

Minutes of The West Central
Illinois Association of Free
Will Baptist Quarterly Meeting
When Convened at ~~Free Will~~ Oak Grove
Free Will Baptist Church Jan 21,
1989 (Yearly Meeting)

Meeting Called to Order by the
Clerk.

Moderator Rev Larry Cook took
charge.

Congregational Song: "The Lily
of the Valley" led by Rusty Miller
with Lela Shrum at the piano

Prayer by Rev. Bud Porter

Rev Dan Martin led the Congregation
in reading of the Church Covenant

The reading of the Constitution
and by-laws was dispensed.

The Church letter was read
and the delegates seated

Committee appointments were
made.

The minutes of the previous
meeting was read and approved

Treasurer's report was given
and accepted. The Treasurer

requested that the Treasurer's
books be audited

~~Recess~~ Prayer by Rev Larry Cook

Recess -

Congregational song "Happiness is
the Lord"

Message by Rev Dan Martin
using ~~Revelations~~ Revelations 2nd Chapter
Committee Reports

Resolutions - We the ~~Resolutions~~
Resolutions Committee wish
to thank The Oak Grove

Church for their hospitality and the noon meal. We also want to thank the West Central Quarterly officers that served last year signed Betty Pierce, Carson Seeks and Rusty Miller.

Motion sustained to receive the report.

Memorial Committee - We the Memorial Committee recommend that our Quarterly meeting send \$25.00 to the Free Will Baptist Benevolent Fund in memory of the following Daisy Holland; Betty Dally; Allene Bass; Laura Bond; Gay Crisler; Virginia Owens; Mack Byrd; Freela Eubanks; Lola Eubanks; Bill Reeger; Audie Minar; Minnie Becker and Mary Lance.

We appreciate the Christian labor of all these followers of Christ who have passed away in 1988.

Signed Randall Steelmann, Bonnie Allen and Lola Terry.

Motion sustained to receive the report and send the \$25.00 to the Benevolent Fund.

Business Committee -

Item I We recommend that \$50.00 be given from our general fund to the Illinois State ~~Association~~ ministerial scholarship fund.

Item II We recommend Daniel Malone as Executive Board representative from West Central Quarterly Meeting.

Item III We recommend a Committee be appointed to meet with the Grants

City Church concerning their request for reinstatement into West Central Quarterly meeting. Item IV Audit of the Treasurers ~~books~~ books was made by the Business Committee and found to be in order.

Signed Lane Malone and Everett Pierce.

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

Item I Motion sustained to give \$50.00 to State Ministerial Scholarship Fund.

Item II Motion sustained for Daniel Malone to represent West Central Quarterly meeting on the State Association Executive Board.

Item III Motion to amended to ~~delete the words "to be appointed to meet with" and add "except" into fellowship and make read - We receive the Granite City Church back into fellowship.~~ Motion sustained as amended.

Item IV Motion sustained to accept the Audit report on the Treasurers books.

Examining Board -

Item I Having Examined the Ministers Annual reports we recommend Cards of Good Standing for the following ministers:

- 1) Billy Gene Outland; 2) Guy E. Terry;
- 3) Larry C. Cook; 4) Mike Russell;

5.) Randall Shetman; 6) Clay Meyers;
7.) Daniel Martin; 8) Jessie W. Allen;
9.) Gary Portell; 10) Ivan Ryan; 11) Melvin
S. Knott; 11) Albert Bays; 12) Clifford Hicks.

Item II Having received the report
from Bro Clarence Porter we make
the following recommendations:
Because we have not met with
Bro Porter or received a request
for recognition from his Church,
we recommend a letter written
request be given from Oak Grove
concerning Bro Porter at the next
Quarterly meeting.

Item III Having met with John
Gilman six (6) months ago at the
request of Bethel Church we make
the following recommendations.
Because of ~~th~~ his complete Bible
College training and six (6) months
experience as youth pastor at
Bethel Church we recommend
the waiting period be waived
and he be recommended for ordination.
Signed: Ivan Ryan and Mike Russell
~~Motion sustained to receive the
report and act upon item by
item.~~

~~Item I Motion sustained to
issue cards of~~
~~Although we appreciate the~~
Motion sustained to receive the
report and act upon item by item.
Item I Motion sustained to
issue cards of good standing
to the ones listed.

Item II Motion sustained to to
receive this recommendation.

Item III Motion sustained to
recommmend John Ailworth be
ordained,
Motion sustained to adjourn
Prayer by Rev. Gene Cutland
Congregational song "When we all
get to Heaven"

Message by Jessie Allen.
State Assoc delegates: Khyje
Share; Jean Malone, Lela Shum
Lela Terry -

Motion sustained that moderator
be empowered to appoint the
remainder of the delegates from
those who are present at state
meeting

Prayer and blessing asked upon
the meal by Rev Mike Russell

Sary Cook moderator
Ed Shum Clerk
Approved 4-15-89

Minutes of the West Central Illinois
Association of Free Will Baptists
when commenced at Mason Free Will
Baptist Church April 15, 1989

Congregational song "I ne Got a
Mansion" led by Bernie Allen
with Iela Shum at the piano
Prayer by Rev. Don Martin

Congregational song "Whispered a prayer"
The Church Covenant was read by
Rev. Larry Cook

~~the~~ The meeting was called to order
by the Clerk

The Church letter was read
motion sustained to receive the
letter and seat the delegates
The committee appointments were
made.

Minutes of the previous meeting
was read and approved
The Treasurers report was
given and accepted
Prayer by Rev. Larry Partell
RECESS -

Congregational song "Burdens are
Lifted at Calvary"

Requests for prayer were asked for.
requests were made for Manuel
Norie, Harold Flata, Ed ~~Barnett~~ ^{Barnett}
and John Kries Rev. Clifford Kiech
led in prayer.

Congregational song "When we all
Get to Heaven"

Special by Don Price

Special by Bernice Kask

these two young men were to
compete in C.T.S. Competition

Message by Rev. Cliff Denhae
using Exodus 33:12-19 using verse
18 as his text. "And He said, I
beseech thee, shew me Thy
Glory"

Business -

Committee reports -

Resolutions Committee -

We the Resolutions Committee
would like to thank the Mason
Church for having the Quarterly
meeting and for the noon meal
provided. Signed Dorothy Hamilton
Robert Harrison and Armas

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Motion sustained by a standing
vote to receive the report

Business Committee -

We the Business Committee make
the following recommendations:

That the ~~Quarterly~~ West Central
Quarterly give \$50.00 to each of
the two home missionaries
in the State of Illinois.

Bro. Cliff Denhae of Salem, IL

Bro. David Burgess of Bloomington, IL

Respectfully submitted, Everett
Pierce, Melvin Knott and
Robert Jasper.

Motion sustained to receive the
report and follow the recommenda-

Motion sustained to adjourn.

Special by Chad Welch.

Message by Rev. Gene Cutland
using I CORIN. 1:17-24

Prayer and blessing on food by

Rev. Guy Terry

next meeting July 8, 1989 at Rock Springs
LARRY COOK MODERATOR

ED SHUM ~~CLERK~~ CLERK APPROVED 7-8-89

Minutes of West Central Illinois
Association of Free Will Baptist when
convened at Rock Springs Free Will
Baptist Church July 8, 1989

Congregational song "When we all set
to Heaven" Led by Bethy Warren
~~Rayers by song leader~~ with
at the piano Lela Barrett

Prayer by R. er. Guy Terry
Meeting Called to order by the Clerk.
The Church Covenant was read by
R. er Larry Cook.

The reading of Constitution and
By Laws were dispensed.

The Church Letters were read and
the delegates seated

The Committee appointments were
made.

The Treasurers Report was given
Motion sustained to receive the
report

The minutes were read and approved
Prayer by R. er Larry Cook.

- Recess -

Congregational song "When The Saints
Go Marching In"

Prayer by R. er. Dan Martin

Message by R. er Gary Partell
Using II TIM 2:20-21; James 1:5-8

Marks 16:15-20; John 17:17-20 & I TIM 2:1

Committee Reports:

Report of the Resolutions Comm.

We the Resolutions Committee
wish to thank the host Church,
Rock Springs, for hosting the
Quarterly meeting and the delicious
meal. Signed Betty Pierce, Lela
Shrum and Bennie Allen

Motion Sustained to adopt the
Resolutions Committee report
Report of the Memorial Committee
→ We, the Memorial Committee
recommence, that we express
our deepest sympathy to the
families, and churches of Brother
Ed. Baswell of Bethel Free Will
Baptist Church and Brother Otis
Braddy of Mason Free Will
Baptist Church.

We request the body stand in
silent prayer in their memory.
Signed Thelma Webb, Tonya Jasper
and Peggy Outland

Motion Sustained to receive the
report and stand in a moment
of silent prayer. Prayer by Rev.
Gene Outland

Report of the Business Comm.

We the Business Committee
recommend to give \$100.00 to
Camp Meeting board for support
of fall meeting.

Signed Daniel Malone, Emeritt
Purice and Robert Jasper

Motion Sustained to receive the
report and give \$100.00 to Camp
Meeting board.

Motion Sustained to adjourn

Special music by Betty Warren
and Loretta Wilson.

Message by Rev. Guy Terry using
John 3:16; I John 3:16 Eph. 4:23
John 15:12 and Rev. 20:15.

Prayer and Blessing are read by
Jessie Allin Ed. Shum Clerk

Larry Cook Mod
approved 10-21-89

Minutes of the ~~Illinois~~ West Central Illinois
Quarterly meeting when commenced
Oct 21, 1989 at the Waltonville Free Will
Baptist Church

Congregational song "There is Power in
The Blood" led by Rev Dan Martin with
Jane Harman at the piano and Lela
Shrum at the Organ

Prayer by Tom Harman
Asst. Moderator ^{Rev Gary Jones} moderated the meeting
in the absence of the moderator
Rev Larry Cook.

The Church Covenant was read in
unison led by Van Bunnfelt
Requests for the reading of the
constitution and By-Laws were asked
for. There were no requests

The Church letters were read and
accepted and delegates seated.

The minutes of the previous
meeting was read and approved
The Treasurers report was given
and accepted.

Message by Rev. Clifford Hecker
using Amos 7: 1-7 & 10-11

The committee appointments were
made

Prayer by Rev. Daniel Shares
Recess

Congregational song "Kneel at The Cross"
led by Bob Hamilton with Lela
Shrum at the organ and Jane
Harman at the piano.

Prayer by Rev. Floyd Hartley
Rev Daniel Shares gave a report
on the State Assoc. work.

Committee Reports

The Resolutions Committee -

"We the Resolutions Committee would like to thank Waltonville Church for their hospitality and the Coffee break refreshments and the delicious meal we are sure ~~the~~ will follow" Signed Beth E. Wehl, Mildred Skelton and Gergette Harris. Motion sustained to receive the report.

Memorial Committee - "We the Memorial Committee recommend that we express our deepest sympathy to the families and Churches of Bulah Lanell of Rock Springs and Nina Gilliam of Bear Point.

We request the body stand in silent prayer in their memory. Thanking God for their Christian service, with Bro. Wailly closing in prayer. Signed Lela Shurna, Lela Terry and Mary E. Montgomery. Motion sustained to receive the report. A moment of silent prayer by Bro. Wailly prayed as requested.

Auditing Committee - The Auditing Committee submits the following report - We have examined the Treasurers books and find them in order. Signed Robert Hamilton, Peggy Olland and Merita Kern. Motion sustained to receive the report. Examining Board.

Item #1 We recommend that Bro. Kent Dunford be given the right hand of fellowship and that this Quarterly Meeting issue him

Credentials as he has already received a letter from the Franklin Co. Quarterly meeting.

Item #2 We recommend that Bro Floyd Haulty be given a card of good standing seeing he is a retired minister. Signed Clifford Hicks, Dan Martin and Billy Gene Outland.

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

Item #1 Motion sustained that request be granted.

Item #2 Motion sustained that the request be granted.

Business Committee.

Item #1 to give \$100.00 to each Missionary Accounts in the state Burgess & Denoho total \$200.00.

Item #2 to give \$50.00 to Camp board. total gifts \$250.00.

Item #3 Nominations: Bob Jasper Business Committee; Billy Gene Outland Exam Board; Marilyn Irwin Treasurer; Ed Shum, Clerk; Dan Martin Asst Moderator; Guy Terry Moderator. Motion Signed Daniel Malone, Bob Jasper and Everett Pierce.

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

Item #1 Motion sustained to adapt.

Item #2 Motion sustained to adapt.

Item #3 Motion sustained to open floor for other nominations office.

by office.

Business Committee - no other nominations Bob Jasper elected
Examining Board no other nominations
Billy Gene Outland elected
Treasurer - no other nominations
Martin Irvine elected
Clerk - no other nominations Ed Shum elected.

Asst. Moderator - no other nominations
Dan Martin elected.

Moderator Guy Terry turned meeting over to Dan Martin for election of moderator.

Moderator - no other nominations
Guy Terry elected.

Dan Martin turned meeting back over to moderator Guy Terry.
Worship hour -

Congregational song - "Victory in Jesus" led by Dan Martin with Bela Shum at the Organ and Jane Harman at the piano.

Message by Rev Billy Gene Outland
Cesing Hebrews 9:21-28 and I Corinthians 15.

Prayer and blessing on noon meal by Mario Navio.

Next meeting at Bear Point Jan 20, 1990.

Guy Terry moderator
Ed Shum Clerk
Approved 1-20-90