

MINUTES

of the

ONE HUNDRED - THIRTEENTH

ANNUAL SESSION

of the

WEST FLORIDA LIBERTY

FREE WILL BAPTIST

ASSOCIATION

Held at

Camp Mt. Pleasant , Bonifay, Florida
October 13, 2001

West Florida Liberty Association
2001-2002 Officers and Board Members

OFFICERS

Moderator. Rev. David Williford
Assistant Moderator. Mr. Lavon Crawford
Clerk/ Treasurer Ms. Donna Kay Clark
Assistant Clerk/Treasurer. Mrs. Bonnie Brown

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Mr. Lavon Crawford {2006} Mr. Aron Burch {2005}
Rev. Jack Cowart {2004} Mr. Ed Sweigart {2003}
Rev. Tim Owen {2002}

BOARD OF TRUSTEES

Mr. Archie Cook {2004} Mr. Ralph Toole {2003}
Mr. Tom Brown {2002}

YOUTH BOARD

Mrs. Teresa Fussell {2006} Ms. Donna Kay Clark {2005}
Mrs. Gearldine Burch {2004} Mr. Ty Peel {2003}
Mr. Gerald Smothers {2002}

CAMP BOARD

Mr. Archie Cook {2003} Mr. Tom Brown {2002}

MISSION BOARD

Mr. Ernest Owen {2004} Rev. Jack Cowart {2003}
Rev. David Williford {2002}

LIBRARY COMMITTEE

Mr. Ed Sweigart {2004} Mr. Lavon Crawford {2003}
Mrs. Karen Owen {2002}

FELLOWSHIP COMMITTEE

Mrs. Freda Toole {2005} Mrs. Connie Sweigart {2004}
Mrs. Faye Peel {2003} Mrs. Myra Henderson {2002}

COMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS

Nominating & Resolutions Committee / Executive Committee
Obituary Committee/ Mrs. Jerrine Burch, Mrs. Marie George,
Mrs. Etha Mae Owen

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Quarterly Meetings

February 16, 2002 1st FWB, Chipley
April 13, 2002 [9:30 am] Pleasant Hill
July 12, 2002 [7 pm] 1st FWB, Chipley
October 5, 2002 [9:30 am] Piney Grove

Other Events of Interest

January 18&19, 2002/Camp Mt. Pleasant Ladies Retreat
January 21-23, 2002/Gainesville Minister's Retreat
April 20, 4:45 pm/Camp Mt. Pleasant Mission Rally
May 8-11, Jacksonville State Meeting
May 24, 6pm Men's Steakout
June 9-14 Teen Camp
June 20-22 Primary Camp
June 23-28 Junior Camp
July 21-25 National Association
October 11-12/ Ft. Walton. Sunday School Conference

ASSOCIATION MINUTES

**Fellowship Meeting
January 28, 2001
Piney Grove, Chipley, Fl.**

There was a full house at Piney Grove for this Sunday afternoon quarterly meeting. The meeting was started with a song service lead by Tim and Karen Owen.

Congregational songs were "To God Be the Glory," "My Tribute," "In the Name of the Lord," "His Name is Wonderful," "Jesus, Name Above All Names," "Stand Up, Stand Up for Jesus" and "Something About that Name." Bro. Tim told the story behind the song, "Stand Up, Stand Up for Jesus," by George Duffield.

Bro. David gave the announcements. Presbytery to meet after today's service.

Donna Kay Clark gave her testimony about the Ladies retreat held this past weekend.

Piney Grove's Choir sang "Born Again".

Bro. Kenny Thompkins preached from Col.4:15,16, "Working Together for One Goal, Jesus Christ."

Offering was taken. Bro. Tom Brown closed in prayer.

Piney Grove church hosted with refreshments in their fellowship hall.

BUSINESS MEETING
April 14, 2001
1st Free Will Baptist of Chipley

Bro. Tim Owen led the congregation in singing "Higher Ground."
Bro. David Williford brought the meeting to order. The delegates were seated. The minutes were read and accepted. The treasurer's report was read and accepted.

OLD BUSINESS-Motion tabled from October, 2000 meeting.

RECOMMENDATION— It was moved and accepted to change Article IX. Section 1 to read: The Moderator shall received one hundred dollars {\$100.00} per year, the clerk/treasurer two hundred dollars {\$200.00} per year. The remainder of the money shall be used for expenses of the Association that may occur.

NEW BUSINESS-Recommendation from the Executive committee.

To change Article VII. to read/Meetings— This Association shall meet in January and July for fellowship and a Saturday in April and October both for fellowship and conducting business. Business may be conducted at any fellowship meeting, if necessary. The Executive committee shall make recommendations to the body concerning dates at the annual meeting in October. These dates may be changed by body at any regular meeting. Recommendation moved, second and accepted.

RECOMMENDATION from the Executive Committee— Bro. Thomas Porter be nominated for the State Executive Committee Person. Moved, second and accepted. It was moved, second and carried that Bro. Ed Sweigart would be proxy for Bro. David Williford for the remainder of the year.

The Executive Committee received a letter from St. Johns Church stating they would like to be dismissed from The West Florida Liberty Association. The committee regretfully submitted this for a vote. It was moved, second and accepted to honor this request.

The Berean Church, a mission work in Lynn Haven, has requested to be a part of our Association. The Executive Committee submits this for a vote. It was decided the committee will meet with them in July.

YOUTH CAMP REPORT— Bro. David gave camp dates for the summer.

YOUTH BOARD REPORT— given by Bro. Allan Austin. The youth will be taking 4 trips to Wild Adventures, Valdosta, Ga. During the year. Dates to be announced.

MISSION BOARD REPORT— Bro. David said the mission shares program is on going and doing well. The Berean church in Lynn Haven is a mission work that the board is talking with. Jack Cowart is the pastor.

Delegate to the State Meeting in Deland, May 9-12, were named: Donna Williford, Jerrine Burch, Jimmie Lou Russell, Donna Kay Clark, and Karen Owen.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

A Christian Workers Conference will be held in Panama City, September 21 & 22. Classes for youth workers and Christian education workers will be held.

State Association information is in the Coordinator.

The National Association is July 15-19 in Detroit, Mich.

June 10 will be Bill and Corene George Scholarship Day. Please take a special offering.

Dismissed for a break.

Bro. Tim Owen led the congregation in singing "He Lives" and "This World Is Not My Home." Bro. Aron Burch led in prayer.

An announcement was made that April 21st a mission rally would be held at Camp Mt. Pleasant at 6 pm with Bro. Trymon Messer preaching.

An offering of \$52.00 was taken.

Bro. Tim presented the special music, "Until Then" Karen Owen accompanied on the piano.

Bro. Allan Austin preached from Col. 3:1-4 on "Being Alive in Christ."

Bro. David announced July 6th at 7 pm will be our next meeting at Pleasant Hill.

Bro. Ralph Toole closed the meeting in prayer.

FELLOWSHIP MEETING
JULY 16, 2001
PLEASANT HILL FWB CHURCH

Bro. Tim Owen welcomed everyone. Before our song service Bro. Tim gave a tribute to songwriter, Philip Paul Bliss [1838-1876]. He was saved at the age of 12 and committed his life to the Lord and music. D.L. Moody asked him to invest himself in full time ministry and they worked together for the Lord. We sang several of the hymns he wrote, "Whosoever Will," "Let the Lower Lights Be Burning," "My Redeemer" and "Almost Persuaded."

Donna Kay Clark sang "He is Here" while the offering was taken. Offering total was \$71.00.

Bro. Allan Austin preached from Lamentations 3:19 on "Compromise Comprises our Commitment"- A Look at God's Character.

1. Because of who He is there is hope, verse 18
2. The Lord's mercies never cease, verse 22
3. His compassion fails not, verse 22
4. His faithfulness never diminishes, verse 23

After singing congregational hymn, Pam Strickland sang, "What If I Give All?"

Bro. David led us in prayer.

There were 2 items of business from the Executive Committee.

RECOMMENDATION: Berean Church of Panama City become members of West Florida Liberty Association. MSC

RECOMMENDATION: West Florida Liberty Association file papers to become incorporated. MSC

There was a proposal concerning Gap Pond Church and property.
This was tabled until October meeting.

Announcements-

Christian Workers Conference— September 21 & 22 in Panama City
Video “He Keeps Me Singing” on sale through Florida State Ministries.

Florida FWB Ministry brochures available.

Camp Meeting— August 5th with Bro. Eddie Payne.

Our next meeting is October 13th.

Mrs. Doris Burns at Gap Pond Church was introduced and gave a talk on the background of the church.

Bro. Tom Brown closed in prayer. Dismissed for refreshment time in the church fellowship hall.

**BUSINESS MEETING
OCTOBER 13, 2001
CAMP MT. PLEASANT**

Bro. David Williford welcomed everyone. Bro. Aron Burch opened in prayer. Bro. Tim & Karen Owen led in singing, “Leaning on the Everlasting Arms” and “What a Day That Will Be.”

Bro. David introduced Bro. Don Walker, Home Missionary to Gainesville, as our speaker. He preached from 1 Corinthians 9:19 on change in the ministry and our lives.

BUSINESS MEETING-

Delegates were seated

The minutes and treasurers report were read and accepted.

OLD BUSINESS-

RECOMMENDATION from the Executive Committee: We propose to deed the present property to the Gap Pond Free Will Baptist Church, Inc. subject to a revision clause being inserted in the deed. Basically the revision clause will stipulate the following: [1] If the Gap Pond Church ever ceases to be a Free Will Baptist Church, all property will revert to the Liberty Association of Free Will Baptist.
[2] Any attempts to sell the property will result in all property reverting to the Liberty Association.

The recommendation was approved.

See handout information at the end of minutes.

NEW BUSINESS

RECOMMENDATION: Having been presented a letter of release from the Liberty Association, we the Executive Committee ask that their desire to be removed from our fellowship be granted to Panama City First Free Will Baptist Church. Motion, second and carried.

Motion made by Bro. Tim Owen to amend Article I, in the Constitution of the West Florida Liberty Association of Free Will Baptist Churches by removing "West Florida." Article I, page 10 of the Constitution would read, "This organization shall be known as the Liberty Association of Free Will Baptist Churches." Tabled until next business meeting

BUDGET RECOMMENDATION:

COOP BREAKDOWN

FLORIDA FWB STATE ASSOCIATION	60%
WEST FLORIDA LIBERTY ASSOCIATION	40%

BREAKDOWN OF 40% IN LIBERTY ASSOC.

CAMP MT. PLEASANT	25%
GENERAL FUND	10%
YOUTH FUND	17%
MISSION BOARD	24%
FELLOWSHIP	10%
LIBRARY FUND	1%
STATE PROMOTIONAL OFFICE	10%
BILL & CORENE GEORGE SCHOLARSHIP	3%

Motion, second and carried.

Linda Cook Hummel Memorial Student Loan & Scholarship Fund -
Balance on Hand - \$ 6,212.59

Bill & Corene George Scholarship Fund -
Balance on hand – \$ 3,752.61

West Florida Liberty Association Of Free Will Baptists
2001 Annual Treasurer's Report

Balance on hand as of 10/2000	\$ 6,517.06
Total Received from 10/1/00 - 9/30/01	\$35,112.14

PAID OUT

Advertising	\$600.00	
Board of Retirement	1,246.01	
Fellowship Committee	760.00	
Men's & Women's Retreat-	\$460.00	
Florida State Association	17,590.23	
General Fund	1,276.97	
George Scholarship Fund	351.82	
(transferred balance \$3,730.17 to FWB Foundation)		
Library Fund	188.98	
Mission Board	2,600.00	
State Promotional Office	1,172.69	
Student Loan Fund	120.00	
Youth Camp	2,844.74	
Youth Fund	4,305.06	
TOTAL PAID OUT		<u>\$ 33, 056.00</u>

Balance on Hand as of 9/30/001	\$8, 573.20
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ACCOUNT BALANCES

Advertising	\$1,020.00
Board of Retirement	\$0.00
Fellowship	968.97
Florida State Association	0.00
General Fund	593.39
George scholarship Fund	0.00
[transferred \$3,730.17 to FWB Foundation	
Library Fund	1,638.24
Mission Board	986.08
State Promotional Office	0.00
Student Loan Fund	0.00
Youth Camp	87.50
Youth Fund	3,279.02

Background information from October minutes:

Proposal Concerning Gap Pond Church and Property

Background: The original Gap Pond FWB Church closed in May of 1982 and deeded the property to the Liberty Association. Our association and the Salem Association had been involved in the work since Dennis Owen went there as a missionary in the mid 1970's, providing financial support for the pastor-missionary's salary. For whatever reason the work failed to grow and develop, leading to the church's decision to close in 1982. We have a warranty deed to the property. For the past several years a group (also calling themselves Gap Pond FWB Church) has been meeting in the building and maintaining the cemetery. Many of those who presently meet there have family members buried in the cemetery, and have ties with the former church. While we have been aware that they were meeting there, we have not tried to charge them rent.

Present Situation: On two different occasions we have been approached about deeding the property to them. Our trustees recently met a group representing the church. Our concerns for the property is that it be maintained as Free Will Baptist property, or that Free Will Baptists be compensated for the property. The group that is meeting there is small, and could be "taken over" by an outside group and the property lost. To avoid that possibility, and to work as amicably as possible with the group presently meeting there, the trustees have met and offer the following proposal: We propose to deed the present property to the Gap Pond FWB Church, Inc. subject to a revision clause being inserted in the deed. Basically the revision clause will stipulate the following: (1) If the Gap Pond Church ever ceases to be a Free Will Baptist Church, all property will revert to the Liberty Association of Free Will Baptists. (2) Any attempts to sell the property will result in all property reverting to the Liberty Association.

Nominations of Committee Members:

Executive Committee-Aron Burch(2005) Jack Cowart(2004)
Tim Owen(2002 unexpired term) Lavon Crawford(2006)
Board of Trustees-Archie Cook (2004)
Youth Board- Teresa Fussell(2006) Gerald Smothers(2002)
Camp Board- Archie Cook(2003)
Mission Board- Jack Cowart(2003) Ernest Owen(2004)
Library Committee- Karen Owen(2002) Ed Sweigart(2004)
Fellowship- Freta Toole(2005) Connie Sweigart(2004)
Obituary-Jerrine Burch, Etha Mae Owen, Marie George
All nominations moved, second and carried.

Youth board report-A rock-a-thon was held at 1st FWB of Chipley. \$626.00 was collected for missions. Three trips to Wild Adventures Theme Park in Valdosta, Ga. were made this year. The park has rides, water attractions and animal shows. In August the teens saw Carman, a gospel singer, in concert. The December trip we went to see the Christmas lights, nativity scenes and ice shows.

Library report- We have a variety of new videos available in our associations library. If interested in checking one out see Bro. Ed Sweigart for a list.

Obituary report-

1st Church of Chipley- Mrs. Rhoda Quattlebaum, Mr. Dallas Anderson
Abigail- Mrs. Myrlene Sexton
Piney Grove- Mr. Richard Fake, Mrs. Oma Owen

RULES OF DECORUM

1. The Association, when convened, shall be opened and closed by singing and prayer.
2. Only one person shall speak at a time, and he will rise to his feet and address the Moderator.
3. Each person thus speaking shall not be interrupted in speech, except by the Moderator, until he gets through; nor shall the Moderator interrupt him unless he breaks order.
4. The person speaking shall adhere to the questions and shall in no way cast reflections on any person who may have spoken before him.
5. No person shall speak more than three times on the same subject without leave of the Association.
6. No person shall carry on conversation, one with another, so as to interrupt business while in session.
7. Members shall address each other by the appellation of brother, brethren, or sisters.
8. No members of this Association shall absent himself when the Association is sitting in conference without leave of the Moderator.
9. The names of the delegates of this Association shall be enrolled and called as often as the Association thinks is necessary.
10. No member shall speak longer than fifteen minutes at one time without leave of the Moderator.
11. Visiting brethren shall be entitled to a seat, and to discuss subjects, but not to vote.

CONSTITUTION OF THE WEST FLORIDA LIBERTY ASSOCIATION OF FREE WILL BAPTIST CHURCHES

Preamble. In order to encourage and inspire the churches of this association to engage in a more definite plan of work, to labor together in unity, and to coordinate their efforts for a greater program to Christ and His Kingdom; we do hereby adopt this Constitution and By- Laws.

Article I. Name - This organization shall be known as the West Florida Liberty Association of Free Will Baptist Churches.

Article II. Officers - The officers of this association shall be Moderator, Assistant Moderator, Clerk/Treasurer, and Assistant Clerk/Treasurer. (These offices may be combined.) The officers are to be elected at the Annual Meeting and will serve a two-year term.

Article III. Membership - This association shall be composed of churches in good standing according to the Faith and Practices of the Treatise of the National Association of Free Will Baptists.

Section I. Church(es) desiring membership in this association shall send delegates bearing a petition letter. If the above church(es) upon examination by the Credentials-Examining Committee (Ordaining Council), are found to be in order and properly organized as specified in the Treatise of the National Association of Free Will Baptists, they shall by vote of this body, be received in full fellowship.

a. It is recommended that all churches of this association require their pastors be a member of the church which he serves, unless he pastors more than one church, then he must be a member of one of the churches he serves.

b. It is also recommended that, a church that cannot find a Free Will Baptist pastor, be allowed to call an interim pastor who will not preach contrary to the Doctrine of the National Association of Free Will Baptists.

Article IV. Representation - This association shall consist of delegates from the churches of which it is composed, each church being entitled to two (2) delegates for the first twenty-five (25) members or fraction thereof, and one (1) delegate for each subsequent twenty-five (25) members or fraction thereof.

Section I. All ordained ministers and deacons who are in good standing with the association shall be standing delegates.

Article V. Committees and Boards - The following are elected on a rotating basis, whereby one member is elected annually. The Executive Committee (5 members elected only from the standing delegates), Board of Trustees (3 members), Youth Committee (5 members), Camp Board (2 members), Mission Board (3 members), Library Committee, and Fellowship Committee. All committees and boards shall be subject to the association for their actions. All committees and boards shall give a report of their actions at each association business session.

Section I. The association officers are members ex-officio of the above committees.

Section II. The following committees may be appointed by the moderator: Nominations, Resolutions, and Obituaries.

Article VI. Presbytery of the West Florida Liberty Association - The Presbytery will serve as the representative of the West Florida Liberty Association to interview ministerial candidates for ordination and determine their qualifications for ordination. The Presbytery is also authorized to interview all incoming ministers to determine their qualifications for ratification of credentials. Those approved will thereby become members of the Presbytery. The Presbytery will report its final decision to the body as information. The Presbytery of the West Florida Liberty Association will be composed of:

- (1) Ordained ministers who have been approved by the Presbytery of this association, and
- (2) Ordained deacons of member churches.

Members of this presbytery will receive a card of good standing and may thereby present themselves as a Free Will Baptist minister or deacon in good standing. Members of the Presbytery will also be recognized as standing delegates to the West Florida Liberty Association.

In matters of discipline, the Presbytery will have the power to investigate questions of conduct, character, or doctrine of any ordained minister. Any disciplinary action taken by the Presbytery concerning ministers will follow the procedures presented in, A Treatise of the Faith and Practices of the National Association of Free Will Baptists, and in accordance with the *Step -By-Step Procedure In Association Disciplinary Action Concerning Its Ministers*, adopted July 1999. The Presbytery will have the authority to withdraw fellowship and/or revoke the credentials of any minister found to be unqualified due to unchristian conduct or character, or false doctrine. The minister under such discipline would no longer be recognized as an ordained member in good standing.

Although it is not within the scope of the Presbytery to approve the ordination of the deacons of local churches, the Presbytery has the responsibility to examine questions of conduct, character, or doctrine of deacons. The disciplinary action of the Presbytery will be limited to revoking the good standing status in this body. The deacon may, at the pleasure of his church, continue to serve in the capacity of deacon, but he will not be recognized as a standing delegate at the district, state, or national level.

The Presbytery, from its membership, will elect an examining committee. The committee will interview the candidates and make a recommendation to the full Presbytery.

Article VII. Meetings - This association shall meet in January and July for a fellowship and a Saturday in April and October both for fellowship and conducting business. Business may be conducted at any fellowship meeting, if necessary. The Executive committee shall make recommendations to the body concerning dates at the annual meeting in October. These dates may be changed by the body at any regular meeting.

Article VIII. Linda Cook Hummel Memorial Student Loan & Scholarship Fund - The Linda Cook Hummel Memorial Student Loan Fund shall be supported by each church with a representation fee as recommended by the Executive Committee and approved by the voting body. This fee is payable quarterly and may be supplemented by gifts from individuals, churches, etc. To be eligible to receive a loan, the student: (1) Must be enrolled in Free Will Baptist Bible College in Nashville, Tennessee, (2) Must be a member in good standing of a Free Will Baptist church in this association which regularly supports the Linda Cook Hummel Memorial Student Loan Fund, (3) Shall give to the Board of Trustees of this association a promissory note. To be eligible to receive a scholarship, the student: (1) Must be enrolled in Free Will Baptist Bible College in Nashville, TN; (2) Must be a member in good standing of a Free Will Baptist Church in this association which regularly supports the Linda Cook Hummel Memorial Student Loan & Scholarship Fund; (3) Shall give a written request for a scholarship to the Board of Trustees of this association.

Article IX. Finances - Each church shall pay quarterly dues as recommended by the Executive Committee and approved by the voting body.

Section I. The Moderator shall receive one hundred dollars (\$100.00) per year and the Clerk two hundred dollars (\$200.00) per year. The remainder of the money shall be used for expenses of the Association that may occur.

Article X. Independence of Churches - Each church of this Association is a distinct and independent organization, with full and absolute authority to manage its own internal and external affairs, to elect its pastor and officers, and to receive and dismiss its members.

Section I. Each church of this Association shall have, hold, and control all its property, real and otherwise.

EXCEPTION: The church that is under the control of the Missions Board.

Section II. This Association shall act only in an advisory capacity. Should there arise in the local church any questions on doctrine, practices or discipline, the Bible, and the Treatise of the Faith and Practices of the Free Will Baptists shall be considered the final authority.

Article XI. Quorum - One minister and five (5) standing delegates with six (6) delegates from (3) or more churches of this Association shall constitute a quorum.

Article XII. Amendments - This constitution may be altered or amended by a vote of the Association at any regular business session, if notice of such intended alteration has been given in writing and recorded at the previous business session.

**BY-LAWS OF THE CONSTITUTION OF THE WEST
FLORIDA LIBERTY ASSOCIATION OF
FREE WILL BAPTIST CHURCHES**

Article I. Duties of the Association Officers.

Section I. Moderator - The Moderator shall preside over all meetings of the Association; appoint temporary committees, and call the members of the Executive Committee together when necessary.

Section 2. Assistant Moderator - The Assistant Moderator shall preside over the meetings of the association in the absence of the Moderator. He shall assist the Moderator in the general work of the association. He shall assume the duties of the Moderator in his absence.

Section 3. Provision for Moderator - In case of the absence of both Moderator and Assistant Moderator, the body shall elect the Moderator for that session.

Section 4. Clerk - The Clerk shall record the proceedings of the business sessions of the association and of the executive committee, and shall edit and have them printed into annual minutes for the general information of the member churches. Clerk shall also (1) collect the letters and reports from the churches, (2) prepare the association report to the Florida State Association of Free Will Baptist churches, (3) prepare all correspondence for the association, (4) if replaced, turn all records of the association over to the successor in office, (5) give the report of meetings to the association.

Section 5. Treasurer - The treasurer shall have charge of all association funds. He/she shall keep a record of all monies received and paid out by the association, make and give a financial report at each business session of the association, and if replaced, turn all records of the association with funds over to his/her successor in office.

Article II. Committees.

Section 1. Executive Committee - The executive committee shall act for the association of churches when it is not in session on things that cannot wait until the association is in regular session.

- a. This committee shall plan and arrange the year's program for all sessions of the association.
- b. This committee shall act as the promotional agency for the various work of the association.
- c. This committee shall be called into session when necessary by the Moderator or, in his absence, by the Assistant Moderator.
- d. This committee shall give a report of all business to the association.

Section 2. Mission Committee - There shall be a mission committee consisting of three (3) member elected to terms, one for three years; one for two years; one for one year. Their duties:

- a. To promote mission work in this association.
- b. To coordinate the needs of our missionaries (home and foreign) to each of our churches in this association. To plan, organize, and supervise mission work in the association.
- c. To report to the association.

Section 3. Board of Trustees - The Board of Trustees is to be in charge of all deeds and paper work dealing with the property of the association.

- a. To regulate and oversee the Student Loan & Scholarship Fund.
- b. To collect funds on the promissory notes.
- c. To report to the association.

Section 4. Youth Committee - This committee shall consist of five (5) members elected on a rotating basis

- a. To organize, plan, and supervise the youth rallies, CTS competition, Sunday School promotion, and summer camps, etc. for the association.
- b. To promote our association among our youth.
- c. To report to the association.

Section 5. Camp Board - The duties of the camp board are:

- a. To coordinate the work of the camp between our association and sister associations.
- b. To help maintain the camp.
- c. To plan calendar events for the camp.
- d. To coordinate with the youth co-directors the programs for the camp (association).

Section 6. Library Committee - The Library Committee shall consist of (3) members elected by the association on a rotating basis. Funding will be received through cooperative funds as determined by the annual association budget. Materials may be purchased that are educational, inspirational, or entertaining. The committee should endeavor to purchase materials that will meet the needs of all age groups, including children and teenagers. Their duties include:

- a) Purchasing, cataloging, and storing video and audio materials for the association churches and members.
- b) Overseeing the loan of these materials to any church or church member of the West Florida Liberty Association.

Section 7. Fellowship Committee. This committee shall consist of four members, elected on a rotating basis. Its goal is to endeavor to encourage every brother and sister in Christ to see the good we have and can do for others as we follow Christ. Romans 15:2 "Let every one of us please his neighbor for his good to edification." The duties include:

- a) Planning activities to promote Christian fellowship among the members of the association.
- b) Providing financial support, as deemed appropriate and affordable, to subsidize expenses of retreats, trips, and activities approved by the Fellowship Committee.

Churches & Pastors

Abigail FWB Church
P.O. Box 927/ 2893A Dawkins
Vernon, FL 32462

2893B Dawkins St.
Vernon, FL 32462
850-535-0240

Chipley First FWB Church
1387 South Boulevard
Chipley, FL 32428
850-638-0598

Rev. David Williford
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Chipley, FL 32428
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Berean Baptist
106 S. Jan Drive
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850-871-3844

Rev. Jack Cowart
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850 -871-3844

Piney Grove FWB Church
1783 Piney Grove Road
Chipley, Fl. 32428
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850-638-7064

Rev. Tim Owen
1863 Duncan Comm. Rd.
1886 Pleasant Hill Rd.
Chipley, Fl. 32428
850-638-1904

Pleasant Hill FWB Church
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Bonifay, Fl.32425

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Church Clerks

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First FWB Chipley
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Chipley, FL 32428
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Piney Grove FWB
Myra D. Henderson
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Chipley, FL 32428
850-638-1193

Berean Baptist
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850-871-3844

Pleasant Hill FWB
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850-535-1122

Other Ministers

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Rev. Frank Willis
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Deacons

First FWB Church Chipley

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1718 Quintara Ct.
Sunny Hills, FL 32428
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Piney Grove FWB Church

Lavon Crawford
1647 Bonner Rd.
Bonifay, FL 32425
850-638-0015

Houston Toole
1664 Houston Rd.
Chipley, FL 32428
850-638-0674

Ralph Toole
1567 Piney Grove Rd.
Chipley, FL 32428
850-638-1119

Pleasant Hill FWB

L.D. Helms
3459 Yates Settlement Rd.
Bonifay, FL 32425
850-535-2078

Tom Brown
2036 Pleasant Hill Rd.
Bonifay, FL 32425
850-535-2772

Aron Burch
3456 Union Hill Rd.
Bonifay, Fl. 32425
850-535-2135

Deacons

Berean Baptist

Tom Hickman
1715 Calhoun Ave.
Panama City, Fl. 32405
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Camp Mt. Pleasant

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