	889	741	237	150	37	26	483	25	7	84

CHURCHES	PASTOR	CLERK	SUNDAY SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENT	C.T.S. DIRECTOR	WOMAN'S AUXILIARY PRESIDENT	MASTER'S MEN PRESIDENT
Antioch	Rev. John Pettis Rt. 4 Graceville, Fla. 32440	Mrs. Emmitt Register Rt. 2, Box 157 Graceville, Fla. 32440	Michael Blackman Rt. 1 Slocomb, Ala. 36375	Michael Blackman Rt. 1 Slocomb, Ala. 36375		
Bethel		Mrs. Sheila Crumpler Rt. 2 Hartford, Ala. 36344	Boyd Glover Rt. 1 Newton, Ala. 36352	Bobby Crumpler Rt. 2 Hartford, Ala. 36344	Ruth Tindell Rt. 2 Hartford, Ala. 36344	
Corinth		Phillip Horne Rt. 2 Midland City, Ala. 36350	Joel Casey Rt. 3 Ozark, Ala. 36360	Gary German Rt. 1 Midland City, Ala. 36350	Mrs. Zelmodene Mallory Rt. 1 Midland City, Ala. 36350	
Cowarts Creek	Rev. Donnie Hussey Rt. 1, Box 550 Marianna, Fla. 32446	Mrs. Maude Fowler Rt. 3, Box 98 Dothan, Ala. 36301	Rodney Fowler Rt. 3 Dothan, Ala. 36301	William Fowler 505 East Haven Dr. Dothan, Ala. 36301	Mrs. Maude Fowler Rt. 3, Box 98 Dothan, Ala. 36301	
First, Dothan	Rev. Dean Dobbs 1704 Landau Ct. Dothan, Ala. 36301	Mrs. Eugene Weed Rt. 2, Box 87-B Midland City, Ala. 36350	Ronnie Brown Cowarts, Ala. 36321	Virgle Hagler Rt. 4, Box 2808 Dothan, Ala. 36301	Mrs. Mary Edna Cook Rt. 4, Box 89 Dothan, Ala. 36301	
First, Enterprise	Rev. E. R. Mayo 305 South Main St. Enterprise, Ala. 36330	Mrs. Bobby Kennedy Rt. 1 Ashford, Ala. 36312	Frank Tomlinson Enterprise, Ala. 36330	Travis Dunn 202 Barbara Ct. Dothan, Ala. 36301	Mrs. Annette Tomlinson Enterprise, Ala. 36330	Bobby Kennedy Rt. 1 Ashford, Ala. 36312
First, Samson	Rev. Aubrey Brannon Rt. 4, Box 94 DeFuniak Springs, Fla. 32433	Mrs. Johnnie Faye Avant Rt. 2 Kinston, Ala. 36453	W. D. Paul Rt. 2 Kinston, Ala. 36453	Johnny Mack Paul Rt. 2 Kinston, Ala. 36453		
First, Slocomb	Rev. Bobby Early Jackson St. Slocomb, Ala. 36375	Mrs. Bobby Galloway Hartford, Ala. 36344	Emmitt Dorriety Slocomb, Ala. 36375	Gregg Dorriety		
Faith	Rev. Herman Calloway 120 Donna Dr. Dothan, Ala. 36301	Gene Hall Rt. 1 Dothan, Ala. 36301	Rodney Everett 2808 Third Ave. Ext. Dothan, Ala. 36301	Carl Conner P. O. Box 16 Cowarts, Ala. 36321	Mrs. Lucy Everett 2808 Third Ave. Ext. Dothan, Ala. 36301	Kenneth Williams Rt. 1 Newton, Ala. 36352
Howard Grove	Rev. Bobby Parker Rt. 1 Cottonwood, Ala. 36320	Glenn Jones Rt. 1 Cottonwood, Ala. 36320	Glenn Jones Rt. 1 Cottonwood, Ala. 36320	David Johnson Rt. 1 Cottonwood, Ala. 36320	Mrs. Thelma Snell Cottonwood, Ala. 36320	

Magnolia	Rev. Horace Herndon Rt. 5 Dothan, Ala. 36301	Mrs. Rebecca Martin Rt. 2, Box 166 Midland City, Ala. 36350	Levy Paramore Rt. 2 Midland City, Ala. 36350	Edward Woodham 3900 Richland Dr. Dothan, Ala. 36301	Mrs. Louise Herndon Rt. 5 Dothan, Ala. 36301	
Mims Hill	Rev. Jim Woods Rt. 1, Box 243-A Hartford, Ala. 36344	Mrs. Shirley Brackin Rt. 1, Box 160 Geneva, Ala. 36340	W. T. Aycock Rt. 1, Box 178 Geneva, Ala. 36340			
New Harmony	Rev. Coley Baxter Malone, Fla. 32445	Mrs. James Calloway P. O. Box 211 Cottonwood, Ala. 36320	George Puckett Rt. 3 Dothan, Ala. 36301			
New Hope	Rev. Joe Murkerson 320 Lee St. Blakley, Ga. 31723	Miss Ann Jones Rt. 1 Midland City, Ala. 36350	Eugene Jones Rt. 1 Midland City, Ala. 36350	Ludy Smith Rt. 1 Midland City, Ala. 36350	Mrs. Niria Ammons Rt. 1 Midland City, Ala. 36350	
Panther Creek	Rev. David Isaac Rt. 2 Slocumb, Ala. 36375	Bea Lewis Rt. 1 Newton, Ala. 36352	Steve Sanders Rt. 2 Graceville, Fla. 32440	Don Efinger Rt. 2 Hartford, Ala. 36344	Mrs. Gearl McNeil Rt. 2 Slocumb, Ala. 36375	
Pleasant Ridge	Rev. Coley Baxter Malone, Fla. 32445	Sidney Tindell Rt. 1, Box 80 Cottonwood, Ala. 36320	Ralph Monday Marianna, Fla. 32446			
Shiloh	Rev. Larry Dykes 708 East Fayette St. Dothan, Ala. 36301	Linda Jones Rt. 2, Box 130-A Columbia, Ala. 36319	Rudolph Lanton Rt. 2 Columbia, Ala. 36319	David Jones Rt. 2, Box 130-A Columbia, Ala. 36319	Mrs. Ruby Houston Rt. 2 Columbia, Ala. 36319	
Springfield	Rev. Thomas Kirkland P. O. Box K Ashford, Ala. 36312	Ronnie McCraney P. O. Box 491 Ashford, Ala. 36312	Edwin Reynolds Rt. 1 Ashford, Ala. 36312	Walter Baxley Rt. 2 Columbia, Ala. 36319	Mrs. Wilma Brown Rt. 1 Ashford, Ala. 36312	David Rabon Branton Dr. Dothan, Ala. 36301
Spring Hill	Rev. Johnny Sexton General Delivery Gordon, Ala. 36343	Ann Howard Rt. 1 Pansey, Ala. 36370	Bill Carislise Rt. 1 Gordon, Ala. 36343	Doug Jeffcoat Rt. 1 Gordon, Ala. 36343	Mrs. Jackie Jeffcoat Rt. 1 Gordon, Ala. 36343	
Union Hill	Rev. Bobby Peters Rt. 1 Slocumb, Ala. 36375	Mrs. Rhetta Butler Drawer M Slocumb, Ala. 36375	Sam Morris 703 Bateman Ave. Slocumb, Ala. 36375	Heyward Butler Drawer M Slocumb, Ala. 36375	Mrs. Patsy Butler Slocumb, Ala. 36375	
Union Springs	Rev. S. E. Newberry Rt. 5, Box 228 Quincy, Fla. 32351	Thurman Drinkwater Rt. 2 Ashford, Ala. 36312	Maxwell Sims Rt. 2 Ashford, Ala. 36312	Jerry Dixon Pansey, Ala. 36370	Mrs. Celia Newberry Quincy, Fla. 32351	

CHURCHES	PASTOR'S SALARY	EVANGELISTIC WORK	BUILDING - REPAIR	LITERATURE	OTHER LOCAL	COOPERATIVE PLAN	FOREIGN MISSIONS
Antioch	890.00	80.00	2,266.14	52.96	124.50		
Bethel	1,545.00	358.83	830.82	1,182.38	4,031.52	175.63	
Corinth	3,600.00	120.00	609.18	743.67	1,591.02	800.32	
Cowarts Creek	2,950.00	165.00	7,592.86	485.73	498.80	883.84	120.00
First, Dothan	8,660.00	295.32	393.27	3,059.61	39,230.06	3,200.00	852.15
First, Enterprise		187.80		680.49	8,812.54	690.57	76.94
First, Samson	2,224.53	30.00	250.62	240.29	1,287.45	316.30	90.00
First, Slocomb	777.00	140.00		109.59	999.88		
Faith							
Howard Grove	5,460.00	592.13	24,612.78	1,598.42	3,448.12	2,022.38	248.36
Magnolia	2,600.00	261.00	6,572.01	970.69	681.17		
Mims Hill	956.00	283.00	147.00	146.33	184.09	60.00	
New Harmon	610.00	100.00	240.00	140.00	10.00		
New Hope	1,665.00	294.90	1,298.80	304.34	1,629.63	618.06	
Panther Creek	4,285.00	175.00	1,628.15	714.15	1,881.24	217.35	10.00
Pleasant Ridge	620.28	150.00	843.43	110.86	120.25	20.00	
Shiloh	2,450.00	125.00		327.65	749.67		
Springfield	2,440.00	745.00	1,027.12	615.67	966.70	526.88	
Spring Hill	5,350.00	470.00	3,408.93	284.33	711.81	345.71	
Union Hill	3,655.00	205.00	943.46	962.84		809.00	120.00
Union Springs	3,315.00	240.00	4,858.52	464.96	935.67	85.00	17.60

HOME MISSIONS	BIBLE COLLEGE	CHILDREN'S HOME	OTHER OUTSIDE EXPENDITURES	TOTAL EXPENDITURES	TOTAL INCOME	VALUE OF CHURCH PROPERTY	VALUE OF PARSONAGE
			10.00	3,423.60	2,795.50	2,500.00	
	72.00			7,948.55	6,973.48	15,000.00	
31.29		37.61	200.00	7,733.09	9,434.70	19,000.00	
288.00	120.00	120.00		13,224.23	7,165.97	45,000.00	
2,173.84	933.77	109.22		58,907.24	62,089.17	125,000.00	25,000.00
35.58				10,483.92	12,796.73		
			25.00	4,464.19		15,000.00	
				2,066.47	2,122.56	8,000.00	6,000.00
239.29	255.44	255.44	55.00	38,531.92		70,000.00	27,000.00
			424.67	11,509.54	11,625.72	20,000.00	
30.00				1,807.02	1,754.54	10,000.00	
		10.00				11,000.00	
300.00		100.00		6,210.73	6,806.60	21,150.00	4,400.00
89.57		10.77		9,011.23	9,434.37	10,000.00	15,000.00
				1,836.54		12,000.00	
40.00				3,692.32	4,416.95	50,000.00	
398.50				6,719.87	8,313.83	35,000.00	
		275.00	20.00	11,046.07	10,818.02	25,000.00	
157.00		101.50		6,951.80	8,644.54	35,000.00	8,000.00
361.69		131.80		10,310.24	9,598.81	40,000.00	

MINISTERS	SERMONS PREACHED	PRAYER MEETINGS	FUNERALS	MARRIAGES	SPECIAL SERVICES	REVIVALS CONDUCTED	CONVERSIONS WITNESSED	RECEIVED INTO CHURCH	BAPTIZED	HOMES VISITED	MILES TRAVELED	CONDITION OF WORK	RECEIVED FOR FOR SERVICES	REVIVAL ASSO. IN	CHURCHES IN CHARGE EN- SUING YEAR
Aubrey Brannon	135	52	0	1	6	2		2	0	130	10,000	Fair	2,092.82	2	First, Samson
Herman Calloway	135		2	0	3	1	5	12	3			Good	3,250.00	1	Falth
Dean Dobbs	128	50	3	2		3		33	14		25,000	Good	8,840.00	1	First, Dothan
Larry Dykes	104	52	1	1	1	0	12	6	1	110	8,000		2,450.00	1	Shiloh
Gerald Fowler	4						1								
W. W. Hall (Ret.)															
Horace Herndon	106	56	4	2	3	1	20	46	15			Fair	2,600.00	1	Magnolia
Donnie Hussey	30	13	0	0	0	0	2	8	2	50	3,000	Good	780.00	0	Cowarts Creek
David Isaac	102	43	2	2	2	1	12	18	2	300	15,000	Fair	3,575.00	1	Panther Creek
Arthur Isaac (Ret.)															
Thomas Kirkland	117	52	4	1	5	3	16	21	10		10,000	Good	2,440.00	2	Springfield
E. R. Mayo	115	52	3	1	12	2	27	47	2	1,218	35,745	Good	9,150.00	1	First, Enterprise
Joe Murkerson	62	22	0	1	8	0	3	14	8	107	8,792	Fair	1,810.00	1	New Hope
S. E. Newberry	115	4	3	1	26	2	3	10	5	200	35,000	Good	3,445.00	4	Union Springs
Bobby Parker	122	52	5	4		2	20	10	15		20,000	Excellent			Howard Grove
Bobby Peters	93	40	1	0	2	0	21	24	21	187	7,000	Fair	1,425.00	2	Union Hill
John Pettis	110	45	2			3		4	0			Good	3,000.00		Antioch
Johnny Sexton	120	43	2	1	4	3	20	14	10	400	36,000	Fair	7,200.00	2	Spring Hill
Earl Stevens	110	50	1	0	4	1	25	6	1	200	30,000	Good	2,330.00	0	Pleasant Hill
Madison Taylor (Ret.)															
Jim Woods	124	52	1	2	3	1	2	4	0	80		Good	956.00	2	Mims Hill

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