

Minutes of the West Central Quarterly Meeting held Jan 16, 1982 at the Mattanville F.W. Baptist Church

Congregational sang: "There is a Fountain Filled with Blood"

Prayer by Bro Owen Soney

The denations was given by Bro Carey Adams using John 6:

The Church Covenant was read.

Requests for the reading of the Constitution and By-Laws were asked for there were no requests.

The Church Letters were read and the delegates seated.

The Committee Appointments were made by the Moderator.

The minutes were read and approved. The Treasures report was given (by the Clerk as the treasure was absent) Motion sustained to accept the treasures report.

Bro David Shore (Illinois State Promotional Secretary) gave a report on what the giving was for the state and what some of the program is to be for the State Association meeting.

Prayer by Bro Jerry Prestey.

Recess -

Meeting Called to order by the Moderator
Prayer by the Moderator Bro Wm. Howard

Committee Reports:

Resolutions - We the Resolutions Committee want to thank the Host Church for a good meal which we will receive. Signed Allene Basso, Betty Williams and Arcada Price.

Motion sustained to receive the report.

Memorial Committee - We the Memorial Committee ask that we all stand for a moment of silent prayer for those of our Membership who have gone to be with the Lord in the past quarter. Names received: Bro Claude Rahins - Hazel Bell; Sis Lena Clinton - Bear Point; Sis Bessie. Bethel

Signed, Geraldine Lewis, Earlene Gallaway and Mike Russell
Motion sustained to receive the report
and stand for a moment of silent prayer.

Business Committee - Item #1 We ~~the~~ Appreciate the thoughtfulness of the resolutions Committee in recommending that the host Church plan the quarterly meeting program. However, since the executives Committee is already charged with the planning responsibilities we recommend that they continue to do so and consider the idea of making out advance copies of the program.

Item #2 We recommended that the Quarterly meeting grant that request of Rev. Daniel Burgess and send his ordination credentials to the West Tennessee Quarterly Meeting with a

a letter of recommendation from our Clerk.

Item #3 We recommend that \$100.00 be taken from our treasury and given to the Free Will Baptist College.

Item #4 We recommend that \$50.00 be taken from our Treasury and given to the Bill Gulaker Mission Account. Respectfully submitted, Omer Soney, Howard Flata, & Daryl Ellis. Motion sustained to receive ^{and adapt} the report.

Bro Kenney Pell from the Free Will Bible College preached the message.

Item #1 The Examining Board Report - We, the Examining Board have examined the ministers annual report and find them in order. We recommend they be granted a card of good standing.

Item #2 We have examined Bro Mike Russell and recommend he be accepted as candidate for ordination

~~signed Jerry Prestey~~

Jerry Prestey

Michael G. Russell

J. Luther Hudson

Geraldine Lewis

Melvin L. Knatt

Daryl W. Ellis

Jesse Allen

Gary Partell

William Hammar

Albert Bays

Lloyd Crain

Lease Waggoner

Howard Flata

Jimmie Hicks

Melvin Cathart

Motion sustained to receive and
adapt the report.

Delegates to the State Association
March 26 and 27, 1982

Ela Shum

Mike Russell

Doris Barough

Allen Basso

Bonnie Allen

Mrs. Jerry Presley

Betty Williams

Jan Blissen

Anna Ma Samastus

Dorothy Hamilton

Arcada Price

Motion sustained to send the
above named people as delegates
to the State Association meeting.

Motion sustained that Ed Shum
be suggested to the State Association
to represent the West Central
Quarterly.

Motion sustained to adjourn.

Prayer by Bro Jimmy Nicks

Ed Shum Clerk

Wm Howard Madenau

Appraised ~~April 17, 1982~~

about were - Leo Wagner Madenau
Sandy Steelman, - Treasures, Clay
Meyer Exam Bd

Minutes of the West Central Quarterly meeting
held April 17, 1982 at the Bear Point Free Will
Baptist Church.

Congregational song: "Showers of Blessings"
Prayer by Bro Jim Pitts
Congregational song "There Is Power in the
Blood"

Devotions and welcome by Bro Wm. Roan
pastor of Bear Point Church (Ps. 103:1-5)

Meeting called to order by Clerk.

Church Covenant was read.

Request for the reading of the constitution
and By-laws were asked for there were
no requests.

The Church letters were read. Motion
sustained to receive the letters and
seat the delegates.

Motion sustained to seat Randal Steelman
and Rev. Owen Ganey as delegates from
the Shante City Church.

The Committee appointments were made.
The minutes from the previous meeting
was read and approved.

The Treasurer report was given. Motion
sustained to receive the report.

Motion sustained to approve the extra
\$50.00 that was sent to the Free Will
Baptist Bible College by error.

Prayer by Rev. Howard Flata.

→ Recess →

Congregational song: "Count Your Blessings"
Prayer by ^{Sis} Geraldine Lewis.

- Committee Reports -

Resolutions

We, the Resolutions Committee wish to
thank the host Church for their
hospitality and for the food we are
about to receive. Signed, Jimmie Hicks

Jesse W. Allen and Thelma Welch
Memorial Motion sustained to receive the report
We the Memorial Committee requests
the the Congregation stand for a
moment of silent prayer in
memory of those, who have passed
away in the past. Quarters:
Bro. Les Lappin - Oak Grove
Bro Claude Rahkins - Hazel Dell
Sis Dorothy Parrish - Mason
Bro Harry Bates - Bear Point
Signed: Imogene Reed, Clay Meyer and
Bethy Pierce Motion sustained to receive
the report and stand for a moment
of silent prayer. Prayer by Rev Searge
Waggoner.

Exam Bd. We, The Examining Board, have talked
with Cary Adams and recommend
he be received into the West
Central Quarterly Meeting. He comes
to us from the East Central Q. M.
② We have examined the Ministers
Annual report of Clotis Reed and
Floyd Hartley and found them in
good standing. We recommend that
this Quarterly Meeting request a Card
of good standing for them. Signed
Loyd Crain and Jerry Presby.
Motion sustained to receive ~~the report~~
and adapt the report. ~~Partly after~~
Bro John Hallis gave a report on
the Home Mission work in
Effingham, IL.
Motion sustained that Bro Amen
Saney be added to the Examining
Board report to receive a Card of
good standing.
Business We the Business Committee recommend

the following items of business
Item #1 - Brother Layd Crain be replaced
on the Examining Board by his request
since he will be leaving the Oakville
F.W. Baptist Church, in the East Central
Quarterly meeting, as Pastor.

Item #2 - That Bro John Hallis be given
an honorarium of \$50.00 to help with his
expenses and show our appreciation for
his fine job in Effingham, at the
Cross Roads F.W. Baptist Church.

Item #3 - Since our emphasis today is
on Home Missions - we suggest and
recommend that the Quarterly meeting
send \$100.00 to the State Mission Board
to assist them in mission work here
in the state. Signed Owen Soney
& Howard Glata.

Motion sustained to receive the report
and act upon item by item.

Item #1 - Motion sustained that ~~item #1~~
~~be adopted~~ Bro Crain be replaced.

Item #2 - Motion sustained that Bro
Hallis be given \$50.00

Item #3 - Motion sustained that State
Mission Board be sent \$100.00.

Motion sustained that we wait until
our next Meeting to fill Bro Crain
position on the Examining Board.

Motion sustained that our next Quarterly
meeting be the 2nd Sat. in July instead
of the 3rd Sat. due to the National
Association meeting starting July 18th

Worship Service:

Congregational Songs: "Stand Up For Jesus" and
"So Glad Be The Glory"

Prayer by Everett Pierce

Message by Rev John Hallis using II COR 5:10

Romans 2:20 and II Peter 2:4-9.

Prayer By ^{Rev} Geo. Waggoner.

Blessing Asked upon the Lord by
Rev. Wm. Howard.

Ed Shum, Clerk

Geo. Waggoner, Moderator

Appointed 7-10-82

Minutes of the West Central Quarterly
meeting when convened at Bethel
F.W. Baptist Church July 10, 1982

Congregational song "The Solid Rock"
led by Clark Lincoln

Prayer by Luther Hudson

Called to order by the Clerk

Congregational songs "I would not
be Denied" and Victory in Jesus
Denations by Bro Howard Flote
using Zechariah 4:1-6

Testimonies ~~given~~ were given by several and
a blessing to all

The Church Canevant was read

Prayer by Bro Adack

Requests for the reading of the ~~Constitution~~
Constitution were ask for. There were
no requests.

The Church letters were read and
delegates were seated

Committee apaintments were made
The minutes of the previous meeting
were read and approved

Treasurer report was was given
and motion sustained to accept the
report

-Recess-

Prayer by Moderator George Waggoner
Called to order by Moderator

Memorial Committee report.
We the Memorial Committee ask that
we stand in a ~~moment~~^{time} of silent
prayer as a memorial to the following
that have deceased: Nora Taylor,
Mitchel Sample, ~~and~~ Arlie Roberts, ~~and~~
Dorothy Parrish and Ray Clark; and
that Bro Don Fedule lead in prayer
for the members of the families left
behind. Signed: Geraldine Lewis,
Bertie Maynard & Cletis Reed

Resolutions Committee Report:
We the Resolutions Committee recommend,
Item #1 That the West Central Quarterly
urge each church to back the Free
Will Baptist Bible College and pray
that all problems are resolved
in a peaceful manner under the
leadership of the Holy Spirit.
Item #2 That the Quarterly stand
in thanking Bethel Free Will
Baptist Church in hosting the
Quarterly Meeting. Signed by Cary
Adams, Luther Hudson and Randall
Stelman

Motion sustained to receive the report
and act on ~~the~~ item by item

Item #1 Motion sustained to amend
that clerk send a letter to Dr Shippen
from the Quarterly that we support
the Bible College, ~~Item~~ Motion sustained
to ~~accept~~^{adapt} the Item #1 as amended
Motion ~~to~~ sustained to adapt item #2

Examining Board Report:

Item #1 We the Examining Board
meet with Bro Randall Stelman and
he shared with us his call into the
ministry. After serving as a deacon

for almost 15 years we feel honored
to recommend him into our study
course.

Item #2 We the Examining Board
recommend Rev Bill Adcock be
received into our Quarterly Meeting
He comes to us from the East
Central Quarterly, and is now pastor
at Walthamville F.W. Baptist Church
Signed: Howard Photo, Cletis Reed
and Bill Howard

Motion sustained to receive
the report and act upon item by
item.

Item #1 Motion sustained for Bro
Steebman to enter into study course.

Item #2 Motion sustained to accept
Bro Adcock into our Quarterly
Bro William Howard elected to
Examining Board to replace Bro
Lloyd Crain.

- Worship service -

Congregational song "No Not One"
Message by Bro Leon McBride
Congregational song "Wonderful
Story of Jesus"

Prayer by Ed Shum.

Minutes submitted by
Ed Shum Clerk
Leo Waggoner Mod.
Approved 10-26-82

Minutes of the West Central Quarterly
meeting when commenced at First
Free Will Baptist Church of Granite City,
Oct 16, 1982

Congregational song "What a Friend"

led by Bro Theo. Waggoner

Prayer by Bro Jerry Presely

Meeting called to order by the Clerk
Denotations by Bro Carey Adams
using Mat. 10:38.

The Church Covenant was read.

Prayer by Bro Doyle Ellis

Requests for the reading of the
Constitution were asked for. There
were no requests.

There was a Testimony service.

Church letters were read and
received, and delegates seated.

The Committee appointments were
made.

The minutes were read and approved

The Treasurers report was given
and Motion sustained to receive
the Treasurers report.

Motion sustained that pastors or
someone from the Church add
names of Bible College students to
Church letters

Prayer by Bro Howard Flata

Recess -

Meeting called to order by the
Moderator

Prayer by Bro Wm. Howard

Committee reports -

Memorial Committee - We the
Memorial Committee recommend
that we stand in memory of the
deceased in our churches, including

John Johnson from Resur. We also want to include Ruby Lane, Pastor Owen Lane's Mother. Let us pray that the Lord will give us many more that will be faithful unto death. Signed Diana Adams Glen Skeltan and Randall Stelman Motion sustained to receive report Prayer by Bro. Leo Waggoner. Resolutions Committee report. We the Resolution Committee thank the ~~last~~ Granite City Church for the delicious meal that we are about to enjoy. We also recommend that we pray for the Christian school efforts nation wide. Signed James D. Rahyrim, Daniel Harrison and Lela Shrum Motion sustained to receive the report.

Business Committee report:
The Business Committee recommends the following:

Item #1 We recommend that we give our guest speaker an honorarium of \$125.00 for his ministry to us today.

Item #2 We recommend that \$100.00 be taken from our treasury and divided among our four regional missionaries: Theresy, Miley, Owen and Margaret families signed Howard Flata, Owen Lane and Daryl Ellis. Motion sustained to receive the report and act upon item by item.

Motion sustained to adopt item #1

Motion sustained to adapt item #2
Auditing Committee report.

We the Auditing Committee have examined
the records of the treasurer and have
found them to be in order.

signed Carey Adams and Louis
Mines. Motion sustained to receive
the report

Examining Board. No business
to conduct.

Nominating Committee report.

We the Nominating Committee submit
these names for said offices:

Mod. Daryl Ellis, Asst. Mod. Carey
Adams, Clerk Ed Shum, Treasurer
Randall Steelman, Examining Board
William Howard (1985) to succeed

himself, Business Committee Howard
Flota (1985) to succeed himself, Randall

Steelman (1984) to replace Daryl Ellis
respectfully submitted, ~~Bill~~ Wm. Howard

Clay Myers, Virtus Childers and Jerry
Presley. Motion sustained to receive

the report and place these in
nomination. Open for names from

floor. Motion sustained that the
names be elected as submitted
by the Committee.

Motion sustained to ~~of~~ adjourn
business session

Congregational sang "At Calvary"
led by Bro Ellis.

Worship hour "Why Have a Christian
school by Randy Shum Principal
Flarene Christian Academy, Flarene
Ala.

Blessing was asked on the food
by Bro Amen Haney

Approved 1-15-83
Ed Shum Clerk
D. Ellis Mod